Hosiery.

This grand department always does

its duty on sale days. There's a fine

range of Ladies' and Children's Hose,

Ladies' Cashmere Hose, worth 25c,

Ladies' Rib Cashmere Hose, worth 40c, for 25c; and super quality, worth

CHILDREN'S High Grade Cash-

mere Rib, worth 35c to 50c, in sizes 61/2

to 91/2. Your choice of any size, only

WHITEWEAR.

Our Whitewear is priced to make selling easy. We quote a few leaders:

DRAWERS.

brella style, some with muslin frill, edged with Roman embroidery, and

worth 65c, on sale Saturday only 39c.

SKIRTS.

of fine cambric, deep embroidery ruf-

CORSET COVERS.

lication, but it had also a large paid cir-

the item covered all the general staff

forcement of the fair wage clause in

to give his attention to these matters,

deputy minister was an able man,

department of labor was organized

Harvard released Mr. King, but had

recently, when the professor of

political science accepted an offer to

go to England, made him a most at-

tractive offer to take the vacant chair.

Mr. King, however, preferred to serve

his native country, even though at a

MR. PUTTEE DEFENDS THE

GAZETTE

Mr. Puttee stoutly defended the La-

bor Gazette, and thought a paid sub-scription list of 4,394, considering that

it was a government publication, was a remarkable record. Probably one of the

best compliments paid to The Gazette was the resolution of the Manufac-

turers' Association, which had been

quoted. Some of the manufacturers openly stated that they consigned all

Gazette to the waste paper basket, and

if The Gazette treated their communi-

cations in a similar way there would, of course, be a deadlock. Some fault

had been found with The Gazette be-

cause of the colorless nature of its

communications from. The

large pecuniary sacrifice.

A special leader for Saturday; made

ruffle.

others with deep embroidery

laid out for Saturday.

85c, Saturday for 65c.

day 7c.

BAYLEY'S.

selling for 15c.

### Hood's Pills

Do not gripe nor irritate the alimen-tary canal. They act gently yet promptly, cleanse effectually and

### Giye Comfort Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

### THE MARKETS.

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| A. M  | HAMILTON &     | & SON'S REPORT.  |
|-------|----------------|------------------|
|       | London.        | Friday, Feb. 21. |
| Whea  | t white ner hi | 1                |
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| Oate  | ner hit        |                  |
| Peag  | ner hu         |                  |
| Corn  | ner bu         |                  |
| Barle | v per bu       |                  |
| Buck  | wheat per bu   | 55c to 58c       |

The market was quiet today, and the value of all kinds of grain unchanged.
Oats continue to form the bulk of deliveries.

Hay sold quickly, and straw slow.

Wheat, white, per 100 lbs. 1 30 @ 1 33
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs. 1 30 @ 1 31
Oats, per 100 lbs. 1 20 @ 1 22
Peas, per 100 lbs. 1 15 @ 1 25
Corn, per 100 lbs. 1 10 @ 1 12
Barley, per 100 lbs. 1 10 @ 1 15
Beans per bu. 80 @ 1 00
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs. 1 10 @ 1 20
Rye, per 100 lbs. 1 10 @ 1 20

HAY AND SEEDS. FOR HOUSEKEEPERS. WHOLESALE DEALERS' PRICES.

Eggs, store lots, coz..... 18 @
Butter, creek, per lb ..... 17 @
Butter, creamery, lb rolls 20 @
Butter, store lots...... 15 @ VEGETABLES. Potatoes, per bag
Onions, per bu
Celery, per doz
Savory and sage, doz
Mint, per doz
Parsley, per doz LIVE HOGS.

Hogs, small, per pair..... 400 Hogs, select, per cwt.... 550 Hogs, light, per 100 lbs... 550 Hogs, singers, per 100 lbs... 575 Hogs, heavy, per 100 lbs... 200 DRESSED HOGS. DAIRY PRODUCE.

Butter, 1b rolls, baskets. 20 Butter, crock, 1b...... 18 Butter, creamery, 1b..... 20 Butter, store lots..... Eggs, doz, basket lots... Eggs, doz, new laid..... POULTRY. Geese, per lb..... Turkeys, per pair. 10 @
Turkeys, per lb. 11 @
Ducks, per pair 60 @
Chickens, per pair. 45 @
Hens, per pair, live. 40 @
MEATS, HIDES, ETC.

Lamb, quarters..... 6 50 Lambskins ......

> USE HERBAGEUM

a pure vegetable spice for horses, cows, chickens. It keeps them in HAMILTON'S FLOUR AND FEED STORE, London, Ont. 373 Talbot St., er en Alexandre Militare

### TORONTO HAY MARKET.

Toronto, Feb. 20.—Ealed hay—The market is steady with a good demand; cars of No. 1 timothy are quoted here at \$1050; medium is quoted at \$850 to \$050. Baled straw—Demand continues strong, with only fair offerings; prices are steady; straw was offered today on call at \$550 on track here; a car sold G. T. R. at \$425 outside.

AMERICAN MARKETS. CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—Grain markets see-sawed again today in a jaded fashion. The ruling tendency was for lower prices, but the small breaks brought in enough buying to prevent material declines, and the close was father firm. May wheat closed unchanged, May corn 1/2c to 1/4c higher, and May oats 1/3c up; provisions closed a shade to 10c lower. Local receipts of wheat were 14 cars, 1 of contract grade; Minneapolis and Duluth re-ported 270 cars, making a total for the three points of 284 cars, against 654 cars

three points of 284 cars, against 654 cars for two days last week and 396 this day a year ago. Primary receipts were 442,000 bu, against 430,000 bu last year. Seaboard clearances in wheat and flour equaled 109,000 bu. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 15 cars; corn, 110 cars; oats, 105 cars; hogs, 30,000 head.

The leading futures closed: Wheat—May, 78½c to 78½c; July, 78½c; Sept., 77¾c. Corn—May, 61½c to 61½c; July, 61¼c; Sept., 60c. Oats—May, 43¾c; July, 26¾c to 36¾c; Sept., 31½c to 315%c. Mess pork—May, \$15 67½; July, \$15 82½. Lard—May, \$9 40; July, \$9 52½. Short ribs—May, \$8 45; July, \$8 52½. Sept., \$8 62½.

Cash quotations: Flour easy. No. 3 spring wheat, 70c to 75c; No. 2 red, 83%c. No. 2 oats, 43¼c to 45½c; No. 2 white, 44½c to 45c, No. 2 white,

spring wheat, 70c to 75c; No. 2 red, 83%c. No. 2 oats, 43%c to 43%c; No. 2 white, 44%c to 45c; No. 3 white, 44c to 45c. No. 2 rye, 60c to 61c. Fair to choice malting barley, 60c to 63%c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$167; No. 1 northwestern, \$172. Mess pork, \$1545 to \$1550; lard, \$920 to \$322½; short ribs sides, \$825 to \$840; dry salted shoulders, 7%c to 7%c; short clear sides, \$870 to \$80.

to \$8.80.

Receipts—Flour, 20,000 bbls; wheat, 73,000 bu; corn, 58,000 bu; oats, 116,000 bu; rye, 2,000 bu; barley, 37,000 bu.

Shipments—Flour, 28,000 bbls; wheat, 70,000 bu; corn, 39,000 bu; oats, 53,000 bu; rye, 5,000 bu; barley, 39,000 bu.

TOLEDO, O., Feb. 20.—Wheat—Firm; cash, 86%c; May 86%c; July, 81%c. Corn.—Feb., 66%c; May, 62%c; July, 62%c. Oats—Feb., 56; May, 44%c; July, 38c. Cloverseed—Feb., \$560; March. \$560. DETROIT BEAN MARKET.

Detroit, Feb. 21.-Beans are inactive and firm. Quotations: Cash and Feb., \$155; May and June, \$154.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS. MONTREAL, Feb. 20.—There were about 400 head of butchers cattle, 40 calves and 25 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the east end abattoir today. The butchers were present in considerable force, and there was a good demand and firm prices paid for anything moderately good, but there were no prime beasts on the market. Medium cattle sold at from 3%c to 4%c per lb. and the common stock at from 2% to 5% while some of the leaner beasts would not bring over 2% c per lb. Bulls were plentiful, and sold at from 3c to 3% per lb. The calves were nearly all small yeals, and sold at from \$250 to \$5. A few of the beat brought from \$6 to \$8. each \$50 per the best brought from \$6 to \$8 each. Sheep sold at from 34c to 34c, and the lambs at from 44c to 43c. Fat hogs sold at a little over 64c per lb, weighed off the

cars.

EAST BUFFALO, Feb. 20.—Cattle—Receipts light; firm but unchanged; veals, choice, \$7.75 to \$2.5; common to good, \$5 to \$7.50. Hogs—Receipts, 6,200 head; good demand for all but best heavy grades, and stronger; Yorkers, \$6.15 to \$6.25; light do, \$5.90 to \$6.10; mixed packers, \$6.25 to \$6.40; choice heavy, \$6.45 to \$6.50; pigs, \$5.50 to \$5.60; roughs, \$5.50 to \$5.65; stags, \$4.50. Sheep and lambs—Offerings, 9,000 head; sheep were steady, lambs dull and lower; choice lambs, \$6.45 to \$6.50; good to choice, \$6.25 to \$6.40; culls to fair, \$5 to \$6.20; sheep, choice handy wethers, \$5.40 to \$5.65; common to extra mixed, \$4.65 to \$5.25; culls and common, \$3.25 to \$4.50; mixed export and common, \$3.25 to \$4.50; mixed export ewes and wethers, \$5 to \$5.25; yearlings,

\$5 65 to \$5 90; all wethers. CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, it's just as effective.

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For sale by C. McCallum & Co. 6.000; active and strong; good to prime

steers, \$650 to \$7; poor to medium, \$4 to \$6; stockers and feeders, \$250 to \$5; calves, \$250 to \$7; extra fed steers, \$450 to \$575. Hogs-Receipts, 30,000; active and strong at early prices; mixed butchers, \$585 to \$630; good to choice heavy, \$620 to \$640; rough heavy, \$590 to \$615; light, \$575 to \$6; bulk of sales at \$590 to \$620. Sheep-Receipts, 12,000; sheep steady; lambs loc to 15c lower; good to choice wethers, \$475 to \$525; western sheep and yearlings, \$450 to \$6; native lambs, \$375 to \$650; western lambs, \$525 to \$660.

lambs, \$5 25 to \$6 60.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 262; mainly consigned direct; one car of steers sold at steady prices; exports today, 16 cattle, 10 sheep, about 150 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 21; weak; veals sold at \$7 50 to \$8 30. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,528; sheep firm, lambs slow; prices weak, particularly for common and medium stock; sheep sold at \$4 to \$4 \$7\frac{1}{2}; lambs, \$6 to \$6 90; culls, \$5 50. Hogs—Receipts, 3,644.

London, Feb. 20.—Cattle are unchanged at from 13c to 13%c per lb, dressed weight; sheep, 12e to 12½c per lb; lambs, 13%c to 14c per lb; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10c to 10½c per lb.

CIL MARKETS. PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 20.-Oil closed

OIL CITY, Pa., Feb. 20.—Credit balances, \$1 15; certificates, no bid. PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 21.—Oil opened at \$1 15. THE DAIRY MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 20.—Butter—Easy; creamerles, 18½c to 28c; dairies, 18½c to 24c. Cheese—Strong, 10c to 12½c. Eggs—Easier; fresh, 31½c to 32½c.

### IDLE MEN ARE NOW PLENTIFUL

Says London Correspondent of the Labor Gazette.

Railroads, Factories and Foundries Are Doing Rushing Business, However.

Mr. Alexander Woonton, local correspondent of the Labor Gazette, reports as follows:

as follows:

Idle men are quite numerous in this city at present, those connected with the building trades being without work. On the railroads business is fair, and in the factories and foundries business is good.

Bricklayers, builders' laborers, carpenters and painters are nearly all idle, and ters and painters are nearly all idle, and expect to be for some time.

Barbers report all journeymen in the city as members of their organization. The agreement entered into between the barbers of this city to close all shops on holidays has been broken, and the shops are again open holiday mornings.

The bartenders are asking all union men to refuse patronizing any hotels in the city where barmaids are employed.

Broommakers report business as good, and their organization in splendid condition. ters and painters are nearly all idle, and

Boilermakers are very busy at present,

Boilermakers are very busy at present, and all hands are working.
Cigarmakers report business as fair.
Some \$50 has been collected from local labor organizations in aid of the striking Montreal cigarmakers.
Coal employes are having a busy season, and have added a number of members to their roll during the month.
Machinists report all their members working and trade as fair.
Molders are very busy. At McClary's they are putting in floors for about ten more men, and are molding an average more men, and are molding an average of sixteen tons of iron per day.

Plumbers, gas and steam fitters, outside of repairing, have very little to do.

Polishers, buffers and platers report trade fair, and all hands working.

The printing trade still continues in a very busy condition. Every available hand is working and considerable trans. very busy condition. Every available hand is working, and considerable overtime is being put in. The Advertiser Printing Company has purchased a building site, and will erect new buildings. Tailors are slack, and some are doing

### LADIES SHOULD KNOW

There Is a Remedy That Will Cure All Female Troubles -- A Woodstock Experience.

Woodstock, Ont., Feb. 17 .- A remarkable case happened here recently and has caused not a little wonderment. Mrs. Wm. Rowe, of 311 Dundas street had been a sufferer from female weakness of the most stubborn type for over twelve years. Everything seemed at all likely to help her had been tried, but she got no better. Finally she began to read of ladies who had been cured of Female Trouble by Dodd's Kidney Pills. She says: "The doctors told me I could never be cured. I had suffered for twelve years and had tried everything with no good result. At last I read of Dodd's Kidney Pills and began a

### Kidney Pills, and to nothing else." THE SENSIBLE WAY

treatment. They completely cured me.

owe my life and health to Dodd's

American Newspaper Publishers' Association Authorizes Arbitration Agreement With Typographical Union.

New York, Feb. 20.-The Newspaper Publishers' Association today adopted a resolution authorizing an arbitration agreement with the International Typographical Union for five years, beginning May 1 next. A similar agreement with the pressmen was approved yesterday. Another resolution adopted suggested a codification of all laws and rulings governing second-class mail matter, and an annual revision thereof; the codification to be made whenever the programme now in process for restricting the use of the second-class mail privilege for legitimate purposes shall have been effectively performed by the postoffice department.

postoffice department.

It was also resolved to petition congress to abolish the duty on wood pulp, mechanical ground wood and lumber used in the manufacture of paper, and to ask that the duty on used print paper to ask that the day of the reduced.

The election of officers resulted thus: President, Charles H. Taylor, jun. of the Boston Globe; vice-president, A. A. McCormick. Chicago Record-Herald; secretary, W. C. Bryant, Brooklyn Times; treasurer, Edward P. Call, New York

The journeymen tailors of Ottawa want an increase in pay, which, according to the schedule they present, will average about 15 per cent.

### FOUL, LOATHSOME, DISCUSTING CATARRHI Secure Relief in 10 Minutes

And a Radical Cure.

Does your head ache? Have you pains over your eyes? Is there a constant dropping in the throat? Is the breath offensive? These are certain symptoms of Catarrh. Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder will cure most stubborn cases in a marvellously short time. If you've had Catarrh a week it's a sure cure. If it's of fifty years' standing

Bayley's Bargain Store.

# Saturday's ENTERTAINED A Specials @

Shoppers on Saturday will make a dollar go a long way here. We give an inkling of its power here:

TOWELINGS-Three leaders at 5c, 8c and 10c-The good, stout, old Irish linen sort; the kind that wears well, washes, and has the proper drying qualities. 25 pieces Linen Toweling, regular 8c, 18 inches wide, pretty stripe border, goes on sale at 5c.

#### Flannelette.

Another batch of those Plain Saxonys in plain blue and red only, regular 121/2c, goes on at 71/2c.

Skirtings. The last of them; were 35c and 50c,

in handsome metallic stripes and plain colored Moreens, go for 15c.

Corsets. Remarkable selling in the Corset Section. Don't be misled. Compare and think for yourself. Regular \$1 00, \$1 25 and \$1 50, and in some instances

\$2 00 grades; odd lines, but every size here; your choice for 50c. Cottons. Fine Bleached Cottons and Cambrics

at cut prices; our special for Saturday will be a beautiful cloth, fine, round, twisted thread, worth 10c, selling at

Three Spools Best Sewing Cotton for loc.

Remnants. A large lot of Staple Remnants; 40 ends of Table Linen, lengths from 1½ to 3 yards; makers' ends; some slightly soiled, which comes out in the wash; full one-third off regular prices. Our customers find these ends money-sav-

Watch the Doing of for Saturday at 75c. This Store.

We cannot afford to be undersold, and what's more, we don't intend to be. We will at all times protect our patrons.

EXPENSES OF

LABOR BUREAU

The Management of the Labor

Gazette Criticised.

the Manufacturer's Side Is

Heglected.

Ottawa, Feb. 21.-Yesterday, while

the house was in committee of supply,

on the items for civil government, a

warm debate took place on the item of

\$13,450 for the department of labor,

several opposition members taking oc-

casion to criticise the management of

Mr. W. R. Brock objected to the cost of the editorial staff of the Labor Ga-

zette as extremely high. A good deal

of fault had also been found, he said, from time to time with the manner in

which the paper had been conducted.

Statements appeared in its columns, which were entirely incorrect, but ap-

peals to have them corrected were ig-

Mr. Mulock expressed surprise at

the statement made by Mr. Brock, and

promised if particulars were furnished

regarding the alleged misstatements

to make a thorough inquiry, and the matter could be discussed at a later

date. The policy of himself and the chief editor was to have nothing ap-

pear in the Gazette except statements

of fact, which were not only true tech-

nically, but which were substantially

fair at true. The item to which Mr.

Brock took exception provided for the

general administration of the depart-

ment of labor; including the fair wage

the event of a dispute between em-

Mr. Mulock would have expected to

find Mr. Ingram upon the other side of

the question respecting the resolution referred to. He thought the resolution

had not fairly represented the deliberate opinion of thoughtful members.

and that those who supported it,

their views. Mr. Ingram had voiced

the objection of the manufacturers that

the Labor Gazette did not follow in

Washington. The intention in establishing the Labor Gazette was to fol-

low the precedent set by the Labor Ga-

zette of Great Britain, that it should

not be the organ of any person; that

it should publish no opinions, but con-

fine itself strictly to statistics and

facts, thus making it as valuable to

payment of \$100 per annum to corre-

spondents of The Gazette. From the

report of the auditor-general he gath-

ered that the paper cost \$18,000 a year,

which was altogether too much, when compared with the cost of daily news-

papers. He called special attention to

the salary of the deputy head of the

department, who entered the service at

\$1,750. Mr. Casgrain said that support-

ers of the government would have

SEVERAL ITEMS INCLUDED.

ster did not confine his attention to

discharge. The Gazette had a large

free circulation as a parliamentary pub-

Mr. Mulock, with some warmth,

Mr. Casgrain found fault with the

one class as to the other.

same line as the Labor Bulletin of

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nored.

### MERRY COMPANY.

Employes of Whiskard's Three Busy Stores Given Dinner by Mr. and Mrs. Whiskard.

The employes of Whiskard's Three Busy Stores were delightfully entertained last night at their employer's handsome residence at the corner of Wolfe and Wellington streets. A similar affair has taken place annually

for the last ten years, and has added greatly to the kindly feeling which has ever existed between the employes of the establishment and Mr. Whiskard. This meeting of the former with the latter is productive of much good The employes are made to feel that their efforts are appreciated, and that their interests are those of their employer.

In the roomy, beautifully furnished dining-room dinner was arranged for 40 persons, that number constituting the working staff of the stores. tables were laid with a dainty but sumptuous repast, and presented a most tempting appearance. The guests of the evening arrived shortly after six and remained until about 10:30 o'clock. The entire house was thrown open to them, and the scene presented was animated and beautiful. Mr. and Mrs. Whiskard were at the head of the long table, and received many congratulations on the excellence of the dinner and the warmth of their hospitality.

Made of fine cotton, Empire style, yoke and revers of fine tucked muslin, After the supper the musical talent of the Three Busy Stores entertained edged with ruffle, all sizes, regular price the company. Among those who assisted were Misses Ethel Brown, Moore, Maud Smith and Bessie Made of good cotton, cluster of tucks and hem, regular 25c, for 15c. Ladies' Fine Cambric Drawers, um-Rowed.

Games of a most entertaining nature were enjoyed, and the party retired, voting the evening one of the most pleasant of their lives, and extending good wishes to their host and hostess

#### Luck or Pluck?

fle, and another line, deep muslin flounce, two clusters of tucks and Val-Outside my window, under the sun-shine of brand New Year, two tiny enciennes insertion, worth \$1 25, special boys and their sleighs were busy. It is only a little hill, a few feet long, and a big boy came by and pushed Made of fine cotton, nicely finished and perfect-fitting, worth 121/2c, Saturday 75 them down the slope, and the sleigh darted across the road and struck the At 23c-Well made, good cotton, trimsidewalk with a startling bump. med neck and sleeves, with fine em-And one boy cried and said he wouldn't pay, and the other crawled broidery, worth 35c, Saturday for 23c.

up the little hill and slid down again, but not so hard, not so far, and there was no bump. He was a plucky boy.
Over in a stock yard saloon in Chicago a couple of months ago a big chap, who did not know what he was up against, made a vicious pass at Jim opp, the Canadian light-weight boxer

But Popp side-stepped, and hit the bully on the jaw and he went down. culation. He emphasized the fact that But he got up again, only to go down, and when they picked him up for the last time he said: of the department engaged in the en-"What hit me?" The bully was plucky.

Popp was skillful

government contracts, and the alien labor law. The deputy minister had best pluck is the trained pluck, and also to the important and valuable the skillful kind The British officers in South Africa work of conciliation in disputes bewho stood up to be shot down were tween employer and employe. He deplucky but not skillful. It's better to precated unfair criticism of the deputy lie down than to be shot down. It's minister, whom he had some difficulty easier getting up afterwards, and you don't need so many ambulance wagons. in retaining in the department because Conservative Members Complain That of tempting, offers received from the United States. In every department they had to pay for brains, and the

Close up the book. Open another. Make a set of resolutions if you

who was making a personal sacrifice to serve Canada. Mr. Mulock said Keep them if you can. there was no man in Canada today If you break one, mend it. who had studied as deeply the great A broken resolution may be mended preblem of labor as Mr. King, who had the same as a broken leg, and because taken a post-graduate course in the broken legs are weaker than the per-University of Chicago, was given a fect ones is no reason why they should fellowship by Harvard University, the not be set and mended. faculty of which sent him abroad to If the resolution is too badly busted, study the labor problem. When the make a new one.

How's your pluck? A boy fell through the ice in the river at Guelph, and another boy hustled up to the hole on his skates, and, endeavoring to rescue him, fell in too.

It was a plucky attempt, though. Another boy crawled along on stomach, and stuck the end of a thin shinny stick in the first fellow's mouth, and pulled him to safe ice. Then he said: "Dig in the toes of your skates, and hold on to the end of this stick," and he crawled again, and rescued the would-be rescuer.

His was a skillful pluck. How's your pluck? The paymasters of the twentieth century do not pay men for the size of the arm, but for the breadth of brain.

Brain is good enough. Brawn is better. President James A. Garfield said: pound of pluck is worth a ton of There is a two thousand to from a tow-path. Are you more confident of your ability to do it better than the other fel-

How's your pluck Step lively and look men and things in the face, for the world is never ashamed of a fellow unless he is first ashamed of himself. Life is no joke. Be very much earnest, and get in the thick of the

the pension. How's your pluck? The day just past was a pleasant one, but have you plenty of pluck for rougher days ahead? When 1902 is written for the last rect. time will it be a grand average?

New Year's! Is your vision larger than it was a A business man west of Toronto was nominated to contest a riding in the Conservative interests, and said to himeslf: "Here I'm lucky in business

election ' But the other fellow, a young chap, got out, and for six months hustled like the mischief on the quiet, developed a strong grasp, and worked the glad right with the regularity of a pump handle.

The young fellow was elected. The business man was surprised. Lucky fellow. Plucky fellow. Take away the "P," and you change

order of things, and make the world a lottery. If you are plucky, though, it's ten to me the world will say you're lucky.
The world seldom loks for causes. It keeps its eye open for effects.— Charles F. Raymond, in Toronto Star.

American vs. Canadian Canned Meats The recent tests between American and Canadian canned meats prove that no canned meats are superior to those packed by W. Clark, Montreal. 13c v

TO THOSE OF SEDENTARY OCCU-TO THOSE OF SEDENTARY OCCU-PATION.—Men who follow sedentary oc-cupations, which deprive them of fresh air and exercise, are more prone to dis-orders of the liver and kidneys than those who lead active, outdoor lives. The former will find in Parmelee's Vegetable Pills a restorative without question the most efficacious on the market. They are easily procurable, easily taken, act expeditiously, and they are surprisingly cheap considering their excellence,

### LAST CHANCE

To Scure Bargains.

Friday and Saturday Closing Days of our

# Great Half-Price Sale

Next week we open up our Spring Stock of Carpets, Curtains, Draperies, Table Linens, Sheetings, Towels and every article to be found in a first-class House Furnishing establishment.

# Screaton &

### EDDY'S TOILET PAPER

In ROLLS or in SHEETS as desired, is SUPER-IOR in STRENGTH and FINISH to any other make

For Sale by All First Class Dealers.

Use Eddy's Parlor Matches.

### Even the Children

May be permitted to drink all they wish of Caramel Cereal, a healthful substitute for Tea and Coffee. It is a healthful beverage and they will thrive on it. Coffee is a stimulant. Caramel Cereal is a food drink. All brain workers and those of

> weak digestion will find Caramel Cereal



a perfect substitute for the nerve destroying Tea and Coffee. The original Cereal Coffee, in use for twenty years.

All good grocers sell it. 20 cents per package.-1 package makes 100 cups. Granose Biscuits are relished by the Children.

### JOHN BULL AS SAM'S FRIEND

Attitude of England Was Distinctly Friendly to U. S.

"British People Were Undisguisedly With Us," Says the Washington Star.

The attitude of the English government toward Germany and that of the German givernment toward England are correct, says the Washington Star. And yet at the present time the English people hate the Germans and the German people hate the English most cordially. The coarse cartoons one shot from the lips of the graduate with which the German pictorial press is excoriating the English King are re-sented in London with intense feeling. while the Prince of Wales' arriving in Berlin to help celebrate the Kaiser's birthday is received without a cheer or a handclap on the streets. If some sudden turn of the wheel should bring the two powers into collision, the masses of the people would enter into the conflict with passionate zest. We may read in this situation something for our instruction in the matter of the much discussed attitude of the leading foreign powers toward us immediately preceding and during the war with Spain. It is insisted that this attitude was in every case cor-England, Russia, Germany, France, all resent the charge-not brought by us-of unfriendliness. Let that be granted, and we have still to reckon with the fact of public sentinent in those countries openly manifested toward America and Americans at that time. In every country but England this sentiment was distinctly hostile. Travelers reported it in their private letters home, and news-

and my luck will follow me in this correspondents noted it in their ispatches. Americans in Paris were reated with pronounced rudeness in the cafes and on the promenades. But the atmosphere in England was different. Americans remarked it immediately upon landing. It was not the English speech alone which brought suggestion of home and comfort. There was a plain manifestation of sympathy with the United States what was so clearly approaching. And when the war began, and the Americans showed themselves, as the English expressed it, "very much alive," both on sea and land, the applause among the English people was open and un-

restrained. Both people and press cheered every effective shot that we fired from the beginning to the close

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