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POLITICS IN WEST KENT.

A little better than a year ago an election was held in West Kent for the Dominion Parliament, when Mr. Herbert S. Clements, the Conservative candidate, was elected.

Mr. George Stephens, his opponent, had sat in Parliament for the term preceding, and, although we cannot endorse the party he supported, there is no doubt he did everything in his power in the interests of West Kent, and is certainly enfrom the Reform machine than was chine organ.

representative?

But this does not satisfy the Libheart, and it seems he, too, proved unsatisfactory to this element, and, in consequence, his head fell in the pliable in the hands of the machine.

The cry adopted by the McCoig faction is that Mr. Clements is iuteresting himself too much in public affairs. He is too strong a representative and is too popular with his constituency and, moreover, the electors of West Kent are giving him in the hog.-Toronto World, the credit due him for the excellent service he is rendering. This must turn public opinion against the energetic young member.

As a result of this cry, against the better thought of such men as Mr. Geo. Stephens, Mr. N. H. Stevens, Mr. John Piggott, Mr. John A. Walker and others in the Liberal party, candidate was chosen, pledged, come what may, to support the machine system of politics. Truly there is no wonder that Mr. Grant, the Liberal Government whip, and even the Globe itself asks what has become of the principles of Liberalism.

We cannot see what special qualifications Mr. McCoig has for filling the two positions-member for the Local House and candidate for the Commons. We learned during the last campaign that he was somewhat of a cosmopolitan, being born in Tilbury, raised in Raleigh, Chatham Township and Chatham city. In the next Dominion campaign he may go so far as to add Harwich to the list. We might almost be able to refer to him in the language of a Detroit merchant in advertising umbrellas, "Born in Tilbury and raised everywhere."

THE OTHER, SIDE,

A new idea has been advanced by a newspaper man in the United States regarding the mail order business The newspaper man saw a farmer friend of his receiving a set of harness from the freight office, the assignment coming from a Chicago mail order house, and remonstrated with him, attempting to prove that he was making a mistake as many of the local dealers would furnish him with the same or better goods just as cheap, and eep the profits at But this is the first time I have heard there was a harness shop in this town. I have taken your paper for five years and have never seen a line of advertising in it about such an institution in all the time I have been a subscriber,

Starving In Chatham

Men and Women who are in Need-Liberal Offer

There are scores of people in Chat-ham and vicinity who are starving in the midst of plenty. This is not because they are in need of food, but because they cannot digest the food they eat.

To help these unfortunates our leading druggists have recently re-ceived a large supply of Mi-o-na, the most recent discovery for the cure of stomach troubles.

Mi-o-na is an unusual combination of remedies for the stomach and di-gestive organs that heretofore have been little known in this country. It soothes and heals the irritated mu-

But you see the Chicago house has kept me posted all the time." And there is more truth in the statement than the average merchant dreams of, who fails to let the public know he is in business.

COST OF RAISING HOGS.

The average farmer has little idea of the cost to him of raising his hogs. The brood is matured, marketed to the drover and the retitled to a little more recognition turn thrown into the general fund without regard as to whether the shown in the empty resolution of venture has been a successful one thanks which was tendered to him or not. It is all very well to upat Jast Saturday's convention, and braid the farmer for not growing in the reproduction of one of his sufficient hogs, but he evidently large sized photographs in the ma- knows his business, though it may be more by rule of thumb than Mr. Clements, since his election, has actual arithmetical data. done everything mortal man could hogs are above \$6 per cwt. the farmdo for the benefit of his riding. No er concludes that the raising busimatter who came to him, whether ness is profitable, though this may Liberal or Conservative, he has lent be more guess work than anything a willing ear to their requests. No else. The price of feed is the one road has been too long for him to element in the cost of production travel, and no matter, brought to which governs the situation. A year his attention, so small that he deem- ago this ran very high, and more ed it unworthy of his attention and than likely has to do with the presconsideration, in looking after the ent limited supply of hogs. Prof-He has been commended by both sides tural College at the Guelph Winter No More Bad Breath interests of the people of West Kent. fessor Day, of the Ontario Agriculfor his courtesy and watchfulness in Fair, placed the cost of hog proconnection with public affairs. What duction up to about 150 pounds at more could be wanted as a People's between \$4.10 and \$4.52 per cwt. His details as to cost, however, lacked any allowance for labor, and did not eral machine. George Stephens, the include any calculation for risk from late member, had his constituency at mortality. What the latter would be is purely theoretical, but the former should be as easily arrived at as the cost of feed. Hogs, very basket on Saturday last, to a man much 1 ke chickens, appear to be who is, evidently, believed to be more much of a sideline on most farms, and are not handled as a purely commercial proposition. Attempts have been made to run both of these on such a basis, but scores of instances can be cited when the ventures have proved entire failures. In the the electors. He is doing things for face of this it cannot be charged that the farmer has had a gold mine

Stratford hotelmen complain that be stopped. A candidate must be put the detectives employed to enforce in the field and allowed to get busy the liquor license act secure drinks right away, trying, if possible, to after hours by pretending to be sick, and the Kingston Whig denounces the employment of "these miserable As a result of this cry, against sneaks." If the Straiford hotelmen can thoroughly protect themselves against the alleged "sick" fake by providing any alleged sick person with a drink free of charge. This would be an act of charity. It is a pretty mean hotelman who would charge a really sick man for a glass of whiskey on Sunday, and, anyway, it would be cheaper than paying a fine. If the hotelman is so tenderhearted that he will run chances to give a sick man a drink, he should be too charitable to take money for it. At the same time we are inclined to doubt that any detective would pretend to be sick in order to trap law-abiding hotelmen into breaking the law.

Good Business.

"Do you know," asked Mr. Scholl, "the story of the benevolent Israelite "the story of the benevolent Israelite and the poor woman in Warsaw who could not afford to get her child christened?—It was outside a Catholic church in Warsaw that this wealthy Israelite saw a poor woman with a child in her arms, weeping bitterly. "My poor woman,' he said, 'what is it alls you?" The woman replied: 'The priest says he will not christen my child unless I pay him a ruble.' And you have no money?' The woman shook her head, but could not speak for tears. 'Well,' said the benevolent stranger, 'I don't believe in christening, it is true, but I cannot bear to see a poor woman in such distress for the lack of a ruble or two, and for once I don't mind going against my conscience. Here, good woman, I have no small notes, so take this twenty ruble note to the priest, get your child christened, and bring me back the change.' Some time later the woman returned, radiant, to hand him the shange of the twenty ruble note. 'Now,' cried the benevolent Israelite, 'we are all happy; you, because your child is baptized; the priest, because I am nine teen rubles to the good, since that twenty ruble note was a forgery."—

From Twenty Years in Paris. and the poor woman in Warsaw who

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CHATHAM IP. REVIVAL

That a spirit of religious revival is spreading even outside the city of Toronto, is in evidence by the relig-ious awakenings around us. One of ious awakenings around us. One of the greatest revival movements that has visited our rural districts for some time is now in progress at at Lindsay Road Methodist Church, Chatham Tp. The meetings have been conducted for four weeks by Mr. Bishop, an evangelist from Wal-laceburg, and Rev. Mr. Taylor, the pastor. Last Sunday evening the church was crowded to the doors and the service was very inspiring, the the service was very inspiring, the most striking feature being the testimonial part of the service. The movement has taken such a hold of the people that it is expected it will continue to spread throughout the

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"I wish I dared to ask you some thing, Miss Helen," said Percy, with trembling voice and wabbling chin. "Why don't you dare to ask it?" the malden said demurely. "Because I can see 'No' in your

eyes.' "In both of them?"

"Y-yes."

"Well, den't you-don't you know two negatives are equivalent to an-How dare yeu, sir? Take your arm from around my waist lastantly!" But he didn't.

When a woman's sentiment ex-ends beyond a limited circle it be-omes commonplace.

how often the average woman thinks that her heart is broken.

The time taken for thinking is not

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Made with deep frill, two large tucks and three rows hemstitching.

Good cambric, made with deep musin frill, ten fine tucks, torchon insertion and lace.

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Fine cambric with ten fine tucks and frill of fine embroidery or torchon lace.

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At \$1.00-Umbrella style in fine cambric with

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Empire gowns, fine cambric, large collar, front and sleeves trimmed with wide Swiss embroidery and fin-ishing braid. At \$1.69-Fine cambric gowns, round yoke—short sieeves—trimmed with 2 rows Swiss insertion, braiding, and 2 rows

silk ribbon, neck and sleeves finish-ed with wide Swiss embroidery.

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"All the world's a stage and all the men and

ANNOUNCEMENTS. At The Grand-His Highness the Bey-Feb. 8.
Fatal Wedding, matinee and night
-Feb. 10.
Uncle Tom's Cabin-Feb. 15.

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Agents.) "HIS HIGHNESS THE BEY." There is an abundance of melody

that is catchy, comedy that force that is eatchy, comedy that forces one to hearty laughs, chorus figures and ensembles that are a delight to the eye, stage settings fresh, gorgeous and bewildering, electrical effects and novelties that dazzle in "His Highness the Bey," the season's triumphal musical attraction direct from a five months' run in Chicago, to be seen at the Grand to-morrow night. There are also pretty women with voices that charm and dancing girls that do the most intricate dances with ease and grace. In fact

dances with ease and grace. In fact these wonderful "broilers" are a whole delightful show by themselves, "THE FATAL WEDDING."

"THE FATAL WEDDING."

"The Fatal Wedding," which scored so strongly throughout the country last season, will be seen at the Grand Opera House next Saturday for matinee and night.

People cannot tire of such a play as "The Fatal Wedding." It is strong and intense drama, delightfully lighted and shaded by tender sentiment and droll comedy. The scenic effects are a marvel, and as the production is under the management of Sullivan, Harris & Woods, it is assured that there will be an excellent acting company. No woods, it is assisted. No one who has seen the play will miss seeing again that great snow storm on the Palsades and the thrilling scene in Grace Church.

Figg-You'll generally find that peo ple believe what they want to believe. Fogg-Yes, and probably that accounts ment-for other people, of course-be ng so popular.

Were we eloquent as angels, yet we should please some people more by lis-tening than by talking.—Colton. "You'll let me come to your wedding,

dear, of course?"
"Well, I can't promise. My people are so enraged at my choice that I hardly know whether I shall be allowed to go myself."

A Dyer. He—Do you think blonds have more admirers than brunettes? She—I don't You might ask Miss Turner. She has had experience in both capaci-

If we are not willing to work and not the artist soul within us.

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