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Brougham is pronounced Broom.

Bulwer (as a surname) is pronounced Buller.

Cholmondeley is pronounced Chumley.

Cirencester is pronounced Sissister.

Cockburn is pronounced Cobun.

Colquhoun is pronounced Cohoon.

Cowper is pronounced Cooper.

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Salisbury is pronounced Sawlsbry.

St. Leger is pronounced Sillinger.

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Taliaferro is pronounced Tolliver.

Thames is pronounced Tems.

Wemyss is pronounced Weema.

Rheumatic Joints.—Mrs. George Smith, 62 Charron street, Point St. Charles, Que., says: "Rheumatism in my joints caused me sufferings that words cannot describe how terrible. I took four bottles of South American Rheumatic Cure and am a well woman. I have recommended it to others with as good results. Think the treatment nothing short of a wonder."—10

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A newspaper man was asked to publish an article roasting a citizen. "Certainly," he said to the caller. What shall I say? He was furnished with an outline of what was wanted, and wrote an article that was a scorcher. "That's splendid," exclaimed the friend delightedly. "That's right, that will make his old hair crinkle!" "All right," said the editor. "Let me see—what are your initials?" "Good Heavens" said the citizen, you are not going to sign my name to that? "Why not," asked the editor. "I wouldn't have anyone know that I had anything to do with that for the world. I cannot afford to get into a scrape with my neighbors." The editor smiled benevolently and said, "why should I mix up in a scrape that does not concern me? Why should you expect me to assume the blame for the publication of an article to which you are afraid to sign your name?" The man stopped his paper and went away mad.

Kidney Duty.—It is the particular function of the kidneys to filter out poisons which pass through them into the blood. When the kidneys are diseased they cannot do their whole duty, and should have the help and strength that South American Kidney Cure will afford in any and all forms of kidney disorder. It relieves in 6 hours.—14

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Father, dear father, come home with me now, for ma has some carpets to beat; she's got all the furniture cut in the yard, from the front clean out to the street. The stove must come down and be put in the shed, and the yard must be cleared of some grass, for it's time to clean house, and the devil's to pay—and the front windows need some new glass. Father, dear father, come home with me now, and bring some bologna and cheese, it's most 12 o'clock and there's nothing to eat—I'm so hungry I'm weak in the knees. All the dinner we'll have will be cold scraps and such, and we'll have to eat standing up, too, for the table and all are out in the back, oh, I wish the house cleaning was through. Father, dear father, come home with me now, for Ma is as mad as a Turk; she says that you're only a lazy old thing, and that she shall put you to work. There's painting to do and paper to hang, and the windows and casing to scrub, for it's housecleaning time and you've got to come home and revel in suds and cold grub.

Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart acts directly and quickly, stimulates the heart's action, stops most acute pain, dispels all signs of weakness, fluttering, sinking, smothering, or palpitation. This wonderful cure is the sturdy ship which carries the heart-sick patient into the haven of radiant and perfect health. Gives relief in most acute forms of heart disease in 30 minutes.—11

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The Big "I" In English.

Did it ever occur to you, asked an exchange, that it might seem egotistical for you to write of yourself with a capital "I" instead of using the small and less obtrusive one?

The English use of the capital "I" is one of the oddest features of the language—to a foreigner. If a Frenchman writes with reference to himself he makes "je" (the French equivalent of "I") with a small "j." So with the German, who may use capitals to begin every noun; he always uses the small "i" in writing "ich." The Spanish avoid as far as practicable, the use of the personal pronoun when writing in the first person, but he always writes it 'yo' taking pains, however, to begin the Spanish equivalent of our "you" with a capital.

In English it is surely big "I" and little "you," as the old saying has it.

VANDELEUR

Winter still hangs on We had a fierce snow storm last Saturday which has given farm work a sit back.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hutchinson lost their three year old daughter last week with diphtheria. Since Mr. Hutchinson has been prostrated with the disease, but we are glad to learn is now on the mend.

Mr. Lukes has been around here grafting and trimming fruit trees.

Miss Bull returned from Brampton on the 16th, and resumed her school duties on the following morning.

The other Eastor holiday visitors have all returned to their several homes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Johnston, of Alton, were the guests of Mr. A. Johnston and family for a short time.

Mr. H. Summers is under the Dr.'s care.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Buchanan last week, a son.

Take One of Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills after dinner. It will promote digestion and overcome any evil effects of too hearty eating. Safe, prompt, active, painless and pleasant. This effective little pill is supplanting all the old school nauseous purgatives. 40 doses, 10 cents.—13

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Holland Centre was the scene of rowdyism recently that seldom occurs in that otherwise peaceful village. Two young men, Edward Gibbons and Geo. Shute, visited Chatsworth one day, and dropped off the afternoon train at the Centre with an unusual load of whiskey. They announced their arrival in good round language. and after being ordered away from the station proceeded to the hotel for further supplies. Mr. Wardell refused to sell them any and they started in to demolish the house. They were summoned to appear before the magistrate, but only Gibbons could be secured, Shute having departed for new fields. Gibbons was taxed five dollars damages, three dollars fine and two dollars costs.—Markdale Standard.

That Cutting Acid that arises from the stomach and almost strangles, is caused by fermentation of the food in the stomach. It is a foretaste of indigestion and dyspepsia. Take one of Dr. Von Stan's Pineapple Tablets immediately after eating, and it will prevent this distress and aid digestion. 60 in a box, 35 cents.—16

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"Why, what is the matter with the baby, Edith?" asked a visitor of a little girl who was trying to quiet the crying infant. "I don't know," replied Edith, "but I expects he needs tuning."

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A rare find of coal oil was obtained at Reddickville, Duffern County on March 26th, on a property recently purchased by Dr. McGibbon, of Honeywood. Thos. Moore, who is the tenant on the place, found that the water was milky and of unusually strong smell. On further examination it was found that each pail of water when allowed to settle was covered with a layer of coal oil in an almost perfectly refined state. The pumping has continued for two days, and the percentage of oil is growing stronger. Farmers and others for a great distance around the place are carrying the oil home in bottles and pails. Great excitement is caused throughout the community.—Ayton Advance.

Those Worrying Piles!—One application of Dr. Agnew's Ointment will give you comfort. Applied every night for three to six nights and a cure is effected in the most stubborn cases of Blind, Bleeding, or Itching Piles. Dr. Agnew's Ointment cures Eczema and all itching and burning skin diseases. It acts like magic. 35 cents.—15

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A change has been made in the Good Roads' Bill by the Provincial Legislature. The original draft of the bill was to spread the million dollar grant over ten years, but that has been changed and the the million dollars will be available this year. There are 40 counties in Ontario, so that the average amount coming to each county will be $25,000. Bruce being exceptionally large, the amount coming to this county will exceed the sum mentioned. The division of the money will be according to area. The year 1901 will be important in roadmaking in this province.—Telescope.

A Pleasant Duty.—"When I know anything worthy of recommendation, I consider it my duty to tell it," says Rev. Jas. Murdock, of Hamburg, Pa. "Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder has cured me of Catarrh of five years standing. It is certainly magical in its effect. The first application benefited me in five minutes. 50 cts."—9

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