PUBLIC MEETING.

No. 4 WARD-A MEETING OF THE electors of this ward will be held at

St. George's School House this (Friday) Evening.

for the purpose of discussing municipal affairs. Chair taken at 8 p.m. b

Your Vote and Influence respectfully so licited for

as Alderman for No. 1 Ward for 1896.

Electors No. 1 Ward

Your vote and influence respect-fully solicited for the re-election of

John Heaman

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solicited for the re-election of

As Alderman for 1896.

Your Vote and Influence

are respectfully solicited for

J. H. PRITCHARD

for re-election as

Alderman for No. 1 Ward for 1896

WARD No. 3.

I again solicit your vote and influ-

ence for my re-election as Alderman

Wm. Heaman.

ELECTORS NO. 3 WARD.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN-Your votes and nfluence are respectfully requested for

WARD NO. 4.

Your vote and influence for

NO. 6 WARD

Your vote and influence re-

spectfully solicited for

Edw. Parnell, Jun.,

As Alderman for No. 6 Ward for 1896.

ELECTORS NO. 5 WARD.

Your vote and influence respectfully solicited for

R. W. BENNETT

As Alderman for 1896.

EDWARD TOWE, AGENT

Office over Bank of Commerce, London, Telephone, No. 507. zxv

CURIOUS INVENTIONS.

groove or mortise in the stock of

gether or separately, as desired.

useful suggestion for the

A combination brush and comb is a

brush, so that they may be used to-

An electrical dish-water has recently

come out in Paris, and will probably

prove a great success. It consists of a series of brushes revolved by an elec-

tric motor, and the machine is capable

of cleaning 2,000 plates an hour.

A curious barometer is used in Germany and Switzerland. It is a jar of

water, with a frog and a little step ladder in it. When the frog comes

out of the water and sits on the steps

One of the new uses aluminum is put

to is making a racing skate that is

very light and yet strong enough to

een inches long, one-sixteenth of an inch thick, and almost as thin as the

blade of a knife. This blade is sup-

inum runner support, on top of which is a slight strip of mahogany, the aluminum looking like burnished silver.

A FEW TESTS.

Of a sweetheart, what she believes;

Of a friend, what he forgives; of an

a rain storm will soon occur.

The comb is inserted in a

traveling

For School Trustee. 93u

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Motto-No bonuses or exemptions.

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As Alderman for 1896.

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MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

BORN. M'WILLIAM-At Thamesford, on Dec. 30 1895, a son to Mrs. (Dr.) McWilliam.

DIED. MORDANTE-In this city, at the residen of her daughter, Mrs. M. Masuret, Mrs. Mary Mordante, in her 80th year. Funeral private.

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Advertisements under this heading two cents per word each insertion. No advertisement less than 10 words.

RAND OPERA HOUSE — MATINEE on and night, Saturday Jan. 4th. The world renowned German dialect and singing comedian, Mr. J. E. Toole, and his competent company of players, in the romantic comedy success of three continents. "Killarney and The Rhine," interspersed with comedy pathos, original music, songs and dances; special scenery and elaborate costumes. Seats now on sale Night prices—25e, 5'e, 76e; matine—Children 15c to all parts of the house, adults 25c and 35c. IME LIGHT VIEWS AT KING STREET

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PALACE DANCING ACADEMY-NEW Year's term commences Monday, Jan. 6. Gentlemen Monday, ladies Tuesday; advanced class Wednesday evenings. Children Saturday afternoons. Dayron & McCormick. PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY Mr. R. B. Millard, at his residence, 345 Princess avenue. A thorough system of teaching the modern glide waltz and all fashionable dances guaranteed. Lessons given any hour.

Meetings.

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Electro-Thermo Baths.

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS BATHS

Open Saturday and Sunday to 1 p.m.

comfortably heated. RLECTRO-THERMO BATHS STRENGTH EN the brain, nerves and circulation EN the brain, nerves and circulation and are of great value to health. 320 Dundas street. Hot baths, five for \$1. They are excellent for ladies.

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ONDON SALE, BOAR DING AND Livery Stable - Express drayage, 141 Queen's avenue. Telephone, 503. A. G. STROYAN. proprietor.

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A GENTS — "SKEPTICISM ASSAILED"—
by Honorable Tabor and Dr. Parkhurst;
over 550 pages; 250 illustrations most convincing collection of facts against all foes of Christianity; latest and greatest work of the age;
entirely new line of thought; prospectus free.
Particulars, NICHOLS COMPANY, Wesley Building, Toronto.

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WANTED—AGENTS TO SOLICIT BUSI-NESS for the Home Life Association of Canada—assessment system. Good remunera-tion. Apply L. W. BURKE, Superintendent, No. 5 Masonic Temple. 2tt

WANTED - GENTLEMEN OF GOOD address to place building and lean stock. Men of experience preferred, Salary and commission. Address "Birkbeck," 169 Dundas street, London, Ont. 19tt

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CUSTOM WORK BOOT AND SHOE store for sale. Apply 289 Wellington, corner Bathurst, between 7 and 9 p.m.; doing good railroad business. LECTRO-PLATING AND MUSICAL instrument repairing business for sale. First class connections and good paying business. Satisfactory reasons for selling. For particulars address J. D. Thompson, 265 Yonge street, Toronto.

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HARNESS, BLANKETS, ROBES, BELLS, Trunks, Valises, wholesale and retail. J. DARCH & FONS, 377-379 Ta bot street. WILL EXCHANGE FOR GOOD BI-CYCLE—a very handsome standard-bred pony, 14; hands high; well broken, per-fectly sound, 3 years old. Apply at Bernard

UMBER-WHOLESALE ONLY — CAR or cargo lots; Spicer's extra British Columbia red cedar shingles; pine and Ontario cedar shingles; pine, hemlock, hardwood, cedar, lumber, poses, piles, etc. D. FERGUSON, Manf. Agent, London, Ont.

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Male Help Wanted.

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ORGANIZERS WANTED-PROFITABLE, permanent employment. Apply by letter. Grand Organizer Oddfellows, 49 King street west, Toronto.

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— Apply 294 Central avenue, between
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Advertisements under this heading one cent a word each insertion. No advertisement less than 10 words. WANTED-SITUATION-YOUNG MAN with some experience in baking, wishing to complete the trade. Apply Box 23, Parkhill, Ont.

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TO LET - 139 ELMWOOD AVENUE, South London, very convenient, city and soft water, cars within a step. Apply 16 Morley Place. TITO LET-SMALL STORE WITH PLATE

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and Craig streets South Lordon and Craig streets, South London; rent \$13. Apply GEORGE C. GUNN, barrister. 42tf TTO LET-RESIDENCE, 484 COLBORNE atreet, corner Dufferin avenue, 10 rooms, modern conveniences. Apply Fraser & 42tf

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Special classes in English literature and classics in afternoon and evening. Extra mural course in arts. Apply to Rev. CANON SMITH, Registrar, Oxford street.

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MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST AND second mortgages at low rates, Notes cashed at G. W. Francis' loan office, 781 Dun-

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MONEY-CERTAIN SUMS OF \$309, \$500, \$600, \$1,000 and \$1,600 are in our hands for investment on first-class mortgage. Also various other sums. WEEKRS & SCANDRETT, solicitors, 98 Dundas street, London.

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FARMERS, ATTENTION—THE UNDER-SIGNED are prepared to purchase good logs of all kinds and to do custom sawing to the satisfaction of customers at lowest rates. Don't forget the place, on Bathurst street, just east of Adelaide. S. Gillies & Son. 90i

The London and Port Stanley Ry. Go. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the annual meeting of the shareholders of the London and Port Stanley Railway Company will be held at the City Hall, in the city

Friday, the 17th Day of January, 1896, at the hour of 2:30 o'clock in the

afternoon. Dated at London this 2nd day of January, 896. C. A. KINGSTON, 93u v Secretary L. & P. S. R. Co.

NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the meeting of the electors of Ward No. 6, summoned to meet at Grand Avenue Schoolhouse on the evening of Tuesday, Dec. 31 last, will be held at the same place on the evening

Priday, the 3rd day of January, instant, at the hour of 8 o'clock. C. A. KINGSTON, City Clerk's Office, Jan. 2, 1895. 92u

SAWLOGS WANTED.

ARGE QUANTITY OF HARDWOOD SAWLOGS WANTED. For particulars ADAM BECK, Albert Street, London.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED until 11th inst. for Brick Cottage in East London.

Plans and specifications may be seen at our office. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. McBRIDE & FARNCOMBE, Architecta, Duffield Block.

Frightful Sum of Turkish Atrocities in One Villayet.

Canada's Peril From Invasion Fully Realized in England.

British Press Comment on the Venezuelan Commission and the Subject of Arbitration.

WILLIAM CONCERNED.

Berlin, Jan. 3.—Emperor William had a ong conference with the Imperial Chancellor, Prince Hohenlohe. It is supposed that their consultation had reference to the recent events in the Transvaal Republic.

THE TIMES DISPLEASED. London, Jan. 3.-The Times comments rather severely upon the presence of Frederick R. Coudert on the Venezuelan commission, and notes the fact that with one exception (Andrew B. White) the commission are

unknown here. THE PACIFIC CABLE. London, Jan. 3.—A break in Pender's cable to South Africa during the present crisis, it is expected, will lead to an extension of the Pacific cable to surrender, was sent by Sir Jacobus A. Dewet, the British agent at Pretoria, the capital to an extension of the Pacific cable project to South Africa as suggested at the Ottawa conference.

WHOLESALE MASSACRES. London, Jan. 3.-Trustworthy reports regarding the recent outrages in the villayet of Kharput alone show that 138 towns and villages were desolated, 5,024 houses burned and 12,708 persons killed. Not a single Turk was killed so far as known.

TURKS STOP SHOOTING. Constantinople, Jan. 8 .- The Turkish

Government has ordered the commander of the Turkish forces surrounding Zeitoun to suspend hostilities pending the negotiations which the representatives of the Powers have entered into in order to bring about the surrender of the Zeitounlis.

SOCIALIST DEPUTY SHOT. Paris, Jan. 3.-M. Jules Coutant, a mem. per of the Chamber of Deputies in the Socialist interest, representing the district of Sceaux, has been shot at with a revolver and seriously wounded by his former election agent. The cause of the shooting was the fact that the agent suspected the deputy of an intrigue with the former's wife. NO AID FOR UNCLE SAM.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 3.-A semi-official denial was made today of the announcement made in the Neue Frei Presse, of Vienna, on December 30, in a dispatch from this city, saying that Russia and France had actually promised diplomatic support to the United States in the Venezulan question, and that Russia was prepared to facilitate the United States loan with her own gold reserve.

CANADA'S DEFENSES.

London, Jan. 3.-It is understood FOR ALDERMAN FOR 1896 that the Government here fully realizes Canada's grave peril from invasion, if war were declared by the United States, and it is quite prepared to co-operate in putting the Canadian militia and defenses on a first-class peace footing if Canada seeks the British aid. Nevertheless the Walter Morgan earnest hope is expressed that the Canadian Parliament will refrain from adding fuel to the flame not yet extinguished by any heated language or extravagant plans. Hasty legislative action at this moment may imperil a

peaceful agreement. THE VENEZUELAN DISPUTE. London, Dec. 3.-The Chronicle prints an article saying it has learned on the highest authority that Earl Granville in 1885 virtually concluded with Blanco a treaty containing an arbitration clause covering the Venezuelan international boundary dispute. The Marquis of Salisbury, however, on coming into power later in the same year, virtually cancelled this clause by limiting the provisions of the treaty to commercial questions. Nothing could have been more unfortunate, says the Chronicle, inasmuch as the boundary dispute was on the eve of a permanent settlement. The Chronicle adds that it is convinced by careful researches that there is a debateable land north and south of the Schomburgk line, and tht it would be a grave error to imagine that a rigid insistence on the Schomburgk line and a declaration that there is no ground for arbitration constitute the essence of the English NSURE IN THE PHŒNIX - TIME tried, fire tested insurance company, of Hartford, Conn. Assets, \$6,000,000. Large security, liberal settlements, low rates. Money case.

A Rome dispatch says that important documents have been found in the archives of the Vatican relating to archives of the Vatican relating to played "God Save the Queen," when Catholic missions in Venezuela. These documents show that the missions within the territory claimed by Great Britain, were included in the Diocese of Caracas, prior to Great Britain ac-

quiring Guiana. Westminster Gazette, in an The article on the subject of the appoint-ment of the United States Venezuelan ment of the United States Venezuelan boundary commission, say Great boundary commission, say Great smoldering in Bechuanaland for six months, and that during that time commission with perfect politeness and commission with perfect politeness. give them all possible informal assistance, although not admitting their jurisdiction, but should not allow British officials to give evidence in

their public capacity.

The St. James Gazette remarks the absence of ex-United States Ministers Lincoln and Phelps from the com-mission, but highly commends the appointment of Messrs. White and Gilman.

NOMINATIONS.

Ekfrid Township—Reeveship, Alex.
P. McDougald and George Scates; deputy reeveship, George B. Campbell and withstand the terrific pressure put up-on it when skating at railroad speed. It is composed of a steel runner, eight-Angus McTaggart; councilors, Alex. Douglas, Wm. Down, John E. Hull, John G. Lethbridge, Donald McAlpine, Robert C. Twiss. ported by a peculiarly shaped alum-

A DANGEROUS PRECEDENT.

The Montreal correspondent of the Toronto World says: The news of the reprieve of Valentine Shortis created a most unfavorable impression here. No one believes the Valleyfield murderer to be insane and it is felt that a most dangerous precedent has been established.

of a wife, what she forgets.

Of a lover, what he affirms; of a husband, what he does not deny. Chas. D. Johnston, boot and shoe enemy, what he concedes.

Of a woman, the kind of story she tells; of a man, the kind of story he likes.—Rose M. Ohaus, in the Century. merchant, is seeking trusteeship in ward 4. He will be elected without

Jameson's Force Severely Defeated by the Boers

And Compelled to Surrender to Their Victors.

Jameson Deliberately Disobeyed Orders to Withdraw.

Intense Excitement at Johannesburg-The Invasion Condemned by the London Press-Grave Consequences Anticipated.

London, Jan. 3 .- A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company says that Dr. Jameson has been severely defeated by the Boers and compelled to

retreat across the frontier. The dispatch received at the Foreign Office announcing that an engagement

of the South African Republic. Sir Jacobus Dewet, the British agent at Pretoria, telegraphs yesterday morning that it would have been impossible for him to have gone to Dr. Jameson. If it had been possible, his mission would have been futile, as the fighting commenced at 4 o'clock Wednesday af-

BADLY BEATEN. Cape Town, Jan. 3.—The Cape Times has a dispatch from Pretoria saying that the latest news from Krugersdorp was to the effect that there had been fighting between the Boers and Dr. Jameson's forces, and that the latter had suffered heavy losses. The British agent at Pretoria said that he had seen Gen. Joubert, commanding general was in no sense an effort on the part of of the Boer forces, who reported that Dr. Jameson had been driven from several positions. Twenty-two burghers were wounded and 23 prisoners were taken. At that time no force had moved out of Johannesburg to assist Dr. Jameson. It is reported that a further British South Africa Company force is being mobilized for the purpose of entering the Transvaal. A Kaffir command is being formed on the Bechuanaland frontier of the Orange Free State. with the object of assisting the Boers should such assistance be needed.

JAMESON SURRENDERS. A later dispatch from Pretoria says that Dr. Jameson was surrounded by a

DISOBEYED ORDERS. London, Jan. 3.-The following dispatch was received from Sir Hercules Robinson, Governor of Cape Colony, dated Cape Town, Jan. 2, 8:25 p.m.: "A messenger overtook Dr. Jameson ten miles the other side of the Elans River. The messenger brought back a verbal dispatch that the dispatches received by Dr. Jameson would be attended to. The force was saddling, and at once proceeded eastward. Dr. Jameson thus received and disregarded both my messages." The messenger referred to by Sir Hercules Robinson was one who was sent to Dr. Jameson with orders instructing the latter to return to British territory, and to abandon his agagressive movement against the Boers Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain has sent a dispatch to Gov. Robinson, saying: "I regret that Dr. Jameson's dis-obedience has led to a deplorable loss of life. Do your best to secure generous treatment of the prisoners and

the wounded." RESIGNED. The Pall Mall Gazette says: Dr. Jameson, upon receiving a summons to proceed to Johannesburg to assist the Uitlanders, resigned his position as administrator of the British South Africa Company, and that his followers also severed their connection with the company. The Gazette also asserts that 10,000 armed men are in readiness at Bulawayo to march into the Transvaal, and are probably en

route for that territory. EXCITEMENT IN JOHANNESBURG. A dispatch from Johannesburg, South Africa, dated Dec. 30, says the people there are greatly excited. Numbers of Boers are to be seen riding through the streets, which adds greatly to the public excitement. A per-formance of "Othello" was given on Dec. 30 at the Standard Theater in Johannesburg, which was crowded with people of all classes. The or-chestra played the Volkslied, the national air of the Transvaal, whereat the audience drowned the music with the people rose and cheered. A mass meeting of Australian residents of Johannesburg has been held, at which the chirman proposed that infantry and mounted companies be raised to

resist the Boers. London, Jan. 3.-The Chronicle (Liberal) this morning claims on high ausilently arranging to descend upon the Transvaal. The paper hints at certain matters to the discredit of the honor of England, of which matters, it says, Mr. Chamberlain is cognizant. The Colonial Office, it says, is also aware that Hon. Cecil Rhodes. Prime Minister of Cape Colony, would have to supply the money for Dr. Jameson's

All the morning papers publish editorials on the subject of the invasion of the Transvaal. They deplore the result, which they fear will involve the gravest consequences. They contend that nothing but success could have justified the invasion. As the movement has miserably failed, it has seriously damaged the future of South Africa. The papers predict that the fued between Englishmen and the Boers will be excited to fury, and that probably a cry will be raised to wipe out the stain of the second humiliation inflicted upon the British army by the Boers, but they declare that such a demand cannot be encouraged. All the papers condemn Dr. Jameson's rash-

ness and diobedience.
The Times alone of all the morning papers neither condemns nor excuses Dr. Jamseon. It argues that it is possible that his surrender may have been to given orders, and not to the

Hard to Keep The Hands Soft

. And white. Cold, windy weather · makes them red and rough and painful. Keep Hazeline always handy-that's the nicest for chapped hands and face. Hazeline is a fragrant and delightful toilet luxury, exquisitely perfumed, diff fering entirely from any other article made, curing all irritation, pain, chafing, tendency to wrinkles, preserves and beautifies the complexion.

Large Bottles 25 Cents.

Chemists, etc., London, Ont.

2 DRUG | Main Store, 216 Dundas Street, corner Park Avenue.
| Branch, corner Richmond and Piccadilly.

Boers. It examines the origin of the dispatches in support of this theory, but admits that it is more probable that he surrendered to the Boers. KRUGER WAKING UP.

Pretoria, Jan. 3.—A proclamation was issued by President Kruger today assuring the Uitlanders (foreign residents of the Transvaal), that the Government of the Republic is willing that they should submit their grievances for immediate consideration upon the part of the legislature. In addition, in order to prevent suffering at Johannesburg the Government has removed all duties upon food stuffs. As a matter of precaution against revolutionary outbreak, the Governernment has sworn in 1,000 volunteer police, consisting of people of all the nations represented in the Transvaal. It will be their duty to maintain order at Johnannesburg

and elsewhere. NOT AN ENGLISH MOVE. Chicago, Jan. 3,—J. B. Weinberg, of Johannesburg, who is at present in this city, says that the invasion of the Transvaal African gold fields. The people of Johannesburg, who united in calling upon Dr.

Jameson, would fight to a man against coming under British rule. HAS A RISING OCCURRED? London, Jan. 3.-Editor Hess, of the South African Critic, says he has a cable dispatch referring to the recent events at Johannesburg, sent since Dr. Jameson's defeat, and of such a grave nature that he declines to publish it until confirmed from other sources. Mr. Hess has had a long experience in the Transvaal, and his previous news regarding the present crisis in affairs there has all been accurate. In large force of Boers near Krugersdrop, and was obliged to surrender.

In analis the last in the last i risen and has either succeeded or failed in an attempt to liberate Dr. Jameson. I am satisfied that all the foreigners there, including the Americans, would help the English. There are practically no Boers at Johannesburg, except the armed burghers who are parading

the streets " Beyond this Mr. Hess declined to talk; but it was evident from his manner that a rising has occurred at Johannesburg.

SCALPED HIM ALIVE!

Terrible Crime of Two Indian Boys-Murdered a Paleface.

Antlers, I. T., Jan. 3.-Lee Crum, white. was murdered two miles from here by two Chocktaw Indian boys, aged 12 and 16. They shot him on Sunday, injuring him so badly that he was helpless. On Monday they went back, scalped him while still alive and cut off his ears. Then they cut his throat, gouged our his eyes, slashing his cheeks and robbed the dead body. When arrested both confessed, explaining that United States laws were no good, and that they had decided to kill a white man.

RHEA AS JOSEPHINE.

The Popular French Actress Greeted by a Large Audience.

"Rhea" is a favorite in the city and though she presented "Josephine" for the third time in London last night, the audience was as large and enthusiastic as usual, despite the stormy weather. The drama is to familiar too local playgoers to require description. Rhea has staged it sumptuously this year with a wealth of wardrobe effects, appropriate to the picturesque period of the first Napoleon. The six acts, in which the sory of Josephine's divorce and death is told, presented a series of handsome stage pictures and striking tableaux. The climaxes were very effective. Rhea looked every inch a queen and her legal charms were enhanced by several rich and beautiful costumes. The role of Josephine fitted her like a glove. Her majestic appearance lent force to the heavy declamations which the text frequently assigned her and in the lighter passages she was both tender and sprightly. Her leading man, Mr. Lyon L. Adams, made an ideal Napoleon in point of physical resemblance. Though his mannerisms may have been a trifle exaggerated, his portrayal was not lacking in sustained vigor and commanded admiration. Rhea's company is large apparently competent. Several of its members are new to their parts, and any little crudities will disappear with familiarity.

Steamship Arrivals.

Jan. 2. At From St. John City.... Halifax... Longo Lake Winnipeg... St. John Liverp

A Kansas judge recently committed the local agent of a brewing company to jail for contempt of court, for refusing, when on the witness stand as an expert, to drink some of his own

beer. No family living in a bilious country should be without Parmelee's Vegeta-ble Pills. A few doses taken now and then will keep the Liver active, cleanse the stomach and bowels from all bilious matter and prevent Ague. Mr. J. L. Price, Shoals, Martin county, Ind., writes: "I have tried a box of Parmewrites: "I have tried a box of Parmelee's Pills and find them the best medicine for Fever and Ague I have ever used."