





MR BROWNE OF NEW YORK ON DRESS & OTHER THINGS.

In the letter the other day my friend Mr Browne, had some caustic things to say of the different qualities of boys' clothing as worn by the various classes.

Mr Browne said that the quality of the clothing is a good deal better than it used to be, but that the quantity is not so good.

GOOD NEWS! HAPPY NEWS! TO THE GOOD FOLKS OF KELTY AND SURROUNDING DISTRICT.

Do you know who is to be with you on Friday First? BOSWELL, THE BOOT KING, YOUR BOOTMAKER & FRIEND.

HE will open that shop next door to Mr Gillespie, Fruit-mer, on FRIDAY FIRST, and, as you will know, with a stock of the best BOOTS, SHOES, SLIPPERS, GAITERS, and LEGGINGS that money and his practical experience can produce.

J. BOSWELL, THE LEADING WHOLESALE AND RETAIL BOOT AND SHOE MANUFACTURER, 46 & 48 HIGH STREET, DUNFERMLINE.

Have You a Cough? IF SO, GET IT STOPPED AT ONCE, BY USING CHALMERS' BALSAMIC COUGH MIXTURE.

THE OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT. NOW OPEN, AT OAKFIELD, KELTY, GILLESPIE'S FRUIT AND FISH WAREHOUSE.

GALEDONIAN INSURANCE COMPANY. Finest confectionery kept in stock. All kinds of fruit in its season.

LORENZO CORIO'S BEST ITALIAN ICE CREAM. The burning expressed at the fact that the people in the Milesmark district are protesting against the burning rubbish heap at Milesmark.

ROXBURGH, PHOTOGRAPHER, COWDENBEATH. Photographs finished in all the latest modern styles.

burgh refuse. During the past two years the question has in all conscience been often enough before the Commissioners; but the game of reports and postponements was reduced to a fine art.

At the Leeds Chamber of Commerce on Friday night Mr Asquith took up a theme which was discussed at great length by Lord Rosbery at Glasgow the week before.

For the benefit of those who may be puzzled to know the meaning of the "V.D." which follows Major Shaver's name, it may be stated that the letters represent "Volunteer" which Balis Weir used to be called.

Some of the Dunfermline shop windows already remind us of the festive season. Several shops are displaying the material used for pretty dresses and are on view.

THE MINING REFORMS OF 120 YEARS. Lecturing at Lumphinnans on Thursday, on the Mining Reforms of the past 120 years.

HERE AND THERE IN THE CITY AND WEST FIFE. Look at the advertisements in last Saturday's Journal, and you will find that this is a busy week.

AT A GLANCE. Dunfermline Abbey benefits to a large extent by the will of the late Mr William McLaren, retired draper.

A DUNFERMLINE MAN DECAPITATED ON THE RAILWAY. A GHOSTLY SPECTACLE. At 8.30 on Sunday morning William Brown, a foramsan surface-man on the North British Railway, discovered the body of a man lying on the railway bridge, a little to the north of the Dunfermline Lower Station.

THE AITKEN BATHS AT KELTY, AND OTHER BUILDINGS.



A good deal of progress has been made with the Aitken Baths at Kelty during the past few months, and the inhabitants of Kelty and district are beginning to look forward to the opening with much interest.

DAY BY DAY IN THE BURGH OF COWDENBEATH. MEETING OF BEATH PARISH COUNCIL. The quarterly meeting of Beath Parish Council was held in the Burgh Buildings, Cowdenbeath, on Tuesday evening.

THE QUESTION OF BEES IN THE PARISHHOUSE. It is understood that the Council discussed in private the question of the bees in the Parishhouse, as was brought up last week at a meeting of the Dunfermline Combination Parishes Board.

THE PROPOSED FIFE CAFE COMPANY, LIMITED. AS has been previously intimated, a proposal is on foot, and is taking definite shape, for the purpose of putting down a large and well appointed cafe in the town of Kelty.

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THE GOTHENBURG SCHEME. (To the Editor of the Cowdenbeath and Kelty Echo.) Sir—My attention has been called by a speech by Mr. Adam at a public meeting in Cowdenbeath last Tuesday evening in opposition to the proposed scheme for the erection of a public-house in Kelty.

THE LULL BEFORE THE STORM. Things have been unusually quiet in the burgh for this week, but the storm is being gathered, and it is to be hoped that Mr Campbell's temporary discomfort will be unappreciated along with the many other ailments of the winter.

THE LIBRARY SOCIETY. On Thursday evening Mr. J. M. Campbell, Mr. John Ross, and Mr. James Yule, in connection with the library society, were in the room at the Public Hall, Kelty, on Thursday evening.

BURGH COURT. At the Burgh Court on Monday only one man was faced the Bar, and his was a trifling offence, a penalty of 2s 6d or twenty-four hours being imposed.

WAVELEY LODGE LOG. The report of the Good Templars Amalgamated Committee for the Cowdenbeath Lodge on Wednesday night. The chief items in the report were strong aggressive work, house-to-house visiting, and the support of the Waverley Lodge on Wednesday night.

A NIGGER TROUPE. Not to be behind its go-ahead smart, dapper, well-dressed, and well-trained troupe of thirty or fifty set down in Mrs. Greig's Temperance Hotel on Tuesday night.

SHOOTING MATCH. Under the auspices of the Cowdenbeath Shooting Club a very fine shooting match was given in the park on Wednesday.

STREET ILLUMINATIONS. The three lamps on the top of the fountain are now being lit by electricity, a fountain being obtained by the electric light.

A WOULD-BE RUNAWAY. Yesterday forenoon a horse yoked to a cart standing near the level crossing in the High Street was taken to the level crossing.

THE NEW STATIONMASTER. Mr. Lidell, the stationmaster at Cowdenbeath, and Mr. Campbell, who has been at Kelty for the last month, have exchanged places.

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THE QUEEN OF THE ROSES.

By F. J. SNELL, Author of "A Plain Sir Galahad" &c.

CHAPTER XVII.

So you mean to tell me that you are going to be with me to compete for the hand of the Lady Caterina...

"No," answered Matteo, "but I certainly gave you my approval when it was lately. However, I can't be sure about that."

"The reason I asked was that I have known for some months now that my grandfather intends me to make my own way in the world."

"Well, it is evident that the party wouldn't have been given to you honour. I can tell you, if you like, why it was given."

"That question is soon answered," said Zolfanelli. "My informant was, as you may suppose, Gloria-Patri, who obtained the news from a person very likely to be in the secret."

"No doubt, persist in her position, sometimes to hear things I'm not sure, however, that the revelation will interest me."

"I can't say, but before you do that, I desire to know your authority," said Zolfanelli.

"I am not a girl," said Zolfanelli, "but I am a man, and I can tell you the truth."

"I don't know and I don't care," said Zolfanelli.

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"Strangle!" I believe you. We shall see her a-bony bride ere long, if Ursula is any authority in an instant-terrace and saddle."

"What's taken you all off at a sudden?" asked Floriana. "Is she betrothed?" he said, trembling.

"I don't know that it has come to that yet," she replied. "That there's been a betrothal, and now that she's grown up and as beautiful as any angel in Heaven, it is what we must look for."

"Do you think Caterina would meet me, if she were asked? Just once?" "Once; yes, and how many more times if you wish to see her."

"I'll say this for him," remarked Signor Salomone, "the doctor had a good speaking voice, and I have never known any other man make his own way in the world."

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SPORTS AND PASTIMES IN WEST FIFE.

FOOTBALL. SATURDAY'S RESULTS.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION. Queen's Park 2, Dundee 2. Celtic 2, Rangers 2. Hearts 1, Aberdeen 0.

DUNFERMINE LEAGUE. Wellwood 4, Violet 4. Victoria 2, Dundee 2. Hearts 1, Aberdeen 0.

THE "LOCAL DERBY". The "Local Derby" was again on the tapis on Saturday, the first round of the Fife League being the result of the contest.

WELLSIDE. Wellside is a fine example of a well-planned and well-executed building...

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