

WHERE EVEN DEATH IS SLOW.

Where Insurance Agents Are Willing to Take All Kinds of Risks. Everybody in the eighth and Lincoln trade knows "The Potter boys" of Philadelphia and New York. Col. Tom Potter of the former city, got his title through a staff appointment by a former governor of Pennsylvania, is a thorough Philadelphia, a firm believer in that town—in all her institutions, big and little, and in her magnificent future, but he always helps to circulate a good story on Philadelphia, just the same, says the New York Commercial.

NEW POLICE CATECHISM.

Regulates of a Competent Copper as Understood by One of the Finest. Imagine a class of about 40 stalwart men, each dressed in a blue uniform and attentive listening to the words of wisdom that emanate from the teacher's lips, and you will have some idea of one of the Police Board Harrison's school classes. Many ridiculous answers are given to questions and some of them cause roars of laughter to ascend to the ceiling. At a recent class meeting Officer Dan Jehan was asked to describe the requisite of a good policeman. The answer was honesty, sobriety, truthfulness, intelligence and several other virtues, all of which are noticeable in members of the police force, says the Cincinnati Enquirer.

FOR POOR CHILDREN.

Fresh Air Sanitariums Provided for Their Special Benefit. Chicago Leads the World in This Branch of Practical Philanthropy.

(Special Chicago Letter.) NOTHING shows more conclusively a higher level than the increased facilities provided for the care of the children of the very poor of our cities. Development in the knowledge of sanitary principles shows how extreme poverty and the illness which naturally accompanies it cause a dwarfing of the sensibilities, indifference to appearances and tendency to crime. The future of the little citizens reared in filthy surroundings affects the welfare of the general community, and the work of bettering the condition of poor children is one in which all should be interested. Babies' stomachs, more delicate than those of their elders, and the close air filled with impure odors in many city tenements, are responsible for much of the illness found among the little ones. Ignorance and an entire lack of understanding of the first principles of cleanliness add to the trouble.

It is impossible to save the lives of many of the babies, even with the best of medical attention, while they are left at home in the care of uninformed, hopeless mothers. When this fact becomes fully understood, the fresh air treatment with instruction to mothers, followed inevitably. When one woman in a crowded district learns the advantages of cleanliness her influence is exerted more or less on the lives of those in her immediate vicinity and many others are ready to avail themselves of the privileges which she has learned to esteem so highly. A baby's escape from pale, puny, and willing illness to rosy health is appreciated by any woman, and the fresh air sanitariums are patronized more and more every season. One of the

NEW PLAYS FROM NOVELS.

William H. Crane will play "David Harum." Jacob Litt has a play made from "Caleb West." Henry Miller appears in "To Have and to Hold." James F. Hackett is to appear in "The Merchant of Venice." Marie Burroughs appears in "The Battle of the Strong." Mary Manning is going to play "Janice Meredith." Julia Marlowe has secured "When Knighthood Was in Flower." Otis Skinner has his play, "Prince Otto," made from Stevenson's novel. A Frohman company will take the dramatization of "Red Potage," the English novel which has made such a hit. Henry E. Dixey will come to the fore again next season. Dr. Weir Mitchell's romantic story, "Adventures of Francesca," is being arranged for the stage, and Dixey is to have the leading role. Viola Allen is to appear in a stage version of Marion Crawford's "In the Palace of the King," and afterward in Sangha's "The Mantle of Elijah," which is now running in one of the magazines as a serial.

THEY TELL US THAT.

In the United States there are 87 frog farms. There are always 1,800,000 people afloat on the seas of the world. Of the cotton crop of the world, four-fifths are produced in the United States. The telegraph poles along the Savannah & Stateboro railway in Georgia are growing. They are made of cypress and must have been planted with the roots. They are sprouting at the top and carry a double purpose. They are shade trees as well as a support for the wires. Of the world's corn crop for 1908, via, 2,611,000,000 bushels, the United States furnished 2,300,000,000 bushels; Austria-Hungary, 98,000,000 bushels; a serious falling off from the 183,000,000 bushels in 1907; Argentina, 78,000,000 bushels, and Italy, 68,000,000 bushels. The crop was about 111,000,000 bushels more than the average crop of the last four years.

MY OWN SELF AGAIN.

Dear Mrs. PIERCE:—For nearly two and one-half years I have been in feeble health. After my little child came I seemed I could not get my strength again. I have chills and the severest pains in my limbs and top of head and am almost insensible at times. I also have a pain just to the right of breast bone. It is so severe at times that I cannot lie on my right side. Please write me what you think of my case. Mrs. CLARA GATZ, Johns P. O., Miss., April 25, 1908.



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WHAT SHE WANTED.

And Her Words of Encouragement Have Moved the Man Behind the Counter. A fair young girl, perplexity written on her countenance, confronted the pale young man. He returned her gaze with the impassive stare of one who had never seen her before. Had he? Listen, says the Baltimore American.

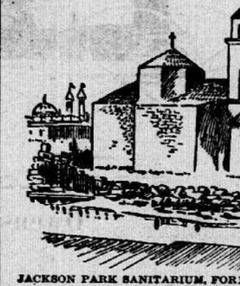
In a low, well-modulated voice, without the slightest trace of emotion or excitement, she said: "I want you, dear heart. I love you, my honey. Come back, my baby. Why did you throw me down? The latch string's always hanging out for you. I've shook that other man. You're the only fellow I love. I don't like no cheap man, and I'll never see her again. Oh, promise me, and I'll be true to you."

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pioneers in promoting these establishments is Victor E. Lawson, publisher of the Chicago Daily News, who has devoted time and money without stint that sick babies might receive the benefits of the treatment given at the Lincoln Park sanitarium. The good accomplished at this institution, now in its fourteenth year, is almost incalculable and its fame has reached almost every portion of the country. Dr. Thomas has characterized it as "the divinely blest charity."



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By its means, thousands of mothers have learned to care for their suffering children. A baby, during treatment, is regularly bathed and receives medical attention, medicine, food and clothing. A wagonette, for patients and their attendants, conveys them from the street car terminus, near the park, to the sanitarium, which is situated on the lake shore in Lincoln Park, on the north side of the city.

A portion of the building extends over the water. It possesses all modern improvements. During many of the hot summer days, the entire floor space of veranda, 18,000 feet, is occupied. Hammocks are swinging where feverish little ones, from stifling homes, may rest and breathe the pure, life-giving air. The sanitarium is near the palm-houses and zoological gardens of the park, where the older children, who cannot in all instances be left at home when baby comes, may play.

Lincoln park sanitarium is so well known that it is liberally supported, not only by many of Chicago's wealthiest citizens, but generous contributions constantly reach its "fresh air fund" from outside sources. Although its work is, necessarily, on a much smaller scale, a visit to the Jackson Park sanitarium is no less gratifying.

This institution is yet in its infancy, and, owing to lack of advertising facilities, is not so well known as it ought to be. But most satisfactory results, in the cases of nearly 3,000 specimens of humanity, were accomplished here last year, in an unostentatious way, and Jackson Park sanitarium will in due time win universal recognition for itself.

Its situation is favorable for such a result, for who that attended the world's fair has forgotten "La Rabida," the reproduction of the convent at Palencia, Spain, where Columbus took refuge and where his plans for sailing westward were matured? In 1893 the relics of the past, so generously loaned to the exposition, were guarded by regular soldiers of the United States army. Now its treasures, though incomparably more valuable, need no such attendance. Dr. Emma M. Moore, the resident physician, assisted by Mrs. Ida N. King and other cheery nurses, are warding off illness and death, the only foes the small inmates need dread.

PEST OF "RED MITES."

Causing Distress and in Some Cases Death to Farmers in New Jersey. The "red mite," or "red bug," an insect no larger than a grain of cayenne pepper, has caused the death of Alfred E. Heron, of Windsor township, N. J., a farmer and politician. He died suddenly on Feb. 17, 1908.

While he was working in his fields ten days ago one of the insects alighted on his elbow and stung him. His arm and hand swelled and for many days he suffered intensely. The swelling spread to his shoulder and breast. Large blisters formed there and blood poisoning set in.

A panic has arisen on the neighboring farms, where the insect is unusual. It is a pest of this year. It exists in myriads in the new grasses about Windsor. Many farmers have found it upon their bodies. The insect is often called the harvest bug. Its scientific name is leptus autumnalis. But whatever you call it, it is a most annoying little thing, causing death sometimes and pain always. It belongs to the great order of "mites."

It is of the same family as the little creature that is found in cheese. They have been taken out of the bodies of human beings, from the eyes and brain. In June or July the harvest bugs prevail, but they are most plentiful in the fall. They collect on the dead leaves of string beans. When they attack human beings they generally bite the ankles, where the skin is thin and tender. They are very plentiful in stubblefields.

They gather not only on men, but on the bodies of horses, dogs, sheep and rabbits. They burrow under the skin. A red pustule arises, which becomes serious or not, according to the health of the victim. Whole families. Miss Olegri—I think that was just lovely. Susan B. Anthony a rose for every year of her age. Mr. Sourdopp—Good thing they don't do that for everybody. Miss Olegri—Why, pray?

Sourdopp—Some poor fellow'd be left a greenhouse for you. Ball's more American. Labels saved. "Sedgely" broke into my lawn and chewed off all the grass. "What did he do?" "Sent me a bill for using his cow as a lawn mower."—Philadelphia North American.

Willings. He—I asked your father's consent by telephone. She—What was his answer? He—He said: "I don't know who you are, but it's all right."—Harvard Lampoon.

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Yours truly, A. ROSCOW, Goldsboro, N.C.

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