

### Stops a Deep-Seated Cough in a Hurry

A Family Supply of Unequaled Cough Remedy for 50c—Money Refunded if It Fails.

Cough medicines, as a rule, contain a large proportion of plain syrup—a good ingredient, but one that anyone can make. A pint of granulated sugar, with a pint of warm water, stirred for 2 minutes, gives you as good a syrup as money can buy.

A 50-cent bottle of Pinex, mixed in a pint bottle with home-made sugar syrup, gives you a full pint of really better cough syrup than you could buy ready-made for \$2.00. There's a clear saving of \$2.00. Full directions in package.

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Pinex has often been imitated, but never successfully, for nothing else will produce the same results. The genuine is guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. Certificate of guarantee is wrapped in each package. Your druggist has Pinex or will get it for you. If not, send to The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

**Mrs. Grundy.**  
The first mention of Mrs. Grundy is found in "Morton's clever comedy 'Speed the Plow.'" Farmer Ashfield, at table with his wife and pipe, is talking to his wife on her return from market.

"Well, dear, welcome home. What news does thee bring from market?"

"What news, husband? What I always told you—that Farmer Grundy's wheat brought 5 shillings a quarter more than ours did."

"All the better for her!"

"Ah, the sun seems to shine on purpose for him."

"Come, come, missus, as thee has not the grace to thank God for prosperous times, don't three grumble when they be unlikely a bit!"

"And I assure you Dame Grundy's butter was quite the crack of the market."

"Be quiet, wool, ye! Always ding-dinging Dame Grundy into my ears. What will Mrs. Grundy say? What will Mrs. Grundy say? Canst thee be quiet? Let us alone and behave thyself pratty!"

**No Mystery About It.**  
The other night after Harker was safe in bed there came a mysterious tapping below his window. Harker slipped out of his covers and cautiously raised the sash.

"What's wanted?" he demanded, his teeth chattering.

"I just wanted to tell you," came a muffled voice, "that there's a hand moving around just inside your cellar window."

With visions of burglars Harker picked up his revolver and slipped through the hole in his pajamas. Cautiously he searched the cellar with a lighted candle, but it was empty. Outside on the sidewalk stood the stranger.

"I don't see any burglars down here," called Harker nervously.

"Who said anything about burglars?" laughed the stranger.

"Why didn't you call me out of bed to tell me that there was a hand moving around near the cellar window?"

"Sure, it's the diabolical gas meter it works while you sleep."—Philadelphia Times.

**Gains 30 Pounds In 30 Days**  
Remarkable Result of the New Flesh-Building Proton, in Many Cases of Run-Down Men and Women.

Prove It Yourself by Sending Coupon Below for A Free, 50c Package.

"By George, I never saw anything like the effects of that new treatment, Proton, for the building up of weight and lost nerve force. It acted more like a miracle than a medicine. I tried a well known gentleman yesterday in speaking of the revolution that had taken place in his condition. 'I began to think that there was nothing on earth that could make me fat. I tried cod-liver, digestive, heavy eating, diets, milk, beer, and almost everything else you could think of, but without result.'"

**FREE PROTON COUPON.**  
I will send you nothing to prove the remarkable effects of this treatment. The Proton Company will send to you a free 50c package of Proton. I shall fill out this coupon and enclose this coupon to you to help cover postage and packing, and as evidence of good faith. They will also send full instructions and their book on why you are thin in the mirror now. I think it is somebody else. I have put on just 30 pounds during the last month and never felt stronger or more "nervy" in my life.

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Street.....  
City.....State.....

## DANIELSON AND PUTNAM NEWS

**DANIELSON**  
May Be Skeleton of George Dumas—His Hair Been Missing from Easter Over a Year—Carterbury Grange Officers—Funeral of ex-Representative Ingalls—Freight Wreck at Dayville.

It was learned Wednesday that the skeleton found in the town of Foster may be that of George Dumas, a saw-mill employe, who disappeared about a year and a half ago in the town of Foster and has not since been heard from. The skeleton is of such size as would indicate that it was of a man about Dumas' build. The remnants of clothes found were also of the kind worn by Dumas, but the shoes found beside the skeleton were not of the kind that Dumas wore when he was last seen alive.

It is understood also that relatives of an agent of a Providence newspaper who was in the section of Rhode Island where the skeleton was found, soliciting subscriptions about a year ago, and who disappeared, have also been at Foster, but have decided that the skeleton was long believed to belong to the man from whom they were seeking.

A suggestion of murder in connection with the gruesome find is carried in the story of how, a little more than a year ago, Foster men were inspecting a car laden with lumber, marked an unfrequented and lonely cart path in the woods, the wheel marks of a car, and a peculiar circumstance in connection with the vehicle had been turned around for the drive out to the highway at a point that now proved to have been only a few feet distant from where the skeleton was found, the theory being that the vehicle when driven in that direction contained the body of a dead man.

There is a crack in the skull of the skeleton found, but this is not taken by the authorities as conclusive evidence of foul play, it being held that this may have been caused by long exposure to the elements.

**Grange Officers Elected.**  
The following are the newly elected officers of Carterbury Grange:  
Master, S. A. Carpenter; overseer, Edward J. Harker; Abba J. St. John; Barrows; secretary, Levi N. Clark; chaplain, Mrs. Lillian Frink; treasurer, Eva M. Hixie; steward, James Toxne; cere, Mrs. Annie Clark; Pomona, Mrs. Minnie Towne; Flora, Mrs. Ruth Keene; L. A. S. Mrs. Sherman Galleher; assistant steward, Henry Larkham.

**FUNERAL.**  
William Ingalls.  
Funeral services for ex-Representative William Ingalls of Brooklyn were held from his home on Spruce street, Danielson, Wednesday, at 10 o'clock. Rev. Clarence H. Barber of the Congregational church being the officiating clergyman. During the service, Mrs. Charles T. Bard of Norwich sang "Face to Face, and Crossing the Bar." The bearers were Charles Tillinghast, Everett Tillinghast, Danielson; Oscar F. Atwood, Brooklyn, and William Krayton, Abington. Burial was at Abington. A. F. Wood was the funeral director.

**New Looms for Busy Mill.**  
The Connecticut Mills company is about to receive another shipment of new looms for their plant at Industrial place. When these new machines are installed there will be about 50 looms at the mill, which has been running evenings for some time. Today, Thursday, is one of the shortest days in the year, but it will also be one of the busiest ones, as indicated by the Christmas trade of the

**Freight Wreck Blocks Road.**  
Lumber Laden Flat Car Lands Across the Rails at Dayville—Brakeman Slightly Hurt—Road Tied Up Two Hours.

The Norwich branch of the Midland division was completely blocked to traffic for two hours and only a siding open from 6 o'clock until after midnight Wednesday at Dayville, as the result of a flat car laden with lumber, becoming derailed and thrown diagonally across the main track while a passenger train, headed by Peter Leavitt of New London, a brakeman, jumped when he saw the accident coming, and escaped with only a sprained ankle. A peculiar circumstance in connection with Leavitt's escape was that his wife arrived in Dayville on the passenger train, New London bound, which came in about ten minutes after the accident and was held up at Dayville for two hours. She was returning from a funeral. Nearly all the passengers on this train proceeded to Danielson and points as far south as Norwich by the siding. The siding was opened so as to allow trains to go through at 8 o'clock, but it was after 10 o'clock when the wrecking crew from Midway reached Dayville and started the work of clearing up the main line. Freight traffic over the line was suspended in this section from 6 o'clock until early this morning.

**Theft Detecting Officers.**  
The Killingly Theft Detecting society at their annual meeting held Wednesday afternoon elected these officers: President, Frank E. Warren; vice president, A. B. Simmons; secretary and treasurer, W. F. Day; pursers, John H. Perry, Frank A. Whipple, A. B. Simmons, George L. Chase, John Chase, Marcus Barstow, Frank S. Kennedy, Frank P. Warren, Frank A. Day, Louis S. Barstow. The society was organized in 1890 and has 54 members.

**Unreasonable Permissible.**  
Human beings were never meant to be entirely reasonable people; sentiment and persuasiveness were intended to play a part in human life.

## PUTNAM

**County Commissioner Curtis Marries**  
Providence, Young Lady—Putnam Telephone Employees Take Many Prizes.

Allen Bowen has commenced the computation of persons liable to pay a personal tax in Putnam. J. Charles Brightman of Hartford called on friends in Putnam Wednesday.

Representatives Willis Covell of Ponfret and Windell Kenyon of Woodstock were visitors in Putnam Wednesday.

**Marriage Announced.**  
Announcement is made of the marriage last week of Miss Alice Florence Brown, niece of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Watson of Providence, and County Commissioner E. H. Curtis of Thompson.

**Schools' Holiday recess.**  
The schools in Putnam close tomorrow for the holiday recess. Many of the teachers not residing in Putnam will go to their homes until after the holidays.

**Funeral of Silas N. Babbitt.**  
Funeral services for Silas Newton Babbitt were held at the Methodist church Wednesday at 1 o'clock. Rev. E. W. Belcher officiating. Burial was in Grove street cemetery.

**Locking Telephone Directories Fast.**  
Employees of the Southern New England Telephone company were engaged Wednesday in installing directory shelves in the pay station booths about the city. In these shelves the directories that will prevent anyone carrying them away—if anyone would do such a thing.

**WINNERS IN BOOST WEEK.**  
Putnam Telephone Men Get First Prize and Two Other Prizes.  
In the boost week conducted by the S. N. E. Telephone company during the week of November 27 to December 3, the first prize and two other prizes were offered to employees in Group C, composed of Putnam, Willimantic, Torrington, Middletown and Bristol, who would get the largest number of new subscribers, came to Putnam. These prizes being cash and awarded this week. Wire Chief Charles T. Thayer gets the first cash prize for male employees the second prize going to William man. For third prize, Frank McGorty and A. F. Kellender, both of the Putnam division, were tied so each is given an equal amount in cash.

**Christmas Parties.**  
The Pages of Arthur held a most enjoyable Christmas gathering at their meeting this week.

The Queens of Avillon and their friends gave a Christmas party Tuesday evening at which games were enjoyed and a Christmas tree decorated.

The Pages of Avillon held their Christmas tea Wednesday afternoon at half past 1 o'clock at which all participants in the gaiety and delight of a Christmas tree.

All these gatherings were held in

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RICH MILK, MALT GRAIN EXTRACT, IN POWDER  
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Insist on "HORLICK'S"  
Take a package home

**MYSTIC**  
Farwell Reception to Miss Brennan—Miss McCormick from Norwich—Succeeded Her at Broadway School—Macons Elect Officers.

Miss Margaret Brennan, who has taught the Fourth grade at the Broadway school for a year and one term, has sent in her resignation, to take effect the end of the present term. She was given a reception by the teachers of the school and the principal, Miss Ella Payne, the music teacher, Miss Woodward, and the school committee, James Cooper. Refreshments were served. Miss Brennan was well remembered with presents.

The town has been fortunate in getting Miss McCormick of Norwich to take the Fourth grade. Miss McCormick is a Normal school graduate and for the past term taught in Torrington.

**Charity and Relief Lodge Elects.**  
The annual meeting of Charity and Relief Lodge, No. 12, P. and A. M., was held in the Masonic hall, Wednesday evening. The first business was the election of officers for the coming year. The following directors: John Forsythe, Allen Avery, Frank J. Brown, vice president, Miss Edna Perkins; secretary, Miss Edna Perkins; treasurer, George Hoyles; superintendent, Benjamin Clark; junior deacon, Jesse B. Stimson; senior steward, Richard Adams; junior steward, Charles Dodge; secretary, Amos R. Chapman; trustee, Edwin Newbury; trustees, William W. Kellogg, Frank W. Batty, George J. Hoyles. The officers were installed by Past Master Latham, assisted by Past Master Herbert W. Rathbone.

**Bowled in New Haven.**  
The Mystic bowling team, composed of Michael Holland, George Kelley, John Beebe, Eugene Boque and Guy Fairbrother, were in New Haven on Wednesday evening and bowled a return game with the New Haven team.

**Odd Fellows Worked the Second.**  
Mystic lodge, No. 26, I. O. O. F., met in their hall on Wednesday evening, when the second degree was conferred on a class of four candidates and two names were balloted on. After a meeting a social time and amusements were held.

**Captain Fish Well Known Here.**  
The death of Capt. William Fish at his home on the Noah road was keenly felt in Mystic, where he had many friends and relatives. For some years Mr. Fish was a nurse and cared for many people in this village.

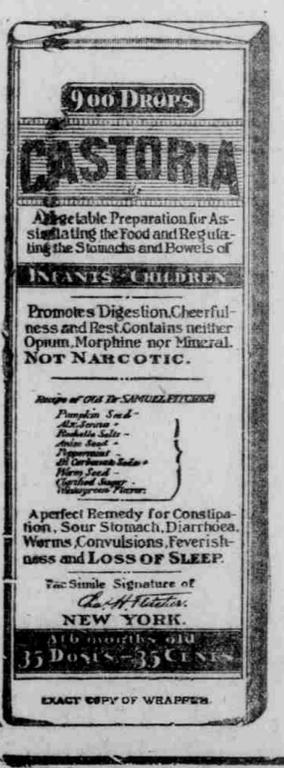
Delia W. Leland of Westley is the guest of Miss Sadie Donahoe. Rev. F. Fleming has been a Willimantic visitor this week.

**Early Type of Letters.**  
The type of letters in early manuscripts was the same as that of those used on the earlier metal plates and wax tablets. All letters were capitals, minuscule, or small lettering, as opposed to the majuscule, was invented in the seventh century.

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**Scott's Emulsion**  
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## Letters from Prominent Physicians Addressed to Chas. H. Fletcher.

Dr. W. L. Leister, of Rogers, Ark., says: "As a practicing physician I use Castoria and like it very much."

Dr. W. T. Seeley, of Ansky, N. Y., says: "I have used your Castoria for several years in my practice and have found it a safe and reliable remedy."

Dr. Raymond M. Everts, of Santa Ynez, Cal., says: "After using your Castoria for children for years it annoys me greatly to have an ignorant druggist substitute something else, especially to the patient's disadvantage, as in this case. I enclose herewith the wrapper of the imitation."

Dr. R. M. Ward, of Kansas City, Mo., says: "Physicians generally do not prescribe proprietary preparations, but in the case of Castoria my experience, like that of many other physicians, has taught me to make an exception. I prescribe your Castoria in my practice because I have found it to be a thoroughly reliable remedy for children's complaints. Any physician who has raised a family, as I have, will join me in heartiest recommendation of Castoria."

Dr. W. F. Wallace, of Beadi v'd, N. H., says: "I use your Castoria in my practice, and in my family."

Dr. Wm. I. McCann or Omaha, Neb., says: "As the father of thirteen children I certainly know something about your great medicine and aside from my own family experience, I have, in my years of practice, found Castoria a popular and efficient remedy in almost every home."

Dr. Howard James, of New York, City, says: "It is with great pleasure that I desire to testify to the medicinal virtue of your Castoria. I have used it with marked benefit in the case of my own daughter, and have obtained excellent results from its administration to other children in my practice."

Dr. J. R. Clausen, of Philadelphia, Pa., says: "The name that your Castoria has made for itself in the tens of thousands of homes blessed by the presence of children, scarcely needs to be supplemented by the endorsement of the medical profession, but I, for one, most heartily endorse it and believe it an excellent remedy."

Dr. B. Halstead Scott, of Chicago, Ill., says: "I have prescribed your Castoria often for infants during my practice and find it very satisfactory."

Dr. William Belmont, of Cleveland, Ohio, says: "Your Castoria stands first in its class. In my thirty years of practice I can say I never have found anything that so filled the place."

Dr. R. J. Hamlen, of Detroit, Mich., says: "I prescribe your Castoria extensively as I have never found anything to equal it for children's troubles. I am aware that there are imitations in the field, but I always see that my patients get Fletcher's."

Dr. C. Manning H. Cook, of Saint Louis, Mo., says: "I have used your Castoria for several years past in my own family and have always found it thoroughly efficient and never so loved by my children, which is a great consideration in view of the fact that most medicines of this character are obnoxious and therefore difficult of administration. As a laxative I consider it a peer of anything that I ever prescribed."

Dr. L. O. Morgan, of So. Amboy, N. J., says: "I prescribe your Castoria every day for children who are suffering from constipation, with better effect than I receive from any other combination of drugs."

Dr. H. J. Taft, of Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "I have used your Castoria and found it an excellent remedy in my household and private practice for many years. The formula is excellent."

Dr. Wm. L. Bosserman, of Buffalo, N. Y., says: "I am pleased to speak a good word for your Castoria. I think so highly of it that I not only recommend it to others, but have used it in my own family."

Dr. F. H. Kyle, of St. Paul, Minn., says: "It affords me pleasure to add my name to the long list of those who have used and now endorse your Castoria. The fact of the ingredients being known through the printing of the formula on the wrapper is one good and sufficient reason for the recommendation of any physician. I know of its good qualities and recommend it cheerfully."

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