And fain would loosen steady hand

or knee, And cast her down among life's brok

en things, But danger shakes with fitful mur

The gulls are crying in her heedles

no fears, But treads with naked feet the stair of rock That has but known for years or weiry years The touch of seagull's wings, the

that rears Her waves against it with recurren

She has no fears because her daily

She sees made manifest
Here in the pendulous weed that
tempts her tread
Upon so wild and dangerous a quest.
The samphire sways and dangles over-

And home is far below; and in that are little hungry mouths that must Though Danger be her neighbor and Night brings her little children to he

Their father tosses on the open sea. Where flashing shoals of silver dol-

phins play.
But hungry mouths must feed while
he's away,
So the brave mother clambers day by

and pulls the samphire trails, and knows not she
Is of that school of saints that wear no bay, But do God's work the still and splen

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And how it was Partially Squared

-Prices at that Period.

Here is a liquer bill for a hostelry which in the early part of this century did a thriv-ing business down the River Road, Dover

By 2 sheep and sheep skins.
By 1 hide...
By 3 bushels of peas 10/...
By 1 hide 24/...

Ohatham Footballers Want to Play Glencoe on Neutral

Ground. The following challenge appears in to-day's Toronto Globe:

Injured Wife—When me asked me to have you I never imagined you could ever be such a brute.

The Brute—No, of course not. You were so overjoyed that you couldn't think of anything but the offer you had got.

No such brave heart as she.

That strength is made a mock

shock, The sun that burns and sears.

For daily bread to pray;

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"What is it."

"Why, he has stuffed a rooster and put it on top of the parlor clock."

THE SAMPHIRE GATHERER.

clings
Half way 'twixt sky and sea;
She has but youth and courage for
her wings,
And always death about her labor President McKinley was in Dan ger of Being the Victim of an

New York, Nov. 28.—Al plot to assassinate President McKinley has been made known to the police of Hoboken, N. J., says the Evening World. They have communicated with the secret service bureau at Washington, furnishing the name of the man who is accused. The police received their information through a letter written by a Frenchman, whose knowledge of the English language was exceedingly poor. The name of the accused is withheld by the police for obvious reasons. They have located the writer, and say that his story is at least worthy of investigation.

Township Councils.

RALEIGH COUNCIL

The above council met on the 19th November with all members present except Mr. Crow.

Accounts submitted and passed: Banner, advertising, \$5, W. G. McGeorge, survey and award, Dillon ditch, \$17; Doyle ditch, No. 2, \$30; Burns drain, \$21.75; A. E. Robinson, to pay assistants on Dillon ditch, \$3.75; N. Shepley to pay assistants Doyle ditch, \$10.50; James Clayton to pay assistants Burns drain, \$5; Reg. of Kent, \$4; N. Shepley, commissioner's fees, Doyle ditch, \$4; James Irving, work re gravelling town line, \$14.55; Jas. Chinnick, one day in city and fone day Horne drain culvert, in 1897, \$4.

A card was received from Jas. Houston, drawing the attention of council to the condition of Mrs Lewis on the centre read, who was ill and in need of assistance.—Referred to the reeve with power.

A communication was received from J. C. Bell, M. D., in reference to the order on the treasurer received from the clerk at last meeting, which the reeve refused to sign, and asking that the council authorize the treasurer to pay said order without the signature of the Reeve. No action.

The following reports were submitted and on motion adopted and commissioners' fees ordered paid: P. J. Doyle, for repair of culvert on Kendall street, U. S. Division, at a cost of \$19.60. Com. fees, \$2; Jas. Chinnick, for the R. and H. townline for 1899, \$110.77, Com. fees \$3.32, And the township's part of the Taylor ditch at a cost of \$16.92; Com. fees, \$4. Also the final report on the Dolsen Gov. drain, the cost of the culvert being \$637; commissioner's fees, \$15. N. H. Shepley, re the completion of the township's part of the Doyle ditch No. 1; Com. fees, \$4.

The report of W. G. McGeorge C. E. for the repair of the Burns drain was received and the clerk instructed parties that the report would be read and considered at next meeting.

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The commissioner on the Gregory drain reported verbally that he could not sell the work on said drain at the engineer's estimate.

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Moved by Chayton and Irving, that the Reeve be the domn to let and superintend the township's part of the

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Moved by Irving and Doyle, that the Reeve, Mr. Clayton, and the mover be a committee to meet in the clerk's office on Dec. 10th, at 2.30 p.m., to open the tenders for the debentures and dispose of the same.

The by-law to provide for the repair of the Gregory Creek drain was finall ypassed. day's Toronto Globe:

Sporting Editor Globe:—Sir,—In reference to the recent deciding association football match of the eastern series of the Peninsular League, between the Chatham and Glencoe Clubs, played at Glencoe under the instructions of the league and alleged to have resulted in a victory for the home club by a score of two goals to one, the Chatham Club requests space for a brief statement.

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The following deputy returning of-ficers were appointed for the munici-pal elections: Polling Division, No. 1, D. McPherson; No. 2, Jas. Chinnick; No. 3, E. S. Dyke, No. 4, G. Shreve; No. 5, M. Doyle; No. 6, M. Dillon; No. 7, S. S. Gilhula; No. 8, J. H. Harvey; No. 9, Gas. Goulet, and No. 10, W. H. Parde.

A. E. ROBINSON, clerk, VERY PECULIAR CASE.

Missing Ridgetown Man Found in a

Demented Condition.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Nov. 28.—Mac White, proprietor of the Sanitary Milk Co, in this city, has been found. His wife received a telegram Saturday from Omaha, Neb., stating that he had been picked up there while wandering the streets in a demented condition. He had been robbed of everything, including his watch and chain, and papers on him gave the needed clue to his identity. The Omaha Y. M. C. A. took charge of him and forwarded him as far as Chicago, whence he was sent to this city. His wife met him at the depot, and conveyed him to his home. But his condition made it necessary to remove him to his old home at Ridgetown, Ont., where he now is.

ON A GIRDLE.

That which her slender waist confined Shall now my joyful temples bind; No monarch but would give his crown, His arms might do what this has

It was my heaven's extremest sphere, The pale which held that lovely dear; My joy, my grief, my hope, my love, Did all within this circle move.

A narrow compass! and yet there
Dwelt all that's good, and all that's
fair.
Give me but what this ribbon bound.
Take all the rest the sun goes round!
—Edmund Waller.

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The Municipal Council There May Acvocate Arbitration

Oom Paul Pays and Receives a Number of Calls-Won't Visit the States.

Paris, Nov. 28.—Mr. Kruger, at 9 o'clock yesterday, made a call on Premier Waldeck-Rousseau, being accompanied by Dr. Leyds, Dr. Van Hammel and Delegate Fischer. The premier returned the call at 9.30 o'clock. At 10 o'clock the Boer ex-president received the officers of the municipal council and of the general council of the Seine, returning their visit shortly after at the Hotel de Ville. He received an ovation on the way.

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Several addresses were presented to

Mr. Kruger at the Hotel de Ville, to Mr. Kruger at the Hotel de Ville, to which he replied in a vigorous speech, repeating his former assertions that the burghers' resistance would continue. On his return to the Hotel Scribe he was given another ovation. The president of the municipal council, to-day, will propose in the council a vote in favoir of arbitrating the Transvaal difficulties.

Henri Rochefort, accompanied by a deputation including Deputies Mille-

deputation including Deputies Milleverys and Paulin-Mery, Senator Provost Delaunay and MM. Coppee and
Lemaitre, to-day presented Mr. Kruger with a sword of honor destined
for Gen. Cronje, now a prisoner on
the island of St. Helena.

Last evening Mr. Kruger and Dr.
Leyds drove to the Foreign office,
where they were received by the minister of foreign affairs, M. Delcasse,
with whom they had an interview lasting three-quarters of an hour. Dr.
Leyds said the statement attributed
to Samuel Pearson, former commissary-general of the Transvaal army,
and cabled from New York, that Mr.
Kruger would probably soon proceed
to the United States, was without
foundation. Nothing has yet been decided regarding such a movement,

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