THE ATHENS REPORTER. To Clean Wicker Furniture Women and Bome Wicker furniture can be scrubi

with hot water and soap. This really renews some of its freshness. How to Clean Braid on Wool Middle Spronge with white soap and wa-And does he know that sister's leg's ter. Then press. Middy will look like new.

To Remove Perspiration Stains Make a solution of 1 teaspoon of ammonia to 1 quart of water. Soak stained garment in this solution for one hour. Then sponge stains with lemon juice. Rinse in warm water and wash in usual way.

WINTER TREES

(Christine Curtis) The winter trees have kinship with the skies

When the pale sun of February lies Upon the level west and the air is cold Then the last chilly rays of splintered gold

Come slanting up the fields, and And is it true she'll leave us all her swift they set

A torch in every tree top,-in the net Of naked birches in the maple brush A twig or two will glimmer like a rush:

And up the apple trunks a pinkness pour,

And copper lights are in the sycamore.

But soon the sunlight wanes, and sudden slips The lovely glazing from the maple

tips And strikes along the evening cloud

than ever, with trimmed fronts and and glows fluffy effects, the back as straight In richest plummy hues and burnish-

lines as last year and waists either ed rose. very low or high are the main fea-And now by field and dusky wood tures of the spring fashions which and lane

were shown at opening last week by The trees are faded down to drab such of the great Paris houses as again.

Only the upper branches in the sky Reach for the colored clouds as they

go by, Tangle them in their boughs and pull them down

And wear them like a soft arboreal crown.

THE SOLITARY

largement of the skirt in the way the apron enlarges it. These aprons call My little house is tended very well. be a series beginning at about the knee or flowing panels like handker-The kettle shining, blue cups in a

row. The fireplace lately swept, the thres-

hold white. There is a gleam of copper, and the smell

Of new-baked loaves; and as I come and go. My wallflowers lift soft cheeks for

my delight. I am as deft a worker, and so fleet,

Just to see that things are going have contained egg in cold water be-, That while I sn here, knitting, in the sun.

> My neighbors still are toiling busily Such moil of earth' clings to such little feet.

> Supper to get and dinner only done They call across my garden, envying me.

And yet, and yet-when all their lamps are lit.

And all the little, drowsy ones are there-

One that is cross, and one returnir late-

You tired women, how I covet it-My little house is very clean and fair, But, oh, sometimes my house is deso-

late.

Portland, March 30.-Mrs. A. L. Ready has been a victim of influenza for over a week, but is now convales-

cent. Mrs. A. Gallagher has been con-fined to her room for two weeks, hav-ing had a very severe attack of in-fluenza.

Farmers have been kept busy to keep up with the run of sap of late, most people having made as much as they did last season.

LYNDHURST

Lynidhurst, March 25.—At an early hour on Tuesday morning, March 24, death claimed an elderly and highly respected resident in the person of Mrs. John Kirkland, who passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harmon McFadden. The deceased had been in very poor health for a long time, having suffered from a paralytic stroke. She had been a great sufferer but bore her cross with twee Christian fortitude until death mercifully released her. She was formerly Miss Elizabeth Williamson, of Oak Leaf. Predeceased by her hus-band about two years ago, she leaves one daughter and three sons to mourn her loss, Mrs. Harmon McFadden, of Briar Hill; H. Kirkland, Briar Hill; William, Sweet's Corners, and Char-les, of Lyndhurst. John Sloan and Miss Margery War-mer and Miss Mae Jamieson. Maple syrup has again made its ap-perance, selling readily at \$1.75 per suite. John Slack visited his daughter,

John Slack visited his daughter, Mrs. William McReady, on Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Neal motored to Gananoque on Tuesday. Homer Young has purchased a fine

Homer roung has purchased a nine new coupe. A number of the ladies of the L.O. B.A. met at the home of Mrs. Charles Kirkland on Wednesday last and spent a most pleasant afternoon. Russell Simes has purchased a new

William McReady has gone to the Outlet, where he is engaged in carpenter work. All regret to learn that William

Earl's condition remains very critical. Dr. Morris is in attendance. Mrs. L. Halliday, of Delta, was a guest of her mother, Mrs. E. Wiltse,

Miss Amy Church has accepted a position in D. W. Green's store. All are pleased to learn that Mrs. R. Sly is able to be out again after her recent indisposition.

KILBORN SPRINGS

Kilborn Springs, March 27 .-- Miss nez Howard is at present attending her sister, Hiss Beatrice Howard, at the Brockville General hospital, where she underwent a serious operation on. Wednesday night. Edwin Billings, Richville, N.Y., is at present enjoying a pleasant visit with his parents. W. L. Kilborn is on the sick list. Misses Bertha and Mary Billings visited at Marble Billings', Lyn, on

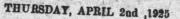
Thursday afternoon Thieves visited here again on Wed-nesday night and stole a sap-pan off an arch on the premises of W. L. Howard. Taylor Billings, who has been confined to his room with la grippe, is Mice to his room with la grippe, is able to be around again. Mirs. A Jewett and children spent a couple of days last week visiting her mother, Mrs. G. Worden. N. Whitmarsh, Glen Elbe, visited at D. Dixie's one day last week.

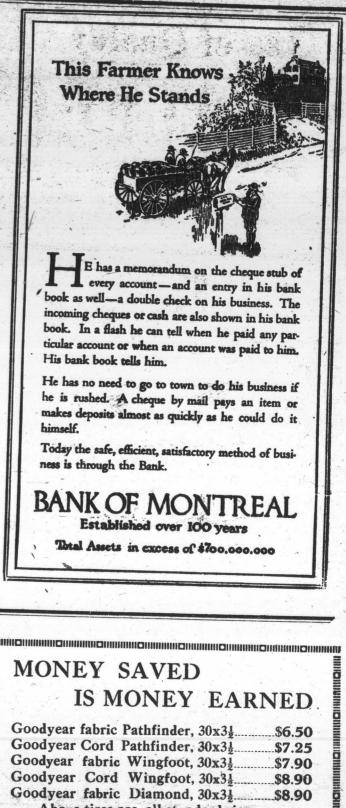
Elkanah Billings is not enjoying the Howard, 1.410 son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Howard, who has been very ill,

s a little improvel. The heavy wind storms that swep, over this neighborhood last week did considerable damage, removing a chimney from W. Gardiner's house, and blowing the heavy iron doors from J. Bolin's barn.

CEDAR GROVE

Ceqa. C.ove, March 29.-Miss Etta Lewis spent the week-end at her home in Kemptville. Mrs. Anson Forbes spent Saturday in Smiths Falls with her mother, who is ill. Mrs. John Derrick and





Above tires are all standard size. Goodyear oversize cord Diamond 30x31, \$10.90 Goodyear low pressure oversize cord,

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30x31-Heavy Tourist, \$2.35, Regular, \$1.95, Pathfinder, \$1.50.

Inner tubes, Heavy Tourist-31x4. \$3.15, 32x4, \$3.25, 33x4, \$3.50, 34x4, \$3.75.

These tires are all first grade and new stock, and are sold for cash only. They are lower in price than Eaton's Dominion tires.



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THE INQUISITIVE KIDDIE

My youngest son is of a most inquir-

And answers to the questions it mos puzzles me to find,

We sarted in the car one day; with

anger I turned red-

my young kiddie said:

er gave you?

your tail gone?

kid sit up,

food up?

cheek?

dady?

> dad?

from uncle's?

Eh, dad? Don't you know.

Nell?

tell.

keys

whiskers,

"Have you spent the tuppence moth-

Why is it you're always wearing

And mother never does, please daddy

Is it true that we all come from mon

When I look at you it must be so.

But, if you are a monkey, where's

We had a supper party and I let the

He promised that he wouldn't speak

But, later on, the rascal, he for

In front of all the guests we had,

"Will these people here eat all the

Ain't they had no dinner for a week?

Is that the suit that mother fetched

And what is all that red stuff on her

Where did mother first discover you,

Was it in a Barnum-Bailey show

Eh, Dad? Don't you know?

But at last sha found a jay,

shelf for years.

church to-day.

commenced to shout:

fake one?

straight?

live with them

And how did you become my 'ikkle

My daughter Jane has been on the

So to see her married, we all went to

That darned kid started talking, tho

He got beneath the family pew and

"Does he know that sister Jane's a

Does she know that mother's going to

I tried to chuck him out;

knowledge seemed to thirst,

these questions on me burst:

a word. The little pup!

ing turn of mind,

a cork one

I wonder if she ever told him so?

Eh, dad? Don't you know?

the lot to me;

I'm cut off with a bob,

menced to sob:

big nose

or why?

money

below?

the stairs. Dad?

PARIS SHOWS SKIRTS

Paquin, Poiret and Georgette.

Eh, dad? Don't you know?

The passengers all laughted aloud, as But since I took the kid around,

Ain't that lady's face like our doy Do they ever use, her for a guy?

And if he finds it out, do you think

he'll want his money back?

My sister May has tons of dough,

So in her will the other day she left

He looked at Sister Mary and com-

"Is that funny thing my Auntie Mary

And is it true she talks through her

To save her teeth from wearing out

When she kicks the pail and goes

And is it true you're going to grease

Paris, 202. 16 .- Skirts shorter

This week is the greatest week of

the year for fashion displays, and

from these general lines there may

be some departures. But all are

agreed that last year's slim body line

will be kept. To it there has been

added new gracefulness in the en-

SHORT BUT FLUFFY

chiefs hung by a corner, attached below the waist.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

To Wash Egg Dishes

Always soak or rinse dishes that fore washing.

New Spring Shirts nice neat patterns. SPecial for our Easter Sale at \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50.

New Spring Ties, handsome new silks. Special for our Easter Sale at 50c, 75c, and \$1.00

New Spring Caps. All the new styles. Special for our Easter Sale, 45c to \$1.95.

New Spring Hats, the very latest, all the new shades with fancy bands. Special for our Easter Sale, \$4.00 hats for \$3.00, and \$5.00 hats for \$4.00.

Big range of Boys New Spring Suits, with two pairs of Bloomers; Reefers, Caps, and Golf Stockings, at Special Low Prices for our Easter Sale.

New Spring Overcoats and Suits

We are showing all the new models for Young Men and Older Men, in nice Tweeds, Worsteds and Serges. On Sale at Special Reduced Prices for Easter.

It will pay you to buy your Easter Outfit at our Sale. You'll save money.

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Give us a call and help share in one of the liam Lines spent Friday in Smiths SHELDON'S CORNERS Falls. Miss Helen Seeley, of Bishop's Mills, spent a few days last week with Mrs. Fred Cummings. Dr. Milne has returned home after having spent the last much with biggest bargains ever offered in Athens or Sheldon's Corners, March 30 .- Miss Toronto. Maggie Kelly spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. J. Topping. Gerald Wilson visited his sister, Mrs. Fred. Hollingsworth, on Satur-day By anne has returned nome after having spent the last week with friends at the Grove. William Lafaver is engaged in the garage with Reynolds & Pelton, of Home Hammon Communication and the former fo day. Miss Irene Younge has been at her home for some days with a bad cold. Mr. and Mrs. Wright Berney spent Sunday at Elgin with the latter's par-ents, Mr. H. Coons. Miss Pearl Whitmore has been on the civil list for four days It is our sad duty to chronicle the death of John Topping. He was in his 71st year, and he came to the old home place when but a laddie of only 3 years with his father and mother, Mr and Mrg Coarge Tapping He The court of neighbours 3 years with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. George Topping. He was one of the most esteemed neigh-bors of this community, with his friendly disposition and his pleasant smile. You hear the neighbors say. "We will miss John." Although he had been in poor health for the last five years he bore all his sufferings with great patience, only waiting for the time— When all my labors and trials are o'er The friends you ask to meals-all who eat in your heme-pass judgment on your baking skill. If you want to be known as a good cook, use Quaker Flour. It makes bread, cakes and pastry that win sure approval in any company. And I am safe on that beautiful shore, Just to be near the dear Lord I Juaker Flour adore, Will thro' the ages be glory for PORTLAND

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