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SATURDAY, JULY 5.

A PLEBISCITE.

Speaking of Ross the Toronto Globe

A safer, braver, more self-sacrificing public man cannot be found withits four corners, and a majority of the people of Ontario, we are sure, feel and believe this.

And again the Globe says:

A Ross Government with a majority of one is a stronger organization than a Whitney Government with a majority of a good many. If a plebiscite were called for on the Ross Cab-inet as against a Cabinet composed of Mr. Whitney and his lieutenants, we would have very little fear of the

To which the Hamilton Spectator

responds: It is rather unforunate for the Globe that something very like a plebiscite has just been had in Ontario, with the result that Mr. Ross. with the huge advantage of being in power, having control of all the election machinery, the distribution of rewards and the services of the machine-failed by 7.500 votes to reach the figure polled by Mr. Whitney, But the Globe has to say something, just now, to keep up the party cour-, age, and it doesn't matter much what

THE CROP OUTLOOK

Notwithstanding the complaints which have been made against the 'Juneuary" weather (as the Mail and Empire has phrased it) which prevailed last month, there is much to be said in its favor. While keeping down the ice bill and providing a tolerable temperature for working and unsurpassed for sleeping, the rains of June have not wrought disaster to the crops, as some feared. Reports agree that should warm weather prevail through July and August there is every reason to conclude that Canada will reap one of the largest crops ever garnered in its history. In Manitoba and the territories there was last year harvested an unprecedented yield, having regard to acreage. It was preceded by the abundant crop in Kansas. This season that state is again blessed and is in the midst of its harvesting operations, to which the N. Y. Sun thus picturesquely refers: "Bleeding Kansas can now find nothing to complain of save that her paths drop too much fatness. She is staggered by the size of her wheat crop; and Nebraska is in the same plight. There is a call for 10-000 more harvesters. The farmers are offering \$2.50 a day 'and found."

The press of Manitoba and the territories finds in the crops matter for editorials. The Calgary Herald says: "Despite the fact that the spring has been somewhat cold and rainy, the crops in the Calgary district are we'll advances present indications point

of a banner crop."

The Press discusses the subject that the there is the subject that the it has not been without its compensations. Reports from all outlying points agree in stating that, excepting on low-lying lands, the growing grain is in an exceptionally promising condition. The indications are that, despite the backward weather, much of it will head out at an earlier period than usual; and this, provided that we have a reasonable amount of fine warm weather during July and the early part of August, will ensure one of the earliest harvests on record. At this period of the season the outlook **** for a bountiful yield was never more favorable; and we may fairly count on a harvest which, in all respects, will

children and at Calmatch the record of last year. edonia Spring fami-This is good news and will be read with gladness by all Canadians, for lies can enjoy their an abundant harvest in the west must holiday at less cost favorably affect the trade of the Dominion from centre to circumference than by staying at While not wishing to deny any credit home. Send for a that may be due to the Liberal administration for having caused the sun of prosperity to rise upon Canada, we yet

Lczema Duke of York through his attack of typhoid in 1891. He was born in 1847. Sir Frederick Treves is a great fisherman and sailor. He was consulting surgeon to the forces in South Africa in 1900, and an important figure in the Ladysmith relief column. Sir Thomas Smith is consulting surgeon to several Hood's Sarsaparilla of the biggest hospitals in London tively semoves them, has radically permanently oured the worst cases, and Sir Thomas Barlow is a member of

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eruptions.
Hoop's Pills are the best cathartic. Price 25 cents.

with the farmer there is a very grave

danger that the cabinet of ministers,

including even so great agenius as

Hon. J. Israel Tarte, may not be able

to maintain the high tide of prosper-

ity now deluging this fair land. How

much another good crop may mean to

the farmers, to Canada and to poli-

and a great deal of the money 'paid

out at the country elevators took the

use of the money could be made since

the paying of debts is an admirable

ever, the farmers, if generously dealt

with by Providence, will have funds

in their possession which they will be

enabled to dispose of in conformity

going on in the country at present;

farmers, wherever able, are hastening

will be completely eclipsed by the re-

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antiseptic surgery. He is 75 years of

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many clinical and pathological socie

ties. Most of these gentlemen were

the late Queen's physicians.

***** George McLean, a former Wabash employe, who lost a good position through drink, had a quarrel with h.s.

ticians is indicated by that exponent of Liberalism in the great and growing west, the Winnipeg Free Press. pretty young wife, who was Miss Richardson, of Kent Bridge, on Sur-At the risk of being deemed a political heretic, of which danger it seems blissday night, during which some warm words were exchanged. McLean disfully unconscious, that journal says-Should these hopes be fulfilled the owned his wife, saying that he had never married her. She packed her effect on the development of the west clothes at once and went home to Kent Bridge. McLean, who bore a would be very great. Last year's reeipts, large as they were, were largegood reputation up to a short time ago, left for Detroit, saying he would ly used in wiping out liabilites that had been carried over from the previnot return.-Ridgetown Dominion ous season when the crop was short;

The accounts of the executors in the estate of the late A. M. Burchail, of Ridgetown, were passed Saturday be-fore His Honor Judge Bell. Fred. Stone appeared for the official guardian of the infant son, and W. E. Gurdy appeared for the executors. form of investment. This year, how-ever the farmers if generously dealt widow, Cornelius Burchell and Joseph E. Gosnell. The estate is valued at \$12,000.-Ridgetown Dominion.

The crop appearances throughout the country, so far as hay, wheat and with their own wishes; and the effect oats are concerned, are favorable for will be seen in a very great stimulus to a good crop. Much anxiety, however, is felt for corn, owing to the contintrade. A great deal of building is ued moisture and exceptionally cold weather. The sugar beet crop in most to discard the small houses that have sure to be a good fruit yield,-Dresden sheltered them through past years in Standard.

favor of larger and more comfortable Around Comber there has been more abodes. Large and roomy barns, built stock feeding for market this year on the generous Ontario models, are among farmers than usual, and there beginning to make their appearance seems to be a greater disposition to go into raising improved stock, paron the prairie; and they add immeasticularly of horses and cattle. A considerable number of farmers are raisurably to the beauty of the rural landscapes. With another good year there ing sugar beets to the extent of from will be an expenditure for building one to five acres. materials that will tax the sources of

The Dutton Council has appealed supply, and new and larger houses against the valuation of the village by will mean a demand for all kinds of the county valuators, the assessment housefurnishings. Much money will of Dutton is \$240,000, which is congo also to the improvement of stock, sidered high, but the valuators have to the purchase of better implements, placed it at \$335,000, meaning that the vehicles, etc., and to the improvements county purposes this year the sum of the farms by tree planting, fencing and other means. Great as has

Orford mourns the loss of one of it been the development of Manitoba oldest and most highly respected within the past year, we think the citizens. On Monday passed away, at the age of 81 years, John Crawford, of prospects are more than fair that it the 1st Con., near Padmyra. - Ridge town Dominion.

cord of the next twelve months .- Ot-Dr. John C. Gosnell, formerly of Orford, a student in the office of W. R. Hall, M. D., Chatham, seventeen years ago, and now a successful prac-titioner in Ilwaco, Wash., has been visiting relatives and friends in this Everyone who has used listerine section.—Ridgetown Dominion. knows Dr. Lister, the discoverer of

At the hospital, Chatham, Mrs. Mal colm Campbell, Eric street, Howard underwent an operation involving the removal of cataracts from her eyes The operation was successful. bandages were removed yesterday and she is progressing favorably.—Ridge-town Dominion.

Miss Jessie Whitton has resigned her position as teacher in the second department of the Rodney public school, and Miss Jennie Rodgers, • 6 Wardsville, has been engaged to fill the vacancy.

J. B. Coates has bought the Walter Backus place of 100 acres, near Clearville, paying \$3,800.-Ridgetown Do-

A Perilous Profession There are some astrologers in China, but not many, as astrology is a very perilous profession. When one of these so called prophets predicts an event and believe you'll realize the value which does not occur, he loses his head.

The Flute Is Very Old. The flute is very old in its origin, but the flute of today is different from that of the ancients. It has been improved upon from time to time, and the old people would probably fail to recognize it now. The flageolet, which is some

what similar, is credited to Juvigny. A Dose of Arsenic. The usually fatal dose of arsenic is two grains.

White and fancy vests. We're selling \$1.00 Madras shirts Queer Beauty.

In New Holland the women cut themselves with shells and, keeping the wounds open a long time, form deep sears in the flesh, which they deem highly ornamental. Another singula mutilation is made among them, when in infancy they take off the little finger of the left hand at the second joint.

Peck at first meant a basket or receptacle for grain or other substances The expression at first had no reference to size.

Greasy Collars. A cloth dipped in ammonia and rubbed thoroughly on a coat collar will remove the greasy look. Velvet collars may be treated in the same way, but must be held in front of a hot iron directly after to raise the pile.

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your condition of health is not satisfactory; if you are not happy, active, and vigorous at present, try virtues of one bottle of Paine's Celery Compound; you will havve cause to thank heaven that such a marvellous recuperator was placed within your reach. The following letter written by Rev. P. Rioux, of St. Anne's church, Montreal, is convincing and comfort-

"I am fully convinced, both by personal experience and by the statement of many parishioners intrusted to my care, that the celebrated medicine Paine's Celery Compound, deserves a high recommendation. I therefore willingly indorse the testimonials al-ready given in its behalf."

In some of the farming districts of China pigs are harnessed to small wagons and made to draw them.

The Cabbage Cure.

Cabbage is an old cure for drunkenness. The Egyptians ate it boiled before their other food if they intended to drink wine after dinner, and some of the remedies sold as a preventive of intoxication on the continent are said to contain cabbage seed.

Chinese Women. Every Chinese woman is practically a slave until her son marries. Then, as mother-in-law, she begins to rule, her son's wife being her subject.

A HEROIC LIFE

With an eye Single to the Good of her Fellow men she Toiled.

The Story of Eliza H. Varney, of Bloomfield, Ont.—Spent Many Years in a Service of Saintly Sacrifice to the Poor and Needy—Ministered to Their Physical as Well as Spiritual

Bloomfield, Ont., July 4.(Special.)— Our 'communicy boasts of having within it one of the most devoted Christian women that ever toiled in the world's vineyard. blessed by God, this

self-sacrificing heroine and her hus-band, since deceased, spent many years of faithful pastoral work in different parts of the continent. Elizabeth H. Varney, relict of the late Levi Varney, is now 73 years of age and is living in quiet retirement here. She is a member of the So-

ciety of the Old Orthodox Friends and this simple peace-loving Society never had a more humble or more worthy It is of her work among the Douk-

hobors in our own Canadian North-West that she loves most to speak and many and vivid are her recollections of this peculiar people.

One of the greatest difficulties this

devoted women had to contend with was disease among her poor people. But she had armed herself with a remedy that was as unfailing as her own charity-Dodd's Kidney Pills were the weapons she used to drive out sickness. Some years before she had tried and proven the value of this great medi-

cine in her own case when threatened with Dropsy and suffering with Rheumatism. They had completely restored her, and when she found that the prevailing trouble among the Doukhobor people was Kidney Disease and Dropsy she knew that Dodd's Kidney Pills would be her most valuable aid in her good work. She tells of one poor young woman among this people who was suffer-ing so severely with the Dropsy that she was terribly bloated all over and confined to her bed. The Lady Mis-

Pills and immediately sent for three more boxes. was rewarded for her efforts by the complete recovery of the young Dodd's Kidney Pi'ls have received

sionary left a few of Dodd's Kidney

this worthy woman's most emphatic A white lie is the foundation for many a highly colored tale.

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NOTICE TO CONTRAC ORSE

I. L. DAVIS,

received up to 12 o'clock noon, on Saturday, July 12th, for the erection and completion of a brick block for Messrs. Stonehouse Bros., Wallaceburg, Ont. The different trades com-prise brick and stone work, pressed iron front, metal ceilings, plumbing,

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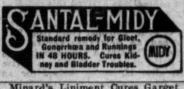
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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF

PARTNERSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, as Turner & Platt, in the City of Chatham, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to William W. Turner at the said Chatham afore. W. Turner, at the said Chatham afore said, and all claims are to be present-ed to the said William W. Turner, by whom the same will be settled. Dated at Chatham this 28th day of June, 1902. RUSSEL C. PLATT.

W. TURNER. Witness-Ward Stanworth. 6d1w



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