

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

Greece has followed Italy's example in forbidding the exportation of antiquities. Notice has been served on foreign governments and learned societies.

Duke Robert of Parma is a father for the nineteenth time. Only one of his children, the late Princess of Bulgaria married. The other eighteen, eight boys and ten girls, live with him in the Castle of Schwarzau in Austria.

An English boy's periodical recently took a vote on the recreations its readers preferred. The result gave this order: Football, cricket, cycling, swimming, gymnastics, reading, rowing, stamp collecting. Croquet came last in a list of twenty-two pastimes and golf twentieth. Being English boys they knew nothing of lacrosse.

QUEBEC ONCE MORE.

A Young Lady of St. Justine Writes of Her Experience With Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Miss Anna Cholette Was a Sufferer From Childhood—Doctors Gave Her Up as a Chronic Invalid—To-Day in Super-abundant Health From Use of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

St. Justine, Que., Feb. 5.—Miss Anna Cholette, of this place, has been an invalid, owing to Kidney Disease, all her life until quite recently, when she began to improve. Her many friends were delighted at the change and she met with congratulation and encouragement on all sides. It was not generally known, however, that the cause of Miss Cholette's improving condition was due to Dodd's Kidney Pills, and it was not until the other day that the fact was given out. But such is the case and Miss Cholette acknowledges the benefit she has derived from Dodd's Kidney Pills in the following letter, giving full details of her case for the benefit of other sufferers.

"Since the age of eight years I have suffered with inflammation of the kidneys. I am to-day twenty-four years old. I hasten to write you, therefore, to give you the full details of my cure, I commenced to be sick when going to school. I was not able to bear the fatigue or study. One day mother fell sick and the doctor profited by the occasion to tend me also. He came often to see me for six months when he told me it was not necessary to come any more; my trouble would right itself as I grew older. He made nothing of the months I had been unwell already. "The trouble continued constantly after that. I suffered greatly and was bed-ridden almost continually. At this time I was under the consultation of two doctors. They said I had been suffering this long time of inflammation of the kidneys. They gave me many medicines, and I was under their treatment for two years. They gave me no relief. "My parents were greatly pained at seeing me suffering so, and as for myself I felt that I could never find pleasure again in this world. "My father one day read in a newspaper of the good effects of Dodd's Kidney Pills. He bought three boxes of them to try and they gave me some relief. He bought me a dozen more boxes, and now I am perfectly well and overflowing with life and spirits."

Mr. Sergeant Spinks, whose name is worthy of Dickens, died recently in London, as the last of the sergeants. The sergeants-at-law formerly monopolized the practice of the Court of Common Pleas, but their privilege was done away with thirty years before the reform of the law courts in 1875, put an end to their office. Two judges are left who became sergeants, as was customary, on being appointed to the bench, but Sergeant Spinks was the last man to bear the title made famous by Mr. Sergeant Buzfuz.

LIFE'S DIFFICULTIES.
Penalties of Modern Methods of Living.

Picton, Dec. 18th.—We read a great deal concerning the hardships and sufferings endured by the Canadian pioneers in the early days of our Dominion. But the truth is that many of our descendants, in our own times, endure equally as much as did their forefathers. The case of Miss Anna Young, of this town is an instance. Miss Young is a grand-daughter of Col. Henry Young, the United Empire Loyalist, in whose honor Fort Henry, at Kingston, was named. She says:—"I had suffered with rheumatism for twenty years. My poor body was all twisted out of shape, so you can imagine the agony I endured. My physicians could not help me; all the medicines I used were utterly useless. "I read of Dr. Arnold's English Toxin Pills, one day, and thought I'd give them a trial. I am thankful for having that inspiration, for I am now free from very terrible pains and aches, thanks to Dr. Arnold's English Toxin Pills—and to them alone. I cannot, of course, be made young again, for I will be 79 years old in December, yet I feel I can end my days in peace, thanks to Dr. Arnold's English Pills. "Dr. Arnold's English Toxin Pills, the only medicine on earth that cures disease by killing the germs that cause it, are sold by all druggists at 75c. a box; sample size 25c., or sent prepaid on receipt of price, by The Arnold Chemical Co., Limited, Canada Life Building, 42 King St. W., Toronto.

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SO MANY HAVE
Look here, Mr. Tanneyhill, said the bank's president, severely, you must stop blowing clouds of smoke over the cashier's head.

Does he object? inquired the duke bookkeeper.
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Customer—What! Twenty-five cents a pound for sausage? Why, I can get them down at Schmidt's for twenty cents.

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Customer—Because he was out of them.

Butcher—Vell, und if I vas out of 'em? I sell 'em frer twenty cents, too, ain't it?

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