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#### AN INFANT PHENOMENON, placed under the tuition of Joachim. He seemed to learn both the technique

GERMAN SCIENTISTS.

At Two Years of Age He Could Read Well finest professional players on the vio--Now, at Four Years, He Devours His- lin the world. About Other Famous Prodigtes.

The little German child, Otto Poehs born in 1877. He was compared with From the Kentville Advertiser. astounded people by his marvellous faculty for reading printed matter and manuscript, still continues to excite the worder of th manuscript, still continues to excite the wonder of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists in Europe who have visited him and verified of the many scientists and sleep hurriedly snatched in the first to years, and deleast the many scientists and the first to years, and the many scientists and the first to years, and the many scientists and the first to years and the first to year and the fi for themselves the actuality of his peculiar gift.

Carl Stumpt, professor of phisosophy at the University of Berlin and member of the Academy of Sciences, Berlin, has contributed to the Revue Scientifique, of Paris, a very interesting paper, about the child, in which he tries to analyze the nature of his remarkable mental endowment as the result of a series of experiments he made with the little fellow during a number of visits.

The history of the boy is very sunple. He is the child of a fairly wellto-do butcher in Brunswick, Germany, and is now four years old. It was when he was still a mere baby in arms that his extraordinary powers began to manifest themselves. He was but twenty-one months old, a nursing baby just beginning to speak a few words, when his mother in carrying him all!" through the streets noticed his strange excitement when he saw the lettered signs and printed words over shop eleven we're enough for any boy." doors and in shop windows. He clapped his baby hands and his eyes glisher. Passing the same shops days after he would again read the signs and read them correctly. When he saw the same words in printed books he read them off glibly and correctly. prove that he was 'peculiar!'"

His vocabulary of printed words grew with rapidity. He learned the letters of the alphabet almost intuitively. By the time he was two years old he was reading glibly from every newspaper and book that came into Stronger, more penetrating and quickhis hands. Every inscription on a er in action than any other remedy in monument he passed he read and remembered. Now at the age of four years he devours histories and biograis used. It is just the thing to have is used. It is just the thing to have with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own I decided to give them a with my own phies, and can tell the dates and places of birth of scores of Germany's worthies and great men.

The child has not the slightest notion of how to write, although he reads writing and even bad writing fluently. Furthermore, he shows no desire to learn how to write. His full mental energies seem to be bent towards the one thing-reading. The general conclusion reached by the scientists who have studied him is that his marvellous memory for words and his gift Troubled With Weakness Peculiar for reading is in no sense mechanical but is based upon and co-operates with a solid and very great intelligence.
Otto's parents will not consent to make a show of him, although they could command their own price, and

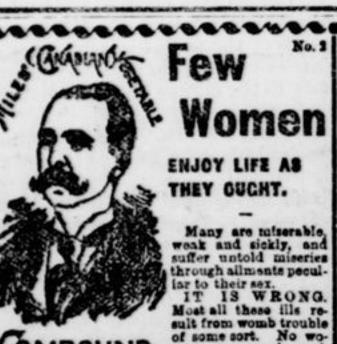
hey are not rich enough to provide him with a tutor. For that reason some of the scientists of the Continent have set about raising a fund to see that he is properly educated.

OTHER FAMOUS PRODIGIES.

fant prodigies as this wonderful German child generally blaze with their than men ever dream of. We look dazzling light for but a short time upon women as weak and fragile, but and then go out in utter darkness. considering what they endure they are There have been brilliant exceptions stronger far. to this, however, as, for instance, Pope. Macaulay and Hebert Spencer, each of whom was an infant phenomenon of they need to. Partly because they wider and more varied reading when don't know what ails them at first; they were fifteen years of age than then because they are ashamed to tell most men afterwards noted for their scholarship when they were twenty- a doctor; latterly because they hate

overtopped all others, was the unhappy Chatterton. Chatterton was remained weaknesses are what we than anything else, and was very painful, a freak even among prodigies. When term the diseases peculiar to the fe- Just at that time I began using South Amerihe was five years of age he was sent male sex. They are often confounded to a charity school, whence, after a with female Kidney troubles, and Kidney Cure. It gave me immediate relief, and from that time till now I have had no difficulty. I can safely and honestly recomyear and a half of unavailing effort ney troubles are often mistaken for other troubles. All those delicate orman sent home as a hopeless dunce. gans are closely connected. What af-When he was seven he went to an- fects one affects the other. other school, where the master hap- What cures one, cures the others, too. pened to be a pedant in poetry. Chat- DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS, which are a terton was the only boy in the school sovereign cure for all Kidney ills, act tist's fingers carry disease germs. Boil who appeared to be utterly incapable to regulate and control the female or- your dentist. of any poetic enthusiasm. Three years gans and to relieve their difficulties. later he was writing poetry, and when This is worth while for every woman he was eleven years old he had com- to remember. pleted "Elinoure and Inga," a poem of merit. Then came his wonderful says:—"For years I was a sufferer literary forgeries which deceived near-from weakness peculiar to my sex, comby the press and platform of Canada literary forgeries, which develved near- bined with kidney trouble from all of for many years, is issuing a volume of is all the world of England for a time. The antiquarians of distinction stoutly maintaining that they were the genuine literary antiquities the mere child who had written them said they were. Who had written them said they were. He went to London, wrote for reviews He with kidney thoughe Hold with kidney though the hold with kidney thou and magazines, ground out sermons glad to say have no pain or ache since Toronto. \$1.00 postpaid. "The Lion for preachers, political letters and using Dodd's Kidney Pills." and the Lilies, and other Poems," is songs for music halls. Then he deliberately swallowed a dose of poison and killed himself; and all this before he Them. They are on sale at all drug- year of the Queen's Diamond Jubilee

had completed his eighteenth year. come to the front of late years have been muscians. Hubermann was \$2.50. Dodd's Medicine Co., Ltd., Toborn in Warsaw in 1883, and after a ronto, Ont. few lessons from a local teacher; was



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OTTO POEHLER, THE MARVEL OF him nothing, and when Goldmark he would believe in miracles. At the age of thirteen, he was one of the

torics and Biographies-Something Little Josef Hofman was a professional pianist as well as a composer when he was seven years old. He was

#### PECULIAR, NOT VICIOUS.

When that Boy Grows Up He Will Be Safe in Any Insane Crimminal Court.

"Yes., Johnnie is considered a vi-

"Why not?" "Because he is peculiar." "In what way?"

"In a great many ways. One day his father told him to go to the store and come right back. He didn't come, and when his father looked for him he was playing ball with some boys in the back lot."

"Indeed!" "Yes, and that isn't the worst of

"He hadn't been to the store at

"How strange!" "At another time his sister said he should not eat so many pancakes; that

"Well, he ate thirteen!"

tened with pleasure. When his mo- "Yes. Not long after this his Sun- cure. Mr. Taylor is an engineer on ther stopped and read them to him day School teacher cautioned him the Dominion Atlantic Railway, his his delight was still greater. To her against the sin of lying. The next day run being between Halifax and Kent-

"I want to know!"

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#### SUFFERING WOMEN.

to their Sex.

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the time a girl-child tarns the corner The popular belief is that such in- into womanhood, she has more troubles built for him in Scotland four years

Women suffer many times more than to be a continual source of expense to But of course the boy prodigy who their husbands.

ney Disease and Female weakness. Try | ready early in April, and certainly the

#### AN HISTORIC HORSE.

Among the historic horses whose Among the historic horses whose No matter of his daily walk names share the deathless fame of their Is subject for his neighbor's talk. owners and riders, is Copenhagen, the And critic-minds of ev'ry whim gallant war steed of the Duke of Wel- Jest all git up and go fer him! lington. He survived his master, liv- The signs is bad when folks commence ing in great ease and comfort twenty- A-findin' fault with Providence, one years after the battle of Waterloo, and dying at the venerable age of 33. On the grounds of the fine es- No man is great tel he can see tate presented to the "Iron Duke," as How less than little he would be a memorial of Waterloo, there are two monuments, one an imposing marble column erected in honor of the Duke; My doctern is to lay aside the other a simple marble stone. shad- Jest do your best, and praise er blame

"Here lies Copenhagen, the charger That gits more kicks than all the rest. ridden by the Duke of Wellington the entire day of the battle of Waterloo.

Born, 1803, died, 1836.

That gits more kicks than all the rest.

—James Whitcomb Riley.

"God's humbler instrument, though Should share the giory of that glorious | member of the Hungarian House

#### AN ENGINEER'S STORY.

TO DISEASE.

Mr. Wm. Taylor, of Kentville, Attacked With Kidney Trouble-So-Called Cures Proved Useless, But Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Restored His Health.

trainway is kidney disease, which up ledo, O. as a disease difficult, if not impossible, Druggists, Toledo, Ohio. to totally cure. Although there exist cures, the truth is that nothing had sold by all Druggists. Test imonia s free. numerous remedies claimed to be been found to successfully cope with | Hall's Family Pills are the best. this terrible disease until the advent of the now world-famed Dr. Williams' cious boy, but he isn't responsible for Pink Pills. Chancing to hear one day adelphia is known as the "court of advice would not be out of place. There trouble through the agency of Dr.



amazement he read them over after said it was Jimmie Harrigan that did drivers on the road. When asked by remember that if Johnnie ever gets trouble, brought on by continuous run-in any trouble it will be so easy to ning on the road, and I suppose it is It's a sure cure and I heartily recommend it. caused by the oscillation of the locomotive. It affected me but slightly at first, but gradually grew worse. I consulted a doctor and then tried two or three varieties of so-called cures. Some helped me for a time, but after stopping the use of them I grew worse than ever. I had noticed numerous testimonials in the papers concerning Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and reading of one cure that was almost identical

for I was completely cured by the use of the pills and have not been troubled with my kidneys since. I can therefore recommend them to others similarly afflicted. The experience of years has proved that there is absolutely no disease due

to a vitiated condition of the blood or shattered nerves, that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will not promptly cure, and those who are suffering from such troubles would avoid much misery and save money by promptly resorting to this treatment. Get the genuine Pink Pills every time and do not be persuaded to take an imitation or some other remedy from a dealer, who for the sake of the extra profit to himself, may say is "just as good." (Dr. Wil-liams' Pink Pills cure when other medicines fail.

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R Scriver, Carpenter, of Hastings, was a Great Sufferer from Kidney Disease -South American Kidney Cure Effect ed a Quick Cura-It is a specific Rem-edy for a Specific Disease—It Dissolves and Eradicates All Solid Matter from the System—Is Safe and Permanent.

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A SANITARY HINT. A medical paper claims that a den-

DR. JAKEWAY'S POEMS.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS, cure Kid- and the Lilies, and other Poems," is is a fitting time for its appearance.

#### MY PHILOSOPHY.

I allus argy that a man! Who does about the best he can Is plenty good enough to suit This lower mundane institute-

And balkin' 'cause the earth don't

At ev'ry prancin' step they take. Ef stripped to self, and stark and bare He hung his sign out anywhare.

Contentions, and be satisfied; ed by an ancient oak, marks the spot That follers that, counts jest the same. where Copenhagen was buried with I've allus noticed grate success military honors, and bears this inscrip- Is mixed with troubles, more or less, And it's the man who does the best

> The Emperor Francis Joseph has made the poet Maurus Jokal a life Magnates

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that Mr. Wm. Taylor, a resident of busy bees," because of its hard-work- are many who imagine a wheel is all

Williams' Pink Pills, a reporter called upon him at his home to hear from of the Maltese Cross of the Bay City so it is a good idea to enquire and if him personally what he thought of his Wheelmen in the Club Cup race at the possible inspect the facilities that the recent indoor tournament held in San | maker has at his command for the Francisco has now gained the honor manufacture of the wheel which he of being hailed as the 'indoor king," sells. Recognizing this fact H. A. Loz-Wells, who is one of the most popu- land bicycle have thrown open their lar riders in the States, stands 6 ft., factory at Toronto Junction to all who 4 in., weighs 220 lbs. and rides a Cleve- care to inspect for themselves the land model, No. 29, weighing 19 1-2 lbs., manner and care which enters into the which he swears by.

> perance campaign in Boston with a they will be given the privilege of inrecord of 13,000 total abstinence specting the factory. The visitors and

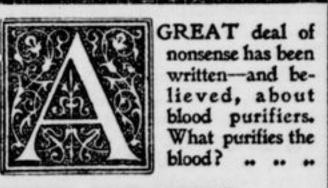
#### AN INSURANCE MAN'S STORY.

J. Hanratty, Inspector for the Stan dard Life Assurance Co. at Peterborough, Cured of Muscular Rheumatism by the Great South American Rheumatic Cure—It turns the Midnight of Suffering into the Midday Brightness of Good Health—These are his words.

I was a great sufferer from muscular rheuthe reporter concerning his illness he that implication that for days the reporter concerning his illness he the reporter concerning his illness he that I was in the spring of 1896 at a time I could not sleep. I walked the floor said: "It was in the spring of 1896 in pain the greater part of the right. I proin pain the greater part of the right. I proin pain the greater part of the right. I proin pain the greater part of the right. I proin pain the greater part of the right. I proin pain the greater part of the matism in my arm: so much so that for days
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that I had a severe attack of kidney matism in my arm : so much so that for days

> HIS REQUEST. He-Can you play The Maiden's Prayer, Miss Waback? She, with alacrity-Oh, yes! He-Well, please don't.





PURIFY THE BLOOD

AND THEY ALONE.

If diseased, however, they cannot, and the blood continually becomes more impure. Every drop of blood in the body goes through the kidneys, the sewers of the system, every three minutes, night and day, while life



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San Francisco seems to be the natural home of dyspepsia. Physicians there say that ten out of twelve of the forced change of diet that residents of other regions have.

Just at this season of the year when | zled trousers. so many intending purchasers are look-Common Pleas Court, No. 1, in Phil- grades and makes of wheels a word of this town, had been cured of kidney ing judges-Biddle, Bregy and Beitler. right because it happens to look pretty, but varnish and charity are synon-C. S. Wells, by placing to the credit omous, both cover a multitude of sins ier & Co., manufacturers of the Cleveconstruction of the Cleveland bicycle and a hearty invitation is extended to Friends of Francis Murphy claim that all intending visitors to Toronto to call he closed his recent two-months' tem- on H. A. Lozier & Co., Yonge St., where

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NEIGHBORHOOD JEALOUSIES. We had four organ grinders over on our street yesterday, an' you didn't have none, said the boy with the fraz-

That's all right, retorted the boy with the rimless hat. We had a mad dog, an' you didn't.

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