Young Fred Buchanan Was the Hero—The Passing of a Pioneer.

SARNIA REPRESENTATIVE-Mr. Geo. H. Hughson, 111 Charlotte street. Tele-phone 24B.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Sarnia, April 29.-The death occur red here yesterday of one of Sarnia's oldest residents, James Yeates, sen., who passed peacefully away at his ago, and at one time conducted brick yard on Christina street. After living here five years he moved to farming for fourteen years, moving thence to Sarnia Township, on the large farm where he died. He is survived 000 offered by Dr. Clifton Hodge, of also two daughters, Mrs. Rose, of Sarnia, and Mrs. Parker, of Corunna, The funeral will be held from his late residence on Saturday afternoon to Blackwell Cemetery. Services at the

house at 1:30. A drainage demonstration under the auspices of the O. A. C., Guelph, will be given on the farm of J. W. Mc- prizes with difficulty. Donald, lots 10 and 11, concession 6, Moore Township, on Thursday, May 5, commencing at 10 a.m.

Big Lumber Piles. The management of the Cleveland-Sarnia Sawmills Company have extensive plains underway for the removal of the largest piles of lumber which are stored along their wharves here. It is the intention of the company to ship this lumber to Cleveland, whence it will be distributed throughout the different states. There enough lumber at the yards here to send at least a cargo a day through-

The Mission Band of the Central Baptist Church will give a cantata in the auditorium this evening.

Heroic Rescue, A drowning accident was narrowly averted here shortly before 6 o'clock year: Hon, president, Rev. J. Mahon; last evening. The little 10-year-old president, Mrs. W. R. Westlake; first son of Dr. A. E. Mullin, and a boy vice-president, Homer Knapton; sec-named Fred. Buchanan, were playing ond vice-president, Miss M. Hawkins; in a gas buoy, which had been placed third vice-president, Mrs. Taylor; in the river just in front of the wat- fourth vice-president, Miss Elliott; erworks dock, when the Mullin boy treasurer, Miss Kestle; recording secfell in the water, and had gone down retary, Herman Fortner; correspondtwice when his companion, Buchanan, jumped in and swam after Young Mul- ist, Mrs. Taylor; assistant organist, lin, who was being carried away by the current. Buchanan made a heroic rescue, and despite the fact that Mullin, who had hold of his neck, was choking him, he held on and brought the boy close to shore, and both were hauled out of the water by William Siphers. The two lads were taken to the waterworks building close by, and after having their clothes dried, were able to proceed home.

STONE TOWN NEWS

Funeral of an Esteemed Pioneer — Big Goose-Egg-Smooth "Specialist."

[Special to The Advertiser.] St. Marys, April 29.—The funeral of the late Alexander Sinclair took place yesterday from the residence of his son, Mr. T. L. Sinclair, Wellington street south. It was largely attended, and many floral tributes covered the Howden sails from New York on May casket. The local court of Independ- 4, by the steamer Carmania of the ent Order of Foresters, of which de- Cunard Line. ceased was a member, attended in a body. Bishop R. C. Evans, of the Latter Day Saints, conducted a very impressive funeral service at the house and also officiated at the grave. Charles Whitworth, janitor of the Traders' Bank, has bought the house

and lot at the corner of Elgin and John streets, from his brother, Mr. H. Whitworth, and moved into

The Thames Quarry Company has had an electric motor pump at work for the past few days and nights, pumping out the water from the old Elliott quarry. When it is dry, the company will again work the

W. H. Judd, Water street south, is the possessor of an unusually large goose-egg. Its dimensions are long, with a circumference of

A lady hair specialist canvasser was here the first part of last week, and called on many householders and merchants, with her hair remedies. Hay-scholars of the Methodist ing become acquainted with the names of a number of ladies in town, she went to several stores, and made purchases from about \$4 to \$6 at each shop, and by making use of these ladies' names as references, and paying a small sum on each purchase, she secured credit for the balance, to be paid last Saturday night. But this yet returned with that "Ready" but she "May" be looked after suddenly If that will "Macka(n)y" difference to week. those who are out the price of the

SALMONVILLE NEWS. Salmonville, April 29.-Miss Hannah Jolly, of London.

Mr. Edward Guest has been pruning his orchard, which has made quite en improvement.

Mr. Robert McGuffin is very busy getting material ready for his barn. Mr. William Salmon has rented his

house in Thorndale, and is staying with his nephew on the farm.

LOBO NEWS. [Special to The Advertiser.]

Lobo, April 29.-Mr. Walter Campbell and Mr. Nevile Challoner, of Lobo, have gone to Detroit, where they intend buying an auto. They both intend going into the auto business upon their return. Mr. Duncan Carmichael,

village, is very ill at his nephew's, Mr. Archie Campbell, Caradoc. Mr. J. D. Sinclair has bought a new gasoline engine, and is using it for

plowing his farm. A beautiful fur was lost recently on the Sarnia gravel road; the person ing it will be rewarded by returning it to the corner of concession Nairn road.

Mr. H. Brook has moved into the Temperance House in Lobo Village. He intends running an ice cream parin the warm weather, comp

May 1. There will be the usual services in the First Lobo Church Sunday morning and evening.

RIDGETOWN.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Ridgetown, April 30.—Ridgetown
will celebrate May 24 in right royal style. There will be a full list of athletic and other sports in the forenoon. and horse races in the afternoon at the fair grounds, then a grand concert will

The R. C. I. football team visited Chatham on Friday for a game with the Collegiate of that place. They were surprised to find that a picked to give them battle. While the Chatham boys were much larger than the they were kept busy defending their own goal.

Mr. W. B. Tinline, a progressive home, lot 26, concession 9, Sarnia Oxford farmer, who was an interested Township. Deceased, who was in his spectator at the Howard spring fair, was in the village on Tuesday attendwas standing close to the animals be- ing the funeral of his uncle. Township. Deceased, who was in was standing close to the animals of the standing shown, when a horse owned by ago, and at one time conducted a Mr. Stanton, of Thamesville, kicked Mr. Stanton, of Thamesville, kicked After Mr. Stanton, of Tha Moore Township, where he followed three ribs and injuring him inter-

by his widow and six sons, Albert, of Port Huron. James, at home; William and Martin, of Alberta; C. L. Yeates, Tr. Spence, a farmer in Harwich Township. Mr. Spence is thoroughly reands of wild pigeons

> Howard spring fair was held here cessful show. Many fine animals were larger than expected under the preshown, and so evenly were they vailing conditions, matched that the judges awarded the At 3 o'clock sha

Kent Liberal Association for the On-tario House was held in the town hall Monday afternoon, and much en- whole affair was conducted by the able thusiasm prevailed. New officers were president A. P. McDougald was the elected as follows: President, Angus subject of general commendation. It is Gillanders; vice-president, H. D. the intention of committee to have Reynolds; secretary, O. K. Watson. A an annual exhibition here and next resolution was passed indorsing the year an effort will be made to excel policy of Hon. A. G. MacKay and the this year's display. As Melbourne is Liberal party of Ontario.

parents here. ARVA.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Arva, April 30.—The Epworth League held its annual meeting on Thursday evening, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing

ing secretay, W. C. Westlake; organ-Miss Elliott. The reports from the retiring officers showed that interest was being kept up in all the depart-

Mr. J. C. Elliott has gone to Northwest to visit friends. Miss Brown, of Brown's Corners. spent Sunday with friends here. Quarterly services will be held in the Methodist Church on Sunday next Rev. Mr. Dewey will preach at 2:30

WATFORD.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Watford, April 30 .- Gordon Abbott, Detroit, was at home for a few days this week. W. J. Doan was in Toronto on bus-

iness this week. Miss Essa Howden, London, visited relatives in town on Wednesday, prior to leaving for a trip to Ireland. Miss

Rev. C. A. Parsons, having accepted a call to another field of labor, will preach his farewell sermon in the Watford Baptist Church on Sunday evening, May 8.

The lumber and coal business here tofore conducted under the name M. A. Lawrence, has been sold to Mr. Geo. Chambers, possession to be given it this Oct. 1. Mrs. H. E. Bradley, Toronto, is

guest of her brother, H. A. Cook. Mr. A. E. Anderson, formerly of this town, has taken a position as coatment Arthur Brown has accepted a posi-

tion in the advertising department of the Montreal Herald. Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Fawcett and son, of London, and Dr. W. C. Faw-

cett, of Starkweather, Dakota, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Thompson, this week. The entertainment in the Lyceum on Monday evening given

school and their friends, under the direction of Miss A. L. Doty, was a decided success in every way. The proceeds amounted to about \$75. Mrs. Wm. McLeay is the guest her sister, Mrs. J. Thomas, Inwood. P. J. Dodds visited relatives in

Evert. Mich., this week Mr. Alex. McQuillen, Yokohama, is charming, well-dressed lady has not visiting friends in Watford and vicin-

Mr. J. M. Robinson was here this

DOINGS IN DELAWARE

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Delaware, April 30,—Mrs. Montgomery had the misfortune to trip on Salmon has returned home after a the fold of a carpet when crossing a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Fred room in her home and in putting out her hand to break the fall she sustained a bad fracture of the wrist. Dr. Morris was called in and reduced the

fracture, and she is now doing fairly well. A quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Williams at high noon on Saturday, when their daughter, Rose, was united in marriage to Mr. Wm. V. Jones. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. John Fisher, of Lambeth. only the members of the family being present. After the ceremony the bride and groom took the train at Komoka for points east. On their return Mr. and

Mrs. Jones will set up housekeeping on York street in the village. Miss Grace Williams, of Hamilton. spent a few days at her home here n the occasion of the wedding of her sister Rose. Mr. D. W. Williams, who is stationed on a Methodist Church circuit in Essex County, was also home for a few days the fore part of

the week. Miss Annie McFee, of London, is a visitor at present at the Williams

The remains of the late John Vail, of Reese, Mich., were brought here to the home of his sister, Mrs. Albee, on Monday evening, and were interred in the family plot in Riverview Cemetery in Tuesday afternoon.
The services were conducted by Rev.
John Veal, of Dorchester, assisted by

Rev. F. A. Nichol, of St. Andrew's Church, here. Mr. Vail for many years was a highly esteemed residen of the village and vicinity. He was engaged in the grocery business for a number of years, after which he retired to a small farm near the village. After disposing of his property here he went to a farm near Newbury where he lived for a few years, and then, with his son Albert, as a partner, they opened a general store in Newbury. A few years ago he sold out his interest in the business to his son and had since been living retired. For the past two years he had been living with a married daughter at Reese, Mich. Mr. Vail was in his 82nd team of the city had been gathered year, and is survived by four sons and two daughters. Mrs. Vail predeceased him several years ago. The sons are visitors they found the players from Charles, station agent, at Watford; the Ridge made of the pure stuff and Albert in business in Edmonton, Alta. were unable to score on them; in fact, and John and George, farming in they were kept busy defending their Saskatchewan. The daughters are, Mrs. Geo. Andrews and Miss Millie, of Reese, Mich. .

Mr. W. A. Vail, of Marlette, Mich.

Was a Decided Success in Spite of Unfavorable Weather. [Special to The Advertiser.]

AT MELBOURNE

Melbourne, April 30. - The horse show held at Melbourne on Tuesday. ship. Mr. Spence is thoroughly re- April 26, was a decided success in spite liable, and has seen in his time thous- of the unfavorable weather, and although a number of the horses entered were consequently left at home. The on Saturday and proved a very suc- attendance of visitors was also much

At 3 o'clock sharp a procession was formed, headed by the Melbourne The annual meeting of the East Brass Band, which marched through a great centre of the horse industry in Mr. C. G. Locke, barrister, of Luck- the western district such an exhibition now, is spending a few days with his should be well patronized. The following horses were on exhibition: Clydes-Prince of Walton, owned by Trott & Faulds, Muncey; Sir Collin,

owned by David Hardy, Mayfair. Percherons-Villeroy, John Broddie Burwell postoffice; Bath, James Showers, Melbourne: Young Landsdowne, George Jeffery, North Ekfrid. Hackneys-Jubilee Chief, Dan Mc-

Intyre, Appin. Roadster-Harold O., Wm. Lockwood, Melbourne; Paddy R., James Showers, Melbourne.

> PETROLEA. [Special to The Advertiser.]

Petrolea, April 29. — The name of and consor Mr. George V. Wyant, the clerk of Ennora, 6:40. niskillen, is prominently mentioned as stated, is leaving for Vancouver.

M. Vanvalkenburg, James Peat & Sons, and Dr. Drummond.

A movement to raise the amount of Sabin, meeting.

The residents of Main street west, tioned the council for a pavement, to extend to the town limits. This is the Harry Coulby, 9; S. N. Parent, 9:40; and a good pavement would complete its attractiveness.

LYONS.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Lyons, April 30.—The Epworth Leaguers, of Lyons, are making big 10:35 Thursday p.m.; L. C. preparations for their banquet to be held in the town hall on the evening of May 4. About 150 invitations have been sent out. The Twentieth Century Orchestra, of Springfield, will be present, and solos will be sung by H. F. Kennedy, Mrs. George, Demery and Clayton Simpson. A duet will be Gen. O. M. Poe Robert Holland, Carigiven by Revs. A. N. Hine, of Lonbou, Exile, 5:40; Superior City, Fairdon Junction, and Rev. H. F. Kennedy, of Lyons. The toast list will include the following:

"Our Guests," proposed (Rev.) H. F. Kennedy, responded to by Rev. C. C. Kaine, of Brownsville. "What Help the League Expects From the Pastor," Orvis Babcock. "What Help the Pastor Expects From the League," Rev. J. A. McKelvey, S. F. L., of Luton.

"Our Ladies," proposed by Rev. A W. Hone, responded to by Mrs. Wm. Boves.

"Our Missionary Society," proposed by Mr. William Chambers, responded to by Rev. R. W. Knowles, M.A., B.D., of Avon.

"Our Young Men," proposed by Mr J. C. Blake, responded to by Rev. A. M. Stewart, of Orwell. "Our Sovereign King Edward VII.," proposed by Mr. Wilson McCready, responded to by singing the National An-

Miss Eva Noble left on Tuesday for Glencoe to visit friends there. Misses Laura Yorke and Maude Law of Harrietsville, spent Sunday at Ayl-

Port Huron, Mich., April 29. - The McMorran Wrecking Company steamer Mary Graw arrived here with the sandsucker Reliance, which turned turtle last fall on Lake St. Clair. The Reliance was placed in the Wolverine drydock, where she will given a complete rebuilding.

Vessel Passages.

Detroit, April 29. - Up: Muncy, 10 Thursday p.m.; Edward Smith, barges, 10:30; W. J. Carter, 11:30; Dunham, 12:30 Friday a.m.; Alpena, 2:30; Hines, and barges, 3:30; Peck, 4:30; A. E. Ames, 5; Colgate, Marcia, 5:20; Sheadle, 11:20; Elphicke, Tyrone Mount Clemens, noon; Utica Scott 3 p.m.; City of Paris, 5; Haddington, ar-

Down: Coralia, midnight, Thursday Gates, 3 Friday a.m.; Lehigh, 3:15 Andaste, 3:30; Simla, 4:15; Ball Bros son, 5:30; Morgan,6:20 North Queen, 7:30; Manchester, 9:30 Wade, Anna Minch, 10; Dunelm, 10:15; ila, 12:30 p.m.; Niko, Peterso Tilden, 2; Iroquois, 3; Superior, 4:15; Mount Stephen, 4:40; Schiller, 6:40; Peter White, 6:50; Mohawk, 7:30. Sarnia, April 29. - Up: Zimmerman,



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9 Thursday night; Wickes, 9:20; Mataafa, 11:30; Susquehanna, midnight; Parnell, 12:40 Friday a.m.; Turret Court, 12:50; Ireland, 3:40; Dan Hanna, Gratwick, big, 4; Muncy, 4:30; Martin Mullen, 4:30; Carter, 7; Dunham, 7:40: Edward Smith and consort,

Hines and consorts, 3:30 p.m.; Colgate of and consorts, 3:40; Sheadle, 6:15; Ke-Down: Gates, 9 Thursday p.m.; Lesuccessor to Mr. Hutchcroft, late of the high, 9:10; Andaste, 9:15; Simla, 10; Petrolea Advertiser, who, as already Ball Bros., 11:30; Geo. Stephenson, 12:20 Friday a.m.; Morgan, jun.,12:40; An old resident of this district, Mary Northern Queen, 2:10; Wade, 3:50; Hubbard, relict of the late John Stap- Manchester, 4; Fanny Minch, 4:10; pleton, passed away Tuesday night, at Caledonia, 6:10; Niko and consort,

7:50; Alpena, 8:30; Peck, noon; Ed

Up: Bradley, Brightie, Mary Woolson, 8;50 Thursday p.m.; Viking, the poolroom licenses from \$15 to \$75 9:40; D. J. Morrell, Regia, 11:20; was defeated at this week's council Schoolcraft, Mary M. Burke, Schenck, 1:30 Friday a.m.; scow, 2; Norway, 3:40; Arcadian, 4:10; Turret Cape, headed by Mr. B. P. Corey, have peti- John B. Cowle, 6; Duluth, Chas. Hubfinest residential section of the town, Wexford, C. F. Curtis and barge, 10:50; C. Sabin, 11:30; Manitoba, B. S. Jones, 1:20 p.m.; Price McKinney, P. P. Miller, 4:15; George S. Baker, F. Car-

bray, 6:25; P. L. Pennington, Selwyn Eddy, Oceanic, 8:35. Down: Ishpeming, James Edwards Sabin. 12:20 Friday a.m.; Alexis W. Thompson, 12:45; Thos. F. Cole, 3:40; Buf. falo, 4:55; Samuel F. B. Morse, 6:45; Schenck, 8:10: Princeton, 8:35: Mahoning, Midland King, 10:30; Crescent City, Thomas Mathan, 12:30 p.m.; E. Y. Townsend, J. H. Plummer, 2:50;



Today, matinee and night Al. H. Wilson, in "Metz in Ireland"

The inimitable dialect of Al. H. Wilson, and the company supporting this well-known comedian, in "Metz in Ireland," form the attraction to be seen at the Grand this afternoon and evening. Mr. Wilson is considered to be the head of his class as a German dialect comedian, and there is no denying the fact that he possesses the happy faculty of being able to create laughter. He can with equal ease carry his audience from the rippling waves of with his marvellous singing voice. His manager, Sidney R. Ellis, has arranged for the introduction of the following MORE POWER TO musical numbers: "Come Back "Father O'Flynn," "I'll Take You Back Again, Kathleen.'

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The New York Central Railway has let contracts for two new terminals Only One "BROMO QUININE," axative Bromo Quinine

YUKON MISSION WORK

Bishop Stringer Accepts the Offer of Messers. C. C. Brett and W. G. Blackwell of Huron College.

pleton, passed away Tuesday night, at her son's home, on Dufferin avenue, at the age of 75 years. The remains will be interred in the Roman Catholic Cemetery on Friday.

Several of our businessmen are changing the location of their stores and offices. The following are among and the location of their stores and offices are the major to work and offices are the major to work will be engaged to a great extent in doing mission work among the location of their stores and offices. The following are among and offices. The following are among and the location will be engaged to a great extent in doing mission work among the location of the Yukon, yesterday, accepting the offer of Messrs Charles C. Brett and office of Messrs Charles C. Brett and william G. Blackwell, two young men who are attending the college, and will graduate this spring, to work with him in the far north. Mr. Brett will be stationed at Teslin Lake, and not been home in two days and had not been home in two days and had had not been home in two days and had not been home in two days and had not been home in two days are supplanting huskies. Thus received word from Bishop Stringer, physician were in vain, and Wheeker dians and miners, while Mr. Blackwell will work among the miners along different creeks.

The young men leave London on June 2, and will be ordained by Bishop Stringer upon their arrival at Whitehorse. Mr. Brett's home is Calt, and he entered Huron College in 1906. Mr. Blackwell is a London boy and also commenced his course in

1906. Messrs, Alex. D. Currie and E. G. Heaven will leave shortly for Calgary to take up mission work in that diobe ordained in this city before leaving for Calgary. There will be five other graduates

from Huron College this spring. Mission Work.

Principal Waller will preach at the Church of St. John the Evangelist tomorrow evening, and will give an account of the work to be done in the west and in the Yukon. The two young men going to the Yukon will need furs and equipment suitable for the rigorous climate, and any donations will be gladly received.

WEDDED IN LONDON

Miss Lottie Montgomery Becomes the

Bride of Mr. Fred Trim. Miss Lottie Montgomery, of Aylmer, Dancinaire, Monaghan, Ireland. Mrs. Trim will spend a short honeyside on the farm five miles northeast of Aylmer. Their hosts of friends here wish them all kinds of success and

RAILWAY BOARD

Several Important Measures Passed the Commons Yesterday.

Ottawa, April 29.—Several measures passed the Commons today, amongst them being the Postmaster-General's bill to bring cable companies and their rates under the control of the railway commission. Another important

through was Mr. Graham's bill to amend the railway act. These clude the following: To extend authority of railway board to include works already begun, to simplify procedure regarding stringing wires across a railway, to shorten time limit of appeal from decisions of railway board, to widen liability of railways regarding the fencing of their property, and to limit liability of railways for loss by fire from locomotives to \$5,000 over the insurance.

Mr. Olivers' immigration and land titles bills were passed, as well as Mr. Graham's bill regarding the taking over of branch lines for the Intercolonial, with the Senate amendments re-

The Grand Trunk Pacific has deeded to the Prince Rupert Hospital twelve lots valued at one thousand each. The Provincial Government given six lots, making in all eighteen.

"SAVE ME," CRIES SUICIDE

Efforts Fail. Detroit, April 29.-After swallowing fatal dose of carbolic acid in the parlor of the home of his sister, Mrs. L. Pegenseck, 194 Brooklyn avenue, Friday morning, Charles Wheeker, aged 25, begged piteously for his sister to do something to save his life. While a neighbor ran for a physician, Mrs. Pegenseck gave her brother salt water, onlong and other simple rem-

where he was employed as a driver. He came to his sister's house at 9:30 o'clock, and a few minutes later when she entered the parlor she found him leaning against the wall, with an empty carbolic acid bottle

in his hand. "Charles, what have you done?" screamed as she wrenched the bottle from his hand. "Save me, give me something, don't want to die," he screamed. He soon became unconscious and

was dead in a few minutes. Coroner Burgess' clerk, William De aurier, was called, and pronounced it a suicide. The body was removed to the morgue. The young wife, when notified. prostrated with grief.

HOW CHIVALRY SURVIVES.

Chivalry up to date is amusingly exemplified on the South Side trolley In an older day it was obligatory upon a man to arise and give his seat

in a street car to a woman. The feminine invasion of industry at length wore off the fine bloom of this courtesy, and the custom as a custom has practically vanished upon many car our manhood we are glad to note that And scattered throughout the Nowadays men in a crowded car do

daughter of Mr. John Montgomery, of not "make a break" for any seat that from the twice a week to the twice a was becomes empty through the exit of a united in marriage at the First Pres. passenger. Instead, they stand like byterian Church manse, on Wednes- Spartans waiting until the nearest bravery, faithfulness, and dogged enday, to Mr. Fred Trim, of Malahide, woman can have her attention attract-durance of the carriers, would be re only son of Mr. Albert Trim. Rev. J. ed to the vacancy and move dignified-duced to one a year—that of the sum G. Inkster officiated. The bride was at- ly forward to fill it. This custom is tired in a handsome suit of blue broad not so inconvenient, not so self-sacricloth, and the many useful and valu- ficing, not so gallant as the peremptory able presents received testified to the rule which it has superseded. Still, it esteem in which she is held. Mr. and retains the rudiments of an ancient chivalry, and for even a shadowy surmoon in Brantford, Niagara Falls and vival of romance in the daily life of ever be thankful.—Chicago Post.

THE VICTORIA CROSS.

It is fifty-four years since the Vic toria Cross was established. For a long in the slimy coze of the sea bottom. time it had been felt that there should he some special recognition of conspicuous acts of bravery in war, and in the war in the Crimea furnished such a roll of heroes that at its close Queen Victoria, by royal warrant, instituted a new decoration for the army and navy, to be given for great deeds of daring. The medal was to be of bronze, inscribed, "For Valor," and to be known as "The Victoria Cross." In many quarters there was much opposition to the proposal. Several earnest officers, among them Sir Colin Campbell, declared that bravery was the duty of every soldier and sailor, and that a special act of valor had no more claim to special reward than a man's ordinary duty extraordinarily well done had in any other walk of life. Their objections were overruled, however, and there is now no man in either service who would not be proud to receive

the bronze medal. It has often been said that Queen Victoria never pinned the cross to the breast of a sailor, but it is difficult to reconcile the statement with the fact that the very first man to receive the V. C. was a sublieutenant in the navy, Charles David Lucas, only just over 20 years of age. who afterwards rose to the rank of rear admiral. When his ship, the Hecla, was bombarding the fortress of Bomarsund, a Russian shell fell on her Young Lucas, without a moment's heaitation, sprang forward and flung it into the sea. There are men in both services whose names are household

nute who have not won the decoration; out, of course, it is not to every man that the opportunity comes to do some Sister Tries Hard to Help Him, But striking deed.—Exchange.

MAIL ROUTE 650 MILES

Reindeer Used on Long Route Between Kotzebue and Point Barrow.

Vancouver, April 30.-The Alaskar mail service is the limit of the rural free delivery carried to its logical-or rather to its heroically illogical-con Principal Waller, of Huron College, edies, but her efforts and those of a clusion. Its routes are from 150 to 656 horses are supplanting huskies. Thus heavier mails are carried, and with greater frequency, between the larger

settlements Reindeer Are Used. On the 650-mile route from Kotzebue to Point Barrow reindeer are used. It is frequently spoken of as 'the only reindeer route in the world!' Here, on a sledge made of whalebone drawn by a team of domesticated reindeer, Uncle Sam's postman hurries over the trackless snow-covered tundras, freezing and starving at times and at other times forced to kill and eat his "horse," bent upon the same mission as the R. F. D. carrier in the nappy, populated rural U.S.A.

Considering Petition. Ten years ago there wasn't any Alaskan mail service. It wasn't needed. During the season of 1907-1908 and for several seasons before that there were two mails a week out of Seattle for Alaska. This last winter there were three. Last year there were two mails delivered Barrow, something like 7,000 miles from the big cities of the Atlantic coast, and well within the Arctic circle. Next year there may be three. For the department is considering a petition bearing fourteen signatures for lines in the city. But for the honor of one more delivery a year up there a substitute code has grown up in its frozen peninsula are towns, settlements, mere mining camps, to which the mails come at year, and which but for the strenuous efforts of the Alaskan mail service, the durance of the carriers, would be re-

PITY THE POOR SPONGE!

Humanitarianism has discovered new field for its activities, and a society is likely to be formed for the Buffalo, and on their return will re- this rugged city the gentle idealist may prevention of cruelty to sponges. Most men who know the sponge only as an unsightly mass of damp substance which abounds in barber shops are unaware that the sponge is, or was an animal that once disported itself The word "disport" must be used in a restricted sense, for the sponge is rooted like a plant and has no record as a base runner. That is where the cruelty comes in. servers assure us that gatherers literally tear up the sponges by the roots and leave them in the sun to die. Untold agonies, they declare, are suffered by the sponges as they lie under the torrid sur before they are mercifully released by death and give up the ghost-assuming that a sponge has a ghost to give

stop this barbarous practice. what measures are to be taken has not been revealed, but very likely it is intended to chloroform the sponges pefore tearing them up by the roots. Some may go even further and demand that the suffering sponges not squeezed too hard at any period of their existence, nor plunged into water that is likely to scald them or to freeze their toes. Be sure of it. there will be no letting up in the agi tation until man's inhumanity sponges has been completely curbed -Pittsburg Gazette-Times.

An imperial university has been esablished in Pekin, and a Scotsman has been appointed professor of political and economic science therein Mr. Finlayson is a graduate of Aber-