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Saturday, March 16th

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5 lbs. Prunes, 25c. 6 lbs. Figs, 25c.

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John McConnell

Park Street East

WERE SUNK

C. A. Williams Gives This Explanation of the Submerged Gun Boats.

Incidently He Scores the Juvenile Curio Seeker who Forms Et oneous Theories.

Mr. Editor,-I see in The Planet controversy about the gun boat at Pikeville. It is a gun boat. In 1812 William Baker, ship builder, built four gun boats and they were all ready to go to the lake, but the water at the chance be a poor can sof depth, see Iodel's Report, when he bar of the river only had four feet surveyed a part of Raleigh and Dover. They were waiting for the river

to raise so that they could get the gun You run no risk at Mal- boats over the bar. In the meantime the Americans came up to Chatham and camped on the old McCrae place three miles below Chatham. The British did not wish the American army to get possession of those gun boats, so they steamed them up the river, one they burnt at Pikeville, another at the Fisher farm, up the river, and the third one just on this side of Louisville. I can find no authority for what became of the courth gun boat. I have in my possession blacksmiths bills that were paid in connection with the building of those boats. John Crow, the father of Walter Crow, used to dive and bring up out of the gun boat that was burnt near Louisville various articles of warfare. My un-cle, Capt. John Williams, often told

MILLIONS USE CUTICURA SOAP assisted by CUTICURA OINTMENT for preserving, purifying, and beautifying the skin, for cleansing the scalp, and the stopping of failing hair, for softening, whitening, and soothing red, rough, and sore hands, for bothy rashes, itchings, and chalings and for all the purposes of the toilet, bath, and nursery. Millions of Women use CUTICURA SOAP in baths for annoying irritations, inflammations, and excoriations, for too free or offensive perspiration, in washes for ulcerative weaknesses, and for many sanative antiseptic purposes which readily suggest themselves to women, especially mothers. No other medicated soap is to be compared with it for preserving, purifying, and beautifying the skin, scalp, hair, and hands. No other foreign or domestic toilet soap, however expensive, is to be compared with it for all the purposes of the toilet, bath, and nursery. Thus it combines in ONE SOAP at ONE PRICE, the BEST skin and complexion soap, and the BEST toilet and baby soap in theworld.

Compilet Treatment for Every Humour. me about this, and I think the can-non and all was sunk, for they had to non and all was sunk, for they had to do quick work as the American Army was right on them. There was also a very large store house on the Fisher farm, and it contained the supplies of the British army, and along with other supplies there were wagons. The British set fire to the store and burnt it up also. But one Armeld could not and baby soap in theworld.

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CUTLOURA SOAP, to cleanse the skin of crusts and scales and soften the thickened cuticle, CUTLOURA OINTMENT, to instantly allay itching, inflammation, and irritation, and soothe and heal, and CUTICURA RESOLVENT, to cool and cleanse the blood. A SINGLE SET is often sufficient to cure the most torturing, disfiguring, and humiliating skin, scalp, and blood humours, with loss of hair, when all cles fails.

Sold throughout the worlds British Depot: 27-28 Charters. it up also. But one Arnold could not see those wagons burn up, so he hitch-ed on one and took it home and had it

ed on one and took it home and had it some forty years afterwards. When any one wants to know any more about those gun boats, I can give them more information. Now, I wish to state to the cunning dude of to-day that thinks he knows it all, with his stiff hat and polished patent leather shoes and brainless head, that there are a few old men left yet who know something, although they were educated in what we term the common school of adversity. In regard to the cated in what we term the common school of adversity. In regard to the wagons, Col. Francis Drake also had one, and every time that any marriage took place this wagon was borrowed and the wedding party drove to church in it, followed by men on horseback and others in French carts. me of the dudes I refer to might be interested in knowing their grand-ther and grandmother rode in fath-

KILLING DEER IN WATER.

er's big wagon to get married. C. A. WILLIAMS.

Toronto Globe, March 15th, 1901. To the Editor of The Globle: Recentarticles appearing in our newspapers would seem to indicate that the present session will not pass without the adoption of legislation pass without the adoption of legislation to prevent the contemptible slaughter of deer in the water. Let us hope that the Government will deal peomptly and vigorously with this matter and put an end to a practice that no true sportsman should be sailty of following.

guilty of following.

Our hunting party numbers sixteen, and we go into the northern weods each fall without a dog. We usually succeed in killing at least one deer for each man in the party, and we are doubly repaid for all outlay by the renewed health and vigor due to long tramps and bracing atmosphere.

Within two mile of our camp is a lake, and we have known hunters to come to this

nd we have known hunters to come to this ake, hire all the dogs in the settlement and a couple of men to put them out, and then spend their time paddling about the lake, armed with a club or a revolver. These pot-hunters invariably took out two deer each. If they were compelled to give the deer a reasonable chance and kill them on land, they would be forced to do withou

venison for the rest of their lives.

A deer that has been chased by dogs until heated, then driven to the water and killed, is practically useless for eating pur-poses. The flesh will spoil in a very few

days.
From a sportsman's view there can be no justification of wanton butchery, and kill-ing deer in the water is the worst form of butchery allowable. It is the despicable method of the lazy pot-hunter, and if the practice were submitted to the hunters who

annually go north, the vote against it would be overwhelming.

The Government have shown a commend-Clothes pins, I cent per doz.

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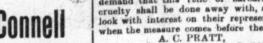
The Government have shown a commendable desire to protect our game animals.

The sportsmen of Ontario are loyally supporting all protective measures. The sportsmen of Ontario are loyally supporting all protective measures. They now demand that this relic of barbarism and cruelty shall be done away with, and will look with interest on their representatives when the measure comes before the House.

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population.

Inspector Colles will pay his official visit to the Bothwell public schools to

Miss Jennie Foster has been engaged as stenographer and assistant book-

Rev. Mr. Baldwin, who has been in the Public General Hospital for some

time, returned to his home in Ridge-town to-day.

Alfred Westman and Capt. Crow are

both the proud and happy possessors of male additions to the Maple City.

The opera, under the direction of

Mr. Carter, is progressing most favorably, and will be placed on at the evening of Thursday, April 18th.

Miss Ada MacGregor, daughter of Humane Officer James McGregor, left yesterday for Buffalo, where she

will enter St. Joseph's Convent, with a view to adopting a religious life.

Mrs. Frank Wilson, Jr., Harwich, had an old fashioned carpet-rag sewand quilting bee to-day. The so

cial function was attended and paricipated in by a large number of

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"It takes a wise man to play the fool." This old adage was never better exemplified than by the character of Cecco, in "The Duke's Jester," a new comedy written especially for Frederick Warde. The role is similar in many ways to that of Belphegor the Montebank, one of Ward's most artistic creations. It combines the expreme qualities of pathos and humor, and calls ferth the vast versatility of his great art. The dominent feature of "The Duke's Jester" is fun. The play is replete with such unusual dominent feature of "The Duke's Jester" is fun. The play is replete with such unusual situations, and amusing instances as might occur in the daily life of a court fool. It tells a story, too, of great interest, embrac-ing love, intrigue, ambition and villiany. The scene is laid in Milan, Italy, at the close of the sixteenth century, when lives of men were devoted to adventure and aguagement, and when hone was best proamusement, and when honor was best pro-tected by the sword. The play is embellish-ed with an elaborate scenic environment, is gorgeously costumed and is complete in every detail. Mr. Warde this season is sup-Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p. m. March, 22nd, 1901, for the construction of a steel trestle addition or approach, 130 feet in length, to a bridge across the River Thames at Kent Bridge, in the county of Kent, in four clear spans and with a clear roadway of 16 teet. One concrete abutment, also a concrete base to each trestle.

every detail. Mr. Warde this season is supported by the famous Brune Company, which last year won the reputation of being the strongest organization since the Booth & Barrett combination. Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Spencer (Isabel Pengra), two well-known ars, are at the head of the company. They were especially engaged by Clarence M. Brune to fill the important roles of Nina di-Borgio and Duke Galldazzo. "The Duke's Jester" will be presented at the Grand next Thursday evening.

Thursday evening. Any one who is conversant with matters of the stage, knows Frederick Warde to be one of the greatest and best known actors in America to-day. To those who do not know of him, Mgr Cairns wishes to say that no greater actor has ever visited Chatham, and

that to-morrow night's performance should prove one of the very best ever offered local theatre goers.

The company is of the very best and comprises 20 artists, the scenery is first-class and the costuming and gen-eral equipment on a scale seldom

The local management yesterday booked "Ruper" of Hentzau", the se-quel to "The Prisoner of Zenda" for a

date next fall Next year's bookings also include "The Devil's Auction," and Robert Mantell in a new play.

The date of Alberta Gallatin in "Nell Gwynne" has been changed from April 16 to April 24. "Way Down East" will be here May 14. The Roe Fenberg Stock Co., a powerful repertoire or-ganization of 24 people, will be here the week of April 8.

Albert Armstrong, who will give his picture play "The Little Minister" at the Grand next Tuesday night, will be at Massey Hall, Toronto, on Saturday night.

Interest is rife in the coming appearance of Frederick Warde and the Brune company which includes the two well known stars Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Spencer, in their mam moth production of Espy Williams' new ro-mantic comedy, "The Duke's Jester." The play which was written especially for Mr. Warde is in four acts and deals with the Warde is in four acts and deals with the life of a court jester, wise in his folly and foolish in his wisdom, with the soul of a hero and a reckless daring nature which continually leads him into predicaments for his wit to get him out of. This character Cecco (pronounced Check-ko) is assumed by Mr. Warde while the roles of Duke Galleaz-Mr. Warde while the roles of Duke Galleazzo and Nina de Borgio are portrayed by his assisting artists, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer. The scene of the play is laid in Milan, Italy, at the close of the sixteenth century, when romance and intrigue were at their height and the lives of men devoted to adventure and amusement. The play is replete with fun fighting frolic. The atmosphere of the story is charming. The costuming is necessarily plot resque and beautiful, while the magnificent scenic effects with "its minute detail of vast elaboratenesa" is one of the features of the performance. The great four-handed fight, which terminates the play, is another new and special feature, while the exchange of clothing between the jester and the heroine Nina de Borgio, is at lesst novel.

This magnificent production will be at the Grand to-morrow (Thursday) night.

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