

**WILLIAM STEAD'S BELIEF.**

William J. Stead expressed the belief that England is "on the verge of a storm" that will rudely scatter our peaceful calculations. When the United States congress meets the Clayton-Bulwer treaty will be torn into shreds and flung in our faces. We shall have to choose between fighting and eating humble pie. The first serious discussion of the possibility of such a war will do more to keep the Boers in the field than all the speeches of all the pro-Boers in existence."

**BRONCHITIS IS NOW EPIDEMIC.**

Bronchitis is becoming very prevalent, but is not now incurable for Catarrhose cases even the worst cases. Catarrhose Inhaler sends the healing medicated air into every air passage in head, bronchial tubes and lungs; it reaches the germs and destroys them. Catarrhose soothes and cools the inflamed membranes, quickly cures the cough and feverishness, and the laborious breathing and soreness in the wind-pipe are relieved at once. When Catarrhose is inhaled, Bronchitis is cured in one to five days. It has been extensively used, and never once failed. Even cases of 5, 10 and 20 years standing that baffled the skill of the best physicians, have been cured by Catarrhose. Your doctor can tell you that Catarrhose is one of the grandest discoveries of the century, and that he always prescribes it for Bronchitis, Asthma and Catarrh. Get it to-day, and be cured. Price \$1.00; small size 25 cents, at druggists or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

**A VICIOUS MONKEY.**

WOODSTOCK, Ont., April 30.—George Wagner, of this place, had a desperate encounter with a monkey yesterday and may die from the results of his wounds. The animal was chastised and became enraged. It leaped at the man's throat, pierced his legs and arms with his teeth and almost severed the index finger from his right hand. A man with an axe arrived and saved Wagner from instant death. Jacko will be put to death by poison.

**WAR BALLOON FOR ENGLAND.**

LONDON, April 29.—Dr. Barton's war balloon, which, it is said, the War Office proposes to buy, has a platform and machinery suspended cigar shape. The balloon can be started in any direction. The propellers are driven by a high-speed motor between the balloon and the car. There is a horizontal aeroplane, the operation of which causes the balloon to ascend and descend. At the rear there is a vertical aeroplane for steering to the right and left.

**PAPER FOR MOHAWKS.**

OTTAWA, April 28.—The Mohawks of Canada and New York State are to have a newspaper. It will be edited by Charles A. Cooke a full-blood Indian employed in the Department of Indian Affairs at Ottawa.

**ENGLAND'S EMBLEM**

**Why Not Make Our Land One of Roses?**

**GARDEN OF THE GULF**

**A Few Points on Cultivation and the Kinds Best Suited.**

Roses should be planted in Charlottetown in the spring. Our winters are as a rule so severe that the roses might be badly injured if planted in the fall, but if they are planted in the spring they have time to become well established in their new quarters before the ground is frozen in the fall. It is best to procure dormant plants. They are preferable to all others. Larger and older dormant bushes can be used and thus a more immediate effect be obtained. Buy roses on their roots where possible. They are best to grow in this locality no matter what is said to the contrary. It is true that a number of roses are slow growing on their own roots, own whereas, when budded they make twice as strong a growth. Those who advocate budded roses are those who have had very little experience with our severe winters, or professional growers who can devote time and attention to the plants. If the canes on budded bushes are winter killed the rose is lost, for the root is either a brier manetia or wild rose root, and the canes which grow from them will have small single roses. There is also the trouble of keeping the roots from throwing up shoots and crowding out the good rose. These shoots should be always rubbed off as soon as they appear, else in a short time you will find that your beautiful roses have disappeared, the strong growing canes of the root crowding them out. But the best roses possible to obtain, not by paying the highest prices, but by dealing with reliable firms. Unless you desire to pay twice or three times as much as a plant is worth do not buy from tree agents. Procure your roses at once, for if you wait longer the plants will be in leaf and they will not do as well as if they were dormant. In setting out the plants the greatest care should be exercised. Dig a hole large enough to allow of every root being spread out naturally or as it grew originally. Spread the roots out and sift the soil in among them until they are well covered, taking care that the soil is fine, and that there are no lumps. If there are any lumps near the roots it will be impossible to keep them from dying out. After the roots are covered, firm down with the hand until every root is imbedded in the soil. Water the plant, as this will settle the soil more firmly, then fill in until all the soil has been put back into the hole, firming it well. If the plant is a budded one, plant it deep enough to cover the bud, if on its own roots plant a little deeper than it was originally. The day after planting go around to each bush and pack the soil firmly with some heavy blunt tool. This will complete the firming and will not allow any air to get to the roots. This may not seem necessary after watering but if it is done it will make assurance doubly sure. More roses are lost by loose planting than any other cause.

After the bushes are planted they should be well pruned. Cut back at least one half and turn out all weak branches leaving only the strongest. If Hybrid Perpetual roses are planted cut back to within a foot of the ground. No matter how strong and healthy the canes may appear nor how much you may dislike the cutting out of the old wood do it. Roses of this class blossom on new wood and unless they are pruned severely the result will be that there will be less flowers and of a poorer quality. There is one exception to this rule. Margaret Dickson should not be pruned so severely only cut out the weak and dead shoots shorten the branches about a quarter. If pruned too severely this plant will not give a great profusion of bloom. Dormant bushes planted out at once and given this treatment will give some fine flowers this June. They should not however be allowed to blossom too freely the first year as they will not have become well established and strong by flowering time. They should be planted in a position sheltered from the hot afternoon sun, if possible as the flowers will fade rapidly in the sun. Set the plants three feet apart and give clean cultivation hoeing around plants about once a week and the older plants once a month but be careful not to cultivate so deeply as to disturb the roots. Never allow a weed to grow amongst your plants it not only detracts from the beauty but weeds are very hard on the soil and take more nourishment and moisture from it, than the roses. If the weather is hot and dry it would be necessary to mulch them as much of the future success depends upon their receiving a good start. A good mulch is made of grass clippings off the lawn. Cover the ground about each plant to the depth of four or five inches. This not only keeps the moisture in the soil, but prevents weeds from growing.

In the city the plants can be watered with the hose, but if this is done it must be continued throughout the season. Soak the plants well every time and do not give them only a slight sprinkling. Remember the roots are rather deep and the water to reach them must be applied until the ground is soaked. There are a number of June flowering roses which once established growth with very little attention. The moss roses are also excellent hardy roses as are the prairie roses also. These latter roses are climber. My advice is protect all roses in the winter and you will find that it pays in the strong growth and the great profusion of bloom to do so.

**POINTED PARAGRAPHS.**

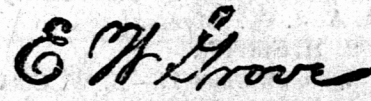
He who is unwilling to fill a place he is fitted for will find no place fitted for him. A man requires a lot of time to study a woman, but a woman reads a man at sight. A man occasionally admits he was wrong, but a woman never does—she was only mistaken. Praise a woman's taste and you may attack her sense with impunity. The forger may be a bold, bad man, but he is ever ready to write a wrong. Usually when a woman is in the wrong she cries—then she's all right.—Chicago N. ws.

**Great Victory.**

BARNABY RIVER, N. B. Mar.—Few cases of illness and recovery have excited the interest in this community, as has the kidney trouble of Mr. Cornelius Crotchie. Mr. Crotchie's treatment by the doctors at home and in the hospital, and the fact that they absolutely gave him up as a case beyond all hope, is well known. His subsequent restoration by the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills reads like a miracle. "For five years I have suffered off and on with kidney trouble. Last fall I had an attack, for which the doctors had little hope of my recovery. I was obliged to go to the hospital for treatment, but it did me no good, so I came home given up by the doctors. A friend suggested Dodd's Kidney Pills. From the first box I improved. Now I am at my work every day."

**EMRESS FREDERICK'S HEALTH.**

BERLIN, April 30.—The dowager-Emress Frederick has sent the Countess Von Ponpicher to Griesheim to express sympathy with the families of the victims of the explosions there and distribute gifts. The health of the dowager-Emress just now is fairly good.



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**NEW SYSTEM ROAD MAKING.**

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**AROUSÉ AT LAST.**

To the terrible ravages of consumption in Ontario, the government is petitioned to establish hospitals for consumptives. As a preventative to consumption there is no treatment to be compared to Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine which promptly and effectually cures every cough and cold. It has by far the largest sale of any remedy for throat and lung troubles. 25c. a bottle. Family size 60 cents. All dealers.

**THE PATRIOTIC FUND.**

According to a report made by the Duke Cambridge in connection with the Patriotic Fund, there are 2,500 widows, 3,000 orphans and 1,000 other relatives left destitute in the United Kingdom as a result of the war. There is a field for greater generosity in contributing toward the maintenance of these sufferers.

**BEAUTY OF FORM AND FIGURE.**

Health and beauty always go linked together. A wrinkled, tired and worn-looking face tells immediately of nervousness, worry and many accompanying ills and irregularities. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food fills the shrivelled arteries with new rich blood, strengthens and rekindles the vitality of the nerves, and gives a well-rounded form, and clear healthy complexion to all who use it. 25 cents a box all dealers.

**OF PHILATELIC INTERESTS.**

NEW YORK, April 30.—Pan American postage stamps will be placed on sale at the post office in this city to-morrow. They are one, two, four, five, eight and ten cent denomination.

**UNTOLD AGONY FROM SALT RHEUM**

Mr. Chas. F. McLean, Palmerston, Ont. says:—I suffered untold agony and misery for years with salt rheum in my feet. I tried almost every remedy I could hear of. I was told by the best physicians I could get more than temporary relief. I was in need to try Dr. Chase's Ointment. After one or two applications I received great relief, and when I had used only two boxes I was completely cured. At all dealers, 60 cents a box.

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