Harwich Council. STUMACHS THAT

A special meeting of the township of Harwich was held in township hall, on Wednesday Oct. 30th, at 10 a. m. to consider tenders for the erecting of a bridge over McGregor's creek, known as Reynold's bridge, and other business, pursuant to in-

Members all present. The minutes of the meeting of Oct. 14th were read and signed by the Reeve. Communications were read as fol-

Treasurer of W. Kent Agricultural Society re grant to said society; Joseph Hockley re damage to fruit trees by contractors on the Union drain, laid over; Thrasher & Arnold in regard to W. Slann, an indigent.

Two tenders were received for the construction of Reynold's bridge, one from the Canada Supply Co., C Windsor, for the sum of \$1,849.00, the other from the Hamilton Bridge Co.

for the sum of \$2,300. Young-McCormick-That the tender of the Canada Supply Co. to build a new steel pile trestle bridge over McGregor's creek for the sum of \$1,849 be accepted, and that the clerk notify them accordingly .-

The report of W. G. McGrorge, C.

E., was read re the work on the Lockedrain, and his inspection there-The commissioner, J. McCormick, also reported the work completed to his satisfaction and recommended the

contractors to be paid in full for their work.—Report adopted.

Commissioner Buch nan also reported having interviewed G. Appleford, in connection with the ditching done on the Communication road, and that he was satisfied for the parties who had done the work to be paid. On motion of Morrison and

Young the report was adopted. I beg to report that in company with Commissioner Buchanan I have inspected a part of the Gore Line road, also a part of the Communication and Ridge road and approve of their being gravelled, also with Commissioner Morrison have inspected the Mull road from the L. E. & D.
R. railway to the M. C. railway,
and a portion of the 18 and 19 sideroad south of the Guilds which I approve of graveling. Submitted as per gravel fund resolution.

Jonathan McCully, Reeve. Report adopted on motion of

Morrison & Buchanan. The reeve also reported on having seen one Miller, who lives at M. J. Wilson's, and recommended the sum of \$10 being placed in the hands of the commissioner to purchase him some of the necessaries required, also for said Miller to be inspected by the physician of the County House of Refuge preparatory to his admission to the same. Adopted on motion of Morrison and Buchanan.

Morrison-Young-That the complaint of E. Ramsden, re the removing of sand, etc. from the lake shore be entertained, and that a public notice be placed at the corner forbidding any person excepting by per-mission of the commissioner, and that \$20 be granted for the purpose of making a groin to form a sand bar for the use of the groin to be constructed by the com

missioner and the reeve.-Carried McCormick - Buchanan - That while this council are very anxious, and fully intending to construct a highland safe turnpike on the Harwich and Howard townline in the ravine near Kent Bridge, yet owing to the obstruction of E. Langford, the commissioner is authorized to abandon any further improvement for the present, and that in conjunction with Howard we have the townline surveyed in the vicinity so as to obtain clay on the road for this purpose. A copy of this resolution to e sent to Howard.—Carried.

Buchanan—McCormick—That the grievance of C. Gerow be left in the hands of Mr. Morrison to attend to with power.—Carried.

Young — Morrison — That the treasurer accept the sum of \$5.25 handed in by Commissioner McCormick, being the amount received for refuse plank at Smyth and Reynold's bridges.-Carried.

Morrison-Buchanan-That John Palmer be exempted from statute labor for the year 1901 as he has done it in another division .- Carri-

The following accounts were paid on resolution:— Charles Sheldon, livery, \$2.25; Andrew Kennedy, ditching on Laird D. & W., \$3.; W. B. Garow, refreshments for council and committee of county council,

and committee of county council, \$3.25; West Kent Agricultural Society, grant for 1901, \$50.

The following resolution in connection with the one passed previously will govern all grants made to agricultural societies in future. Moved by Morrison-Buchanan. That the sum of \$50 be paid to the W. Kent Agricultural Society as per previous resolution, the conditions having been complied with. and rehaving been complied with, and resolved that in future all money granted by this council to agricul-tural societies must be paid for such prizes as the council shall approve of or designate, and further that it be paid to exhibitors who are ratepayers or residents of Harwich.—Carried.

H. Coleman, ditching and repairing bridge, \$5.60; Vester and Green wood, ditching on Communication road.

h. Coleman, ditching and reparting bridge, \$5.60; Vester and Greenwood, ditching on Communication road, \$75; R. Young, commissioner fees re Kent Bridge, \$25; T. Gammage, grading on road, \$21; J. Glendenning, repairing two bridges and sewer pipe, \$4.25; George M. Baird, services re sale of Locke drain, \$2; C. Slade, balance on contract of ditching Locke drain, \$53.10; D. Lamb, balance on contract of ditching Locke drain, \$163.90; O. B. Kersey, balance on contract of ditching Locke drain, \$26.10; N. Shea, balance on contract of ditching Locke drain, \$26.10; N. Shea, balance on contract of ditching Locke drain, \$25.10; N. Shea, balance on contract of ditching Locke drain, \$25; J. McCormick, Commission fees Locke drain, \$30; A. Riddle, on contract ditching Union drain, \$100.

The reports, plans and specifications of W. G. McGeorge, O. L. S., of the English drain cut-off drain, were

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cut-off drain be adopted and that the clerk serve the parties with a copy of the by-law and that the court of revision be held on the 25th of Nov., of the current year at 10 a.

Moved in amendment by Morrison -Buchanan that the report of the W. G. McGeorge on the English cutoff drain be laid over until next meeting. The amendment prevailed and was declared carried. The meeting adjourned until next regular meeting on Monday Nov.

GEORGE M. BAIRD.

Alive, Yet malf Dead,

Feeling miserable. This is the condition of thousands of growing girls and women, Can't eat enough to be truly alive. Digest so little of what hey do eat, as to scarcely know what life really means. Miserable? course. Eat more, digest more, then feel streaming through life's renewed current, the buoyancy, the strength the hopefulness of youth. Simply done if you'll just use Ferrozone, the wonderful blood maker, nerve strength and brain vigor. McCall & Co., druggists, know all about it. Call and ask them about it.

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A STORY TELLING CONTEST

ian With the Solemn Face Eastly Beat All the Others.

One evening at a well known hotel a number of traveling men were spanning parns, and the talk turned upon self sacrifice and the privations good friends had undergone to contribute to the world-iv success of an associate. One solemn faced man told the following.

"I had two schoolmates," he began.

"One of them was aspiring to be a law-yer and the other had aspirations for a high place in the medical profession. The college we attended was one at which the discipline was severe and the require-ments for graduation were exacting. Well, those two boys managed to worry along until the day of the final examination came. The young law student had per-fected himself in his studies and was likely to pass with high honors. The medical student, however, was in a far less enviable plight. He found that the examination would be for the most part apon the anatomy of the leg, and this was the one branch of the course he had neglected. He confided in his roommate and wailed out his sorrows.

"If I only had a leg to dissect,' said

he, 'I would pass that examination at the head of my class.'

"It was here that his roommate rose sublimely to the occasion. He rolled up his trousers and insisted that his friend amputate his leg at the knee. His medical substantial amounts of the law students. al friend demurred, but the law student insisted, and finally the amputation was performed and the medical student captured his diploma.

"Years afterward this same doctor was sitting in an office surrounded by all the evidence of a prosperous practice. The door opened and in came his old roommate at college. The greeting was, of course, affecting, and then the doctor inquired how the layyer was getting on in the world. The lawyer said he had been practicing several years in the petty affairs of the law and would rise to dis-tinction if he could secure a good case. 'I want a murder case,' said he; 'one that will attract special attention and in-volve some well known citizen.'
"The doctor excused himself and, pick-

ing up a heavy poker, left the room. He proceeded down stairs and killed his landlady, resorting to all the atrocities that ingenuity could devise to make his crime one that would create a sensation. He was successful. The papers teemed with the awful details of the deed and the tragic events of the trial. His friend, the one legged lawyer, defended him, and he was cleared. Both of these men occupy leading places in their professions today. If you don't believe this story, you can come up to my room and I will show you a picture of the school these two friends of mine attended."

Selling Your Diamonds. People who buy diamonds are apt to answer reflections upon their extrava-gance with the remark that diamonds are

a good investment and that they can always get their money back on them. This is plausible and partly true, but not entirely. The ring itself, though the design may be elaborate, as it sometimes is in men's rings, and of the finest and most artistic of workmanship, will seldom bring more than the worth of the gold unless old to an individual, and styles of setting change enough to make old fashions of

A woman in reduced circumstances recently sold a ring which cost at the time of its purchase \$150 for \$40. It is a cluster ring, with nine small diamonds sur rounding a larger one. The ring was appraised at a jeweler's, who set the present value upon it. It is a pretty ring with white stones and brilliant, but it is not worth a third of what it was forty years ago, when it came into the posses sion if its original owner. Dealers in stones say also that diamonds lose in weight perceptibly with wear, and for that reason become less valuable.

Got What He Deserved.

"You know Throggins? Smooth fellow Great jollier. Tries to keep on the good side of everybody. Well, he went to last Sunday morning and slept through the whole sermon. Then he had the gall to tell the Rev. Dr. Fourthly, after the congregation had been dismis ed, that he had never enjoyed a discourse so much in his life, and he would like to borrow the manuscript of it and take I home with him, so he could read it again during the day. What do you suppose the doctor did?" "I can't imagine."
"Well, sir, I think he'd seen Throggins

nodding and knew he hadn't heard a word. At any rate, he took Throggin by the arm, led him into his study, made him sit down and then he read every blessed line of that sermon over again to him before he would let him up. Oh, you don't get ahead of Dr. Fourthly-not much!"-Exchange.

A Legal Angel. Frances and Mabel had quite a discus sion recently. They are playmates and visit one another frequently. Frances' parent is an attorney, while Mabel's parent is a clergyman. In some manner the talk turned on angels, and the conversa-tion, which was overheard by Mabel's mother, was very profound.
"Is hevun full uv angels?" asked

"Yes, it's full uv 'em," replied Mabel. "Do you want to be an angel sum day?"
"Why, of course, an' I'm goin' to be too, coz my papa's a preacher, an' he'll

go to hevun sure."

"Well, you bet my papa'll go to hevun too, coz he's a lawyer."

Husband and Wife. Husband and wife are equal; the one not inferior to the other; the wife not a slave; not a housekeeper-but an equal; a companion. And just so far as a young man starts out with that idea fixed firmly in his mind—to make a companion, a com-rade, a chum of his wife—just so far does he start ent right.—Ladies' Home Jour-

Then Elder Sister Subsided. Elder Sister—Mr. Bilmore and you were in the parlor a long time last night, but I don't suppose you used much gas.
Younger Sister—The reason you didn't see any burning, Emily, was because Harold carelessly hung his hat on the

Many a man spends half his time an ticipating tomorrow and the other half in regretting yesterday.

Incredulity robs us of many pleasure and gives us nothing in return.—J. R. i

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Mrs. George Budden, Putnamville, Ont., says:—"I feel it my duty to recommend Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, as I had the Asthma very bad; could get nothing to do me any good. A friend of mine persuaded me to try this remedy, as he had tried it, and it proved successful. I tried it and it cured me. I am thankful to-day to say I am a well woman through the use of this remewoman through the use of this remedy. I keep it in the house all the time and would not be without it."

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PUNISHMENT FOR CRIME.

of the Barbarous Laws That Used to Be Enforced.

Sir Samuel Romilly was the first who endeavored to soften the rigor of the criminal law. In 1808 he passed a bill repealing the statute of Elizabeth, which made larceny punishable by death, and three or four years later he carried other bills of a similar nature. Indeed, it is chiefly owing to his efforts that our criminal system is indebted for its present characteristics of humanity.

One or two of the former punishments are so curious that it may be interesting to notice them. In the time of Henry VIII, poisoning was made treason, and the punishment was to be boiled alive, which was carried out in the case of John Rous, who threw poison into a pot of broth prepared for the bishop of Rochester's family. This, in common with many more of Henry VIII.'s barbarous laws, was repealed by Edward VI. The law of retaliation was introduced by statute 37, Edward III., as a punishment for those who preferred malicious accusations. It did not answer, however, and was repealed after one year's. Crimes of an unnatural nature, such as a wife killing her husband, a servant his master, an ecclesiastic his superior, were held petit treason, and a man was drawn and hanged and a woman drawn and

We see something of a similar nature in the ancient Roman law that enacted that the murderer of a parent should be scourged and then tied up in a leather sack with a dog, cock, viper and ape and thea thrown into the sea. Publicus Malleolus, who killed his mother, was the first who suffered this punishment in the

year of Rome 652. But this punishment has existed in modern Europe. Thus, in Spain, at Jaen, on March 1, 1832, a man, for murdering his daughter-in-law, after being placed in a barrel with a cock, a snake, a monkey and a toad, was thrown into the

Another common punishment, now long obsolete, was disfigurement, as every one acquainted with the records of the star chamber knows. Ears and noses were most frequently cut off, the excuse being that the loss of them does not tend to weaken the culprit, whereas the loss of an arm or finger does. Early law always advocated member for member, forgetting that on a repetition of the offense the punishment cannot be repeated.

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eating eggs. Introduce new blood into the poultry yard by buying some good, vigorous males. Some pure bred fowls might be

purchased also. One of the little leaks is in keeping surplus males. Sell off every one not needed as soon as they can be put into marketable condition Geese cost very little if allowed the

liberty of the fields, with access to a pond or stream. The best breed for feathers is the Embden, being entirely The size of the yards depends somewhat upon the breed and also upon the manner in which the flock is managed. Generally the larger the yard the bette

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