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JAMAICA WANTS TO JOIN US.

The proposal that Jamaica and the other British possessions in the West Indies should enter into confederation with the Canadian provinces has been received with enthusiasm in Jamaica. Recent copies of newspapers and private letters from there all indicate this. The Jamaica Gleaner says, in the course of a lengthy consideration of

the proposal: l self-government has been de Local self-government has been de-veloped in all the provinces to the full-est extent. Civic progress, public spirit, and national education are of the highest order throughout the length and breadth of the Dominion. Public finance is well administered, and the salaries paid to high officials are, comparatively, very much lower than ours. There can be little doubt that Jamaica would be more cheaply ruled if it be-longed to the Dominion than it is at present. Some of the lieutenant-govors of the provinces, for example get only \$7,000 a year, as against the

Jamaica needs, above everything else, a definite trade policy, and sound conomic government. Canada would give both if she consented to receive us. We have been too long the sport of twiffs and companyed change. They us. We have been too long the sport of tariffs and commercial changes. They seem inseparable from our existence, and that is why.we cannot secure the advent of the capital we so much need. We can only be sure of maintaining a free market for our products in cour tries whose political existence syn-chronises with our own.

"Detective Bleakley drew a glass full of water from the tap in the detectives" office. City Hall, to-day. It contained a couple of polywogs and considerable mud."—Hamilton Herald. Wasn't that enough? Did he expect a dozen herring and a deed of a corner

Rev. M. DeBlois, head of the Nov Scotia Sons of Temperance, expresse the opinion that no government, what give the prohibitionists a prohibitor; law. "Ever" in such a sense is a long time, and there is in these days no as surance against revolutions. There is no question, though, that with parties as they are, and public feeling as it is, there is no likelihood of a prohibitory law being passed by Parliament; an if there is one party less likely than the other to move to such an end, it is that which gave the prohibitionists th

BREAK AWAY.

Buffalo News

All this discussion about reforming divorce laws implies a belief that whe a man thus severs his matrim bonds he may make a bad break.

THEY'RE A JOB LOT.

Montreal Gazette.

Cabinet, it is announced, ring what business will be before parliament at its next This probably means that t e details of a new job are under consideration. So far, since the accession

Left Prostrate

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TIME IS LONG AND ART IS FLEET.

Philadelphia Times

Some of the kinetoscope people ought to get pictures of this Cuban evacua-tion. tI is certainly one of the moving

THE QUESTION OF THE HOUR.

Hamilton Herald. How is it? Did the Ottawa Fre Press repudiate the Globe as the "offi-cial mouthpiece of the party" because the Globe referred to Sir Allan Macab as "Canada's ablest premier!" Or did the Globe give that side thrust at Sir Wilfrid because the Ottawa organ tries to read it out of the party.f

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Unhealthy mothers do bear sickly, puny children, and such children grow up to be puny, unhealthy men and women or else they die during their childhood or youth.

It behooves the women of Canada, then, to retain their health and strength, Unfortunately they are a thousandfold more liable to disease than men are.

Kidney diseases find thousands, yea, hundreds of thousands of victims among women.

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hundreds of thousands of victims among women. And no other disease has as terribly baneful an effect upon the children of its victims, as has kidney disease. Yet kidney disease is very easily cured. If yields, surely, raspidly, and permanently to the power of that great kidney cure—Todd's Kidney Pills. Dodd's Kidney Pills have cured thousands of women of kidney disease and female complaints (the latter being, as a rule, merely different phases of kidney disease.)

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BUSINESS COLLEGE ECHOES.

Chris. Sturdy, of Goderich, register d in the business department on Mon

day.

Miss Vita Clark has accepted a position in the Brown Woollen Mills Kingsville.

The usual monthly araminations werheld yesterday and the pupils enjoyed the casterday and the pupils enjoyed the casterday and the pupils on the publication.

Ringsville.

The usual monthly examinations were held yesterday and the pupuls enjoyed the customary half holiday.

Remember the law lacture by J. G. Kerr on Thursday. Subject, Real Estate and Conveyacing.

Mr. Cavanagh has returned to complete his course in the business department.

Reports from Grand Rapids indicate that our sister college is making a record for itself across the border. The attendance is largely increased over that of this time last year.

A writing competion was held in the business department on Thursday, The names of the winners will be announced next week.

Mr. Soutar, of the class of '97-'98, has secured a good position at an excellent salary with a milling firm at fossion, Minnesots.

George E. Thomas

resiston, Minnesota.
George E. Thomas took charge of both departments of the bank this week and performed his duties very efficiently. George is taking a thorough course and will graduate with homory.

D. G. Holland has been for some time in the stores department of the Detroit and Cleveland Steam Navigation Company. The following pupils made the maximum in the senior spelling test on Thursday:—James Harper, George Cuaningham, Sadie Bodkin, Alice Couzens, W. J. Gray, Irvine Innes, Robt Garrioch, Maggie Rogera, Jas. McNaughton, St. Clair Couzens, Harry Kay and H. W. Ward.

WHEATLEY.

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Miss Florence Eull is visiting her braber at Walkerville.

We see by the Journal that Mr. Fox, reeve of Romney, will be in the field as district conneilman at the coming elections. What will be aloss to Romney will be again to the county, as Mr. Fox has proven himself to be one of the best and shrewest municipal legislators that this township ever had. It is probable that Geo. McLean, P. N. Gahan, W. C. Lounsbury and M. Bridwin will be the new men in the field for municipal honors.

No clue has been discovered in regard to the postoffice robbery.

Geo. Overcholt's house was entered by some person last Sunday and some valuables are missing, including a lady's gold watgh.

E. B. Shaw and wife attended the Moraviantown fair last week.

Byron Robinson and wife were at Blenheim during the fair week.

A number of members of the Home Circle went to Zion to hear the annual services conducted by Rev. Mr. Prosser in connection with the Zion order.

A petition was forwarded to the

continuator-General, containing eighty amos of the leading residents in this instrict, with the object of Miss Bertha fel.Cean being made Assistant; Post distress. The Wheatley P. O. is kept o perfection, the most critical having to room to find fault.

QUEER IDEAS OF FUN.

SAVAGES WHO LAUGH ONLY WHEN SOME ONE IS HURT.

The laugh, which is now so closely associated with good humor and kindly beling originally implied nothing of the sort. It expressed almost the reverse it was the erow of triumph over a fallen

Such is its nature still among savages and barbarous peoples, and its unexpected manifestations are occasionally very startling. Dancing on the body of a prostrate enemy is to them hilarious business. The writhing of a victim under torture is the funniest thing imaginable. A new device for torment is a clever jest. The inflicting of a ghastly wound as some poor wretch runs the gantist makes them yell with glee. The things that shock or horrity or disgust the diviliased man are about the only things worth laughing at from a savage's point of view.

With the exception, therefore, of rough practical jokes, which may possibly wrinkle his stolld features with a momentary grin, the barbarian has no appreciation of divilized humor. He can't see where the fun comes in if no-body is hart.

This was curiously illustrated not long Such is its nature still as

body is hurt.

This was curiously illustrated not long This was curiously illustrated not long ago when a considerable number of Chinaman went to a New York theater to see a buriesque performance. When the American part of the audience laughed, the delegation from Chinatown sat with faces absolutely blank, but the moment any hint of brutality, tragedy or tears appeared on the stage their heavy features lighted and were wreathed in smiles. It was a strange thing to ed in smiles. It was a strange thing to witness, but it was all in perfect keep-ing with the cruel instincts of their

race.

Even the knowledge that he is himself to be the next victim does not spoil the fun of a cruel spectacle for a barbarian thoroughbred. Here is an in-

A number of Siamese who had been engaged in a bloody revolt were captured red handed and sentenced to military execution. A platoon of soldiers was drawn up with loaded muskets, before whom the doomed men were led out in squads of five or six to be shot, while those who were waiting their turn stood by, under guard, looking on.

When the first volley was fired, the victima, sorn by the storm of bullets, leaped into the air with violent contortions and fall dead. And this to the poor wreschess who were about to go through the same experience seemed so fine a show and so excraciatingly funny that they were fairly convulsed with laughter.

laughes. Such is the humor of savages, and such doubtless were the beginnings of mirth the world over. Strange as it may seem, there are many hints of this barbarous origin in the fun of the most highly civilised. We no longer laugh at really tangle occurrences, it is true, for other and more humane emotions

for other and more humane emotions are too strongly excited.

But if we chance to see a ridiculous mishap which does not quite rise to the dignity of tragedy—an accident by which some one is greatly inconvenienced and annoyed without being seriously injured—the remnant of the savage brasks loose in us, and we laugh till the tears some

breaks loose in us, and we laugh till the tears come.

Why else are we amused when we see a well dressed man thrown sprawling in the mud or deluged with dirty water from an upper window or driven up a tree by a cross dog or an ugly bull? Why else do we so keenly enjoy the agony of a man who has accidentally pounded his finger nail, instead of the tack he was driving into the carpet, or langh at the unfortunate who blindly steps on a stray barvel hoop which flips up and elaps him in the face? Instances might be multiplied without limit.

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It is noticeable that children often laugh at things which do not amuse adults, but, on the courtary, shock and pain them. That is because the child's finer sensibilities are as yet imperfectly developed. He is still near the savage state. There is a very provalent sentiment to the contrary, but this is the fact.

fact. In proportion as men become truly civilized, however, their sense of humor becomes refined, and they revolt at any suggestion of brutality. Yet it is worthy of remark that the gentlest among us are frequently amused at a picture or a story representing things the actual occurrence of which would shock us greatly,—Boston Post.

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Don't try to say things when you have nothing to say.

have nothing to say.

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Exclarition.

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