THE LAUGH IN SCHOOL.

Hold on for a moment, teacher, You had better ignore the rule
Than to punish that little urchin
Who has just laughed in school,
Had he done it out of malice
It would be a different thing, But he could ro more help it Than a lack can help to sing.

I know by his clothel jacket
And his shoes tied with cord,
That a laugh is the only luxury
Of his childhood he can afford; And he hasn't muc's time left him For even that trivial j y, F. r he'll have to earn his living

You ask why I defend him? Well, the fact is, yestereight I found a dog-eared primer That I used but when a mite, And in imagination As I turned its pages o'er I saw some wonderful pictures That I never found before.

While yet he is a boy.

I saw a certain urchin, (Called Clarence by the boys), Go tod fling into the schoolioun, Making his share of noise; I saw him during schooltime Playing pranks upon the sly, Wi h the rosey little Agnes, Till she laughed as she would die.

I think we all are better, When we grow up to be men, If we have something to make us Look backward now and then; And, therefore, I insisted You had better ignore the rule Than pun sh the little fellow
Who has just laughed out in school.

THE DOOM OF THE CARPET. AN ESTHETIC PHYSICIAN SOUNDS THE FATE OF THIS POPULAR FLOOR COVERING.

. The carpet must go."

"It seems to have already gone from your house," suggested the reporter.

"Yes," relied the physician, as he glanced over the polished floor of his hands mely furnished office. "I have not had a carpet on my item for two years. My floors are polished and I use tigs instead of carpets."

1 use rugs mass and or carputs.

"That is, only in your office?"

"No, sir, through ut my entire house. My floors are of double thickness and are consequently warmer than most carpeted floors, and during winter we never suffer with cold feet.

The floors are warmed by my furnace." "What is the object of this

"I consider carpets unhealthy in the first place, ugly in the second place, and unclearly in the third place."

in the third place."

"How so? Arn't the rugs as unhealthy as carpets?"

"They might be if we left them in a sick room. But that I never do. The carpet holds the poisons of all diseases, such as scarlet fever, diphtheria and the like, long after the rest of the room is disinfecte! I always remove the rag, even from a sick room, where I can find a rug to remove. The carpet retains dust and dirt, and the most careful housewife can not keep it clean. It is impossible. Now the rug may be taken up and thoroughlyy cleaned on both sides whenever the housekeeper wants to do so. Then there is nothing in the way of house furnishing so handsome as a painted and highly-polished so handsome as a painted and highly-polished floor decorated with Persian or Turkish rugs. No carpet ever made is so pleasing to the eye. Yes, the carpet must go, and I only wonder that the crusade against it has been delayed as long as it has."

IN BRIEF, AND TO THE POINT.

Dyspepsia is dreadful. Disordered liver is misery. Indigestion is a fee to good nature.

The human digestive apparatus is one of the most complicated and wonderful things in exist-

It is easily put out of order. Greasy food, tough food, sloppy food, bad cookery, mensal worry, late hours, irregular habits, and many other things which ought not

to be, have made the American people a nation of dyspeptics.
But Green's August Flowers has done

POISONED BY CIGARETTES.

Walter Pierce, a young man of 17, whose home is at Glover vills, N. Y., had a close call recently. He is addicted to cigarettes, and took advantage of his visit to Albany to enjoy himself to his fullest capacity, smoking several pickages a day. Of late he has complained at times of feeling drowsy, and thought the cigarettes did not agree with him. The sequel shows that they did not. One day after breaktast he smoked about fifteen, and them went into the parlor of his aunt's house to lie down. When called for dinner he was found in an un-When called for dinner he was found in an un-conscious state, with his body perfectly rigid. The frightened family called in Dr. Schill, who recognized the symptoms, and after working over the victim for several hours got him in a partially normal condition. The dictor says the young man will recover, and the young man says he is done with cigarettes.

A VALUABLE DISCOVERY.
F. P. Tanne-, of Necbing, Ont., says he has not only found B. B. B. a sure cure for Dyepepsia, but he also found it to be the best medicine for regulating and invigorating the system that he has ever taken. B. B. B. is the great system regulator.

CHARGED WITH MALPRACTICE.

WINDSOR, Ont., Oct. 13.—At Sandwich, yesterday, the case of the Crown against Dr. Bright of Chatham, who is seventy years of age, charged with procuring the death of Ruth Harlow by malp actice, was tried. Ruth Harlow was seduced, it is alleged, by George P. Holden, a commercial traveller, of Hamilton. The girl went to Chatham, it is said, under the direction of Holden. The Crown endeavored to show an arrangement between the prisoner and Holden, arrangement between the prisoner and Holden, that the prisoner should perform the abortion. Miss Harlow went to an hotel in Chatham. She was there visited by the 'prisoner, who immediately found her a boarding house at Bessie McLean's, in which the unfortunate woman died two weeks later. The case was to have been tried in Chatham, but on account of the absence of an important witness for the prosecution Julys Rose ordered a change of venue. The jury went out at a quarter to eight, and in an hour and a half returned with a verdict of not

AN UNDOUBTED OPINION. AN UNDOUBTED OFINION.

"I was severely troubled with diarrhea and having used some of the wonderful Dr. Fowler's Wild Strawberry, I was in a short time completely cured. I can recommend it as a splendid medicine." Wm. A. Stafford, Shedden, Ont. . .

ACTRESS VS. PREACHER.

EMMA ABBOTT TALKS BACK IN CHURCH AND IS REWARDED THEREFOR.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Oct. 11.—At Nashville, on Saturday week, Rev. W. A. Chandler, of McKendree Methodist Episcopal Church, in the course of his sermon was very severe on the theatre and bittely condemned the stage and the majority of those who live by it as immoral and dangerous. Miss Emma Abbott occupied a seat in the rear of the church, and at the con-clusion of the sermon arose and in a short speech character of the pastor's denunciation. She declared his charges unfounded and that her life was as free from blame as that of any living woman. In all the operas produced the past week to which the minister referred there was no impure or improper thought. The great lights of the stage, such as Jenny Lind, Mod-jeska, Albani and countless others had been good

model wives and mothers. defied any one to say that aught had ever been said against the fair fame of Emma Abbott. There was considerable applicable at the conclusion of her remarks. able applause at the conclusion of her remarks. Before it subsided, Mr. Chandler answered that he could not answer the lady because she was a lady. The affair produced a good deal of talk throughout the state, many taking the actress side, and in this city last night, during the representation of "II Trovatore" by the Emma Abbott company at the Opera House, Emma Abbott, in the name of a number of the best citizens of Chattanooza, was presented with a citizens of Chattanooga, was presented with a magnificent solid silver yacht as a testimonial of appreciation of her courageous and well expressed detence of her profession. The applicate that followed the profession. that followed the pres-ntation was something never before witnessed here. Miss Abbott, with faltering voice and tears streaming from her eyes, made an appropriate reply.

CONSUMPTION CURED.

An old physician, retired from practice, having and the physician, fetted from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India mis-sionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchuis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Deb.lity and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charze, to all who desire it, this receipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper.—W. A. Noyes, 149 Power's Block, Rochester, N.Y. (9-13eow)

LOST IN A GALE.

THE SAD FATE OF THE YACHT NETTIE AND HER

CREW. WINNIPEG, Man., Oct 13 - A Port Arthur despatch says it was reported last night that the yach. Nettie, which left Jarvis Island on the yacht Nettie, which left Jarvis Island on Thursday last, with six men on board, for Port Arthur, had been lost. When the first thought of danger to the Nettis was believed, Mr. Arthur McEwan, Manager of the Jarvis Mine, immediately made all possible efforts to accretain the wherabouts of the parties on board, and the fate of the vess. I. The whole coast and island was searched. The tug Salty Jack found no traces of the Nettie during the day, but toward evening met the fishing boat Three Brothers, and learned that the rudder and oars of the Nettie had been picked up between Welcome Island and Mutton Island. There is, therefore, no doubt but the six men met their death in the terrible gale of Thursday and Friday. Among those lost were Mr. Murray, from Lonfon, Eug., Mr. McKinnen, who leaves a young wife almost heartbroken, and Mr. Fox and son of Fort William. and son of Fort William.

A DUDE CRUSHED.

Some time since one of the brightest and wittiest of Cincinnati girs went abroad, and when she returned, among those to welcome her was a dode with lots of east, but he was short of brains. In relating places she had visited, she mentioned Ireland. Instantly the dude's ears swing around to the fore like a pair of palm-leaf fans. He stopped sucking the celfuloid of his cane and interrupted the conversation with :

"Ah, in Ireland; and did you see the Blarnev stone?

"Yes, I was there."
"Oh, I should so delight to see it. It has always been a desire of mine to kiss that cele-brat d stone, but I have never had the opportu-

nity,"
"Indeed; then you should go there." "I know, but I have not done so, why shouldn't I kiss it by proxy? You have been there and kissed it, why should not I take the influence of the Blarney from your lips?"—and the simpering idiot stepped forward grinning,

to proxify the young lady.

But she drew back, and looked him squarely in the face, and said: "I beg your pardon, my dear Mr. B—, but I sat upon the Blarney

The dude was paralyzed; he shot into the hall, and out into the street, while his face wore the expression of a iran who had been hit by a trip hammer covered with plush. He hasn't said "Ireland" since, and the mention of the

until I tried Burdock Blood Bitters, which remedy I can highly recommend to all afflicted as I was." Henry Smith, Miwerton, Ont.

A FASTIDIOUS FABRICATION

To the Editor of THE TRUE WITNESS :-Sir,—The Express (Conservative) Dublin, 7th instant, says, because the Stipendiary Magistrate did not condemn Lord Mayor Sull-

van, that he was fastidious in his interpretation on the Law of Coercion against the publication of National League meetings. This tempts me to say :say:—
Oh, the Tory landlerd press perfidious,
Of purpose foul and words insidious,
Extending on the country's ruin.
Brewing malice, and stander spewing;
But no rigateous cause was hurt.
By such slanderers throwing dirt.
The light of truth proclaims their shame.
And brands them with a lying fame.

Montreal, 8th October, 1887.

Consumption Surely Cured. To THE EDITOR-

Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy FREE to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their express and P. O. address.

Respectfully,
DR. T. A. SLOCUM,
BRANCH OFFICE: 37 Yonge St., Toronto
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HON. JOHN COSTIGAN.

Again the rumor is on its travels that Mr Costigan is going to resign his seat in the Cabinet, and take an appointment under the Conven. The position he is to get, says the report, is that of Collector of Customs at the port of Montreal. In the event of the retirement of the Minister of Inland Revenue, Mr. Michael Adams, who contested Northumberland County, at the last general election, with the Hon. Peter Mitchell, will run for Victoria County. We do not believe either rumor.—Quebcc Chronicle.

TWO OF FORTUNE'S FAVORITES HAPPY.

Mrs. Henry Helfrich, at 64 Shipley St., San Francisco, said: "Yes, indeed, it is true, my husband won \$2,000 in the Louisiana State Lottery drawing of the 9th ult., and we are both very glad of it. Mr husband has bought a nice little property on Turk street, where we intend to live in a short time." He is foreman confectioner of Messrs. Scroth and Westerfield. He tioner of Messrs. Scroth and Westerfield. He confirmed his wife's statement. He had never expected such a stroke of good luck as this. After considerable difficulty in finding William Dowling, a workman in the employ of the Oak land Gas Company, he said: "Yes, when the list was published I looked for my ticket and found it crumpled up in a ball in one corner of my vest pocket. I unrolled it and compared it with the list, when, for a moment, I thought I must be drunk or crazy, but when I looked again I found that I was right and my number had got me \$2,000." He is said by his employers and fellow-workmen to be an honest, hardworking man, and all seem to rejoice at his working man, and all seem to rejoice at his good fortune.—San Francisco(Cal.) Call, Sept. 9.

Mrs. Brown was endeavoring to console her young married daughter, who was weeping over her husband's shortcomings. "What could I do, my dear? I married you to Ernest because he swore he had the secret of making you happy."

"True, m-m-mamma. It was a se-se-se-secret, and he's k-k-k-kept it."

At a wagner performance.—Conductor—Sh—schtop. De piece vas gongluded. Von Blutwurst—Ye haf schtopped. You was geeping time mit dot thunderstorm outside, ain't it?

THE PERSONAL DEVIL. BURDETTE DISCOURSES ON A THEOLOGICAL SUB-

JECT. Do I believe in a personal devil, son?
Don't I? I don't know of any creature in the

universe more given to presonality than this same devil to whom you allude. I believe in demoniscal pracessions. I my self have seen men possessed with devils exceed ingly fierce. I have seen a child which had a dumb spirit. Why I myself have been grievously vexed with a devil. Not once, my son, but many times; not only twenty-live years ago, but yesterday, possibly to-day; more than likely to morrow.

Why, my boy, did y'u never get up in the morning with a demon of ill-humor, of perversity, of hatefulness, in full possession of you? You feel strong, vigorous, well; your head doesn't ache; your vis on is clear, your debts are paid; the day is bright, sunny, beautiful; nob dy gives you a cross word; everyb dy in the dining-room speaks pleasant y to you as you come in, and the bitter, mean, waspish devil of perversity that has possession of you snarls out a hateful answer the minute you open your lips to speak; makes you say something you never intended to say; puts into your mouth words that make your own heart ache, as your eyes see the lips that you love quiver with pain a) your harshness.

Have you never maintained a surly, mean, cruel humor while a brave, loving face, looking up into your clouded brow, was cheerily trying to cast out the evil spirit? Have you never done some mean thing at which your better nature revolted? Never been ill-tempered all day when you had no cause, no reason for it, and were torturing yourself even as you tortured those whom you most dearly loved?

Ah, yes: you have writhed in the clutches of these levils of perversity, obstinacy, ill humor, unreasoning and unreasonable meanness, fiercely crying out against the love that would cast out the evil spirits.

Eut this, you say, is owing to physical and mental causes. The body is in ill health, and there is in the human organization an integration and co ordination of vital action, whichthere; that will do; I always feel one coming into me when I hear you talk in that way. Physical health has nothing to do with it, because some of the greatest sufferers the world has ever known have been emirely free from this demoniac possession, while some of the mean st men I ever knew have lived in perfect health to their eightieth year. You know your self that when you feel that way you are pos-

sessed of a devit. Do 1 believe in him? My boy, it doesn't make a particle of difference whether a man with the jumping toothache believes in the to thache or not; he's got it; the toothache is in possession just the same. And, between you and me and the man named Legion, he acts for all the world as though he did believe in it.

HORSFORD'S ACID PHOSPITATE.

IMPORTANT. Dr. T. C. Smith, Charlotte, N.C., says: attach to it the highest importance, not only as an agreeable cooling drink, but as a the rapeutic agent of well-defined and specific value."

A TRUE TALE.

PRESIDENT LINCOLN'S STORY OF THE END OF SYRES' DOG.

When Mr. Lincoln heard of the scattering of the Confederates under Hood and Gen. Thomas he was reminded of the following story: "Out in lower 10 linois, in a little vill-ge, there was a butcher named Sykes, who had a large, wicked, mischievous bull-dog, which was regarded as a town nuisance. Fowl were killed, clothes were pulled from the lines, meat-houses were robbed, children were scared, and 'Sykes' dog' was blamed for all and blamed justly. Now, there was a man named Henderson who had a fine turkey killed by this dog of Sykes, and he swore revenge. So he took about a quarter swore revenge. So he took about a quarter of a pound of powder and did it up in a piece of buckskin, tying up a piece of punk so that it projected out of the little bundle of powder. Then he put the bundle in a large piece of corn bread and had it in readiness. It was not long before Sykes' dog came trating along, and Henderson, lighting the punk with a cigar, threw the bit of bread to the cur, who gobbled it at a mouthful. The next minute there was an explosion. The dcg's head was blown over a fence into the creek, his hind legs and tail were sent up and lodged on Henderson's norch, his But Green's August Flowers has done a wonderful work in reforming this sad business and making the American people so healthy that they can enjoy their meals and be happy.

Remember:—No happiness without health. But Green's August Flower brings health and happiness to the dyspeptic. Ask your druggist for a bottle. Seventy-five cents.

But Green's August Flower brings health and happiness to the dyspeptic. Ask your druggist for a bottle. Seventy-five cents.

The happiness done a said "Ireland" since, and the mention of the word "Blarney" makes him delirious.

B.B.B STOOD THE TEST.

"I tried every known remedy I could think of for rheumatism, without giving me any relief, until I tried Burdock Blood Bitters, which remedy I can highly recommend to all afflicted by the Rebel army "added Mr. Luncoln, with one the R-bel army," added Mr. Lincoln, with one of his sat smiles "as an army, Hood wen't find it of much use."

HOW TO SPLECT A WIFE.

thood health, good morals, good tense and good temper, are the four essentials for a good wife. These are the indispensibles. After them come the minor advantages of good looks, accomplishments, family position, etc. With the first four married lite will be comfortable and happy. Licking either, it will be in more or less degree a failure. Upon good health depends largely good temper and good looks, and to some extent good sense also, as the best mind must be affected more or less by the weaknesses and whims attendant on frail health. Young man, if your wife is falling into invalidism, first of all things try to restore her health. If see is troubled with debilitating female weaknesses, buy Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It will

WITH A DIFFERENCE.—Johnny Johnson ran off to sea, after a too delirious study of "The Cruise of the Midge," that most charming of sea stories. He returned home a sadder and a wiser man after six months' adventure. "You didn't like tarring the ropes?" said his father. "Yes," answered persistent John, "but I didn't like their way of roping the tars."

J. H. Earl, West Shefford, P.Q., writes:'I have been troubled with Liver Complaint for several years, and have tried different medi-cines with little or no benefit, until I tried Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, which gave me immediate Thomas Ecceltic Oil, which gave me immediate rslief, and I would say that I have used it since with the best effect. No one should be without it. I have tried it on my horse in cases of Cuts, Wounds, etc., and I think it equally as good for horse as for man."

Father: Well, what can you say for the young man? Daughter: He's young and handsome, and has good business ability. Father: How do you know anything about his business qualifications? Daughter: Why, he has shown me again and again how nicely we could get along if you make us a present of a couple of hundred

Why will you allow a cough to lacerate your throat or lungs and run the risk of filling a consumptive's grave, when, by the timely use of Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, the pain can be alloyed and the danger avoided. This Syrup alloyed the tasts and unappropried for is pleasant to the taste, and unsurpassed for relieving healing and curing all affections of the throat and lungs, coughs, colds, bronchitis, etc.,

Lady Lytton used to tell the following:-During dinner at the Bulwers, Dean Swift be-During dinner at the Bulwers, Dean Switt became the subject of convesation, and, when the ladies had retired, one of them asked Lady Lytton, "Who is this Dr. Swift? Can I ask him to my parties?" "Hardly so." "Who not?" "Because he did a thing some years since which effectually prevented his ever appearing again in society." "What was that?" "Why, he died about a hundred years ago."

The coughing and wheezing of persons troubled with bronchitis or asthma is excessively tharrassing to themselves and annoying to others. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil obviates all this entirely, safely and speedily.

SAD SHOOTING ACCIDENT.

QUEBEC, Oct. 10.—There occurred yesterday afternoon, at Levis, a sad and fatal shooting accident, which has plunged several families into gri-f and mourning. Yesterday families into gri-f and mourning. Yesterday afternoon Mr. Desire Laverdiere, about twentythree years of age, started in company with his friends, Mr. George Rheame, Pierre Rheume and Mr. Michaud, on a hunting expedition. Mr. Moise Montminy, who resides at St. Joseph, Levis, went into the woods between the forts named respectively Nos. 1 and 2, Mr. Montminy was alone and seeing a jay nose by Montminy was alone and seeing a jay pass by he fired and naturally ran to pick up the bird. Imagine his horror, surprise and grief to find that the contents of his gun had been buried in the head of the unfortunate Laverdiere, who was mortally wounded, although neither Laverdiere nor Montminy knew as yet the extent or gravity of the wound, because when the latter addressed the wounded man, he answered, "It is nothing at all, nothing at all." Thirty minutes after having said those words, notwith-standing that doctors Hame in and Ladriere did a'l in their power for hun, he was dead. An inquest is being held.

An ugly complexion made Nellie a fright, Her face was all pimply and red, Though her features were good, and her blue eyes were bright, "What a plain girl is Nellie"! they said.

But now, as by magic, plain Nellie has grown As fair as an artist's bright dream; Her face is as sweet as a flower new blown, Her cheeks are like peaches and cream.

As Nellie walks out in the fair morning light Her beauty attracts every eye, Aud as for the people who called her a fright, "Wby, Nellic is handsome," they cry.

And the reason of the change is that Nellie took Dr. Pierce's Golden M-dical Discovery, which regulated her liver, cleared her complexion, made her blood pure, her breath sweet, her face fair and rosy, and removed the defects that had obscured her beauty. Sold by all druggists.

PROSECUTING A CHURCH

FOR BRINGING A CLERGYMAN FROM ENGLAND "UNDER CONTRACT."

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.-United States District ence to the parties thereto and the subject mat-ter and provisions thereof, comes wi hin the terms of the law under which you reque a me to ac. "After a long review of the case Mr. Walker rays that notwitistanding first impressions to the contrary he has reached the conclusions." sion that the case presented is within the statute and that it is his do y to being suit. Mr. Warren is an alien and has immugrated to the United States under the solicitation of a corporation, with which, prior to his leaving England, he had engaged to perform labor or service in this country. The statute prescribes that the labor or service referred to is labor or service of any kind. This cannot mean manual labor or service simply, for the terms are of the broadest character, and, moreover, the exceptions mentioned in the act exclude the idea that its idea that its general provisions relate to the mechanical or industrial labor alone. The exceptions pertinent to be noted are, among others, "professional actors, artists, lecturers, or singers." None of these excepted cases would or singers." None of these excepted cases would be regarded as belonging to the manual labor of the statute, and it remains to be seen whether the broader basis of interpretation, popularly known as "the spirit of the act" or " presumed

"WHAT A LOVE OF A DRESS!" "Do you think so? Well, I'll tell you a secret. It's my old faded gray silk that I dyed with a Diamond Dye and made over." S 41 everywhere. 33 Colors, and only 10 cents each. Also Diamond Paints: Gold, Bronze, Silver, Copper, and Artists' Black—only 10 cents each.

Here are facts worth noting to the honor of to all abstinence. The Archdiocese of Philo-delphia, which has nearly one-third of the 50,010 Catholic total abstainers of the United States, made the largest contribution—\$13,740-to the relief of the Charleston carthquake sufferers; the largest, \$11,000, to the Negro and Indian Missions, I adding even generous Boston by a few hundred dollars. The total abstinence societies of the same place gave, not long ago, as their own expected, offering to the cause of Irish own especial offering to the cause of Irish national independence, the substantial sum of \$8,000. After all, total abstinence is not necessarily a parsimonious virtue.—Boston Pilot.

Holoway's Ointment and Pills.—Abserses, Erysipelas, Piles.—Unvarying success attends all who treat these diseases according to the simple printed directions wrapped round each pot and box. They are invaluable to the young and timid, whose bashfulness sometimes endangers life. Though apparently local, diseases of this nature are essentially blood diseases, but a little attention, moderate perseverage, and t.ifling expense will enable the most diffident to conduct any case to a happy issue without exposing secret infirmities to any one. The Continuent checks the local inflammation and alleviates the throbbing pains. These directions also clearly point out when and how Holloway's Pills are to be taken, that their purifying and regulating powers may assist by adjusting and strengthening the constitution.

A young man is apt to stammer and stutter when he declares his passion. Sometimes the pitying girl helps him out, and sometimes it is er pitiless father.

PEOPLE WHO RESIDE OR SOJOCEN in regions of country where fever and ague and billious remittent fever are prevalent, should be particularly careful to regulate digestion, the liver and the boxels, before the approach of the season for the periodic malady. The timely use of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure is a valuable safeguard against the malarial scourge. It is acknowledged to be the best blood purifier in the market.

The State of the Game—Lady Customer—
"How much are grouse to-day, Mr. Jiblets?"
Poulterer—"Twelve shillings a brace, ma'am.
Shall I send them——" Lady Customer—"No,
you need not send them. My husband's out
grouse shooting, and he'll call for them as he
comes home!" comes home!

Corns cause intolerable pain. Holloway's Corn Cure removes the trouble. Try it and see what an amount of pain is saved.

The reason more umbrellas than water-melons are stolen is thought to be because the thief does not have to plug the umbrella. It is

The superiority of Mother Graves Worm Exterminator is shown by its good affect on the children. Purchase a bottle and give it a

"Well, Mary, how do you like your new place?" "I can't tell yet, positively; you know the first day the ladies are always politeness itself." PROMPT RELIEF IN SICK HEADACHE, dizziness, nausea, constipation, pain in the side, guaranteed to those using Carter's Little Liver Pills. One a dose. Small price. Small dose.

place ?"

Small pill.

THE CARDINAL.

THE BANQUET IN TORONTO TO MGR. TASCHERPAU. At the banquet to Cardinal Taschereau in Toronto, on Monday night, about 200 guests were present. All the Catholic clergy and prominent Catholic laymen of the district were present. The noticeable Protestants were Licut. Governor Sir Alexander Campbell, Premier Mowat, Minister of Education Ross, Speaker Plumb, Senator G. W. Allan, President Wilson, of University College, Wm. Mulock, M.P., Col. G. T. Denis n, and John Leys, M.P.P.

The following is the pith of the speeches which were made:

THE CARDINAL.

Mgr. Taschereau: "The great dignity which has been conferred upon me is not for my morits; I acknowledge it; but I must say as the Pope himself said in the Consistory, that he wanted to give to the people of the Dominion of C ma fa a sign of his love and esteem. (Applause.) I a sign of his love and esteem. (Appraise.) I must tell you that the Pope is very inquisitive, and has a very good memory. Whenever a lishop comes to see him, he inquires very much, not only about the state of relizion in the different dioceses, but about the relations between the State and the Church, and I am happy to tell you that my answer was this: That in the Dominion of Canada the Church enjoys a great liberty—(applause)—that the relations between the citizens of different races and religions were very good, very friendly; and we enjoy as much liberty as we could wish. (Applause.) This was due to the liberality of the Provincial Governments and also to the liberality of the Endward (incompany). of the Federal Government, represented here by the Minister of Justice. (Applause.)

THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR. Sir Alexander Campbell :- "He rejoiced that it had pleased His Holiness to confer a Cardinal's hat upon a resident of this country. (Applanse.) It was an honor to Protestants and Catholics alike." (Applause.)

THE MINISTER OF JUSTICE,

Hon. Mr. Thompson: "The boner which had been conferred by the Holy Father would be regarded as an honor not only to the people of Canada but to Canada herself." (Lord ap-

THE LITTLE PREMIER.

Hon, Mr. Mowat: " What is it fitting that in this great cathering of the bishops, priests and representative Lymen of Untable -what is it fitting that I should say as a Protestan on this occasion? I do not imagine I could do better than content myselt with expressing my extire concurrence in the condul words which His Henor, the Lieutenan Governor, has made as timid Profestants, and there is a me danger if I say much that there may be a cry raised among these timid Catholics that Popery is in done or. (Applause and Laugater.) Just as a little while ago there was, with as little raison, a cry raised that Profestantism was in danger. (Renewed applause and laugater.) There are fundamental differences between Profestants and Cacholics, but if I have understood the conversations I have had with His Grace the Archbishop and the product in sight for which I have read. I believe it is not inconsist on which I have read. I believe it is not inconsist on with the views of the Catholic Church to hold that there may be good Protestants—(Boughter) in spite of their Protestantism. (Benewed laughter). In the same manner I rejeice to acknowledge, from my own observation and from knowledge, from my own observation and from tenants in arreads. Ireland neight expect my reading, that there are likewise very good greater benefits from the Government in the Catholics (laughter)—in spits of their Catholicism. Catholicism. am g ad to know that Protestants and Catholica are one in this country. (Applause.) I am glad to know that we can condully units in things political—(applause and laughter)— I join very heartily in the kind things that have been said of His Eminencehere to night. I know

class, and the conclusion is inevitable that, if that his name has long been familiar to the not excepted, they would fall within the terms people of this country as a man of learning, a of the law. The case presented is, therefore, man of intellect, a good man, an earnest man, a clearly within the bald and remorseless letter devoit man, and I have only to say that I must of intellect, a good man, an earnest man, a devout man, and I have only to say that I earnestly hope that he may long live to enjoy the exalted honor which the head of his Church known as "the spirit of the act" or "presumed las conferred upon him in creating him a prince legislative intent," excludes its application to of the Church—the first Canadian who has rethe case.

(Loud and prolonged application to conferred upon him in creating him a prince of the Church—the first Canadian who has rether case. plause.) THE BASHIUL MAN.

Toronto Globe's report: "The hour was early, only 16.39, and the guest-clamored for speeches from the Archbishop and Hon. G. W. R. ss. Archbishop Lynch said a few kindly words, but Mr. Ross did not rise in response to the calls that were made for him; the band played 'Go1 Save the Queen,' and the company dispersed."

INTELLECTUAL TASTES

Intellectual tastes, as they are called, are cur ons y wayward. It is rarely that are in follows in his father's track; still rarer is it to find two br theis pursuing the same studies and seeking distinction in the same way. Happy the youth who in early life acquires a love of books, for, next to the love of nature, there is no taste so satisfying and so lasting as a taste for reading. The passion for books, by the way, is ometimes associated with curious eccentricities, and there are men who gain so strong a taste for the acquisition of books that they fall to read them. But, indeed, a long essay might be written on coentricities of taste. Every one, perhaps, has his hobby; and what to one man is a folly is to another a delight. The tiste in which our neighbor glories is, probably, in your eyes a cad .- London Queen.

PAUPER IMMIGRANTS TO BE SENT BACK.

TORONTO, Oct. 11.—At the City Council meeting 1st night, Mayor Howland read the follow-

ing message:—

I beg to bring down letters with regard to G. R King and family, who are likely to be a burden on the city. Eight helpless children, father and mother, were sent out here in destitute and dependent circumstances and unfit to earn a living in this country. This is one of numerous cases, and I shudder to think of all the misery, trouble and expense which this kind

of reckless immigration is going to cause this winter in the city. The Dominion Government proposes to pay one half return fare and the St. George's Society ask us to furnish the balance, \$62.50. I can only say that it is best economy for the city to do so, as it will cost much more to support them here. I trust that in considering the matter the council will take such action as will result in such immigration being stopped and turned back at the entering port of the

DEATH IN THE FLAMES. FATAL FIRE IN A CLEVELAND LUNATIC ASYLUM.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 12.-The horrors of a fierce fire, in the smcke and confusion of which stalked the presence of grim death in his most terrible form, visited the great insane asylum in the southern limits of the city for the second time to night. It was the occasion of the weekly dance given the more manageable of the patients as a healthy means of recreation. About 350 of them in charge of attendants were enjoyof them in charge of attendants were enjoying the diversion thus afforded them, when the cry of fire arose and flames and smoke poured in upon them with bewildering suddeness. A stampede was the result, and the attendants had scarcely time to realize the situation when the room was filled with leaping fire and dense smoke. As soon as the first excitement had abated the attendants made a courageous rush into the suffocating smoke and courageous rush into the suffocating smoke and rescued all they could of the unfortunates who had been overcome. The bodies of six insane women, who had met death by asphyxia and burning, were recovered and three more were found in an injured condition. Two of the dead were unrecognizable. The names of the others are: Mrs. Margaret Pitts, Miss Jennie B. Hall, Miss Eveline Scribner and Mrs. Charlotte Knowlton. The injured are: Miss Caroline Knowlton, cousin of Charlotte, perhaps fatally; Miss Jane Black and Miss May Ogle. But for Miss Jane Black and Miss May Ogle. But for the heroic conduct of the physicians and atten-At a Wagner performance.—Conductor—

"How hollow it sounds," said a patient to the heroic conduct of the physicians and attention. Blutwurst—Ye haf schtopped. You was geeping time mit dot thunderstorm outside, ain't it?

"How hollow it sounds," said a patient to the heroic conduct of the physicians and attention the doctor pounding his chest. "Oh, that's dants, who rushed into the smoke and flames and dragged the terror stricken insane people opened your mouth yet. Second ditto: Beg from the chapel, the loss of life must have been pardon. I yawn every time you speak.

terrible. The fire started at the laundry, a one-storey building which adjoins the wing in which the chapel is located. The prompt response and active work of the firemen prevented a disastrons spread of flames. The loss to property will fall below 25,000.

JOEY'S RAVINGS.

THE TIME HAS PASSED, HE THINKS, WHEN THE BUSH SHOULD MORMUR AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT.

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LONDON, Cet. 11.—J. sept. Unaumeriam was received with mech enthusiosm upon his arrival in Ireland to-day. At Larne Mr. Chamberlain was presented with an address, in teply to which he declared that the time had passed when the Irish had cause to murmur against the Government. When Parliament represented only vested interests and missilones it transpired. Government When Parliament represented only vested interests and privileges it tyrannized over the Irish people. Now they had a democratic Parliament, representing the whole people, in which every just and reasonable claim was certain of favorable consideration. Personally, he favored land law reform so that ultimately every cultivator might own the land he tilled, and the greatest extension of local government consistent with the integrity of the Empire, the supremacy of Parliament and the protection of minorities. (Cheers.) At Belfast large crowds gathered to welcome Mr. Chamberlain, and the streets and houses were decorated in his honor. Mr. Chamberlain was diven along York street at a slow pace for a quarter of a mile, and was heartily cheered. The crowd unharmessed the horses and drew the carriage themselves. Cries of "Boo" from some workmen alternated with the cheers of Mr. Chamberlaio sadmirers. Upon his arrival at the Chemberlaio sadmirers. the cheers of Mr. Chamberlain's admirers. Upon his arrival at the County Down depot, Mr. Chamberlain addressed the crowd. He said:— "With the help of our Libera'-Unonist collagues and the support of the whole Conservations and the support of the whole Conservations." It agues and the support of the whole Corservative party, we have at all events saved the union, thereby preserving Great Britam from injury and Ireland from ruin and disaster. Although the danger has been temporarily averted, it seems possible that this great issue will again have to be faced, when a great deal will depend upon the artified and determination of the man of Ulster. If the majority araumated by the spirit of those present, I have no doubt of the result. It might be possible to give freinal Home Kale if the trich den and was give Ireland Rome Rule if the Brish doesn't was in unimous, but it would be unpossable to force Ulster to accept a government she hetersted and detes ed.

CHAMBERLAIN'S FRIENDS.

HIS NOTHERS TO THE LIBERAL UNIONITY TOLLEG GATES OF UNFOURERL COUNTY (***) 155 FRIGHT'S ADEA (FIGURE) FOX: THE SENTENCES STAYED.

BELLYSI, Oct. 13 Mr. Chimber's a visited Coloraine to day where he receive him is in her of Liberal Unions of degates from the section of Davy, Aurim and Tyrone - Lamiad rese Mr. cous more fortunat by circumstances. The Government eight now to deal with poor future than she had pecelved in the past. himself, har rent Mr. Gladstone a purchase system embodying a proposal for a revaluation

of land and providing money without the Iging British credit. The Government are consider-ing a similar scheme. LONDON, Oct. 13.—John Bright has written a letter denouncing a ball t by Mr. Gladstone, headed "Remember Muchellstown!" and signed "W. E. Gladstone," Mr. Pright says the leaflet shows the depth of the degradation to which the Liberal party has been rapidly forced with the pomoters and leaders of rebellion in Ireland. Mr. Glubstone's followers are room in froming. Bit, Granton's topowers are ready to pdopt any cry and charge be makes to excite the passions of the ignorant men against the Government be wants to supplant and which he is passionately laboring to succeed.

COESCION THAT DOESN'T CORICE. In rain, Oct. 13. - United Iroland, Vollman O'Bren's paper, to day publishes six columns of reports of various National Legree meetings, and says, "This is how coercion terrorizes the

THE SENTENCES STAYED.

DUBLIN, Oct. 13. The Inspector Concert of constability the issued in order suspending the execution of the coloner's warrants for the arrest of Inspector Browning and others, against which a vertical dimentic was readened at Mitchellstewn yesterday, pending an appeal to quash the finding of the jety.

NOT THE IRISH THIS TIME.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—The uncomployed persons who frequent Tradegar Square formed in a body to-day and marched to the Mansion House where they demanded an interview with the Lord Mayor. The Lord Mayor declined to hold any conversation with the mob-or its representatives. The crowd in-sisted upon an interview, but were again refused. They then denounced the Lord again refused. They then denounced the Lord Mayor, after which they started back to Trafalgar Square. They stopped at the office of the Standard and hooted and jear of The police attempted to move the crowd, but were met with resistance. They then charged the mobilined served a black banner and a number of rad flags. The mobilined radical transfer of the crowd shouted, "Men, assert your rights," and the mobilined upon the police and succeeded in forcing them back from their position and in recapturing the back from their position and in recapturing the black banner. The police soon inlied, how-ever, and again charged the mob, who became demoralized and ran in every direction.

MRS. McENROE TO BE RELEASED.

QUEBEC, Oct. 14.-[Special to THE POST.]-A neeting of the Council was held this morning, and Hon. Mr. McShane brought before it the case of Mrs. McEnroe, of Lachine, now in jail with her infant, he having read the affair in the Herald of yesterday. The Hon. Premier and his colleagues at once denounced it as an outrage, and Hon. Treasurer Shebyn immediately telegraphed to Mr. Lamb, revenue in the property against her property. spector, asking by whose authority the poor woman had been arrested and confined in jail for over a year. The case will be at once attended to and the woman liberated.

COMMERCIAL UNION AT ST. CATHARINES.

ST. CATHARINES, Ont., Oct. 11 .- A meeting of farmers to discuss the question of commercial union was held in Bole's School House, Granunich was field in Bole's School House, Gran-tham, on Monday evening. About forty people were present, making it the largest meeting of the kind that has been held in this vicinity. John Secord was appointed chairman. Speeches were made by Messrs. J. P. Merritt, Benj. Halstead and John Phalen, er. A com-mercial union club was organized, and Oscar A. Latz elected president, and Robert Thompson secretary. A resolution favoring closer trade secretary. A resolution favoring closer trade relations with the United States was adopted.

Mr. H. McCaw, Custom House. Toronto, writes: "My wife was troubled with Dyspepsia and Rheumatism for a long time; she tried many different medicines, but did not get any relief until she used Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Care. She has taken two bottles of it, and naw finds herself in better health than she has been for years."

Old lady, gazing at oil painting-Who painted that air picture, mister? Dealer—Rosa Bon-heur. Old lady—One of the old masters? Dealer—No, ma'am; one of the old missuses.