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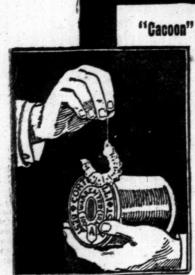
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Tenders to be marked, "Tenders for pesidence of Mr. Mindorf," and left at the office of the architects. the office of the architects.

Lowest or any tendets not neces-

JAMES L. WILSON & SON Architects, Chatham, Ont.

TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed bulk and separate tenders will be received for all trades required in the eraction of the new School at Plenheim, up till 7 o'clock, ga m., Saturday, September 15th, 1900, addressed to J. H. Ferguson, Esq., shairman Public School Trustees, Renheim, Ont., in care of Geo. J. Gibb, Msq. Secretary, at whose office the glans and specifications are kept.

Chatham. Lowest or any tenders not neceswarily accepted, JOHN H. FERGUSON, ESQ,

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Chatham, Ont., Sept. 7, 1900.

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WHAT CHING SAYS

He is Thankful the Sacred City Has Been Saved

But Thinks the Foreign Troops Were Unnecessarily Oruel in Burning Private Property.

Pekin, Sept. 5, via Shanghai, Sept. 15.—Prince Ching arrived yesterday, accompanied by an escort of British and Japanese cavalry. He spent the night in his own palace. Sharp dip-lomatic play is expected, but any definite negotiations will probably not take place until Li Hung Chang ar-rives, and the question of his author-ity is disposed of: The Japanese minter to China, "Baron Nishii, says vishes an investigation to be made of Hung Chang's credentials, as he believes Prince Ching is the only man

believes Prince Ching is the only man with authority in the premises.

A reporter saw Prince Ching to-day, thanks to the courtesy of the Japanese guards. The Prince said he trusted that in the immediate future everything would be settled satisfactorily. He thought the treatment of Pekin unne essarily cruel, and that this was e pedaly true regarding private property. He was thankful, however, that the Sacred City had been preserved He had come to Pekin, he said, wit full authority from the emperor t full authority from the emperor to obatin peace by any necessary sacri-fice, but he felt sure the generosity of the powers would not exact anything degrading to the dignity of China or encroaching on Chinese territory, and he hoped within a month to see the harvest gathered and homes being re-

Prince Ching thinks a great blow has been given to Chinese commerce but does not believe the loss to the city is irreparable, for a more magnificent one may arise from the ashes.

The Russians expect Li Hung Chang to arrive here within a few days. They do not want to commit themselves in any way until he comes, though they say they are willing to hear what Prince Ching has to say.

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Lord Roberts is Making a Concentric Movement

Will Result in Either the Cap ture of All the Boers or Their Flight Into Portuguese Terri ory.

London, Sept. 14.—News from the seat war in South Africa is indecisive, but it lear that Roherts is making a concentric movement on Komatipoort, and has left Pretoria to direct it personally. Ian Hamilton is returning to the railway from Lydenburg. Pole-Carew is pushing towards Nelspruit; French is making for Barberton and Buller has divided Botha's forces and cut off a portion of them from communication with the commandos between Nelspruit and Komatipoort. Lydenburg, apparently, was abardoned as soon as it was captured, and the British forces are in hot pursuit of the remnant of the Boer army and driving it eastward to the Portuguese nd driving it eastward to the Portugues

These tactics are bold, but in accord with Robert's strategy since February. Komatipoort is the new objective point, and when t is captured Roberts will be credited with as was done when Bloemfontein and Pre-

as was done when Bloemfontein and Pretoria were occupied.

The Mail's correspondent in Lorenzo Marquez learns that Kruger has resigned the presidency of the Transvaal, but remains a member of the executive. Gen Botha is said to have been so incensed at the cowardly conduct of his forces that he has resigned the supreme command, and Viljoen is now commandant general.

According to a Lisbon message to the Express Kruger proposes to set up the seat of his government at Mozambique.

DOM PAUL'S GAM

Of Using Lorenzo Marques For a Base of Operations

Has Been Stopped by the Portuguese Authorities-He Is Virtually a Prisoner.

London, Sept. 15.—According to the Lorenzo Marques correspondent of the Daily Telegraph Mr. Kruger is virtually a prisoner in the residence of the District Governor. This is at the instance of the British Consul, who protested against Mr. Kauger using Portuguese territory as a base for directing his executive. The French consul has been forbidden access to Mr. Kruger, as have also the latter's own of ficials. The District Governor has notified Herr Pott, the Netherlands consul, that he (Pott), who has acted as the Boer consular (Pott), who has acted as the Boer consular agent at Lorenzo Marbues, can no longer be recognized as a representative of the Transvaal, which is now British territory. "I have had an interview with the American attache, who is homeward bound," says the correspondent, "and he is of the opinion that hostilities may drag on for a considerable time as the Boers, in their despair, threaten to fight to the death. Acting President Schalk-Burger arrived here to-day (Friday) to confer with Mr. Kruger, but he was not permitted to see him and he rewas not permitted to see him and turned immediately to the Transvaal.

SUNDAY SERVICES

Hours of Service. First Presbyterian-11 a.m.; 7 p.m Christ Church-11 a.m.; 7 p.m. St. Andrew's-11 a.m.; 7 p.m. St. Joseph's, R. C. –8.30, 10.30, 7.30. Victoria Ave. Methodist—11 and 7. William St. Baptist—11 a.m.; 7 p.m. Park St. Methodist—11 a.m.; 7 p.m. Seventh Day Adventists—3 and 7. Latter Day Saints—7 p.m. Campbell A.M.E.—11 a.m.; 7.25 p.m. First Baptist—11 a.m.; 7.30 p.m.

Church Notes.

Rev. Arthur Morton, of Fairville, N B., will occupy the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church on both occasions

o-morrow. Rev. Provost Watkins, of the Western University, London, and Principal of Huron Divinity School, will officiate on both occasions in Christ Church

Christ Church Sunday School will neet at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. hoped that all the officers and teachers will try to be present. The pastor, Rev. Dr. Hannon, will occupy the pulpit of the Park Street Methodist Church on both occasions

to-morrow. The pastor, Rev. J. J. Ross, will teach his Bible class and preach in-the William St. Baptist Church both morning and evening to-morrow. Rev. Mr. Osterhout will preach both morning and evening in Victoria Ave. Methodist Church to-morrow. Rev.

Mr. Locke will preach anniversary sermons for Rev. Mr. Osterhout. Dr. Bait sby will preach in the morning on "The Friends of Christ," and in the evening on "The Beauty of the Lord." Week meetings as usual.

On Monday evening in St. Andrew's Church Rev. Dr. Paton, of the New Hebrides, will give an address on his life work there. All lovers of mission work are cordially invited to attend. A collection will be taken up. Divine service will be held in the Latter Day Saints' Hall, King St. *t 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. to-morrow.

There will be services held in the Union Baptist Hall, Fifth St. Bridge,

to-morrow morning at 10.30 and in the evening at 7.30. All are welcome. Sabbath school at 3 p. m. Holy Trinity Sunday school will to-morrow at three o'clock in the afternoon.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Lorain, Ohio, Sept. 15.—Carmelo Di Vencinzo, an Italian, to day shot Josephine Pryvenzo, 18 years old, and then fired two bullets into his own temple. In order to make his own death certain Di Vencinzo, after shooting himself, plunged a dirk into his throat. He died almost immediately. The girl cannot recover. Miss Pryvenzo's refusal to marry Di Vencinzo led to the



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at 3.30 p. m. Our annual Fair this year is to be held on Oct. 9, 10 and 11. Use all your influence to make it a success. Miss Millie Dingman, who has been visiting with her brother, Chas. Ding-man, returned home to-day.

Father Francis Solanus will officiate at the 48 hours' devotion at St. Fran-cis Roman Catholic Church, Tilbury. O'Keefe & Drew are paying \$5.35 to \$5.50 per cwt., for live hogs. They report the market steady just now.

Don't buy Outing Hats until you see Thibodeau & Jacques' fall lines —in stock now. Regular opening later in the month.

The programme of the Trials of Speed to be held at the Peninsular Fair, on Oct. 9, 10 and 11, appears in to-day's issue.

Wanted—Good girl for general house work, one from country preferred, good wages Apply to Mrs. A. D. Westman. 2t. Miss Bunn, Dressmaker, has returned to Chatham, after taking a course in the New York Cutting School for Tailoring and Fancy Dressmaking.
Apprentices wanted. Everything points to a successful

Fair this year. The prizes are all guaranteed by subscription and more entries are being made than ever be-Men Wanted-Fifteen able bodied men at once, \$1.56 per day. Apply to Lynch & Lynch, contractors, King

street pavement. Miss Jennie Ritchie and Miss Mayme Barcley, Murray street, have returned home from a visit to friends in London. Experienced waist makers and coat

makers wanted. Apply to Madame Skirving, at Thos. Stone & Son's dress making department. George Westmore, who has been visiting

his parents for the past two weeks, leaves for Brantford to day where he will resume Miss Lizzie Pink, who has been living

this city for the past two years, leaves for London to day where she will reside perman

ently. Lost-On a Saturday about a month age a pair of bright frame glasses in a short case, nearly new. A liberal reward will be given by returning them to this office

Social evening at the Epworth League of the Park Street Methodist Church Monday evening Special invitation is extended to all students in the city.

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GALVESTON

Now Said to Exceed Five Thousand in Number.

Hundreds of Them Buried With out any Attempt at Identification

Houston, Texas, Sept. 15.—The Post to-day prints a list of 2,701 names of the Galveston dead, compiled from various sources, and believed to be authentic. There were hundreds of bodies burned, buried at sea and in which no identification. the sand, of which no identification was possible. There were other hundreds buried on the beach of the main-land. There are many bodies still in the ruins of Galveston and scat-tered along the beach of the main-land and in the marshes where they were thrown by the water. Some of these bodies have been sent twenty miles inland along small water courses, by the rush of hig waters. Taking all things i nto consideration, there seems no longer any doubt that the number of dead will reach beyond the estimate of 5,000 by Mayor Jones and other religible citizens of Galvesand other reliable citizens of Galveston. About 1,300 people arrived here from Galveston last night. Four buildings have been set apart for the benefit of refugees, but of the 3,500 who have reached here so far not more than 800 remain in the public charge, the remainder having gone to the homes of relatives and friends. The Western Union, and the Postal Company expect to have a direct

communication with Galveston in few days. WHISKEY MEDICINES.

The temperance press is emphasizing the danger to the home in the use of "medicines" which are loaded with whiskey or alcohol. In this respect, as well as in the remarkable charac-ter of their cures, Dr. Pierce's medicines differ from other preparations. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and "Favorite Prescription" contain no alcohol, whiskey or other intoxi-cant, and are equally free from opi-um, cocaine and other narcotics. Evum, cocaine and other narcotics. Every family should have a copy of the People's Common Sense Medical Ad-People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, sent absolutely free, on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing and customs. Send 31 one-cent stamps for the book in paper sovers, or 50 stamps for cloth binding. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

THEY MAY COME HOM

Canadians Will be Allowed to Quit South Africa on Cct. 15.

Ottawa, September 15.-Hon. Jos Chamberlain cabled to-day that all Canadians who did not wish to remain in service after Octobar 15, would be sent home by special transport, if there were many, and if not, then by transport to England with invalids.

HIGHLY SPOKEN OF. The Saginaw Evening News of Sept 6 says regarding next Tuesday's at-traction of the Grand Opera House "Fitz & Webster's farce comedy, "A Breezy Time," at the Academy last evening was a thoroughly enjoyable entertainment and deserved a much larger audience. While none of the larger audience. White none of the cast were slow it was so warm that they could not create sufficient "breeze" to prevent the audience from sweltering. The entertainment, how ever, was lively all the way through and filled with amusing situations and good diversing and specialities. The cast good jokes and specialties. The cast tumes are natty and new. 'A Breezy Time' will be repeated this evening. The specialties will be new and there should be a crowded house."

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NOTILE TO CKEDITORS.

In the Matter of Daniel Gorrie, of the City of Chatham in the County of Kent and Province of Ontario, Baker and Confectioner.

tario, Baker and Confectioner.

Notice is hereby given that Daniel Gorrie, of the City of Chatham, in the County of Kent aforesaid, carrying on business thereat as baker and confectioner, has made an assignment under R. S. O., 1897, chapter 147, and the amending acts of all his estate, credits and effects, to George W. Sulman, of the said City of Chatham, merchant, for the general benefit of his creditors. A meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of W. E. McKeough, Solicitor, in the said City of Chatham, on Monday, Sept. 24th, 1900, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to receive a statement of afnoon, to receive a statement of af-fairs, to appoint inspectors and fix their remuneration and for the ordering of the affairs of the estate gen-

All creditors of the said estate are hereby required to file their claims with the assignee, with the proofs and particulars thereof as required by the said act, on or before the date of such

meeting. And notice is hereby further given that after the 30th day of October, the assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the debtor amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been given, and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims he shall not then have notice.

G. W. SULMAN,

Assignee, Chatham, Ont. Dated the 15th September, 1900.

Under and by virtue of the Powers of Sale in the last Will and Testament of John Henry Brown, late of the Township of Chatham, in the County of Kent, Farmer, now deceased, whereof Letters of Administration with the
Will annexed have been granted by
the Surrogate Court of the County of
Kent to the Vendor, which will be pro-Kent to the Vendor, which will be produced at the time and place of sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction on Saturday, September 22nd, 1900, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, at the Grand Central Hotel, in the City of Chatham, in the County of Kent, by Archibald B. McCoig, Esq., Auctioneer, the following freehold property, that is to say:

All and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of Chatham, in the County of Kent, containing twenty-five acres, more or

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