Prizes

\$50.00 for best Essay. \$25.00 for best Poem: \$25.00 for best Advertisement.

SURPRISE SOAP

ESSAY not to exceed 300 words. Subject: The most satisfactory way to use Surprise Soap for washing clothes.

POEM not to exceed 5 verses. Subject: Whiteness of white goods when washed with Surprise Soap.

ADVERTISEMENT 4 in. square, either plain wording or illustrated, drawing may be larger. Subject: Surprise Soap, best for washing clothes.

CONDITIONS—Each poem, essay, or advertisement must be accompanied by 25 Surprise Soap wrappers. Everyone sending in the 25 wrappers will receive a picture, and the best essay, poem, or advertisement will receive the money prizes in addition. Fizes will be awarded September 1st, 1898.

Send in at any time. It will be kept on file. Address THE ST. CROIX SOAP MFG. CO., St. Stephen, N.B.

London Camp.

Regulations Governing the Participating Regiments.

Tents and Quarters of the Different Battalions Staked Out and Prepared.

Every detail has been completed for the reception of the rural volunteer corps at the camp, and the place is already one of great activity. Lieut. - Col. Smith, D.O.C., has issued the following regulations that will govern all concerned:

THE DATLY ROUTINE. Reveille will sound at 5:30 a.m. Roll call and issue of rations at \$

Breakfast at 6:30 a.m.

Sick parade, 7:15 a.m. Morning parade from 7:30 a.m. to 8:45 Forenoon parade from 9:30 to 12

Dinner, 12:30 p.m. Afternoon parade, 2 to 4:30 p.m. Tea, 5:30 p.m.

Guard mounting and duties, 7:30 Retreat, 8 p.m.

First post, 9:30 p.m. Last post, 10 p.m. Lights out, 10:15 p.m.

A duty band will be fu aished by the battalion in rotation, coming on at guard mounting, and will be inspected by the band master. It will play at retreat and tattoo, and at reville next morning.

The camp limits are confined to the field in which the troops are camped. Until after the afternoon parade, no non-commissioned officer or man is to leave the camp without a pass signed commanding officer; nor shall without such pass, be absent from his regimental lines after "last post. Triess otherwise specially ordered. parades will be in drill order, with forage caps at the first, the helmets at the second and third parades. All ranks are strictly farbidden to wear plain clothes, either in camp or in London, without special permission from the officer commanding the camp.

The officer commanding the camp will be at the camp office, from 12 noon the 1 p.m. daily. Commanding officers and others desiring to see him on business, are expected to do so at that Adjutants must attend at the camp office, at 12:30 daily for brigade Ration requisitions must be sent

to the supply office not later than 10 a.m. of the day preceding that for which the supply is required. PITCHING TENTS.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon none of the regiments that will constitute the camp had arrived. The tents are being erected, and everything put in Kellert's lawyer will institute proceedments will be in and settled. The Twenty-sixth Battalion will be the first

DECORATING SIR JOHN'S MONU-MENT.

Toronto, June 7 .- A large crowd of citizens turned out to witness the de-coration of Sir John Macdonald's monument in Queen's Park yesterday afternoon. The band of the Fortyeighth Higlanders was in attendance, and the mayor and members of the city council were all present. Mr. Whitney, M.P.P., was the principal

Pain Around the Heart,

AND ALL OTHER SYMPTOMS OF HEART DISEASE ARE TOO DANGEROUS TO NEGLECT.

An ingersoil, Ont., Man tells how Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills Restored his Heart to Healthy Action.

SOMETIMES a pain catches you in the region of the heart, now and then your heart skips beats, palpitates, throbs, or beats with such rapidity and violence you think it will burst. Once and a while you have a dizzy or faint spell, feel weak, nervous, irritable and depressed. There is no other remedy will do you so much good, restore your heart to a natural condition, build up your strength and give you back vigor and vitality as Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. Here's what Mr. Hugh Moore, Ingersoll, Ont., says about them: "Last year I was sick with Malaria. Since then I have had serious heart trouble, such as sharp pains beneath the heart, violent palpitation, shortness of breath, smothering spells on going to bed, etc. My rest was broken and disturbed, and I often woke up gasping for breath, while my heart beat so violently as to make me fear sudden death.

"I heard that Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills were a good remedy for heart troubles and therefore got a box from Mr. G. A. Ionson's Drug Store, and to my surprise and delight obtained almost instant relief. My heart is now all right, the pain is gone, the heart best is natural, the shortness of breath has vanished, and I have had no attack of smothering since beginning their use. I now get unbroken, restful sleep, so that I am feeling strong and well. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills have wrought this gratifying change, and I heartily recommend

them to all sufferers." Price 50c. a box, or 8 for \$1.25, at all druggists. T. Milburn & Co., Toronto,

LAXA-LIVER PILLS are purely vegetable. Never gripe, sicken ner weaken. Cure Contipation, Billousness, Sick Headache and

Performances of a Lady From the Far East Who Is Skilled in Magic-

May be Seen at Oak Hall.

AMUSING MYSTERY.

Yesterday afternoon and evening large crowds gathered in front of the Oak Hall, Dundas street, and were delighted by a clever magician from the far east. The west window was converted into a temporary stage, where Miss Rheda, robed in the picturesque garb of the Orient, held sway, and performed, apparently by the aid of gess. ccult powers, some very mystifying ilusions. The lady, skilled in black art, one of the seventeen magicians emoloyed by the Hindoo Puzzle. Company, o introduce their vanishing handkerhief, a novelty which is immensely popular in the United States. The posbilities for fun-making with the puzzle are unlimited. Miss Rheda will be here until tomorrow evening, and no one should miss her entertaining performances, which commence in the afernoon at 2 o'clock and in the evening at 8. The puzzle can be purchased from the magician herself or from any clerk in Oak Hall.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

George B. Ramsay, a Selby farmer, who was injured by being struck with a plow handle, is dead.

Warm showers fell Sunday throughout Manitoba, and were extremely beneficial to the grain crops. Every listrict received a good soaking. Felix Gilmore, formerly of Hamilton, vas one of the three men drowned at | Passed the Third Reading With a Gov-Buffalo on Saturday while trying .to avoid being run down by a steamer. A special from Clarksville, Mo., says

Fred Mattes, aged 32, and Henry Meyers, aged 18, of Monroe, Mich., while out sailing, capsized, both being drowned. Both bodies were recovered. Mattes

leaves a widow. Mr. A. W. Wilkin, barrister, of Toronto, died on Friday at Barrie, where he had gone for his health. He was

45 years of age, and leaves a widow and two children. W. J. Hammond, one murderer under sentence of death, was removed from Bracebridge jail to the jail at

At the Victoria (B. C.) assizes, Martha Wolfe, the girl charged with the murder of Mrs. Marden by throwing a lighted lamp at her and igniting her elothing, was found guilty of manslaughter.

s a physical wreck in appearance.

Detective Kellert having been honorstealing a letter from Lieut. Carranza and Senor Du Bosc, Spanish officials, ing steamer and overturned their boat. ings to recover \$25,000 damages.

The corner-stone of the Toronto Bible Training School, on College street, was laid on Saturday by the Rev. Elmore Harris. The building is to cost about \$66,000, exclusive of site, and when finished will accommodate 500 pupils.

Leeman Slingerland fell into the reservoir at the H.,G. and B. power house at Stoney Creek on Sunday afternoon and was nearly drowned. Harry Springstead, who was near at the time, pushed a plank to him. Slingerland held on to it and was rescued.

A Chatham telegram says: An unknown three-masted schooner went ashore on Bearse's Shoal in the heavy ortheast storm on Saturday morning. tremendous sea was running when the vessel struck, and she was swept by the waves in a most dangerous

In the Orillia stabbing affray the ante-mortem statement of William Henry Ord (or Lawrence) was taken by Police Magistrate Lafferty. Joseph Ord. the accused, is an old man of 86. It appears there has been a good deal of quarreling between the accused and oung Ord, who is his stepson. Traffic was completely suspended on he Michigan Central at Wayne, Mich.,

on Saturday by one of the most serious vrecks seen in that locality for some ime. An axle on a freight train, which vas running at the rate of 30 miles an nour, broke, and fifteen cars were deailed, and with their contents were reduced almost to a junk pile. No one Advices received from Middawa, B , says the Boundary district has sufered from an unprecedented rainfall, and that this, coupled with the high

ne mountains to melt rapidly. In Kettle River the water already overtops the level of 1894, spoken of as the ear of the big floods, when the water Boundary Creek became a torrent.

emperature, has caused the snow on

SAVED BY A DOG.

Infant Sleeps on the Track and the

Animal Stops a Train. Indianapolis, Ind., June 7 .- The pasenger train on the Indianapolis and incennes road was nearing Edwards-

from the track. The little one had wandered away with the dog, and had

ep between the tracks.

Londoners

'Varsity

Successful Students at the Recent Examinations.

Degree of "B. A." Harned by Three Lon don Ladies-Success of W. E.

A. Slaght.

The examination returns at Toronto University have been made known, and several Londoners are among the successful students in arts. The many friends of Mr. W. E. A. Slaght, a former student of the London Collegiate Institute, will be pleased to learn that he captured the governor-general's medal in his examination for the degree of B.A. In all eight Londoners are entitled to be admitted to the degree of bachelor of arts, three of whom are ladies. Following is the

Senior matriculation.—Passed—H. W. S. C. Wells & Co., Le Roy, N. Y.; Davidson, J. E. Smallman (must pass supplemental examinations in Greek and . German) First year.-Fassed-P. A. Carson

and Miss Carrie Macdonald. Second year.-Passed-W. J. Dromgole, C. Garvey, J. H. R. Gillespie, R. S. Laidlaw, J. Little and W. R. Mere-Third year.-Passed-J. R. Bone, Miss E. J. Taylor and Miss G. O. Bur-Fourth year .- Passed and entitled to be admitted to the degree of bachelor of arts-R. W. Meredith, J. W. Lennox, Poor Girl Weds C. M. Carson, Miss A. J. C. Dawson,

B. Gahan, J. M. Gunn, Miss M. A.

Harvey, W. D. Love, Miss K. L. Mul-

lins and W. E. A. Slaght, J. W. Hobbs

must pass supplemental examinations

in French and astronomy. ALEX. ROBERTSON DEAD.

Was Manager of the B. N. A. at Brantford for 25 Years. [G. N. W. Special to Advertiser.] Brantford, June 7.-Mr. Alex. Robertson died last night. The deceased was for over 25 years manager of the Bank of British North America in this place. Four years ago he resigned, and he had since lived retired. He had been ll for some little time past, and was was thought to be improving, but the

FRANCHISE BILL IN SENATE.

change came last night.

ernment Amendment. Ottawa, June 7.—When the Franchise Bill came up for a third reading in the that two negroes have been lynched, senate yesterday, Mr. Mills moved an formed in all the really important subamendment empowering the governor-general in council to prepare a schedule men. She is the daughter of the late murder of City Marshal Walter Mel- general in council to prepare a schedule conformity with the act. The amendment was adopted, and the bill read a third time. A motion proposed by Senator Boulton declaring the amendments made to the bill ultra vires was formed in the same city. declared out of order by the speaker. The bill now goes to the commons, when the objectionable amendments will be thrown out.

FOUND DROWNED. Parry Sound, Ont., June 7.-The body of James Fox was found off Parry Barrie on Saturday. He eats well, but harbor dock, in seven feet of water. It is supposed the man fell off the dock in the dark and was unable to

THREE MEN DROWNED. Buffalo, N. Y., June 7 .- By the upsetting of a small boat in the harbor Saturday evening, Wm. A. Thomas, Joseph E. Talbot and Felix Gilmore ably discharged of the accusation of were drowned. The men were trying to get out of the way of an approach-

Steamship Arrivals

June 6.	At	From.
Lake Superior.	Livernool	Montage
Camornian	laverneol	Montneyl
Lake winning	g Cane Race	I irronnaal
Duchos Avread	n. Vontroal	Oleann
Oasmore	Wiontreal	f irramonal
Escalona	Newcastle	Belfast
Norwegian	Glasgow	Montreal
Southwark	Antwerp	
Werra	Gibraltar	New York
June 7.	At	Erom
Noordland	New York	From.
	IOIK	Antwerp

TOTAL BEREER BEREER BEREER BASE **E**Clears the **E**Complexion...

The daily use of Abbey's Effervescent Salt purifies the blood and clears the complexion. It cleanses the system. Its effect is imperceptible, but certain.

Abbey's Effervescent Salt is the most absolutely pure preparation in the world.

It is prepared from the Sepurest drugs, according to the requirements of the British Pharmacopæia.

Abbey's Effervescent Salt is an irreproachable and unapproachable medicine as compared to patent medicines. Its use in the Spring-time will do you more good than any other medicine you could take. The daily use of Abbey's Effervescent Salt will keep Vincennes road was nearing Edwardsport, when Engineer Dorsey saw a dog on the track acting in a strange mannear. The engineer shut off the steam, and as he drew nearer noticed the dog jumping up and down as it badly frightened.

Just beyond the animal the trainman saw an object lying between the tracks, and the train was brought to a standstill within a few feet of it. The object proved to be an infant, less than 2 years old, and as the engineer picked it up the dog barked and jumped upon him as though in an eestacy of joy.

The child was the daughter of a farmer living a few hundred yards from the track. The little one had wandered away with the dog, and had fallen asleep between the tracks.

Carelessness in Protecting Ourselves Against Changes of Climate.



and he will refund your money. Shilon's Cough Cure has been on the market in the States for nearly fifty years. It is sold under a guarantee, our motto being: "No cure der a guarantee, our motto being: "No cure der a guarantee our motto being: No pay." If you have a cough, try Shiloh's

DEAR SIE:—I am glad to testify to the value of your Shiloh Cough and Consumption Cure in all cases of throat and properties of the consumption of disease. From my personal knowledge, it is cific for coughs of every form and has saved many from consumption. Indeed, I believe it a sure cure for consumption in its first stages, and it has relieved many cases where the disease has been far advanced Buffalo, N. Y. A. E. SALTER, M. D.

A Groesus.

Moves From a Four Room Flat to Biltmore Barony.

New York, June 7.- In times of peace the marriage of Miss Edith Stuyvesant Dresser and Geo. W. Vanderbilt would have filled columns in the newspapers. There was such a fascination about it all. George W. Vanderbilt was regarded as a determined bachelor. The finest of the fine couldn't trap him. A poor girl was destined to win his heart, Miss Dresser will now move from three rooms and a kitchen to Biltmore barony, and will also be mistress of a Fifth avenue palace and of a superb cottage at Bar Harbor. Moreover, Geo. W. Vanderbilt is worth at least \$20,-000,000. And this girl is in every way fitted for the honor. She is 22 years old, and in her education all the skill of the French schools was brought to bear. The product is superfine. She is of oaths to be taken in elections, in Maj. Geo. W. Dresser, U. S. A., and a lineal descendent of Peter Stuyvesant. On Wednesday the civil marriage was accomplished at Paris, and next day the religious ceremony was per-

Piles! Piles! Itching Piles.

Symptoms: Moisture, intense fiching and stinging, mostly at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue, tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. Swayne's Ointment stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumors. All druggists, or by mail, 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia. Lyman Sons & Co., Montreal. wholesale agents,

Auction Sale of Bicycles On Saturday evening next Londoners will have an opportunity of purchasing a reliable bicycle such as they have never had before. The Griffiths Cycle Corporation (Limited), of London, England, announce that they have decided to close out their entire stock of high grade imported bicycles at public auction. These wheels enjoy an enviable reputation in Canada both for strength and easy running qualities, but owing to the heavy duty and freight rates on English bicycles, they cannot be sold at prices low enough to compete with the local made wheels. The Canadian manager of the Griffiths Corporation states that they are offering a lot of 100 wheels in London principally with a view of introducing the Griffiths wheels here, as they are satisfied that as soon as Londoners become familiar with the merits of these machines that a good local trade will result. Every wheel sold will be just as fully guaranteed as if it had peen sold for the full retail price, and they are all fitted with the well-known and reliable Dunlop tires-the best and most expensive tires to be had. With guarantee such as this, coming from so reliable a firm as the Griffiths Corporation, there should be lively bidding

for these wheels. 51u

Words of a Famous Artist. Mr. David Bispham, the famous who won much favor at the recent Mddle. Toronta concert in Mas-Canada during the late musical sea- store. son. The London warerooms of this firm are at 236 Dundas street.

The "life tree" of Jamaica grows and thrives for months after being uprooted and exposed to the sun. A DINNER PILL .- Many persons suffer excruciating agony after par-taking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken of is like a ball of lead upon he stomach, and instead of being a healthy nutriment, it becomes a poison to the system. Dr. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are wonderful correct tives of such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions and convey the food partaken of into healthy nutriment. They are just the medi-cine to take if troubled with indiges-

It is a curious fact that red-haired people are less apt to go bald than those with other colored hair. Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

In a cubic foot of phosphorescent sea water there have been found 25,000 living creatures.

Bowman's Fly Screens are made to last, and absolutely keep out flies. Other screens do not.

mower sharpened and repaired. Perry David, 569 Richmond street, is the man to do it. Drop him a card. yet

SILK BLOUSE FOR

25 Cents

ดลลลลลลลลลลลลลลล -if faded or soiled can be easily made to look as good as new and the latest shade by using

Maypole Soap.

A perfect Home Dye, made in England, dyes Silk, Cotton, or Wool, bright, brilliant, fast colors. Progressive Dealers sell it.

Canadian Depot: 8 Place Royale, Montreal.



GREAT-POPULAR OFFER! By virtue of the unprecedented purchase, in a single order, of one hundred thousand (160,000) copies of this acknowledged massier work of the Century. We are now enabled to offer it to the public at far less than the publishers prices. Thousands of persons, who heretofore have not felt able to purchase it, will eagerly welcome this opportunity to secure at reduced price "The Greatest Achievement of Modern Times."

THE FUNK & WAGNALLS

OF THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE



It is incomparably the greatest, as it is positively the letest, mest compared, and most authoritative, new dictionary in existence. It is everywhere the standard. existence. It is everywhere the standard.

ENTIRELY NEW .: .: It is not a reprint, rehash, or revision of any other work, but is fROM COVER TO COVER. the result of the steady labor for five years of over twelve score of the most eminent and authoritative scholars and specialists in the world. Nearly 100 of the leading universities, colleges, and scientific institutions of the world were represented on the editorial staff; 20 United States Government experts were also on the editorial staff. Over \$560,000 were actually expended in its production before a single complete copy was ready for the market. Never was any dictionary wescomed with such great outhusiasm the world over. As the St. James's Endget, Lendon, declares: "It is the admiration of Literary England... It should be the pride of Literary America." The highes praise has come freta all the great American and Endlah newspapers, reviews, universities, and colleges, as well as all classes of latelligent men and women everywhere.

The regular subscription price of the Standard Dictionary. Our Great Offer of 512 bound in full leather, is \$18. We will now supply the complete work in one rich, massive volume, clegantly bound in The Complete Work will steep, sent carriage prepaid to any address for the The Complete Work will steep, sent carriage prepaid to any address for the extra. Order from your bookseller, or from surprisingly low price of \$12. Patent Thumb Index, % cents extra. WARD & GOW (LINCOLN BUILDING) NEW YORKS

BOY SCALDED TO DEATH. Kingston, Ont., June 7.-A 2-year-old son of Wm. Kemp, Division street, Diarmid, secretary Baptist Foreign tumbled into a tub of boiling water Mission Society, has received a letter Saturday while playing about the Rev. A. B. Reekie, who was recently house, and was so terribly scalded sent out from this city by the Baptist

Papineauville, Que., June 7.-Alphonse Charlebois, aged 28, of Papineauville, was going home on foot on kept. Mr. Reekie's present habitation the C. P. R. track about 2 o'clock yes- is 13,000 feet above sea level. The terday morning, when a train from missionary says the prospects are that Montreal struck him, killing him instantly.

A Complete Hospital. That's what Merrill's System Tonic is. It is one of the most powerful blood sey Hall, Toronto, has said of the purifiers and the best bowel regulator Heintzman & Co. piano: "Your ad- known, besides being a muscular and mirable concert grand piano is one of the best instruments to sing to that can be found in this country." In this opinion Mr. Bispham stands in such Canada's largest drug stores, and is company as that of William Lavin, R. extremely pleasant to take. Price, 50 Watkin-Mills, Pol Plancon, and other cents for three weeks' treatment. Get elebrated artists who have visited a free pamphlet at W. T. Strong's drug

> Bowman's Window Screens are in the best houses in the city. Office, corner Bathurst and Clarence streets. ywt The Fly has come to the front. 34tf

> Thin in flesh? Perhapsit's

If perfectly well, this is probably the case. But many are suffering

from frequent colds, nervous debility, pallor, and a hundred aches and pains, simply because they are not fleshy enough.

Scott's Emulsion of Codliver Oil with Hypophosphites strengthens the digestion, gives new force to the Now is the time to have your lawn mower sharpened and repaired. Perry blood. It is a food in itself.

Mammoth Mills at Hull. Branches and agencies at Montreal, Toronto, Quebec, Hamilton, Ringston, St. John, Halifax, London, Winnipeg, Victoria. 50c. and \$1.00, all druggists.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Torente

LIVES 13,000 FEET ALOFT. Toronto, June 7 .- Rev. R. P. Mcthat in a few hours death relieved his Mission Society, to found a mission in Sufferings.

Bolivia. The letter reports the mission in Sufferings. sionary's safe arrival in the city of Oruro. The writer says that the city is the most filthy he ever visited, but he will meet with much success in the new field.

The Twentieth Century Enters upon the heritage of a remedy that is sure, safe and painless. Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor never fails, never causes pain nor the slightest discomfort.

2 Lots north part of city; a bargain 50 Acres near Springbank. 4 Lots London East; Cheap. Apply JAS. MILNE, BB Dundas St.

Don't Burn Your Rags

We use enormous quantities in our paper mills. Sell your rags to the nearest rag man. We buy them and make them into paper, which we sell throughout Canada.

Vancouver, St. Johns, Nfld.