

**DIVORCE FOR SMOKING PIPE.**

PARIS, February 21.—Charles De Rouvel, the well-known novelist, has been granted an absolute divorce on the ground that his wife refused to quit smoking.

**WHY CROUP IS FATAL.**

When croup attacks your child you must be ready for it. It comes as an accompaniment to an ordinary cough, or it may attack without warning. All ill-effects of children develop quickly, and when any kind of cough appears there should be something at hand to stop it with promptness. Many a child has choked to death with croup because the right remedy was not convenient. Every one should know that the right safeguard for a child's cough or any cough is Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam. With this soothing compound in the house, croup is always easily checked and relieved.

To give a child a "cough mixture" containing a narcotic is a very serious matter, yet most preparations contain something of this kind. Adamson's Botanic Balsam is prepared from the purest extracts of barks and roots and gums of trees, and is healthgiving in every component part of it. Wherever it touches an inflamed surface, it heals and soothes it. Nothing every compounded for cough is so harmless, and nothing so efficacious. Adamson's Balsam is an old remedy and it has never lost a friend through failure to help. Keep it in the house, try it on your own cough and do your child a good turn by being ready for any emergency. Price 25 cents at any drug-gists.

**MADE IT ALL UP.**

Mme. Jane Hading and Mme. Calve, after what the Parisians call a ten year war, became reconciled at Cairo, Egypt the other day. The reason for the sudden reconciliation is the marriage of the man in the case.

Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and absolute cure for each and every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles, hemorrhoids, and all other ailments of the rectum. You can use it and be cured. See a box, at 100, King Street, Toronto, Ont., at Dr. Chase's Ointment.

**IT'S A MISTAKE.**

It's a mistake to suppose that every sid-eyed woman you meet in Charlottetown has loved and lost. Perhaps she has loved and got him.

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**FATHER O'LEARY AND "DOES"**

"Father O'Leary, the Roman Catholic chaplain attached to the first Canadian contingent in South Africa, proved himself a remarkable man under the stress of campaigning. "Seek cover, Father, seek cover," the troopers, themselves entrenched, would call again and again to him as he marched here and there amid the bullets, encouraging the men in action. But all the reply they could get was, "Faith, I'm all right, boys, the bullets don't come my way." And he certainly had a remarkable record of escapes. After one engagement in which the Canadians suffered severely he was to be seen going from wounded man to wounded man, giving the last consolation to each in the formula of the faith of each. Only those who are Roman Catholics can fully appreciate the large-heartedness of such an act."

These are kindly words to read under an English heading—that of the London Outlook—which contains the story as follows:—

This same Father O'Leary has his tale to tell of hospital life. He relates that when he himself was in hospital wearied by the slowness of his convalescence, his orderly would persist in an annoying humming or whistling about the house. "I told him over and over to stop it," says Father O'Leary, "and one morning when I again heard him piping away,—though this time it struck me it was a new tune, I fairly lost my temper. I called out to him: "In Heaven's name, man, stop that eternal whistling! I've told you a dozen times I would have no more of it, and I declare I'll sack you for this I will, 'pon my soul!" Then I heard a laugh and the door opened. "Who's that you're going to dismiss—not the Commander-in-Chief, surely?" And there stood Lord Roberts, and nothing did he do but laugh at all my lame apologies. "You're getting moped here," said he, "I'll send Lady Roberts to you. She hasn't anything on earth to do but knit, and knit she shall by your bedside." And she did. Such a kind, motherly soul as she is, always thinking what she can do for her husband's soldiers. Poor lady, she wears her son's Victoria Cross that the Queen gave him on her gown."—Toronto Globe.

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Thomas Wasson, Sheffield, N. B.

**PORTRAITS TO BE PAINTED.**

LONDON, February 18.—The first portrait of the King and Queen in their regal robes will be painted by John S. Sargent, the eminent American Royal Academician. In setting aside artists favored by the late Queen and choosing Mr. Sargent, the King shows a desire to place artistic merit above court favor and precedent.

**LIFE ON THE RAIL.**

Mr. Geo. Cummings, Barrie, Ont., one of the best known engineers on the G. I. T. writes:—For years I suffered from kidney disease brought on by railroad life. The doctors called it "railroad kidney," but could give me no permanent relief. A friend recommended Dr. Chase's Kidney Liver Pills saying they had cured him. A few boxes of this grand medicine completely cured me, putting me back and greatly strengthening the kidneys. I am a well man to-day, thanks to Dr. Chase. "One pill a dose, 25 cents a box."

**A REASONABLE THEORY.**

"We don't hear any more about that Mrs. Sherriit, of Kansas, who smashed a saloon a couple of weeks ago and claimed Mrs. Nation was a mere imitator."

**SOME WON'T BELIEVE IT.**

Many people who have suffered the acute misery of itching or bleeding piles for years in spite of medicines and operations won't believe that Dr. Chase's Ointment is an actual cure. There has never yet been a person to doubt the efficacy of this great preparation after using one box. It acts like magic in stopping the pain and itching, and is positively guaranteed to cure any case of bleeding or protruding piles. Ask your neighbor about it. Your dealer has it.

**SYDNEY ITEMS OF NEWS.**

SYDNEY, February 20.—The Sydney fire department have decided to install a system of electric fire alarm.

A number of pupils were refused admission to the public schools to-day, the cause being lack of room.

**WHAT WOULD THEY GIVE?**

It seems a waste of time to warn people against neglecting coughs and colds, but what would victims of consumption and pneumonia give if their disease were only in its beginning. If it were only a cough or cold. Deadly lung disease began with colds and could certainly be cured by Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, the great prescription which not merely relieves but thoroughly cures cough and cold together.

**\$250,000 FROM ROCKFELLER.**

NEW YORK, February 18.—A contribution of nearly a quarter of a million dollars by John D. Rockefeller to Browne University was announced to-night at the annual dinner of the Browne university alumni society of New York, held at the university club. Rev. Dr. Faunce, president of the university, made the announcement.

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