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Court Lorne, No. 17, Watford, meets second and fourth Monday in each month. Visiting Brethren Invited. 1. E. Collier, F. Sec. J. H. Hume, R. Sec. A. D. Hone, C. Ranger.

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A man never realizes how expensive a good time is until afterward.

In discussing in the Senate the bill to prevent the use of opium and other in-jurious drugs, Sir Richard Scott said that Canada imported enough opium to sup ply the legitimate needs of 50,000,000



MILITARY HAZING.

Carried to Brutal Extremes In German Army Schools.

CADETS MAIMED AND KILLED.

The Most Dangerous Punishment Meted Out to Erring Freshmen Is "the Gantlet of Fire," and the Most Repulsive Is "Bacon Swallowing." Germany is, of all countries, the one

in which the science of hazing in mil-Itary schools has attained the greatest development. The army plays in the fatherland's life a part the importance of which can hardly be realized by an untraveled American. Military service is compulsory, and in time of peace 600,000 men are kept armed, uniformed and drilled. To command that huge contingent 80,000 commissioned officers

are necessary.

This large officer corps has developed customs, ethics, even a morality, of its own. These customs and ethics are imitated at an early age by the boy who aspires to enjoy the veneration which German officers generally re-ceive from the populace. Imitation in a young man usually means exaggeration, and some of the little military snobs are on their first day at school a joy to behold. Very soon, however, the precoclous stiffness is taken out of them.

A harmless though repulsive form of hazing cadets whose appetite verges on gluttony is called "bacon swallow-ing." The plebes to be victimized are lined up on the grounds surrounded by a group of second year men. A

slice of raw bacon is tied to a piece of string, and the plebe whose name is drawn first is made to swallow the unappetizing morsel. When the sicksensation of the twine tickling his throat threatens to nauseate him the bacon is pulled out. The name of another unfortunate is drawn, and he is in turn obliged to swallow the ba-con, the appearance of which has not been improved by the first man's chewing. On it goes along the line to the next man and up to the last one, and for days and days the sight of bacon, a staple article in German cuisine, will, if it does not spoil the healthy healthy youngsters' appetites, at least remind them that undue haste in assimilating food lacks refinement.

After a few hours spent in "frog's equat" the most dignified and snobbish plebes assume the good natured and perfectly chummy attitude which means that they have been tamed. Swelled heads are quickly noted and their owners made to sit on the floor with their chins resting on their knees, and their ankles and wrists are bound together. A solid stick passed under the knee joints and forcing the forearm back prevents them from moving arms or legs, and they are left there cramped and ridiculous position.

Other forms of hazing are the stomach dance, with or without obstacles; finding the keyhole, tossing in a blanket and star gazing. In the stomach dance the cadet is put flat on his stomach on a high table and four tormenters take him by the hands and feet and whirl him around on the table. In the case of serious offenses a few hard objects or "obstacles" are scattered over the table, making the

"dance" rather painful. Then comes finding the keyhole. The cadet stands in front of a locker and is blindfolded. He has to feel for the keyhole with his forefinger. Then another cadet places his head between the locker and the finger, opens his mouth and bites the finger till its owner howls.

Star gazing consists in being made to watch the stars at night through a coat sleeve held like a telescope by two cadets. A third cadet then pours a glass of muddy water in at top of

the sleeve. When a cadet is guilty of behavior unbecoming to a gentleman, disgraces his class by some breach of etiquette or commits some petty theft he is generally sentenced by the "holy vehm," or "court of honor," to the rod. The penalty is applied ruthlessly, a gag being placed in the punished man's mouth to stifle his cries for

Of all the forms of hazing the most brutal perhaps is the "gantlet of fire." The freshman upon whom that punish ment is to be visited is kept in a dark room astride a wooden chair, to which he is securely fastened. In the next room his tormentors are twisting newspapers into imitation torches, which at a given signal they light with matches. When the torches are burning brightly they form themselves in two lines; another signal is sounded, the door of the dark room is thrown open, and the freshman is ordered to ride between the lines, while he is mercilessly

lashed with flaming brands. However quickly he may run the gantlet, by the time he has reached the end of the blazing pathway his hair, his eyebrows and lashes have

"PILLS LIKE A FYLE"

So Harsh and Drastic are Many Pills as to Seriously Injure Health.

In a letter written from his home in Valencia, Mr. Marsh Selwyn does service to thousands by drawing attention to the injuries inflicted upon delicate people by drastic purgative pills. "For a long time I suffered from constipation." This condition compelled the use of pills. Like many another, I made the unwise choice of using pills that were like lightning in their activity. I began to be filled with intestinal disturbances, constant rumblings, gas in the bowels and diarrihoea. I grew pale and emaciated. Then the doctor told me drastic irritating pills had caused catarrh of the bowels, an almost incurable disease. Explaining my situation to a friend, he advised a trial of Dr. Hamilton's Pills, I speedily experienced the healing and curative effect they exert on the stomach, liver and bowels. The intestines, freed from irritating drugs, applied a retried to the the stomach, liver and bowels. The intestines, freed from irritating drugs, rapidly regained natural tone, the bowels acted as if nature and not Dr. Hamilton's Pills were at work. I know it will be of value to thousands to know that a pill as mild and curative as Dr. Hamilton's is available to the atting."

For bowel disorders, sick headache, onstipation, liver and stomach deconstipation, liver and stomach de-rangement, there is no pill so invari-ably sure to cure as Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Refuse a substitute. Sold in 25c boxes, all dealers, or The Catarrh-ozone Co., Kingston, Ont.

Dr. Hamilton's Pills Are Mild--Never Gripe

been singed to the skin, his eyelids are seared and swollen, his lips blistered his uniform hopelessiy damaged.

One of the surgeons in attendance covers up the sores with bandages and sends the singed plebe to the infirmary for a couple of days. The of ficial report mentions the explosion of an alcohol lamp or some other acci dent of like nature.

Not infrequently those "boyish pranks" have a tragic ending. More than once cadets have been crippled for life, and there are two cases on record where death was the direct result of horseplay carried too far .- New

ECZEMA CURE A BEAUTY WASH.

Although D. D. D. Prescription has been recognized for years as the one remedy for Eczema, Psoriasis, and all other forms of skin diseases, it is now known that there is no other wash, even those used by the beauty specialists, that can compare with this mild liquid for cleansing the skin of pimples, blackheads, rash, and all similar skin affections.

For this reason alone, a bottle of D. D.

D. should be kept on hand in every household. A free trial bottle will show you the merits of this great remedy as a

complexion wash. D. D. D. seems to remove the cause, whatever the trouble may be, cleansing the skin, and leaving it as soft, as smooth and clear as that of a healthy child. Write the D. D. D. Laboratories, Dept. W. G., 49 Colborne St., Toronto, and prove its wonderful effectiveness.

For sale by all druggists. The storage dams already constructed or in progress on the Ottawa River will control one hundred and sixty-eight bilion cubic feet of water.

Probably one of the oldest men in the Dominion died near Gorrie, Tuesday night, in the person of Mr. George Tot-ten, who had reached the wonderful age of 108. Deceased was a native of Ireland but the greater part of his life was spent in Howick township. He retained his intellect to the last.

After Grippe or any Sickness

Vinol Creates Strength HERE IS PROOF

"After a long attack of Grippe, Mrs. Vaught seemed unable to recover her strength. She was very weak and had no appetite. VI-NOL rapidly improved her condition and restored her to health. I sincerely recommend its use during convalescence or any run down condition."

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Miss Adelaide Gamm, of Watertown, Wis., writes, "After a severe attack of the Grippe, my system was in a very weakened, nervous run-down condition. I took VI-NOL with the best of results, and it made me feel better and stronger than I have been for years."

We have never sold in our store a more valuable health restorer for weak and run down persons than VINOL, and we ask such people in this vicinity to try VINOL with the understanding that their money will be returned if it does not do all we claim for it.

T. B. TAYLOR & SONS, WATFORD.

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Auniversary services of the Bethel Methodist Sunday School were held Sunday of last week when the pastor, Rev. J. H. Fair, preached in the afternoon, and Rev. B. C. Simmons, of Ebenezer, in the evening. A tea-meeting and entertainment was held Tuesday evening when for two hours the ladies were kept busy serving the large crowd. The bill of fare, comprised the most delectable viands and was gotten up in a manner highly creditable to those who provided it. The chair was filled by the pastor, Rev. J. H. Fair. Addresses were given by Rev. S. C. Edmunds, of Arkona, and H. J. Pettypiece, of Forest. Miss Taylor, the renowned singer of the Askin Street Methodist church, London, gave a number of solos and responded to hearty encores; Miss Fleck, elocutionist, of Sarnia, was also very much enjoyed, and responded to her several encores. Mrs. responded to her several encores. Mrs. Mack. Luckham presided at the organ. The receipts of the tea meeting was over

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles, should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten-fold to the good you possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood, and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. monials free.
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Had His Hand Crushed.

Strathroy, March 16—A very severe accident befell Mr. Alf. Williams, an employe of the Colonial Furniture Company, about noon to-day. Mr. Williams was working on the sanding machine and in some manner his left hand was earth to the heavy rollers and the field. caught by the heavy rollers and the flesh, ligaments and cords on the back of his hand and fingers were torn off and the ones were grated by the coarse sand

The hand was dressed by Drs. McCab The hand was dressed by Drs. McCabe and Berdan, who are trying to save the fingers, but believe that two will have to be amputated. Mr. Williams came to Strathroy from Watford, where he was leader of the Silver Band. He played clarionette in the Strathroy Band and was leader of the St. John's parish orchestra. He formerly played in the 29th Regiment Band of Berlin.

Shiloh's Cure quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lunds. 23 cents.

The servants were abed, and the doctor answered the bell himself. A colored man stood on the steps holding a large

package.
"Is Miss Matildah, the cook, at home,

sah?" asked the man

the doctor.
"Can I leab dis fo' her, sah?"

"Certainly," said the doctor.

He took the bundle, from which flowers and buds were protruding, and, after bidding the man good night, carefully carried it to the kitchen, where he deposited it, paper and all, in a pan of water.

The doctor thought nothing more of the affair until he heard Matilda's angry voice raised in conversation with the maid

"Ef I had de pusson heah," cried the cook, "dat put mah new spring hat in dis yer dishpan, I'd scald him for sho!" —Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chart Hillichers.

Hon. Col. Matheson's bill, by which the revenue of the province will be materially increased every year, will impose stiff taxes upon railways, express companies and racetracks. Each racetrack in the province where running races are held will be taxed \$200 per day. Each track where trotting races are held will be taxed \$10 for one, \$40 for two and \$60 for three days' racing.

John Robbins, of the Sth line, Moore Township, was so hadly gored by a bull late Wednesday afternoon that he failed to recover consciousness, and died the Hon. Col. Matheson's bill, by which

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LUNG TROUBLE

Mrs. Biny Brown, of Tenecape, N.S. Was Cured by Catarrhozone of Lung Trouble and Catarrh, After Hundreds of Other Remedies Failed

If your lungs are weak; if there is consumption in your family; if Colds, Catarrh, and Bronchitis bother you, be sure to use Catarrhozone It is especially adapted for these diseases and cures every time

Mrs. Brown took cough mixtures, but they made her sick. Then she used but they made her sick. Then she used an atomizer but after recording with

an atomizer, but, after resorting with-out benefit to poultices, she tried Ca-

out benefit to poultices, she tried Catarrhozone.

"I used Catarrhozone Inhaler." writes Mrs. Brown, "five minutes every hour, and soon recognized that it was going to cure me. I could feet the soothing medicated air spreading through the air passages of the throat, and it touched the sore spots in the lungs that other remedies failed to reach. Catarrhozone seemed to go just where it was needed most, and soon put a stop to my cough. It restored me to perfect health, and I am convinced that no cough, cold, or catarrh can exist if Catarrhozone is used."

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This local and constitutional treatment is always effective, and cures cases that have been given up as hopeless. Money can't buy or produce anything better, and to get cured it is absolutely necessary to use Catarrhozone.

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