BABY-SAVING.

cause of pure milk as a means of promoting infant health and reducing the mortality of the summer months. The work is a worthy one. The purity of this important food supply is of the greatest importance to the community, and there are good reasons for believing in child lives and weakened vitality. In law officers for not having taken calling attention to the matter Dr. Roberts presents the record of the experience of Rochester, which can hardly fail to be interesting to our readers.

Rochester in the ten years 1887-96 lost 7,451 children under 5 years; in the fol-lowing ten years (in which time the city's population had greatly increased), only 4,965. There can hardly be a doubt that the principal factor in bringing about this happy reduction was the introduction of intelligent methods of securing a milk supply for infant food and educating the masses to an appre-ciation of the importance of milk cleanliess and proper feeding and care of the little ones

Prior to 1886 some attention had been given to the startling child death rate of July and August, and in that year the examination of the milk supply was begun. It need scarcely be said that conditions were discovered that could hardly fail to shock sanitarians, and as a result of their consideration the Board of Heaith went into the furnishing of Pasteurized milk for children. This was sold in sterilized nursing bottles, and mothers were advised by the nurse in charge as to the care and feeding of the babies. There were also distributed leaflets giving in the plainest terms valuable hints for conserving child health and comfort. Good results were not long of showing themselves.

Up to 1899 Pasteurization was practised. The milk was subjected to a temperature of 180 degrees F. for 20 minutes then cooled and bottled. Pasteurization -the destruction of the germs by heatwas an advance over feeding of the children on untold germ colonies; but it was far from an ideal method. Pasteur ization kills deleterious germs, but i does not remove them from the milk: and it destroys alike the beneficial bac Obviously it would be better were Pasteurization unnecessary-were pure milk obtained in the first place and kept pure. That was the task essayed the Rochester Board of Health. It hardly hoped to get milk dealers to re tail pure milk at the current price-five cents a quart-so it took up the matter

milk are disposed of, the cost to the city being about \$1,000. A good, clean farm and healthy herd are selected, and a contract is made with the owner for his milk at 41-2 to 5 cents a quart, and for adequate ice supply. A portable laboratory for cleansing and sterilizing the utensils is established, and a trained nurse and assistants are installed. The most approved safeguards as to cleanliness and the sanitary handling of the product are enforced, and the bottles, acked in ice, are sent direct to the distributing stations, with no further cal for action on the part of the mothers than putting on a clean nipple and slight by warming. Where the baby is seen by the nurse it is practicable for such dilution as is deemed advisable to be made before the milk leaves the station.

In this way it has been found practic to get a plentiful supply of pure wilk, not subjected to Pasteurization or any form of sterilizing treatment, all of which injures it as a food for infants. successive daily counts showing less than 10,000 bacteria per cubic centimetre while the ordinary milk sold in the streets showed more than 50 times that number. The experiment is illustrative of what may be done by organized prac-tical work to secure a supply of pure milk; and it is strongly suggestive of the criminal waste of life due to ignorance

THE KINRADE CASE.

The Times cannot but think that Attorney-General's Department in connection with it's conduct of the Kinrade murder inquiry has been due to misapprehension of the situation and to lack of appreciation of the difficulties There is a disposition manifested in cer tain quarters to represent the respon sible law officers as being dilatory and lacking in carnestness in ferreting out the murderer and visiting justice upon him. We hold no brief to defend Hon. Mr. Foy's department, but desire to do it justice, and we must say that so far as the facts in our possession go to indicate harsh criticism of it is

undeserved. Dealing with a murder case of this kind is not the simple and easy matter ery case in which human life is placed of in jeopardy, the law very properly requires that a perfect chain of evidence must be presented in order to succeed in securing a conviction Only by such a precaution does society avoid doing sumed : nothing must be inferred, but the actual facts to convince judge and jury of guilt must be put in evidence. Not only that, but the procedure of the courts and the rules of evidence furnish. properly enough, a bar to the use of lead to the success of a prosecution.

sion of the public which could be used at a murder trial in this case that would

justify a judge in sending it to a jury or would warrant twelve good men and true to bring in a verdict of guilty? Let the reader calmly consider it. Let him rid his mind of preconceived notions, arising, perhaps, from facts and statements which would never be allowed to Dr. Roberts, Medical Health Officer, is be mentioned at the trial; let him elitaking much interest in forwarding the minate from his consideration of the case any prejudices which, reasonably or unreasonably, he may harbor as the result of his observation of the developments of the inquiry; let him seek to possession which could be presented in he will not be hasty in condemning the decisive action which some people have demanded.

Precipitancy in this matter would be great blunder. Much effort has been devoted to the preliminary work of the inquiry, and under circumstances of no little difficulty. A hasty and ill-judged step now might lead to a failure that would bar the way of justice in the future. Better far that the Attorney-General's Department should pursue the conduct of the investigation on the principle of "thorough," and that, before it acts, it should have in its possession evidence which gives reasonable assurances that it is on the right track. The Department does not, it should be borne in mind, conduct its criminal investigations with brass band accompaniment; and while it does not daily issue bulletins of progress, the public may rest assured that the case has not been allowed to drop out of sight.

IT STARTS WELL!

The Greater Hamilton meeting in the Board of Trade rooms yesterday afternoon was one to encourage to hopefulness in the success of the movement to effectively bring Hamilton's claims as a manufacturing and business centre prominently before the world. The attendance was large and made up of those elements which go to build up solid greatness. The address of Mr. Olmsted contained many helpful ideas: and doubtless some of his hints will be acted upon by the Association. Nothing which promises advantage to the cause should be overlooked by the managers of this campaign. To one statement made call attention by way of impressing it upon the minds of our people; it refers the self-help phase of the work and the necessity for civic pride-faith and

"No paid man, no matter how capable he may be can accomplish much less he is able to arouse the sympathy of the entire community, and the communand women, but, above everything Sept. 1, and about 40,000 bottles of is the spirit which makes for success. This is no bubble boom; it is a movement founded upon actual worth -worth which to be appreciated needs but to have full publicity. The work of the Greater Hamilton Association promises to find its best results as the effect of putting the solid advantages of world as one business man would place a concrete proposition of great advantages before another. To that end let every well-wisher of Hamilton co-oper-

EDITORIAL NOTES.

One thing about the Canadian Club which none will dispute: It knows how

This reflection on "city officials" and 'city employees" is grossly unfair to the men who do not deserve censure. The men intended to be reproved should be

Instead of the quarter of a million or so immigrants from Germany which the United States used to get annually 20 years ago, they got less than 20, 000 last year. The United States regards the falling off in this immigration as

Inspector Hughes, of Toronto, replies to the prattle of the Toronto Telegram about the Public school pupils not being much of the censorious criticism of the able to spell by inviting him to enter a spelling match "with say a Third Book class," and offers him the privilege of appointing his own judges! What a rare joker that man Hughes must be!

The Toronto News is not prepared to ccept Mr. Crothers' statement the civil service is over manned, under worked, and overpaid. It insists that it is not overpaid. The News is always to be found advocating any change making for the higher cost of governmentwhen the Liberals are in power.

It is a pity that in discussing the waterways treaty the Tories should have put up such little minded men-

until 1919. People are now beginning to appreciate the mistake made in allow. ing the game birds to be practically exterminated. It will take years to permit them to regain a foothold, but the care devoted to the work will be worth

Crothers, the Tory M. P. who aspires to the mantle of Bennett the notorious, alleges that Ottawa civil servants are paid "one hundred per cent. more" than the remuneration paid by the Provincial Government at Toronto for similar services. And yet the Opposition has all

quacy of the pay of the civil servants

The Mail and Empire rises to deplying the spoils system so rigidly as to cut off the official head of the editor of the Grit Chesley. Enterprise, who had been allowed to fatten at the public cribs on the emoluments of marriage license issuer, making as much a \$3.60 a fatness, and Whitney gives it to him.

onation oath so as to remove Roman Catholic disabilities passed its second reading in the British House of Comnons vesterday by a vote of 133 to 123, the whole by a vote of 124 to 121. It is not regarded as likely to pass this session, but it is significant of the progress in public opinion that Mr. Asquith

Mr. Thomas Mulvey, K. C., Assistant Provincial Secretary, has been appointed Under Secretary of State at Ottawa, and will shortly leave to assume Joseph Pope, who becomes Under Secretary of the Department of External Affairs. Mr. Mulvey is highly spoken of by Hon. Mr. Hanna. He will be succeeded in the Ontario office by Mr. S. A. Armstrong, Inspector of Public

Speaking of the now admitted advantages of the city's power contract with the local electric company over the Hydro estimates, the Herald regretfully says "Still, it is impossible for the Herald lightly to put aside its preference for the principle of public ownership and operation of public services." Sad, isn't it? The "principle" (?) of damage your own city concerns, even at a cost of increasing the price of power and light, eems to be very dear to the organ of the anti-Hamilton interests.

The Toronto Telegram harks back to Shortiss, the Valleyfield murderer, saying that "it is to be hoped that rumor was mistaken" in charging it to Aber deen. There is no need for "hoping" about the matter; all the facts are the official record. The difficulty arose was on, and try as he would Lord Aberdeen could not get his Ministers to advise him what to do. The judge had advised commutation, but the Governor-General desired to act strictly on the advice of his Ministers, and after vainly trying to get it, he cabled the Colonial Office for instructions, and was told by Mr. Chamberlain that failing action by the Ministers, he should act upon his own judgment. The breakdown was in the Canadian Tory Ministry, which was then in the midst of the "nest-of-traitors" rebellion against Premier Bowell.

The prizes for the Maddox Road race to take place in Grimsby the week after next are on exhibition in F. S. Prudhomme's indow here.

Some of those who went up to the Harrison concert on Thursday evening at Grimsby were Mrs. (Dr.) Fairfield, J. H. and Mrs. Hewitt, Lowell Hixon, Miss Hewitt, Miss Greves, Miss Sinclair, E. A. and Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. W. D. Fairbrother.

Congratulations to that old Conservaadvice of his Ministers, and after vainly ors" rebellion against Premier Bowell. the Telegram ask Bowell.

CUR EXCHANGES

COLORED HIGHLANDERS (Toronto Star.)

colored men are anxiou oin the 48th Highlanders, under the impression, no doubt, that it is the Black Watch

CULINARY ITEM (Toronto News.) In every luscious dough-nut A yawning hole is found. ourask me why? "Tis needed

To put the dough around. MR. STUDHOLME.

(Peterboro Examiner) Why doesn't the Mail and Empir get Sir James Whitney to make Mi Allan Studholme, the labor membe Allan Studholme, the labor member for Hamilton, Minister of Public Works in his Cakingt in his Cabinet

DODGES CHALLENGE

Hamilton has a flourishing "Greater Hamilton" Association, and Brantford is agitating for one. Why should not Stratford have such an association? Let us not lag behind our neighbors in the struggle for advancement.

A BROKEN REED

(London Free Press.) The Toronto World says it has not esitated to point to the guilty person the Kinrade case, and suggests it is he duty of the Crown to make an arrest. In which event, the Crown might make a mistake if it relied upon the World producing the evidence necessary to secure a conviction.

> HOW IT WAS WORKED (Vancouver Sunset).

McGrath. Boyce and Macdonell. The opposition of such men has come to be accepted as a compliment by the intelligent people of the country.

The Michigan Legislature has passed a bill to prohibit the shooting of quail until 1919. People are now beginning to as it undoubtedly will be. And those gen-tlemen who were inveigled to orate in the City Hall have no doubt regretted it in their heart of hearts since. Mr. Wade, of all the speakers, was the only one who took sound ground and that was in line with the action of the Canadiau Parliament, including both sides of the House.

GRIMSBY AND BEAMSVILLE.

Fruit Prospects Seem Brighter Than Ever This Year.

Season Is a Little Backward, But Most Promising.

Cases to Come Up in Court in Grimsby Next Week.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Beamsville-Rev. Judson Kelly, Hagersville was in town on Wednesday. Clarence Macintyre was in Merlin, Ont., during the week.

Wm. Ayers went to New York city on Monday night to visit his son, Hor

Mrs. Ida Hixon, Hartford, Conn., is visiting Triends here.
Dr. and Mrs. Lawrason, with their children, were in Dundas during the past week.

Mr. Robt. Gibson is going to Lindsay

the end of next week The late Isaac wardell, Toronto, a brotner-in-law of Mrs. David Davis, left property valued at \$48,000.
Arthur Moore, Hamilton, was visiting

his parents in the township on Sunda Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Everett, New York, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ever-

ett, nere. Mr. A. Filby, accompanied by Lorne Fowler, left Woodstock for Alberta, on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hewitt and fam-

Ontario street.

on Ontario street.

Mrs. John Monkle is recovering after
a lengthy illness.

Mr. Winebrener, the preserving company's demonstrator, has returned to begin the season's work which will commence with the rhubarb in about two
or three weaks' time. or three weeks' time.

The boys are fishing large numbers

of suckers out or the creeks or succers out of the creeks with their hands and caps as far up from the lake as the Queenston road, the waters have been swarming with them since the re-cent rains and bags of from 50 to 100 are common for a portion of a night's work

work.

Wm. Shaw is going into Mrs. Ismond's house.

Harry Prudhomme's condition is much improved to-day, and his relatives and friends are being relieved of their anx-Holden and Gibson are competing

the Kerr games at Hamilton this after-Mrs. T. Wardell and Mrs. Dr.

Mrs. T. Wardell and Mrs. Dr. Sinc-lair, Toronto, spent Thursday with their sister, Mrs. D. Davis.

Master John Gibson Eastwood, Hamil-ton, is staying with his grandparents at Inverugie during the week.

The prizes for the Maddox Road race

rebellion against Premier Bowell.
was a disgraceful affair, but only to be nestlings of the occasion. Just let be Telegram ask Bowell.

CUR EXCHANGES

Fairbrother.
Congratulations to that old Conservative war horse, James D. Bennett, on his 71st birthday, May 13th. Born in the township of South Grimsby, 1838; a resident of Beamsville for 65 years; holds the record for a seat in the Council.
J. H. Cameron, the entertainer, will be one of the attractions at the concert in Victoria Hall, Vineland, on the evening of the 24th.

ing of the 24th. Confirmation classes began in St. Al

The Alban's Church last night.

Miss Taylor is one of the nurses in attendance on Mr. H. Prudhomme.

The annual May meeting of the Woman's Institute takes place in the reception hall next Thursday afternoon at 2.30. The ladies are asked to kindly keep the date in mind.

In the Methodist Church to-morrow morning Rev. H. McGee, Toronto, subject, "Temperance and Moral Reform." Evening, the pastor.

A meeting of St. Alban's Boys' Association takes place at the rectory on

ciation takes place at the rectory on Wednesday evening next.

A host of friends in the township are

A host of friends in the township are regretting the sudden demise of Mrs. John H. Young, whose death was caused by pneumonia on Monday. The burial took place on Thursday afternoon in Smithville, the services being conducted by Rev. Dr. Macintyre. Her husband, one son, John A., and two daughters, Jennie and Venetria, are left

Mr. Oscar Holden spent the week end with friends in Buffalo.

(Toronto Telegram.)

Oh, that these columns should live to be told that they cannot spell as fast as a Third Book class:

"Take back them crool words, Mr. Hughes."

GREATER HAMILTON.

(Stratford Beacon.)

With friends in Bullian.

It has already cost the township of Clinton nearly \$400 this spring for road work and repairs, still, outside of the Q and G stone road, there is hardly a sideline but mires a vehicle to the hub after a day's rain. The condition of the mountain road between Boughner's and Merritt's, is a disgrace to the township of Clinton. Rev. Judson Truax, pastor of the Me-

thodist Church, has been invited to re-main another year by the quarterly

board.

The spring rally of the Hamilton. District B. Y. P. W. will be held in the Baptist Church here on Monday night.

A large number are expected down from the city.

GRIMSBY.

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Rev. John Muir will preach the regular annual services to the Canadian Order of Foresters in St. John's Church to-morrow night.

Mrs. Linus Woolverton has gone to

Mrs. Linus Woolverton has gone to England for the summer. Mr. and Mrs. E. O'Rourke have gone to the west.

R.S. and Mrs. Lockwood have returned

from the South and Mexico, after having a long and enjoyable vacation.

Mr. E. Morse has purchased some property from Geo. Russell on Adelaide street.

David Garrison have been summoned Magistrate Kidd, the first named allowing disorder on his premises; Running for being drunk and disorderly on the street, and the last named for selling liquor without a license.

Mr. A. Burland is in Montreal on a

MONDAY, MAY 17, 1909 SHEA'S

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Women's, Misses' and Children's Coats at \$1.99, Worth \$3.50 to \$6.00 omen's, Misses' and Children's Hip Length Coats in splendid styles; a great range of d

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4 Rousing Waist Bargains

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Women's Waists at 50c Made of fine mull and lawns, embroidery and lace trimmed fronts, long and \$1.50, up to now, to clear on Mon-

Women's Sateen Underskirts, 98c

Women's Underskirts at 75c Made of fine Cambric, with deep flounce, trimmed tucks and Valenciennes laces, splendid \$1 and \$1.25 Skirts, on sale Bargain Day for, each 75c

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Mill ends of fine Cambric and Long Cloth, 1 to 10 yard ends, worth 13	5 to
18c, for, per yard	10e
Mill ends of Factory Cotton, worth 121/2e, for	6140
Mill ends of Linens, for boys' suits, 25c, for	140
Mill ends of Table Linen, 50 to 65c, for	25c
Mill ends of Towelling, worth 10 and 1216c, for	7160
A quantity of Glass, Kitchen and Bedroom Towels, worth from 121/2 to 150	, or
To dance of diase then and bedroom Towers, worth from 1279 to 196	, 011

RAIN COAT BARGAINS

Long and three-quarter length Rain Coats, faw: and grey, worth up to \$7.50, on sale for each \$3.90

Women's and Misses' Skirts, in not materials, dark and light court orth up to \$3.50, for

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road race, and everything augurs a successful event.

Mr. and Mrs. Madison, Ingersoll, spent week-end with friends in town Mr. J. B. Goodwin has sold a couple of uilding lots to H. H. Marsh on Murray

The programme of the grand concert in the Methodist Church on Thursday ight was as follows: Organ prelude Miss M. Burns Chorus . . . The Heavens Are Telling Trio . Mrs. Marsh, Messrs. Eaton and (Mihell

Aria.....Let the Bright Seraphim
Madame Yulisse Harrison.
SoloIt is Enough
Mr. Roy McIntosh, Hamilton.
Trio-Mrs. Smith, Messrs. Taylor and

olo Thou Sweet Bir (Flute obligato by Mr. E. C. Hall.) Madame Harrison. organ solo—Prelude to Act III.

Soprana solo, obligato and chorus,

Chorus-The Hallelujah Chorus, (Messiah Full choir

Extra solo ... Home, Sweet Home
Madame Harrison.
Extra solo ... Face to Face
Mr. McIntosh.
The liquor cases, unless otherwise settled will come before Magistrate Kidd

this afternoon Peach, plum and cherry blossoms are partly in flower, and should be in al partly in flower, and should be in all their glory by the middle of next week. The pears are coming along rapidly. From every appearance prospects seem better than ever. Spraying generally has been completed in the first stages, but cultivation of orchards has been backward on account of the rain.

The following Public school report for April shows the standing of the first six pupils in each division where there are more than ten included:

Fourth form—Honors—Senior P. Scott, F. Eaton, S. Doucette, R. Ryckman, H. Brownlee, V. Farrell, Junior—G. Smith, C. Smye, L. Martin, C. Van Dkye, E. Marsh, A. Grout.

Marsh, A. Grout. Third form-Seniors-Lillian Miller

Gordon Shaefer, Reg. Durham, Harold Moore, Lily House, Kathleen Liddle. Juniors—Jessie, Walker, Wm. Budden, Muriel Bonham. Geo. Walker, Albert Farrell, Ruby Chambers. Second form—Second class—Frances.

Myrle Monsinger, Hilda Patterson, Win-nie Neal. Third class—Gertie Dipper, Helen Smith, Jean McGill. Marion Walker, Florence Norton. Third class —John Lavis, Irene Millward, Myrtle Smith, Frank Warner, Clifford Hughes. Second class—Katle House, Hazel Wil-son, Harry Game Myrtle Konkle, John

on, Harry Game, Myrtle Konkle, Joh Hand. First class—Helen Pettit, Ger trude Waller, James McVicar, Bessi-Snetsinger, Francis Woolverton. netsinger, Francis Woolverton.
Harry G. Garr, in the five mile race
stanley H. Roberts, Winona, five mile
nd Howard-Hudson, in the one mile for
ovs under 17, is the representation fron
his vicinity in the Kerr meet to day.

BORN IN STATION.

Son Comes to Western Farmer Just After He Crosses Border.

May 15 - Coming to Can (Lohengrin with her husband, his mother and father -Inflammatus, from Stabat Mater Mrs. Emma Van Amburg, of French River, Minnesota, gave birth to a bounc ing ten-pound oy at one of the station The Light Divine | en route early Mr. McIntosh.

Overture to William Tell
Mr. F. M. Howard.
Lo! Hear the Gentle Lark
(Flute obligato)
Madame Harrison.

Though urged to remain over Mrs. Van
Amburg pluckily continued her journey
and reached Toronto. She was attended
by a physician in the ladies' waiting
room of the Union Station, and was
afterwards taken to a rooming house. room of the Union Station, and was afterwards taken to a rooming house.

The husband, Charles Van Amburg, was delighted with the new loo, and he went into epstacies over his future home. "People on the other side," he said, "talk about God's country. Here it is a layer say such fine farms."

Canadian born.

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INTERNATIONAL LODGE.

There was a large attendance at the meeting of International Lodge, held in the C. O. O. F. Hall last evening. The programme consisted of short imprompcontributed by Mrs. D. B. Smith, Miss Maggie Sim and F. S. Morison, D. H. Croxford, of Welland, contributed an nber of the lodge will be asked

ntribute. TO BOOM OTTAWA

Business Men Want to Spend \$20,000 on a Scheme.

Ottawa, May 14.- Leading usiness the nusband, charies van Amburg, was delighted with the new lioy, and he went into eystacies over his future home. "People on the other side," he said, "talk about God's country. Here it is. I never saw such fine farms before." He was glad his first son was \$20,000 to boom the city along world consider the such first son was \$20,000 to boom the city along world with lines.

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lace at that time, and our heavy stock must go. Until June 1st we will sell at prices never before known in the Mantel and Fireplace business. Select your Mantel now and we will store it until your home is ready for same. Tile Floors and Walls at greatly re-

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