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New designs in unbleached table

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CHATHAM ONT., TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22 1903

The Chatham Daily Planet.

A STRONG CIVIC DEPUTATION

City Council Acts With Commendable Enterprise on Suggestion of The Planet—Ald. Martin Pays His Respects to this Journal-Mayor's Energetic Recommendation.

Aldermen at Sea on Telephone Franchise

Defeat the Offer of Their Committee Which the Bell Company Accepted—Matter Left in Abeyance—Other Business of an Important Meeting.

ed the report of the Finance Commitcommittee's proposition to the Brill Telephone Company in connection The Telephone Company had accept ed the proposition after a conference with the aldermen, and the committee asked for a ratification of the agreement arrived at. A motion to this effect by Ald. Marshall and

Edmondson was defeated. Our New York Ready-to-Wear Then the Mayor asked what were Hats have met with great approval the Council going to do, and a chorus answered, helplessly, "We don't

You get such chic styles and Ald. Marshall said that the Finance excellent qualities for such liltle prices—\$1.25 to - \$3.00 committee had met with the district manager of the Bell Telephone Co., and the following agreement had Children's Coats. been discussed, submitted, and afterwards accepted by the company. This

We have made this season a vas,-Two free telephones in addition speccial effort to provide coats for to the eight already in use, one for the little tots from 2 years to 6 yrs. the city clerk's residence and one for the library, one for each of the hospitals at half rates and \$125 in cash anwhat you want—come to us this sea-son and you will find it. Coats made of fine cloths of

Ald. Marshall said ne wanted to make the very best arrangement cities and could say that in accordance with the revenue derived Chatham had made the best bargain of all. The city could either renew the franchise for five years or needn't renew it. In the latter event the city r to the Eider Flannels, very pretty and very reasonably priced, \$1.75 to \$3.00 THOS. STONE & SON... new it. In the latter event the city would have to pay for the phones they use and lose \$125 per annum. Mr. F. D. Laurie, the local manager, was present at the request of Ald. Marshall, to answer any questions the Council might wish to ask.

Ald. Marshall moved that the con-

Ald. Marshall moved that the conditions of the agreement be accepted.
Ald. Edmondson seconded the motion.
Ald. Piggott asked if anything had

west end. They could not be used with satisfaction after the electric light plant started.

Ald. Edmondson fully believed that the interests of the people using the phones would be safely guarded by the new franchism.

phones would be sarely enter the new franchise.

Ald. McCoig said that he couldn't agree with his colleague in accepting \$125 a year and free phones for renewing the franchise. He thought it to small a remuneration for the enter the ent

was possible to do.

Ald. McCoig said that as far as the efforts to secure a good deal were concerned, he believed that his collistic field any

Mr. Laurie replied that, as well as receiving the equivalent of \$2,000, the Council were also protecting the interests of the city and securing a guarantee that Chatham would receive the best service given to any city. If the contract were not renewed the city had no agreement as to class of service. If it were renewed the city was receiving a guarantee. If, at the end of the year, some cithar city received a better rate, the the creamy were not living u, that the creamy were not living u, that greement if they did not extend to the council of the city and they have the characteristics.

Ald. Piggott said that this was one of the most irrectant questions that had come or this year, and unless that be to be to left as it was.

Left best to left as it was.

... What are we going to Double-Pay for the city

A depute the West Kent Agricultural to consisting of Chas. Austin, Will Healey, W. W. Scene and W. D. Sheldon, whited on the City Council and obtained the usual grant of \$300 for the Fair.

Ald. Mounteer stated that the Fair Board had tendered the use of their buildings to the city for the storing of the sprinkling carts and other corporation machinery.

Requests to trim trees were received from James Dodson, George H. Hogle, Herbert Bennett, Ed. Hardaker and Wm. Brown, and referred to

Ald. McCoig moved that Mrs. Wm. Beaver's taxes be received less the dog tax. Her slip showed no assessment for a dog, while the roll did. The Deputy Minister of Agriculture wrote that he was sending a map of the Dominion at the request of Goo

Stephens. The clerk was instructed to thank the Deputy Minister.

Ald. Marshall presented the agreement between the county and city for the payment of the change of heating system in Harrison Hall. The cost would be \$2,900 less \$250 allowed for the old furnaces and the registers. The city pays a quarter of this. The Mayor's signature to the

this. The Mayor's signature to the agreement was approved by the Council. Ald. McCoig also had the Finance committee authorized to see that the signatures were witnessed.

Ald. Piggott asked that the Bunner's account for \$25 for 500 copies of their Industrial edition be referred with power, as all the copies had not been received.

Ald. Martin thought that the account should be paid.
Ald. Piggott's motion carried. A petition was received for a plank walk on Wade St., and referred to

walk on Wade St., and referred to the City Clerk.

Those who pay for spaces on the market square asked that their pluc-es be kept for them, so that they would not have to get to market so early under the existing conditions of the roads. Referred to the Property Committee. Committee.

Mrs. Thomas Wanless asked com-

Mrs. Thomas Wanless asked com-pensation for injuries received on Queen street nine weeks ago. Re-ferred to Finance.

C. R. Atkinson wrote re the Chap-lin bonus debentures. Received.

William J. Bradley and Dawson
Bradley, through their solicitors in
Petrolea, wrote in reference to a horse injured at the corner of West street and Lorne avenue. Referred to Finance.

Ald. Mounteer said that no accident could have happened at the corner mentioned. There were no holes

there.
Ald. McCoig—And it couldn't have happened on Queen street. There are no holes there.—Laughter.
A communication from J. R. Stratton, provincial secretary, regarding legislation respecting motor vehicles, was referred to Finance committee. Ald. Edmondson desired to inquire of the Board of Works in regard to some street but he forgot the name.

newing the franchise. He thought it too small a remuneration for the amount of business. He preferred to leave it an open matter and have an efficient service.

Ald. Marshall asked if the Finance committee had not done all that it was possible to do.

Ald. McCoig suggested Emma street. Then Ald. Edmondson remembered that it was Delaware avenue. Mr. Pritchard had complained of an open ditch on this avenue by reason of which he was unable to get his coal in.

Ald. Mounteer explained that in-

ment.

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Ald. McColg as hed that the ex-city engineer be asked to join with the other engineers in testing the cement. Complaints had been made as to the curb and gutter on Queen street in front of the post office and in front of David Canary's shop.

Ald McColg as led if this would be cents per man to their regiment and pays it over without any promise, and that me occupies the unique position of refusing after the promise is made and carried our fully and in good faith on the part of the regiment. In conclusion, I offer to pay the men myself if you can prove to any disinterested and unbiased person that there is any truth in the ground which you refuse to keep the engineer be asked to join with the other engineers in testing the cement. Complaints had been made as to the curb and gutter on Queen street in front of the post office and in front of David Canary's shop.

Ald. Mounteer reported that Mr. Macnab had geased his services that examing.

evening.
The city engineer was heard in re-The city engineer was heard in regard to testing comment if it said that it would take about it does to give coment a fair test about three meaths to set properly. Some brands sat more recidly than others. He thought that the inferior work on the King cited gutter was caused by the mentage, not by the coment.

cement.

On motion of Ald. Piggott, seconded by Ald. McCoig, it was fielded to have the cement used tested. Ald. Mounteer moved that the civic employees receive a half holiday on Wednesday in order that they might attend the Fair. They had worked faithfully. The motion carried.

Ald. Edmendson called attention to the condition of Head street east, said that it had been covered with yellow sand and he moved that the City Clerk be instructed to notify the railroad that if the street were not put in shape at once, the city would take some action.

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SOME PLAIN AFTER LAKE ERIE CAR SHOPS POINTED FACTS

Col. Rankin Dishes Them Up to Defaulting Council on Behalf of Citizen Soldiers.

Diplomacy and Duplicity De fined_Some Stern Truths for **Electors to Ponder Over**

The following pointed letter from Colonel Rankin was received by the ouncil last evening. It apparently

ceedings of the City Council on the vening of the 8th inst., it is stated hat the "city solicitor reported having examined the books of the Clerk and found that the resolution wa passed on June 26th as presented by was intended to form a count giment with three companies from ith headquarters at Chatham. An aual drills would have to be held in hatham and thus soldiers would be ounty and they would remain here while the drill lasted."

"No such regiment was formed, owever, so that the Council was in to way liable to pay the sum pro

he above statement, and you as Mayor of the city and every member of the City Council knew when the pinion was read at the Council neeting that it was wholly untrue. there never was and never will be e and it must have required the fertile imagination of the solicitor or the person instructing him to furnish such a masked battery to the citizen soldiers of Chatham.

If you publish the resolution, as passed it will contradict every statement in the solicitor's origina and

ment in the solicitor's opinion, and show that the two conditions of making the grant were, Headquarters at Chatham, and annual drill at Chat-

am. These conditions were inserted so that the headquarters should not be at Windsor, and that the annual drill should not be performed in Windsor. If the opinion of the solicitor is worth anything, it means that if the conditions of the resolution were compoint on the resolution were com-plied with, the additional pay would be given. A certified copy of the re-solution was sent to the government and the regiment was formed and he men enlisted in exact compliance with the resolution, and now, when the pay is asked for, a phantom re-giment is declared to have been the intention and because, forsooth, such a regiment was not formed, and could green trimmed with white facing and applique.

Anowledge outside of Canada, the who joined the regiment in good hare to be done out of their pay fraud and misrepresentation. This y be termed by some diplomacy, but men would term it duplicity. I more understand why you as present of the ex-regimental band uld support a grant of \$100 to in the ranks what your predecessors in the council promised and the men were told they would receive. It may be hostility to the corps that caused this astounding inconsistency, but if the council think that the regiment should be so treated and that no ar-mories should be creeted on the park, Ald. McCoig said that as far as the efforts to secure a good deal were concerned, he believed that his colleagues had done the best they could, but an efficient service was whit was wanted.

Ald. McCoig asked under what conditions and under what salary the receive if they renewed the franchise as they would it they didn't.

Mr. Laurie replied that, as well as receiving the equivalent of \$2,000, the

on which you refuse to keep the promise. This letter is written to satisfy you and the council that the facts as set out in the solicitor's opinion are a myth. It is also on my own behalf.

J. B. RANKIN, Lt. Col., Commanding 24th Kent Reg't.

HOLMAN AGAIN ARRESTED. Another Charge Against the Windsor Express Agent.

Windsor, Sept. 22.-B. Holman, former agent for Dominion Express Co. and C. P. R. in Windsor, who was arrested some months ago on the charge of embezzlement to the amount of about eight hundred dollars, was again arrested eight hundred dollars, was again arrested on Saturday on a charge of embezzlement preferred against him by Route Agent McKay of the Dominion Express Company. The money is alleged to have been taken from the Windsor Bent Goods factory by the former agent, who made no record of the deposit, the amount bering 139. Holman was allowed his liberty once more, a satisfactory bond having been furnished for his appearance before the local Judge a week hence.

MANY MARVELS IN MILLINERY TO DELIGHT MAPLE CITY LAD

Alluring Fall Exhibits of Enterprising Chatham Merchants The New Styles Comprise Many Novelties - Splendid Displays in all the City Stores.

This is the week of the autumn is of sherred green velvel and millinery openings and enterprising mine crown, clasped with mine crown, clasped with more ornaments, front and because of the control of t millinery openings and enterprising done themselves proud. The displays in the various business houses are extensive, attractive and complete,

A summary of the good things not ed by Planet reporters is appended:-

THOMAS STONE & SON.

This old established firm, which has been in existance as long as many of the present citizens of Chatham ing a prominent position in the fron ranks of Chatham's prosperous business houses. At present they are making special efforts in the line of a fall millinery display and their grand opening which was held to-day is but a repetition of former sucesses. Miss Hayes, the head milliner, has always been a favorite with fashionably dressed ladies, and this year she has prepared a stock of opening hats which are modelled upon the latest styles and tastefully arranged.

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It was one of the most successful openings ever held by this firm. From early morning until late in the evening, long past the regular hour of closing, the splendid show rooms were crowded with visitors who were anxious to see the latest creations in this most artistic line of art. Everyone was delighted, and well they might be, for the sight which was placed before their eyes was one which it would be hard to excel. One very noticeable feature about the opening this year, and one which finds sympathy in public sentiment, is the general modesty of the hats shown. Flaring colors and extraordinary shapes are not much in evidence, and where they are shown they are generally treated as a secondary consideration. The Gainsborough—which is always good—the Torpedo and the Flat Iron, are the popular shapes this year. All colors are shown, and fancy cut felt suit hats relieved by darts and quills are much used and look very tasty. Moleskin is used extensively with petunia shade velvet. The popular trimmings are ostrich feathers, pompoms, velvet flowers, and velvet from the very the strength which is companied.

foilage.
One hat at Stone's which drew from the visitors much attention and admiration was a white fur hat with lace facings, white feathers and an ornament

Another was a flat hat of reseda green trimmed with white facing and

only be secushow room. secured by a visit to the

C. AUSTIN & CO.

Everyone in town knows where the Bargain Centre is, and everyone is acquainted with the courteous, obligso as to give employment to the workmen and citizens of the city, and
place in their pockets dollars for cents
that it would take to pay the men,
then I have nothing further to say.
That is a well defined and definite
policy which the council may proper
ly adopt.

There is one point remaining, that
every municipal council grants 25
cents per man to their regiment and
every municipal council grants 25
cents per man to their regiment and
to his store, and a visit to his millincontinually adding to h's floor space | Prices

his stock.

At present the crowds are flocking to his store, and a visit to his millimery show rooms will give ample reason for the unusual rush. Everything here is in harmony and the effect of the whole is most pleasing. The room is very tastefully decorated, but the hats are the attraction. Miss Thompson, the head milliner, has fairly outdone all of her previous efforts in the line of millinery openings, and she must feel a certain amount of gratification at the many expressions of delight which come from her many visitors.

The radical changes that are introduced in millinery this fall and winter are those of color, new forms of trimming and new uses for fabrics, rather than any decided innovation in shape.

rather than any decided innovation in shape.

Toques and turbans will adhere very strongly this season to the military idea in trimming. This is particularly noticeable in the smart, tailored styles for the younger element. Wings, birds, aigrettes are the more favored trimmings for their toques and trimmings, which are made of felt and nap beaver to a considerable extent. For the dressier styles, velvet, chenille and various novelties, whether large or small, will show an infinite amount of skilled millinery work.

The long turbans are quite the fashion at present. They require but lit-tle ornamentation. One long narrow turban is made of white appliqued felt. At the left of the front two pretty star-like rosettes, with sequin entres, trim the brim.

Another effective toque. The

One dainty hat is made of brivelvet with ruchings of maline to ish the edge of brim. Two hands feathers fall gracefully forward fortown, with ornaments.

The foundation of another is far touch is gray and black cherwith sequin spangles. The crown bit basquet pattern velvet, being shed at back with steel orname A handsome aignette completing lesign.

THE NORTHWAY COMPANY A glance at the millinery ow rooms of the Northway Com is sufficient to convince any rad Chatham of the excellence of fall display. The opening con ants were kept busy handling crowds who always attend the ings of this popular establish The opening has been very suc this year and a most gratifying

prietors.

In a short interview with Hayten, the head milliner, sinic interesting information concerns the hats this year was obtained. Shapes this season are reproduced 1830 styles. Hats of for yobcaver, plush, chenille and chair are in the lead. Large high crown, upright tips, and in plumes, are marked contradict that the extremely none ban, the Continental and the quis Torpedo, are jaunty. Daintiest models, especially of toque and furban variety, are med with soft silky molestin, er beaver, chinchilla, Persan land

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Many new lasts and styles have been added to our stock.

We can fit any ladies' foot with a Dorothy Dodd

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G. Stephens & Co.

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see some really choice goods. G. Stephens & Co.

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We are offering Twine for the corn harvest at the following prices, payable Oct. 1st, or 1½ per cent. off for cash:— 600 feet pure Manila at 11c. per lb.

All twine guaranteed satisfactory or money refunded.

Millinery Opening

---WILL TAKE PLACE-

TO-DAY

stantly showing the latest and newest effects. This season's showing relegat-

York, while the designs of our own staff of expert trimmers vie with them in

their dainty beauty and general excellence. In fact The Northway Opening

of Fall Millinery means an authentic showing of foreign and New York styles,

excelling in novelty, quality and extent anything that has ever been attempt-

You are Cordially Invited

to attend this unrivalled display of fashion creations. After viewing the millinery see our magnificent display of New Dress Goods, Silks, Dress

Trimmings, New Capes, Coats, Furs, Silk Waists, Flannel Waists, Lustre

Waists, Wrappers, Dressing Gowns, Fine Table Linens, Gloves, Underwear,

etc., etc. In fact every department in our large store will greet you with a

wealth of newness, that will well repay your visit. Come and bring your friends along. Everybody will be made welcome.

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es the best efforts of preceding years to honorable obscurity.

ed in this city.

And following days of this week. The Northway Store long since established an enviable reputation for trimmed and untrimmed millinery, con-

In Trimmed Hats we show the latest ideas of Paris, London and New

The Planet. S. STEPHENSON - Proprietor.

Business Office 53A Editorial Rooms 53B

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22.

THE MAN WE CALL PREMIER

Taking as its text the expression of a contemporary, "How the Tor-onto News Hates Ross," the News of Wednesday publishes one of the most caustic criticisms ever applied to a public man in this country. The article is evidently from the pen of Mr. Willison, who knows the Premier perhaps as well as any man in Canada. Warm tribute is paid to Mr. Ross' ability as an ora-"He has been," says the News, "the spokesman of Canadianism of a sturdy type, and of a resolute adherence to British connection, wearing in that respect with dignity and consistency the mantle which

descended from Sir Oliver Mowat." Full credit is given for Mr. Ross' re-organization of the educational system, and the writer says that when he succeeded Mr. Hardy he had a good record, and had been a useful public man."

The News then goes on to refer to four steps which it criticizes severely. The first is his course on the Prohibition question, on which it points out that after a third of a century or more of vigorous advocacy of prohibitory legislation, he suddenly deserted the cause. "The Ontario Liberals," says the News, "chose him for their leader well aware that his almost life-long principles and professions required him to impose Prohibition upon the Province the moment the constitutional power was his. The Prohibitionists felt that Mr. Ross had betrayed them. We agree with them. His course argued either that the utterances of years were false, that he had been a Prohibitionist for political motives and not from conviction, or that his affection for his party had overpowered his zeal for Prohibition, and that to serve his party he had stifled real convic-

Further the News says:

"If Mr. Ross had shown firmness or the Prohibition question he would stand in a much better position before the Province. When the Privy Council decision was made known Mr. Ross had to decide between the pledges of a life-time and the clinging to place and power of the baser elements of his party. Had he chosen to play the part of honor, he would have gone to the country on a policy of prohibition as straight and unequivocal as his utterances of a score of years. In that case his reputation for honor and resolution would have stood high, the corrupt element among his party would have been rebuked, and he would have undertaken under fairly favorable conditions the difficult social experiment to which he was pledged. He probably would have been defeated -but how honorable would have been defeat. The name of Ross would have gone to posterity as the Ministry who reorganized the educational system of the Province, and who later incurred defeat rather than flinch from adherence to the convictions of many years. His name would have been coupled with that of Alexander Mackenzie. Of the two he would have had the better record for effectiveness."

The grant of the Niagara Power privileges to the Mackenzie syndicate is named as a second blot on Mr. Ross' Premiership; his betrayal of Provincial rights in the Toronto and Hamilton Railway matter was the third; and the fourth is so forceful that we quote it in full:

"Fourthly, Mr. Ross has not driven Mr. Stratton from his Cabinet. Mr. Gamey failed to adduce absolute evidence that there had been direct money bribery. But there was revealed a system of corruption in the use of patronage which was a surprise, and, we hope, a shock to the Premier. The bargain whereby Mr. Gamey was to desert his party for the sordid hope of a control of the was made of white brocade designed to represent a tulip. H.r veil was of white chiffon, caught with orange business of pledges, signed interviews, trafficking in votes and places stamps Mr. Stratton as a man unfit to administer the affairs of Ontario. No one can say a fine thing more finely than Mr. Ross. Yet he continues to retain the tainted Minister in his Cabinet. He continues to advertise by that retention an ignoble resolution to cling to power by any means-correct if possible, scandalously bad if necessary.

The article concludes:

"We entertain no personal disl'ke for Mr. Ross, We are willing to accord him due praise for the work he has done. In certain of the less office-giving of his riding was thor-

has done. In certain of the less creditable episodes of party politics, such as the Elgin iniquities and the burning of the ballots, we hold him no worse than his associates. Four grave derelictions of duty, however, them.



BABY'S OWN SOAP used by particular people both young and old. Keeps the skin soft, clear and white.
CNo other Soap is just as Good. 624
ALBERT TOILET SOAP CO., Mfrs. MONTREAL.

must be laid directly at h's door. These four faults suffice in our judgmwent to condemn his administration and to justify his expulsion from for Canada would have been richer for an appropriate ending to Mr. Ross' fine earlier career."

This is the 480th day of the North Renfrew vacancy

Now, all aboard for the great and unrivalled Peninsular Exposition-the big Fair of the West.

The Huron appointments continue within. The Mitchell Recorder (Lib.) quotes the protests of the Seaforth Expositor and the Blyth Standard Roleigh St., has returned home. and observes that "no man in Huron County had a claim to compare with that of Mr. McLean. But it is neither personal merit nor party service that counts; it is pull. Mr. Meby, not under 16 years of age. Ap-Lean had the personal merit surpassed by none; he had a claim, from services rendered, that no other citizen of Huron County pretended to equal. Yet his merit and his services were all cast aside, and pull got the Mrs. James Hamilton and daughplum." After a while Liberals will ter, Miss Lulu Hamilton, of Jeancome to see that a Government which come to see that a Government which does such things has outlived its usefulness. A Government that passes over merit in appointments is equally apt to ignore public interests in larger matters.

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...SOCIETY...

COLES-BRADY.

An elaborate society event took place this morning in St. Joseph's Church, when Miss Allie Brady, daughter of Thomas Brady, Richmond street, was united in the bonds of matrimony to Frederick Coles, of London.

The wedding was a private one and was attended by the immediate relatives of the bride and groom only. Rev. Fr. Brady, of Wallaceburg, cousin of the bride, pronounced the the words which made the happy young couple man and wife.

The church was very tastefully decorated in white and green and the sight was a very gorgeous and impressive one, when the bride, accomwas awaiting her. She was followed by her bridesmaids, Miss Rose Coles of London, sister of the groom, and Miss Lillian Brady. One pretty incident associated with the bridesmaids was that Miss Coles carried a bouquet of roses and Miss Brady carried shower bouquet of lilies, each bouquet corresponding to the name of the fair owner. Miss Isabel Coles, sister, of the groom, made a very pretty ring-bearer. Dr. Tom Brady, brother of the bride, and Mr. Coles, brother of the groom, were the groomsmen, and W.m. G. Coles, and

Dr. Lee, of Detroit, were the ushers. The bride's wedding gown was very elaborate and exquisitely artistic. It was made of white brocade designed

Local Briefs

Bicycles for hire at Brisco's. tf. N. H. Stevens is in St. Clair, Ont. Miss Margaret Smith returned to

W H. G. Colles went to Thames-ville yesterday morning. Two girls wanted at The Planet office to feed presses.

F. A. Ogletree, of Dresden, was a Chatham visitor yesterday. "Mickie" Clements, Richmond St.,

spent Sunday in Windsor. Two girls wanted at The Planets office to feed presses.

M. Wilson, K. C., went to Toronto yesterday morning on business Boy wanted at The Planet Press Rooms—at once!

Wylie Braddon, Delaware Ave., visited friends in Windsor yesterday Mrs. Cyrus Merriam, of Detroit, is visiting relatives in the Maple City Miss Kennedy, of Cedar Springs, is the guest of Mrs. Drader, Dufferin

H. Mitchell and Geo. Mitchell, It is a matter for regret, of Wallaceburg, were in the city on Saturday.

E. Barton and Warden Robinson

Wanted, good boy for trimming de-partment. Apply Wm. Gray & Sons Company.

Mrs. W. H. Hanaford, of Detroit, is visiting Mrs. Merriam, Harvey St., who is ill. Mrs. Helen Brand, of Embro, has to the city and has resumed ner studies at the C. B. C.

to engage much attention in the press outside that county as well as of the public school at Stuart. Ralph J. Laing, of Flint, Mich., who has been visiting Miss Florence Smith,

John Green and wife, of Cleveland, Ohio, are the guests of Mr. Green's father, Arthur Green, Lansdowne

ply at the office of the Canada Flour Mills Co., Ltd. Earl Sheldrick has gone to Pitts-

burg, where he has accepted a lucrative position with Mr. Flint, well-known in town.

Mr. Cadenhead, of Geo. Stephens & Co's hardware store, is spending

Mrs. Wm. Hamilton, of Hamilton, who has been visiting her brother, ex-Ald. J. R. Reid, has returned

Herbert Dennis, who has been in the employ of A. I. McCall & Co., of this city, left Sunday afternoon for

Found! — On Monday, on a bench in Tecumseh Park, a lady's silk um-brella. "Owner may have same by pay-ing for this advt. Mr. and Mrs. Will Hamilton and family of Detroit, spent Sunday with Mr. Hamilton's uncle, ex-Ald. J. R.

family, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Mr. Hamilton's uncle, ex-Ald. J. R. Reid, Stanley Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Shenton Holmes and family, who have been visiting in the city and vicinity, have returned to their home in Chicago.

Roy Fife, a former employe at evening.

Roy Fife, a former employe at Westman Bros', now employed by the T. B. Rail hardware Co. of Detroit, is visiting his friends in the city.

W. L. Underwood, of London, was a Chatham visitor yesterday. Mr. Underwood leaves shortly for the Canadian west in the interests of his

The Master Mechanic's Pure Tar pressive one, when the bride, accomponied by her father, walked down the aigle to the altar, where the groom was awaiting her. She was followed receipt of 2c. for postage. Albert Toilet Soap Co., Mfrs., Montreal, tf Perry, O'Dell and Dee Co. open a three nights' engagement at the Grand to-night. The program is straight Vaudeville and consists of all very clever artists.

James Clunis, of Harwich, has received a letter from his son, Alexan-Clunis, who took a trip to the Northwest this summer. Mr. Clunis is still in the Northwest and his many friends will be pleased to hear that his health is improving. He says the snow there was 10 inches deep on the level about a week ago and many of the farmers still have their grain in the fields. Mr. Clunis has not had a warm day since he left Chatham.

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Bazaar and Meals

The Ladies of St. Joseph's Church will hold a Bazaar and Serve Meals in St. Joseph's Hall, Cross street, on Saturday at noon and from five to eight o'clock each day during the fol-The days are getting short, and if you must get up early, E. J. Mac-Intyre has a line of those 75c. alarm clocks that are sure to wake your materials.

DRESDEN

Sept. 21.—W. H. Williams returned on Friday from a trip to Montreal and other eastern points.

Fred. Steeper is back from his sea-son's sailing. His boat was laid up on account of a strike, which makes this season about two months shorter than usual.

George and Albert Allison, of Kent Bridge, were in town yesterday. Rev. C. F. Clarke, of Dover, con-ducted the services in the Methodist Miss Minnie Campbell.

Frank R. Conklin, the New York entertainer, who delighted a Tilbury audience last Thursday evening, will give an entertainment at Quinn next

Rev. C. F. Clarke, of Dover, conducted the services in the Methodist church yesterday.

Harry Sager, of Tilbury, is visiting at his home in Dresden.

Miss Mary Hazlett was a Chatham visitor on Saturday.

Mr. Storey, of Chatham, spent Sunday with friends in town.

Walter Jeffs returned from a few days visit with friends in Wallaceburg on Saturday morning.

Miss Dottie Lawrence, of Chatham kindergarten school, spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Dresden.

E. H. Dever returned from Cleveland on Saturday night.

Mr. Frank Ogletree spent Sunday at his shome here.

Richard Burns, of the Dresden flax mill, spent yesterday at his home in Wallaceburg.

L. V. Peters, of the Springdale Farm, visited with Dresden friends yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wells and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Forshee and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. McKim yesterday.

Miss Beattie Davies, of Tupperville,

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GREETING!

LANDING UPON THE THRESHOLD OF A NEW SEASON WE SEND GREETING.

Autamn with its whistling winds will soon admonish us that a new season is nigh.

AND FURNISHINGS..

Sept. 21.—Fred White, of Detroit, Mich., is spending his vacation with his parents here. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sheldon and

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sheldon and child have returned after a two years absence in Montana.

Rev. Mr. Hughes, of Tilsonburg, will preach at the harvest thanksgiving services in Trinity Church, Sunday, October 4th, and will also deliver an address at the entertainment in the Opera House on Monday, Oct. 5th. The subject of the address will be, "How the poor of London are fed." Mrs. W. D. Samson is visiting Mrs. Jean Blewett, Toronto.

and other eastern points.

The funeral of Mrs. J. D. Rubel, who died on Wednesday last, was held on Saturday afternoon. The funeral service was conducted at the family residence, Brock street, by Rev. Mr. Hayden, assisted by Rev. Norman Lindsay. Interment took place at Knight's hurial grounds, concession

Chas. Richardson, of Essex, spent Sunday with his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Richardson.
Miss Sadie Campbell has returned to her home in Brantford after an extended visit with her sister here,
Miss Miss Campbell.

Rev. H. J. Uren returned on Sat-urday from a trip to London. The harvest home services in the English church yesterday were well attended and the collections amount-ed to \$40.

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Homer Waffle is the guest of his father, Noah Waffle, North Dresden.

TILBURY

Sept. 21.—Geo. Ogle, of New York, visited relatives here on Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. S. Sloan has been visiting in Essex the past week.

Miss Nettie Toll and brother Herman, of Ouvry, visited friends here on Saturday.

Thursday evening, 24th inst.
Miss Lizzie Wilson visited friends
in Chatham yesterday.
Miss E. Richardson, of Essex, was
the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry

Richardson yesterday. Rev. H. J. Uren returned on Sat-

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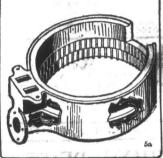
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When I consider thy heavens, the work of thy fingers, the moon and the tars, which thou hast ordained; what is

We are in constant danger of indulge ng in wrong thoughts of man. We are oo apt to regard man as a weak, ephemeral creature, of the utmost insignificance when compared with a star, a moon, a sun-with the material universe. As we direct our attention to the glorious page of heaven unfolded overhead, alive with clustering constellations whose bright destinies move at an infinite altitude above the petty. waves of time, and whose passionless purity and eternal peace seem to mock the soul, the spontaneous utterance of our hearts finds expression in the Psalmist's words :- "When I consider thy heavens, the work of thy fingers, the moon and the stars, which thou hast ordained; what is man, that thou art mindful of him? and the son of man, that thou visitest him?"

As David looked upon the resplend-

ent orbs of heaven he was filled profound humility and cried out in awful astonishment:—"What is man?"
Modern astronomy has given us a faint modern astronomy has given us a faint conception of the magnitude of space and the physical universe. We cannot help feeling that such magnitude and vastness are worthy of a God. We can-not help acknowledging our littleness and weakness in comparison. That such a God, so vast in conception, so wighty in operation, so wonderful in mighty in operation, so wonderful in mighty in operation, so wonderful in wisdom, so august in execution, should have special thought for every one of the millions of infinitesimal men crowding the world—faith staggers at such a thought. The divine greatness becomes appalling. We cry out:—
"What is man, that thou art mindful of him?" But David did not stop with of him?" But David did not stop with this exclamation. Upon second thought he wisely concluded man could not be inferior to the heavens, for God has made him but little lower But David did not stop with than the angels; or, as I read in my Hebrew text, a little lower than "Elo-him"—God. So far from being insignificant in comparison with the heavens, man is of infinitely more value then they. The worth of man in these then they. The worth of man in these days needs constantly to be emphasized, for a striking tendency of modern thought is to think less of man in proportion as larger views are taken of the universe in which man dwells. Man is the greatest and noblest work of God. The old Roman conception of man as the lord of creation approaches the truth. God's glory unfolds as we rise in the upward scale of creation, culminating in that being who, made but little lower than the angels, bearing but little lower than the angels, bearing

the image and superscription of God, crowns the highest pinnacle of crea-On earth there is nothing great but man; In man there is nothing great but mind.

True greatness consists not in weight, bulk or extension, but in intellectual power and moral worth. Man is created in the image of God! God is spirit. The soul of man is a peculiar sense God's offspring and partaker of God's nature. Man therefore is self-determining as God is; he is free as God is free. He is a person as God is a person. This material image of God man never loses. So long as he continues he continues a long as he continues he continues a person. Man is immortal. He is more than a plant, more than a mere animal—he is a man. Man is man not because he is strong, ingenious, affectionate, but because he is God's inbreathing, God's image, God's son. So, though lost, he may be recovered;

though a wanderer, he may return and feast, forgiven, at his Father's table, because though a prodigal he is still In view of these transcendent truths what should be our proper attitude toward man? We should respect and love him. But, you say, it is difficult to respect some men, for they daily violate the most sacred laws, betray the highest trusts, abuse our confidence the highest trusts, abuse our confidence and prove recreant to the most binding of human obligations. Such cases, however, are the exception and not the rule. The great majority of men are honest and true; they stand uncorrupted, unimpeached and incorruptible.

A man may sink into vice and degrada-

tion, yet he cannot completely efface the image of God which is stamped upon him. Yet in this feeble, stunted, sinful specimen of humanity, in this ruin of noble manhood, lie wrapped wonderful possibilities. For let the favorable conditions come, let the spirit of the conditions come, let the spirit of the living God breathe his energizing power into this darkened, chaotic soul, and at once there are order, light, purity, peace. The image of God is renewed from within, the prodigal son returns home and there is joy in the presence of the angels of God.

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Man's greatness is revealed by God's thought of him. Though a sinner God did not disown him as an incorrigible son. He would save man. History is the demonstration of His great purpose. The key to history is redemption. "God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son that who soever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life." The cross of Christ is God's estimate of man's transcendent worth.

O thou man! immortal mortal, over whom the angels steep;
Heir of sin and yet of pardon—or despair and yet of hope!
Living, dying, loving, hating, feeble, mighty, vile, beloved;
Thou of whom the heavens take knowledge, man's transcendent worth

Thou for whom all hell is moved!
What shall be thy last unfolding—into
light or into gloom?
What shall be thy final helding—ageless
blessedness or deem?

"What shall it profit a man if he shall gain the whole world and lose his own soul? Or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul?" PESTS MADE USEFUL.

Mice Earn Their Own Living and a Re-

Thrift is generally acknowledged to be one of the leading characteristics of the natives of Fifeshire, and it never was more forcibly exemplified than in the person of David Hatton, a native of Dunfermline, who actually proved that even mice, could be made not only to earn their own living, but also to yield a respectable income to their owners, says. The Scotsman. About the year 1820 this gentleman actually erected a stealthily from corner to corner, until some false step made one of them the target for bullet or blade this gentleman actually erected a small mill at Dunfermline for the manufacture of thread—a mill worked the state of the s entirely by mice. It was while visit-ing Perth prison in 1812 that Mr. ing Perth prison in 1812 that Mr. Hatton first conceived this remarkable idea of utilizing mouse power. In an old pamphlet of the time, "The Curiosity Coffee Room," he gave an account of the way in which the idea dawned on him. "In the summer of the year 1812," he wrote, "I had occasion to be in Perth, and when the proportion the toys and trinkers that and the attack Collies with and student. The mistake which commonly opens the way for an attack by disease is neglect of the symptoms of stomach trouble. When eating is followed by undue fullness, belchings, sour or bitter risings, etc., disease is attacking the stomach. The best way to frustrate such an attack is to use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition, and makes the body strong and healthy.

"I was suffering very much with my head and stomach," writes Mrs. W. C. Gill, of Weldon, Shelby Co., Ala., "head was so dizzy when I would raise up in bed would fall right back. Could eat but very little, in fact scarcely anything, there seemed to be a heavy weight have young and five ould not rest, help very thing I can an way and abort condition. I took four bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and five of his 'Favorite Prescription' and am now well and hearty. I feel like a new woman and give Dr. Pierce's medicines credit for it all. I had taken medicine from physicians without any benefit as I could see."

Dr. Pierce's Medical Adviser is sent the year 1812," he wrote, "I had occasion to be in Perth, and when inspecting the toys and trinkets that were manufactured by the French prisoners in the depot there my attention was involuntarily attracted by a little toy house with a wheel in the gable of it that was running ra-pidly round, impelled by the insig-nificant gravity of a common house mouse. For a shilling I purchased a house, mouse and wheel. Inclosing it in a handkerchief, on my journey homeward I was compelled to con-template its favorite amusement. But template its layorite amusement. Such who to apply half-ounce power, which is the weight of a mouse, to a useful purpose was the difficulty. At length the manufacturing of thread seemed the most practicable." Mr. Hatton the most practicable." Mr. Hatton had one mouse that ran the amazing distance of eighteen miles a day, but he proved that an ordinary mouse could run ten and one-half miles on an average. A halfpenny's worth of oatmeal was sufficient for its support for thirty-five days, during which it ran 736 half miles. He had any benefit as I could see."

Dr. Pierce's Medical Adviser is sent free on receipt of stamps to pay expense of customs and mailing only. Send 31 one-cent stamps for the paper covered book, or 50 stamps for the cloth-bound. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y which it ran 736 half miles. He had actually two mice constantly employed in the making of sewing thread for more than a year. The The jewels of un Indian idol must be worth stealing if many of those rethread for more than a year. Incomouse threadmill was so constructed that the common house mouse was enabled to make atonement to society for past offences by twisting and reeling from 100 to 120 threads markably hideous images possess such valuable head ornaments as one made for the idol Parthasathy, in the Triplicane temple at Madras. The orna-ment is worth some 50,000 rupees and a day, Sundays not excepted. To perform this task the little pedestri-an had to run ten and one-half miles is made of sovereign gold, studded with diamonds, emeralds and rubies, the and this journey it performed with case every day. A halipenny's worth of oatmeal served one of these threadmill culprits for the long period of five weeks. In that time made 3.350 threads of twenty-five made 3,350 threads of twenty-live inches, and as a penny was paid to women for every hank made in the ordinary way, the mouse, at that rate, carned 9 pence every six weeks, just one farthing a day or 7 shillings and 6 pence a year. Taking 6 pence off for board and allowing 1 shilling for machinery there was

shilling for machinery, there was a clear yearly profit from each mouse of 6 shillings. Mr. Hatton firmly intended to apply for the loan of the

old empty cathedral in Dunfermline, which would have held, he calculat-ed, ten thousand mouse mills, suff-cient room being left for keepers and

between England and China were far from satisfactory. Sir George mar-ried a daughter of the Right Hon. Sir Andrew Buchanan, first Baronet.

He owns a good deal of property round his seat at Knowle Park, near Guildford.

At the last meeting of the Astronomical Society striking confirmation was obtained of the view that the "canals" in Mars are due for the

most part to an optical delusion on the part of the observer. Astrono-mers are coming more and more to this view, its latest adherent being

Professor Simon Newcomb. A draw-

ing of the planet showing no canals was placed before classes of boys at Greenwich Hospital School, and they

Greenwich Hospital School, and they were required to make copies of it. Those placed nearest it drew no canals, but those further away delineated "canals" closely resembling those observed by Schiaparelli and others. It is probable that the eye becomes hypersensitive by long gazing at details which are imperfectly seen being at the limit of visibility

seen, being at the limit of visibility, and that the retinal blood vessels then convey impressions of "canals," to the vision-centre in the brain. The

boys were quite unbiased, being un-

Mars. Probably Mars is not inhabited, and never will be, but it is very likely has been. It is now in the state which the earth will reach in three or four million years.

Querulous Old Party-Porter, what time does the Ha! - 12.50 train start? Porter-Ten to one, sir. Q.

O.P.—Dear me! Dear me! I shall really have to write to the papers and complain of the want of punctu-ality on this line.—Judy.

with any drawings

acquainted

largest emerald being valued at 1,000 rupees and the biggest ruby and diamond at 300 rupees apiece. Keep Moving.
The heavens themselves run continually round; the world is never still; the sun travels to the east and to the west; the moon is ever changing in its course; the stars and planets have their constant motions; the air we breathe is continually agitated by the wind, and the waters never cease to ebb and flow, doubtless for the purpose of their conservation and to teach us that we should ever be in action .-A Contrast In Lungs.

dark was a favor-

blade. Life is a duel

in the dark with

disease. One false step, one mistake, and the attack comes swift and sudden. The mistake which commonly opens the way for an attack by disease is neglect

Jewels sa an Idol.

Three human lungs lie next one another in the anatomical museum at Edinburgh university. The first is that of an Eskimo and is snow white. life this would, of course, be ruddy from the presence of blood. The third is that of a coal miner and is coal black. The intermediate one is that of a town dweller and is a dirty slate gray, as are the lungs of all dwellers in cities at this moment.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Chatham Grand:-Perry O'Dell & Dee-Sept. 22, 23 and 24. "Quincy Adams Sawyer,"--Sept. 29.

Henrik Ibsen is nothing if not daring-and powerful; and the presentation of his weird and searching drama at the Grand last evening by inquestionably one of the most ar tistic and high class companies who nave ever appeared in Chatham, was

witnessed with much interest. The sensation has created a profound sensation in literary and educational circles wherever it has been presented-and Chatham was no exeption. It is a wonderful, fascinatng, example of the psychological problem play. Its theories of socialsm and morality are as powerful as those of Tolstoi; its views are less inique and more sadly realistic. It brings home and drives deep the great truths that the world is prone to shut its eyes to, but which in the near future it must face and an

But the power of the production ests largely in the magnificent cast. Dramatic art was, perhaps, never be fore so perfectly personified in our city. The role of Mrs. Alving is doubtless one of the most exacting ever handed out by an author. It was marvellously portrayed by Miss Edith Ellis-Baker, whose wonderful and perfect dramatic personification of the part, stamps her as one of the most talented artists on the stage. In Donald Robertson as Pastor Mand. ers was another example of exceptional histrionic ability and the en tire cast was little short of perfection. It is a long time since this city was favored by such a company of universal merit and brilliancy.

The stage settings were exquisite and are a portion of the new property of the local manager, F. H.

(Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)

COMEDIANS COMING. Perry, O'Dell & Dee's Comedians and Vaudeville Company will appear-here on Fair Nights. This company enjoys the reputation of a splendid evening's entertainment. Speaking

ed, ten thousand mouse mills, sufficient room being left for keepers and some hundreds of spectators. Death, however, overtook the inventor before his marvellous project could be carried out.

Sketch of Sir George Bonham.

Sir George Bonham. British Minister at Belgrade, who has been temporarily withdrawn from the Servian Court to mark the British disapprobation of the assassination of King Alexander and his consort, was appointed Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary in the spring of 1900. Born in 1847, Sir George was educated at Eton and Oxford, where he graduated in law and history (honors) in 1868. He was nominated as an attache to St. Petersburg in the following year, and was transferred successively to venna, Rome, Lisbon, Madrid and Paris. In 1890 he became Charge d'Affaires at The Hague, and was promoted to be Secretary of Embassy at Madrid in 1893. He occupied a similar position at Rome from 1897 till his appointment to Belevice. sy at Madrid in 1893. He occupied a similar position at Rome from 1897 till his appointment to Belgrade. Sir George succeeded when only sixteen years of age to the paroneter which had been conferred gagement is looked forward to upon

only sixteen years of age to the baronetcy which had been conferred on his father for long and useful work in the public service, culminating in the Governorship of Hong Kong at a period when the relations

Harder than Matrimony.

Like matrimony, flirting is harder than it looks. If one understands the art there is no more enjoyable method of whiling away an hour than by flirting. There are two kinds of flirts—men and women. The latter are the worse. To

wanting away an hour than by firting. There are two kinds of firts—men and women. The latter are the worse. To start a firtation: Talk of wasted chances to a married woman, be cynical with a debutante, plous with an actress, and risque with a churchwoman.

Have a past. The young man with a Past is a young man with a future, in firting. Use the "Rapt Gaze." You will have to practice this before your mirror. Then there is the "Blase Face," the "Ennui Yawn," and the "Innocent Eye." Be very careful how and when you employ these. If, for instance, you are firting with an expert, and try the "Rapt Gaze." you will be classed by her is an amateur. It is well to hint at lark tragedies in your life. In short, the whole secret of successful flirting is to arouse a woman's curiosity, and never satisfy it.

If a widow should tell you you resemble her dead husband, bow and retire. You are up against it. Don't get the reputation of being gauche and for saying malrage with women who are married. Do not ask a woman if you may kissher. This is not done in Society. This is, such a request is never made.

The voice is very important. A well-groomed voice is half the battle in the conservatory. Practice modulations and "thrills." Don't attempt to fiirt at dinner with a Golf Girl. At that stage her roast is much more interesting than you are. Wait till she is through. She's through when she sighs.

Flirting is like boxing—dangerous when one party to it is unskilled. Be careful, or a fiirtation, innocently entered into, may lead you into an engagement. These hints are for men; womer need none.—Ex.

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********* Births, Marriages and Deaths

DIED. MERRIAM-At her residence, corner of Harvey and Centre streets, Mrs. Geo. Merriam, aged 80 years.

The funeral will take place Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in the Maple Leaf

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.

Toronto, Sept. 22.-11 a. m.-Light winds, fine and warm to-day. Wednesday, strong southwesterly winds, fair and warm; showers at night, followed by a change to cooler.

The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:

Barometer 29.78.
Thermometer 58.
Highest yesterday 79.
Lowest yesterday 55.
Direction of winds, southwest.

TO-NIGHT.

Bazaar, St. Joseph's Hall, Cross St.

Perry, O'Dell & Dec, Grand Opera Chatham Lodge, No. 29, L. O. O. F., Oddfellows Temple, at 8.

T**he** Local Budget

Judge Bell was in Tilbury to-day. Fred Stone is im Toronto on busi-

John Fraser, Wallaceburg, was in

Walter Jeffs, of Dresden, is a Chitham visitor to-day. H. W. Edmunds, of Blenheim, is a Chatham visitor to-day.

Judge Houston went to Camden this afternoon on business. J. W. Doelle, of London, is calling on his many Chatham friends to-day.

Harry Stokes, of Wallaceburg, is spending the day with his Chatham friends. Miss Eva Murphy, Edgar St., has returned home from a visit to De-troit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Blackburn, of Northville, Mich., are visiting friends in Chathama.

F. W. DeLaurier and Harry Reid, of Leamington, were Chatham vis-

tors yesterday. The firemen desire to thank Banker J. E. Thomas for the kind donation of reading matter.

H. S. Clements, president of the Kent County Conservative Associa-tion, has reported the loss of his bi-cycle to the police.

Mrs. Benj. Hunton, Toronto, daughter of the late Isaac Holden, is in the city spending a few days with Mrs. Wm. Needham.

Do not fail to call at Sulman's Beehive this week and see the beautiful display of baskets.

Miss Nan Bogart, soprano, sang a solo at the St. Joseph's Church Ba-zaar Saturday night.

Mrs. Nelson Emery, Poplar street, is rapidly recovering and is now able to spend a few days at her sister's, Mrs. D. Martin, King street. Sulman's Beehive is full of beautiful baskets; new importation. Call and see them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wilde left today for their old home in England. They will stop for a few days at Tor-onto en route.

A meeting of the congregation of Christ Church will be held this even-ing to discuss the question of alter-ing and improving the church.

Burney Weldon was given three en-cores when he sang at the concert in St. Joseph's Hall last night. He the most popular concert singer in

the city. Anniversary Concert, St. Andrew's Church, Monday, Sept. 28th. An excellent program, comprising choruses, quartettes and solos, will be given.

Miss Mary Robinson, Detroit, arrived in the city to-day to attend the funeral of her brother, the late Frederick Robinson. Mrs. William Grigg accompanied her.

The person who took the Cleveland sicycle from the Victoria block should cturn it at once.

Bert Ross has received a letter from Howard Waddell, who is ranch-ng at McLeod, Alberta, Howard is having a good time. Mr. and Mrs. Waterman and Mr. Rose, of Ypsilanti, have returned tome, after spending a very pleasant risit with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Paikie,

ansdowne Ave. Lorne Richardson, of Wallaceburg, assed through the city to-day on als way to Woodstock, where he will risit for a few weeks before he goes o Toronto, where he will enter the iniversity.

Anniversary services will be held owsert, B. A., of Brantford, will preach morsing and evening. Mr. Cowsert is a very eloquent preacher and William St. Church is very fortunate in securing his services for their anniversary. There will be special music. All are welcome.

ALLIGATOR PEAR

W. W. Mitchell, book-keeper for the firm of John Piggott & Sons has received a sample of Florida fruit from his friend, Thos. Cross, a former resident of this city. The sample is calleda the Avacado, or Alligator pear, and weighs one pound and four-teen ounces. In appearance it looks like a gourd, but grows on trees about as large as the Canadian maples Mr. Cross says that it tastes like good castile soap, and is used for making salads making salads

AN EXPLANATION

S. B. Arnold says that some people seem to be worrying as to why IT. A. Smith and himself were out at Mitchell's Bay. "I didn't want to give it away," remarked Mr. Arnold this morning, "but since it is known I can no longer keep the secret. We just went out to Mitchell's Bay to get some pond lily roots to plant in the contro of Victoria avenue. We didn't intend to give the scheme away until the lilies were in full bloom."

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

William Scott, brakeman, was fatally injured by falling between the care of a moving train at Allandale.

The inquest at Port Stanley throws no light on the mystery of the two bodies recently washed ashore there. There is little improvement in the con dition of Fanny Capes, the Hamilton girl who was wounded on the heaf by a

Premier Seddon of New Zealand, waiting to Mr. Chamberlain, says:—
"Do not be discouraged; to obtain se-

form eves entails great sacrifice." Forty editors, whose names have al-ready been published, left yesterday on the Canadian Press Association's ex-cursion is northern Ontario.

NOTICE

Two story brick house and one acre of land just outside of the city limits for sale. Nine rooms—bath, furnace, city water, large verandah, fine stable, hen house, etc. The above is a most desirable pro-

The house having been built two years ago, is modern and up-to-date in every way... The owner is anxious to sell as he is leaving Chatham. Better look this up soon as it will not be in the market long. Money to Loan on Real Estate.

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Peninsular Fair to be Opened to-morrow by Hon. Mr. Prefontaine, Minister of Marine.

Football Match, Darrell vs. Chatham - Trials of Speed and Many Other Fine Attractions.

The great Peninsular Fair really pegan to-day but the opening will not take place until to-morrow, when the Hon. Mr. Prefontaine, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, will be here to preside at the ceremonies.

The Peninsular Fair promises this year to be the best ever. The directors appear to have hit it just right as to weather, and everything else is favorable. The Crystal Palace is every other department has an overplus of entries. A visit to the Crystal Palace, however, is well worth the gate money. The merchants and manufacturers have vied with each other each to outdo the other. The result is both unique and interesting.

ing.
To-day is "Get Ready Day," and the exhibitors were certainly busy. The fat stock and fine horses came in in bunches and kept the directors busy assigning to each exhibitor his proper leastion.

busy assigning to each exhibitor his proper location.

To-morrow will be Gala Day and there will be great doings at the big Peninsular Fair. First, the Hon. Mr. Prefontaine will, with fitting ceremonics, open the Fair, and it is hoped that there will be a large crowd present to witness the opening. The Darrell and Chatham football 'clubs will do battle. This promises to be a great game. It is the opening one of the season and there has been great rivalry between the has been great rivalry between the two clubs for a long time. The sports will conclude with trials of speed, when some of the fastest race horses in Western Ontario will com-pete. The contests this year pro-mise to be excellent. Lovers of good racing should see the trials of speed. The ex-regimental band will be in attendance to-morrow and Thursday. On Thursday afternoon Detroit and Chatham will play lacrosse.

FOOD, NOT MEDICINE.

Ninety-nine bables out of every one hundred who are emaciated, weak, sickly and almost lifeless, require food, not medicine. When we say food, we do not refer to the poor preparations such as many bables are now fed on, but Lactated Food, that perfect substitute for healthy breast food—a food that bables love, that builds up flesh, bone and muscle, and that makess the little ones happy and contented. Inflants fed on Lactated Food are never sick; they are raised to childhood vigorous and strongs. Try it for your baby, dear strong. Try it for your baby, dear mother, if it is not thriving. All

tips radiate from the crown and almost cover the upper brim. Satin ribbon is cleverly arranged, a buckles being introduced at the back.

[Amother very chic creation is on the sailor shape and made of samos brown plush. The under brim is of shirred malun. The trimming consists of shirred green velvet, surrounding the broad low crown.

The Cornelet covered with ivory Yak lace and moleskin fur, trimmed with very handsome osprey and page.

with very handsome osprey and pas-tel roses, finished with ivory satin

WM. GORDON'S.

All are welcomed at Gordon's fall millinery opening and autumnal display, beginning at the Gordon Store to-day. The store, and especially the millinery department, looks resplendent in fine array and pretty decor ations. Exceedingly fine taste and excellent workmanship is displayed in all the hats shown.

Here are many pretty styles in ready-to-trim chiffon, salk and chenille hats and togzues.
Every variety of untrimmed felt, cloth and beaver hats are evident. The beavers are very prominent and is much greater variety of shapes than has been hitherto shown. The flop style is still a favorite on ac-count of its adaptability to any face

r age. There are many dress shapes with

There are many dress shapes with high crowns and with sweeping brims. These hats are in all shades, Among the most noticeable are some magnificent amber tints.

The new velvets are of a very soft make, while the feather plushes are very popular, the most favorite shades indicated so far being green, dahlia and champagne.

A large assortment of children's hats for school is in stock, as are also all the novelties in flowers, feathers, etc., which go towards making and trimmings.

This season's butlook bids fair to make the millinery department of the Gordon Store even brighter than ever.

Continued to-morrow. Keep Minard's Liniment in the House,

SAID GOODBYE TO MR. KNOWLES

we'l of the First Church to Their Pastor

Present Him with a Purse and Fur Coat-Delightful Musical Program Given

byterian church assembled last evening, socially to bid good-bye to their late pastor, the Bev. W. EE. Knowles on the eve of his depareture for the Yukon as a missionary! That Mr. Knowles was loved and esteemed by his congregation the meeting last night abundantly testified. church was crowded, and the Rev. Mr. Tolmie, of Windsor, presided and introduced the musical program with a few kindly remarks in Mr. Tolcrowded with exhibits this year and mie's own pleasing way. The feature of the evening was the presentations to Mr. Knowles. The congregation gave him a fur coat and the ladies of the church made him a present of a purse containing \$50. (Mirs. S. T. Martin read the address to Mr. Knowles on behalf of the ladies, and Mrs John McKeough, president of the Ladies' Aid Society, made the presentation. P. D. McKellar then, on behalf of the congregation, gave the minister the fur coat. Mr. McKellar made one of his happy speeches and in a kindly way bade Mr. Knowles farewell on behalf of his his church.

his church.

(Mr. Knowles could hardly find words to express his appreciation of the kindness of the congregation to

After a delightful lunch had been served in the school room, the gathering dispersed. The Rev. Mr. Knowles left on the midnight train for the east and will proceed at once to the far north.

The following program was fgiven

during the evening:
during the evening:
Instrumental solo—Miss Vera Smith.
Vocal solo—Miss Lucy McKellar.
Address—The Ray. Mr. Ross, moderator of the Presbytery. Vocal solo-Claire Monteith.

Vocal solo-Miss Edna Martin. Recitation-Miss Harris, Glasgow

OLD SETTLER GONE

The death occurred this morning of Mrs. George Merriam, at her home, corner of Centre and Harvey streets. Her death has come as a sudden blow to her family, as she was just taken ill on Sunday. Up to this time she was seemingly in the best of health and did not complain whatever. She was suddenly strick-en with paralysis and never recover-ed from the first effects of the stroke.

MANY MALVELS

IN MILLINERY

Continued from Fage 1.

Feather breasts, bird of paradise, coque pompons, hackle breasts, small birds mounted in clusters, flat birds, and Yak lace are the latest trimmings.

A very swell Directoire is developed in black velvet, thirteen ostrich tips radiate from the crown and all most cover the upper brim. Satin ribbon is cleverly arranged, a buckles being introduced at the back.

(Amother very chie creation is on the county flow solves the county of the county. She was born in Glengary and came to Kent, about 50 the close to the desirable residents of the county. She was born in Glengary and came to Kent, about 50 the county. She was born in Glengary and came to Kent, about 50 years ago. She and her husband, who is a boat builder, first settled down about ten miles from Chatham, near McKay's Corners. Her maiden name was Glassford and her mother's was McKay's after which family McKay's Corners was named.

Deceased was 80 years of age and was one of the oldest residents of the city, and should command attention. Both Parks are close to the property. The terms of sale will be made known on or prior to date of sale, or maiden name was Glassford and her mother's was McKay, after which family McKay's Corners was named.

Deceased was an earnest member of the William street Baptist church and the funeral services will be conducted by Rev. J. J. Ross, of St. Catharines, a former pastor of the William street church.

Besides a bereaved husband, she leaves a family of six children to mourn her loss. They are Cyrus B. Merriam, Detroit; Mrs. E. Jordan, city, Mrs. Hanaford, Detroit; Angus Merriam, Toledo; Jos. Merriam, city, and Arthur Merriam, Toledo.

oity, Mrs. Hanaford, Detroit; Angus Merriam, Toledo; Jos. Merriam, city, and Arthur Merriam, Toledo.

The funeral will take place Thursday afternoon at two o'clock from her late residence to the Maple Leaf cemetery.

TEAM PICKED

The Chatham football team held good practice last evening on Tecumseh Park. The following team was picked to play against Darrell at the Fair grounds to-morrow-Goal-Baker.

Backs—Sissons and Flowers. Half backs—J. W. Wilson, Fraser

Half backs—J. W. Wilson, Fraser and Fead.
Right wing—Ross and Messer.
Centre—Neal.
Left wing—Allison and Angus.
Spare man—Piggott.
The directors of the company are repairing the grounds to-day for the game and if the field is in good shape to-morrow afternoon the game will to-morrow afternoon the game will be called at four o'clock.

TO IMPROVE FACTORY

A meeting of the directors of the Chatham Manufacturing Company was held this week, when the Blond Company was given the contract for the new additions to the factory on Head street. This company has developed so rapidly of late and the demiand for the Chatham wagons has become so universal that the compan are face to face with the problem of providing more manufacturing space. It was decided to tear away the old frame buildings at the rear of the front factory, and put up larger brick ones. The work on the new part will be commenced next weekt

Any tregularity on the part of The Planet's carrier boys will be im-mediately remedied by calling at the office or phoning 53s.

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The congregation of the First Pres-

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Wheat-	OPEN.	HIGH.	LOW	CLOS
Sept	77	771	764	77
Dec	781	78章	781	781
May	80g	804	808	804
Corn-				
Sept	475	48	47	478
Dec	471	478	465	461
May	471	477	463	478
Oats-				
Sept	$36\frac{1}{2}$	367	363	$36\frac{3}{4}$
Dec	378	37 3	371	371
May	383	39	388	388
Pork				
Sept	1295	1300	1290	1292
Oct	1295	1312	1295	1310
Lard				
Sept	950	962	950	962
Oct	792	792	790	790
Ribs				
Oct	925	932	925	925
Sept	935	945	935	845

Auction Sale of Residential Property

Andrew Phoenses the received in-tructions from the executors of the L. A. Waddell estate to sell on Wed-N. A. Waddell estate to sell on Wednesday, Sept. 30th, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the Garner House, that handsome residence situated on the corner of Water and Seventh streets. The property consists of the northeast half of lot 54, north side of Water street. On it is a large frame house two stories high, and basement, portico in front, verandahs on east side, contains ten rooms and bath room, and has Buck Leader furnace. The lot has a frontage of 104 feet and runs to the river, with fine shade trees, shrubbery, etc.

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Table Linens.

At \$1.00 a yd.—New fall patterns just seven pieces and as many patterns, choice quality pure bleached table damasks, \$8 to 70 ins wide, superior finish, guaranteed all pure linen. Napkins to match some at the

At 75c a yd.—Special 68 inch bleached damask, pure flax, bright satin finish, plain centre, wide floral borders. Also a 72 inch pure linen damask, choice designs, beauwagality, soft make new 4756. heavy quality, soft make, per yd 75c.

Special 52 in Cream Damask.

The best in the trade, 25c yd; a much better cloth at 30c yd. Hand loom table linen, for general wear, broken plaid design, extra good wearing cloth, per yd 40c, 45c and 60c.

Towels.

At 20c each. — Fringed huck towels, bleached with white borders or blue bord-ers, heavy quality, 21x40 ins, regular 25c value, special 20c.

At 10c each.—15 dozen heavy huckaback towels, plain white or red borders, 19x36 in, could not be sold under 12½ if we bought them to day, fringed ends, special 10c each.

At 50c yd.—Ten choice patterns in half bleached table damask, pure flax, heavy qualities, fine weaves, representing spots, floral effects, soroll design Buffalo, and a man on horseback, 58 to 64 ins wide.

At 40c a yd.—Seven new pieces just in, 64 in half bleached table linen, heavy make, fine weave, handsome designs, a regular 50c quality, special 40c yd.

Table Napkins.

25 doz pure bleached table napkins, \$\frac{5}{2}\text{size, pure linen assorted patterns, heavy quality, regular \$1.25, special \$1.00.

5 doz only § size, bleached napkins, assorted patterns, pure linen, heavy quality, special \$1.25.

At \$2.00 a doz.—Our regular \$2.50 kind, bleached Scotch napkins, 22 ins square.

At 12½c each.—Solid huckaback towels, plain or red borders, fringed ends, guarante-ed all pure line or moaey back, 18x35 ins, special 12½c each.

TOWELING.

Irish or Scotch Crash Towelling, soft heavy quality, red table border, makes a very serviceable side drop or roller towel, pure flax, 18 in, 10c yd; 20 in, 12½c a yard, special crash toweling, 16 ins wide, pure flax, red tape border, heavy quality, 8c a yd. Pattern Cloth Snap.—7 only bleached pattern table cloths, choice patterns, border all round, excellent quality linen, 65x83 ins, our regular \$2.50 line, cut price to clear \$2.00 each.



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Particular mention of Our Fall Suits and Overcoats at \$7.50, \$10.00, \$12.00 and \$15.00.

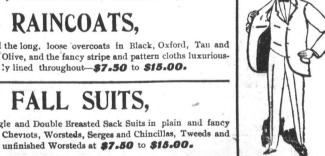
The familiar box coat of covert, in all the new shades of aunty and smarter than ever-suitable for early fall wear.

And the long, loose overcoats in Black, Oxford, Tan and Olive, and the fancy stripe and pattern cloths luxurious ly lined throughout-\$7.50 to \$15.00.

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FALL SUITS, Single and Double Breasted Sack Suits in plain and fancy

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Norfolk Suits in all the new effects-Tweeds, Cheviots, Worsteds and Serges-the latest cut Norfolk styles with yoke, and made with plain box pleats, all way up with belt, for ages, 5 to 13 years.

Russian Middys—The season's most popular suit for the little fellow.
The Russian Suit this season is shorter and made with full sailor collar with seperate shield for front, made from handsome quality serges, for ages 4 to 8 years.

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The Leading and Reliable Clothiers.

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Chatham and Dresden.

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is responsible for much suffering that is called headache, biliousness, dyspepsia, vertigo, etc. Besides this, many school children are rated as dull—stupid, slow, etc., the teacher never auspecting that the dull shild is handicapped by an error of refraction in the eyes or muscular insufficiency, which is hourly exhausting the nervous energy of the child to the detriment of his or her progress in studies and reputation as a diligent student. If your child appears dull—does not seem as smart as other children, call in and let our optician examine the eyes. If there is nothing wrong it will cost you nothing to find it out.

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H. Malcolmson

Shoulder Braces

Round **Shoulders**

One doesn't have to worry much about children getting round shouldered as long as they are out doers all the while. It is when they are inside, exercising less and bending over deaks that the injury is done. For this reason this is an especially timely season to put shoulder braces on the child that shows signs of stooping. We have the kind you should use, the ones universally conceded to be the beat.

The Red Cross Drug Store,

W. W. TURNER,

There will, no doubt, be a large number of guesses placed on the stove we are giving away. In order to make it a perfectly fair contest we especially request that no one put in more than one guess. We hope you will co-operate with us in making this contest what we wish it to be, viz:

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The Letter-Box

The Editor of The Planet:

Dear Sir,-If it, were not that I know you are deeply interested in that which would be of advantage to your readers, I would feel that am trespassing on your good nature by asking you to insert further letters in the line of the strong demand which there is for thoroughly competent male stenographers.

Here is the greatest need of the ousiness world to-day. WANTED-Young men who are com-petent shorthand writers and op-erators of the writing machine.

erators of the writing machine. If thousands of corporations and commercial houses, the country over, should simultaneously print this advertisement, it would tell a story of the present needs of the business world. Every young man just starting but in life, should know this fact. It means everything to him. Demand creates opportunity and opportunity is the key to success. Facts and figures tell the story and we have both to prove what we have to say.

Every year the employment depart ments of different typewriter companies find positions for stenographers and typewriters of both sexes. During the past year the Remington people found fourteen thousand positions in the state of the sexes and New York People found fourteen thousand positions are all the sexes and New York People found fourteen thousand positions are all the sexes and New York People for the sexes and People for the sexes a in the cities of Chicago and New New York alone for stenographers. Of those who registered each year in these employment departments in the larger cities, the men average only ten per cent, while the call for only ten per cent, while the call for young men each year averages forty per cent, showing that only twenty-five per cent of the calls are being filled. There is not a city in either Canada or the United States to-day where a young man who is a com-petent stenographer and typewriter cannot secure a position for the ask cannot secure a position for the asking, and at wages ranging from \$50

to \$80 per month to begin with.

Everyone knows that the young man who understands shorthand and typewriting can start out at a salary double that of the one who is ignorant of these branches. And ignorant of these branches. And this is only the smallest part of his advantage. The other one usually has to start as an office boy or in some obscure position, where he learns some obscure position, which bus ness; the stemographer invariably does work which, if he is ambitious and wide awake, will make him fam lar with the business in a very short time. If young men could understand what it because to execute with testful and

the business in a very short time. If young men could understand what it means to associate with tactful and resourceful; business men, to take their dictation, to write their thoughts, to think as they think, to work, to invent, to plan, to execute, in complete accord with that which is the brightest and best in business life, they would not hesitate to prepare for a steenographic position.

We are determined, with your kind permission, to follow this matter up until we get the young men among your readers to know that we are after them for some other reason than simply to get them as students. I would like to be able to secure two hundred young men who are almostly to get them as students. I would like to be able to secure two hundred young men who are almostly believed as stenographers, I would undertake to place every one of them as soon, as they were competent to fill good positions, and I do not think I would have to hurr a position for dry of them, and I believe I can place all of them who are so qualified, at wages ranging from \$50 to \$50 per month, and in special cases more.

Hoping these letters may have the esired effect, and influence some of the young men among your readers who have not decided on a vocation in life, to take up shorthand, I am,

Yours sincerely, D. McLACHLAN.

A JURY ON STATE. They Disagreed Because They Were

Montreal, Sept. 22.-E. Parisi, the Italian, whose trial here on a charge ended Saturday, was acquitted yesterday, the jury, after proceeding in a manner unprecedented here, bringing in a verdict of not guilty. Before the twelve men were locked up on Saturtwelve men were locked up on Satur-day to consider the evidence the Judge announced that he would re-ceive the verdict on—Monday. On Saturday the foreman of the jury told the officials that a decision had been reached, but he did not say what v.as its nature. He asked, however, that the jury be allowed to take a trolley ride, jury be allowed to take a trolley ride, claiming that they were in need of fresh air. The request was not granted, the excuse being that the rules provided for no such outing. The jurors then argued that as they had finished their duties they were entitled to a change of air. The officials were nevertheless obdurate, so some of the jurors took offence and decided to disagree. When the court resumed this morning the foreman reported accordingly, reciting the circumstances, and then the Judge expressed his indignation at such a proceeding. There was a time, he said, when juries were locked up for days without either light or food. He sent them back. Twice again they reported no agreement. A third time, however, was more satisfactory, the accused being found "not guilty."

THE WORLD'S FINEST SEAMEN Newfoundland People so Described by

an English Magazine Writer. London, Sept. 22.—In the October number of The Pall Mall Magazine an article on "Colonial Naval Reserves" says Newfoundland is an ideal Province in which to establish a naval force. Its people are the finest and most skilful seafolk in the world.

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internal remedies, which the public
have weighed in the balance of experience and found wanting; nearly
all of them gave some relief, but nothing approaching a radical cure resulted from these preparations.

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will immediately stop the pain so severe in many cases of piles, and then by contracting the small bloodvessels (capillaries) to their normal size, produces a radical cure by reducing and finally absorbing the tumors and healing the inflamed, raw

tumors and healing the inflamed, raw mucous surfaces.
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States and Canada, and is now sold by all druggists under the name of Pyramid Pile Cure.

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is sold for the nominal price of 50 cents and \$1.00 per package.

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ONE CLAIM ABANDONED.

Good Point for British Side in Alaska

London, Sept. 22. - Towards the close of Friday's proceedings before the Alaska Boundary Tribunal. Mr. Dickenson, on behalf of the United States, withdrew the claim that the line should be measured from the head of tide water. The term, he said was intended to be synonymous with the heads of inlets.

Attorney-General Finlay resumed his argument, quoting from the reports of Mendenhall to United States surveyors to show that he con templated a line measured at right angles to the general trend of the coast, which might cut the forger inlets, and proved by reference to United States maps of the survey of 1894-that these instructions were observed and that these surveys were carried only to a point ten leagues from the mouth of Taku Inlet and other points:

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STORM EXACGERATED.

THE HOUSE CRITICIZES THE WEATHER REPORT.

National Railway Bill-Government Accepts One of Mr. Borden's Amendments - Financial Relations of the G.T.R. and the New

Ottawa, Sept. 22.—The House spent the whole day in consideration of the clause of the national transcontinental railway bill, which deals with the financial relations of the Grand Trunk Railway with the G. T. Pacific Railway Co. The Government accepted the suggestion by the Opposition leader, by which the evident intention that the Government should not be required to guarantee 75 per cent. of the cost of the western section of the proposed railway until the Grand Trunk Railway railway until the Grand Trunk Railway had undertaken to provide the balance required to construct the road was more specifically set forth. The debate, however, dragged along all day upon a further amendment proposed by Mr. Borden, which the Government declined to accept, requiring the G. T. R. to guarantee all the obligations undertaken by the G. T. Pacific. Hon. Mr. Fielding pointed out that the amendment went altogether beyond the scope of the present agreement.

ment.

Mr. Walter Scott West Assiniboia) called attention to a statement by Mr. R. Stupart of the Toronto Observatory, published in the Toronto papers, that the snowstorm of last week in the Northwest was very severe and continued steadily all night and all day at Regina. Advices from the Northwest indicated that this statement was utterly erroneous. He protested was utterly erroneous. He protested against the gross exaggeration which has obtained publicity concerning the extent of damage caused by the storm, and particularly against an important officer of the Government making the

and particularly against an important officer of the Government making the statement attributed to him, tending to strengthen the exaggerated reports which found, publicity, some of which were purely ridiculous. The storm had not affected possibly more than one-fifth of the whole grain-growing area, and the damage there would not exceed to per cent.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier did not agree with those gentlemen who had spoken in reference to the general misapprehension regarding the extent of the storm. Everybody now knew that the first rumor of severe damage having been done was an absolute falsehood. The storm has been very limited both in its area and character. It was unfortunate that such exaggerated statements had received publicity, but he did not know what remedy could be had so long as one newspaper copied from another without verifying the truth of the report.

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THAT JOINT DEBATE. Messrs. Tarte, Monet and Bourassa

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Laprairie, Que., Sept. 21 .- A rathet interesting political meeting was held here Saturday evening, when Hon. J. Israel Tarte, on invitation from Mr. D. Monet, M.P. for Napierville and Laprarie, crossed swords with Mr. Henri Bourassa, M. P., and Mr. Monet. It Bourassa, M. P., and Mr. Monet. It developed into a torrent of personalities, centring on the withdrawal of the late Minister of Public Works from the Laurier Cabinet, and his subsequent conduct of La Patrie, which, it was insinuated, had been misappropriated to further Conservative interests. A pamphlet was distributed among the crowd, which numbered several thousands. It dealt with Mr. Tarte, saying that no prestidigitateur, rait thousands. It dealt with Mr. Tarte, saying that no prestidigitateur, however famous, no equilibrist, however celebrated, no juggler, past or present, had ever rivalled the slipping and balancing acts on political strings performed by "Israel of the Tribe of Judas."

Mr. Tarte's speach was learned to the strings of the Tribe of Judas."

Mr. Tarte's speech was largely a repetition of his high tariff utterances and took in no new matter. Hi ready responses were quite entertain

mg.
Mr. Monet dwelt upon Mr. Tarte and La Patrie, and accused the ex-Minister of inconsistency and desertion. Minister of inconsistency and desertion.

Mr. Bourassa attacked Mr. Chamberlain and Imperialism, and called Mr. Tarte the Colonial Secretary's apostle in Canada. The Chamberlain idea was destructive of Canadian autonomy, he asserted; it was conducive of the abrogation of rights which the people of the Province of Quebec held sacred. Protection to a greater extent than now obtains means the creation of trusts. He was especially vigorous and effective in queting Mr. Tarte's recorded views of the days gone by against Mr. Tarte's recent utterances in La Patrie and on the hustings.

Mayor Killed Two Gamblers.

Fort Smith, Ark., Sept. 19.—To-day idge Russell, Mayor of Gans, I.T., shot and killed two gamblers of Cherokee blood, named Buck Martin and James Spotts, who were advancing upon a son of the Mayor with the expressed intention of cutting his throat. Mayor Russell interfered and the men threatened to cut his throat also.

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One Result of the Martinique Disaster.

BY DOROTHY CANFIELD.

Y dear young lady," remonstrated the colonel. "My dear young lady! Did anyone ever hear a more unreasonable request?" He sank into the steamer

He sank into the steamer chair beside me and rolled himself comfortably in the rug. "It is so unreasonable that you must be forced to confess that you have not the slightest idea that will be granted. Preposterous! As if one could say anything interesting on shipboard—much less tell a whole story!" "This is a very good prologue," said I. The colonel did not smile. He was contemplating the line of the horizon with a far-away look in his eyes. "You see, people's ideas of what is interesting are so different. Now there is a story that I might tell—but whether it would interest a young lady, that is the question. It is a rather odd experience of mine that happened several years ence of mine that happened several years ago. It is about the curious way I first heard of a great change in the state of things, with which you are so familiar as doubtless to have forgotten that it is a change."

I settled back contentedly in my chair. The colonel smiled a little and began. "I said that it happened several years ago, but that was an old man's way of speaking. I dare say you would call it many years ago, as you were probably a baby at the time, if, indeed, you had appeared at all.

appeared at all.

"It was a year of great disasters of various kinds, natural, political and social; and I embarked on a fast liner for Liverpool with the gloomy feeling that some new horror would probably greet my eyes on landing.

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"We had a prosperous journey, unil what I suppose was the most important happening of my life occurred. I had a headache!"

"Why, colonel," said I, "I thought you told me the other day that you never had headaches!"

told me the other day that you never had headaches!"

The colonel looked at me reproachfully. "I had a headache," he continued "and the most severe one I have ever experienced, although I have from child hood been subject to whem." He emphasized the words. "It lasted two days and on the third, unable to endure the pain, I sent for the ship's doctor. He gave me an opiate of some kind, and told me to be careful in using it, as it was very strong. The pain continued, and

me to be careful in using it, as it was very strong. The pain continued, and, finally, driven almost insane by it, I raised the glass to my lips and drank off all of the drug which the doctor had left."

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The colonel paused impressively.

"I have never known nor been able to conjecture how long I lay in the heavy stupor that immediately followed this reckless act. When I became again dimly conscious of, my surroundings, the first feeling that assailed me was an overpowering hunger. I pressed the electricall impatiently. No one answered. Tang again, and shouted 'Steward! Steward!' at the top of my voice; but there was absolute silence when my cries ceased echoing. Then it occurred to me that the ship was perfectly still. There was no throbbing motion of the screw nor any pitching and tossing. She lay as still as though she were in drydock. I remember thinking in my half-dazed condition that perhaps she was in drydock and that I had slept through all the noise and bustle of the disembarking. The silence grew oppressive. I sprang out of bed to turn on the electric light. The key snapped, but no light came, and at the same instant I felt the sudden piercing breath of the most intense cold I have ever experienced. Ah, I grew accustomed to that cold later! I groped about for my cap and overcoat, and rushed out of the cabin. I made for the stairway, filled with a great horror of the dark and cold and silence. I found rushed out of the cabin. I made for the stairway, filled with a great horror of the dark and cold and silence. I found the stairs, and as I hurriedly ascended them it began to grow lighter. It was daytime then. I called aloud again and again as I rushed along the hall leading to the deck door, but there was no answer. Everything looked about as usual, however, and there was nothing to prepare my mind for the astounding spectacle that met my eyes as I threw open the door.

"I am not an eloquent man and I can-not describe to you the tremendous rush of emotions which almost turned me

derful sea-happenings, and thought that if ever I reached land again I would have a new one to tell. I wish I had the time to fully describe the charms of a sojourn on an iceberg, but the point of my tale is concerned with later events. I will leave my Robinson Crusoe years for some other time, and go on with my story.

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"There had been the most severe and long-continued fogs that I had yet experienced, for at least a week. One morning, as I was pacing up and down the section of deck that was my tiny kingdom, the fog lifted and disclosed to my amazed eyes a high chalk cliff within a short distance.

"This was the moment for which I had waited all these years. I hastily gathered together the few things necessary to complete the outfit of my raft. Cutting the rope, I beheld myself floating from my ley prison with feelings of unmixed delight.

"My sail worked well, and late in the afternoon I effected a landing. I felt with an ecstasy hard to describe the stones and gravel grate under my feet. I drew my raft well up on the beach and made it fast to a ridge of rock so that no wave could wash it out to sea. Packing my knapsack with an abundance of provisions and shouldering my blanket like an old soldier, I set off up the slight slope of the beach. It was quite dark, but in my eagerness I could not wait for daylight before exploring the country.

"All at once, to my intense surprise, I found myself on a well-made road. I thought that I must be near a settlement of some kind. Pushing briskly forward, I indulged in the liveliest anticipations of once again seeing and speaking to one of my own kind.

"I stepped briskly along through the darkness, turning my lantern first to one side and then to the other, expecting every moment to come across a hut or skin tent that would announce the presence of humanity. But the yellow light showed me nothing but barren, flat land, with little or no vegetation.

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"As the first streaks of light were seen I looked about me with much interest to get my first view of the land; but at the get my lifst view of the land; but at the same moment a thick creeping mist arose. This shut me in far more impene-trably than the night had done, for my lantern could make no headway in it. I was tired, and this fresh misfortune quite discouraged me. I sat down on a stone beside the road to rest and reflect. stone beside the road to rest and reflect. Deciding that part of my despondency came from hunger, I opened my knapsack and made a hearty lunch. After this I felt more hopeful. 'There is no such thing as a road that leads nowhere,' I said to myself. 'If I keep right on, I must come to something and somebody.' So on I pushed through the fog, doggedly determined that I would not lose courage.

age.
"I think I must have gone on several days. I rolled myself in my blanket and slept when I needed rest, and ate my biscuit and dried meat, and drank my wine. Occasionally I came across a thread of a brook beside the road, and breaking the ice, I sucked the pieces. My plan was to go ahead till I had used up half of the

go ahead till I had used up half of the provision I had with me, and then to about face and make for the raft. That despised craft began to seem a haven of rest in this empty desolation. "Suddenly one day—or perhaps night, for the fog continued so dense that I could make no difference—my foot struck something hard, and in an instant my steps were ringing on what sounded exactly like a city pavement. I thought of my former drydock theory and smiled, for this was quite as absurd; but when I bent over to feel what it was, I was thunderstruck. For it was a city pavement! I stood still in utter amazement. I stamped to make sure it was real. It stamped to make sure it was real. rang under my foot with convincing firmness. I ran to one side and my foot encountered a curbstone. This was too much! I have gone mad, I thought. The dark and loneliness have driven me mad.'
"I sank down, and held my head be

"I sank down, and held my head between my hands. Then I thought that if there was a street and a curbstone there must be a house, and springing up. I went to the other side of the sidewalk. There was nothing there, and I walked right into gravel. In a second I was seized with the wildest panic. It was the first time that I had ventured out of the road, and I was in deadly fear of not being able to find my way back again. For a moment of unutterable horror I ran furiously about on the gravel. When I struck the pavement again the revulsion of feeling was exhausting. I sat down on the curbstone and tried to calm my wildly beating heart. That moment of blind chaos when all form or solidity of things had been blotted out, and when I saw before me an eternity of frantle and fruitless grop-

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empty rooms in a perfect passion of expectancy, which soon turned to a hopeless disappointment. I ran out again and rushed hallooing up the street like a madman. 'There must be some one in all these houses.' I exclaimed. I ran, turning corners and dashing along, hoping every moment to see or hear some one, until I was quite exhausted. Then, sinking down on some steps, I wept the first tears that the whole extraordinary exrears that the whole extraordinary experience had wrung from me.

"Reproaching myself for my weakness, I rose and walked on. I soon saw a large opening in front of me, and upon coming up to it I perceived that I was in a public to the property of the same of lic square. Business buildings rose about it, and there were a number signs in English over the doors. I read Haberdasher to his Majesty, with the English coat-of-arms above it. In another window was pasted, Removed to 221 Baden-Powell street, Pretoria. This

You can imagine the extraordinary mix-ture of emotions that filled me. It looked

exactly as a city street does early in the

morning, when no one is astir. I rushed up the steps of the nearest house and pounded furiously on the door. Receiving no answer, I ran down to the area and broke open a window. Entering, I called and shouted and ran about the

sign, with its cool, matter-of-fact announcement of a business change, bewildered me still more. I began to think seriously that I was dreaming. I walked on. Another shop gave its new address as 546 Kitchener Avenue, also in Pretoria. "It would take too long to tell you how it was gradually forced upon me that I was in London. I doubted my senses, I called myself mad, but London it certainly was. But what a London!
Day in and day out I wandered among
the deserted houses in a state of wonder that was almost idiotic, so profound was it. Where was London? Had some vast cataclysm sent England flying to wards the north pole?

"One day I was wandering through Trafalgar Square. I was more than usu-ally forlorn. I decided to go into the National Museum. I had found an entrance through one of the windows and I usually slept in an empty room. I went upstairs and wandered aimlessly about in the echoing galleries until, go in the control of t about in the echoing galleries until, going idly up to a window, I stood transfixed by a sudden new element in the
desolate landscape of silent roofs. Far,
far away in another part of the city
there arose a thin column of smoke! If
heaven had opened its doors and a choir
of angels had descended to rescue me, I
do not think I could have felt wilder

do not think I could have left wilder amazement or profounder thanksgiving. "Descending the stairs three at a time, I rushed out into the street. There it was still mounting delicately up into the clear air. How I ever reached the house from whose chimney the smoke ascended I do not know. The first thing I remember is battering wildly on the door, which was opened by a very surprised man clad in a fur suit.

in a fur suit.

"The rest of my story you can easily imagine, except that it would be hard for you to understand the astonishment caused by the news which the party of hunters told me. It is so old a story to young people of your generation that you fail to realize how amazing it still is to use defallors." o us old fellows."

I was staring at the colonel in bewilderment. He glanced at my perplexed

face.
"I don't believe I mentioned—did I?-"I don't believe I mentioned—did I?—that the year I was cast away was the year of the great Martinique disaster. The final disappearance of that whole series of islands happened during our illifated voyage. The tidal wave that came after that last eruption and that caused such widespread havoc all over the world (you must have read about it in old (you must have read about it in old papers) lifted our ship to the dizzy height where my fragment hung. Of course you very well know that that was the time when the course of the Gulf Stream changed and when England was "The hunters who told me all this new

"The hunters who told me all this news always go to the icy fastnesses of England during the bright season, when the heavy fogs that hang over the island during the rest of the year are dissipated. They could scarcely be convinced of my ignorance of what was so well known to them. Was it possible that I did not know that Great Britain was deserted on account of the cold, and that the newly-acquired territory of the Boers had served as a fresh center for English powers! They listened with astonishment to erry? They listened with astonishment to my exclamations of surprise as they told me of Europe, shocked and enfeebled by the sudden cold, succumbing to the might of the Russians. With Yankees in the Western Hemisphere, and Europe in the Western Hemisphere, and Europe and Asia belonging to Russia, it's little enough that's left for poor old John Bull, they said dolefully. Australia had become an independent power during this time, and Canada had been annexed to the United States. Africa was all that was left to the once so powerful England."

land."

I had been looking at the colonel in more and more amazement. At this I exclaimed: "Well, upon my word, I never knew anyone with so vivid and so gruesome an imagination! It's awful! Why, suppose that all that should actually come true!"

suppose that all that should come true!"

The lunch bell rang. I rose hastily. "Thank you very much. colonel, for your imaginative yarn. You'll pardon me if I hurry away, won't you? There is such an inconsiderate woman next me at table. If I'm not there the very first thing, she gets the only eatable pieces of everything!"—"Harper's Bazar."

What House?

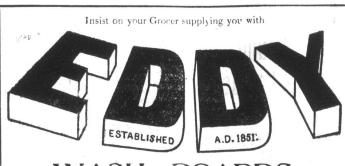
He was a commercial traveler of the more flashy type, and had just finished telling a startling story to his newly-made acquaintance in the railway carriage.
"That reminds me of one of Munchau

"That reminds me of one of Munchausen's yarns," remarked the victim, for want of something better to say.
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Thave only to add to it an expresen of the great pleasure which it was me to record my keen apprecia-on of the accurate diagnosis of the tuation made by the political offithe foresight and thoroughnes with which the necessary supplies which proved aimply adequate with out excess) were collected at a mini t difficulties; the ability
the leadership and the forrance and diciplinary conshown in victory, and the "Cassandra," sighs our hero, "there is something within me that thrills me to the innermost recesses of my soul. I must tell you of the haunting heaviness, of the doubt, the dread, the pain that agerness, loyalty, and gallantry of all ranks." Gen. Kemball similcompliments all concerned from Morland and Lieut. Col. Fest-"Percival," titters our heroine, "have you been eating green apples?"—"Judge."

one incident is narrated by Sir Prederick Lugard, which illustrates what wonders a British officer can "So you have decided to get another physician." "I have," answered Mrs. Cumrox; "the idea of his prescribing flaxeed tea and mustard plasters for people as rich as we are!"—Washington Star."

erform with a mere handful of drill-d natives:
"I desire to draw your especial atention to the very gallant fight by lieut. (now Capt.) Wright, at Raw-Lieut. (now Capt.) Wright, at Rawia. That officer, with only forty-five men of the mounted infantry, hampered by carriers on foot, had been sent out to reconnoitre one of the roads along which an army of at least 1,000 horse and 2,000 foot were expected to advance. A skirnish of the previous day had enabled him to gain information that the main body was behind, and he could, at that stage, no doubt, have returned with safety. Meanwhile the general officer commanding sent to general officer commanding sent to warn him that he would encounter large forces of the enemy and left it to his discretion to act as he thought best. In these circumstanes Lieut. Wright decided to mantain his position. He considered that, since the column was now 100 miles from Kano, and the enemy were more mobile than our troops, if he did not check them, even at the risk of annihilation, they would outpace our column, and (as Gen. Kemball says, some thousands of men who meant fighting would have got past our left flank to Kano.' He, therefore, resolved to make a stand with his forty-five men, with the result that he beat off the whole his discretion to act as he night best. In these circumsands cured tell the gladsome news to others and the good work goes on from day to day. Physicians everywhere acknowledge their superiority over all other known kidney reme Kidney-Wort Tablets are purely vegetable and entirely free from alcohol, that terrible enemy of the kidneys. Begin at once to help the kidneys back to strength and proper action by using Kidney-Wort Tablets. Guaranteed by all Druggists. Price 50 cents a bottle or six bottles for a stand with his forty-live men, with the result that he beat off the whole force with great loss. Had his little square been broken, or his men got out of hand, and lost confidence in their leader, the whole of the little party would, no doubt, have been obliterated. I consider that this Every adult man has 1,400 square feet of lung surface, or, rather, the

very gallant action deserves special recognition. Capt. Porter's subsequent charge was also a very gallant performance."
Commenting on this splendid performance by Capt. Wright, Gen. Memball adds: "Had it not been for the skilful and determined way in bold the road with Memball adds: 'Had it not been so the skilful and determined way in which that officer held the road with his small party against vastly superior numbers, a formidable body of fighting men would have succeeded in getting back to Kano, and I should have felt compelled to follow them with Col. Morland's column, a course which would certainly have prolonged the operations considerably. As it was, Lieut. Wright checked the enemy and headed them north, until Capt. Porter completed their discomfiture by his dashing their discomfiture by his charge."—London Telegraph.

Hen Oil for Incubators. An extraordinary step in the artificial incubation of eggs is the result of some vears of labor on the part of Mr. E. V. Boyes, a young North London chemist. He has discovered that "something," the lack of which, irom the time of the Egyptian downwards has qualified the success of all But it is a condition as unnatural as it is unnecessary. The use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescr'ption stringthens the delicate womanly organs and regulates the womanly functions, so that woman is practically delivered from the pain and misery which eat up ten years of her life-between the ages, of fifteen and forty-five. "Favorite prescription" makes week women strong and sick women well. from the time of the Egyptian downwards, has qualified the success of all artificial incubators. With the knowledge that the perspirations and its complex constituents of a sitting hen are important factors to a successful hatch, Mr. Boyes secured a quantity of the perspiration of a large number of hens feverish with the maternal instinct, and commenced experimenting. He found, on chemical analy-Lycurgus' Proposition.
Lycurgus set about the reformation and alteration of the state of Sparta and was advised by one individual to He found, on chemical analy sis, that it consisted of a fatty mat-ter, moisture, and an ethereal sub-stance of acetic odor, with a little dust or dirt. Further experiments dust or dirt. Further experiments have resulted in his now offering the poultry farmer a novel article of commerce in the form of "hen oil." ular equality. But Lycurgus astonished him by saying, "Sir, suppose you begin the reform it, your own house!" He claims that by putting a little of this curious concoction into the moisture tray under the egg drawer in the incubator, it will be automatically evaporated and diffused by the internal heat, and will do all the in-C. C. RICHARDS & CO.

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A Boy's Ambition.

When Admiral Hawke was a boy when Admiral Hawke was a boy about to go to sea for the first time his father gave him much good advice, ending up with the words, "I hope to live to see you a captain."
"A captain!" answered the boy. "If I did not think I should one day be an edwired I would not go to sea be an admiral I would not go to see

at all!"-Chatterbox. Ambiguous. The following call for professional services was sent to a local doctor recently: "Dear Doctor,—My wife's mother is at death's door; please come at once and see if you can pull her through!"—Melbourne Weekly lar and refreshing.

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Lord Ravenscourt's butler, Lord Ravenscourt's busier, who died the other day, leaving a fortune of £30,000, was by no means a unique instance of a rentleman's gentleman amassing a great fortune. There is a well known Conservative There is a well known Conservative member of Parliament who in his early days was a butler in Lord Salisbury's household. The money he saved from his salary and tips he invested in a hotel in South Kensington, which he disposed of some fif-teen years later at an enormous pro-fit. Samuel Waugh, who left more fit. Samuel Waugh, who left more than £2,000 when he died six weeks back, had been a butler in the Mac-lay family for over sixty years. A butler in a decent house may, speaking roughly, count on receiving £2 in tips for every £1 of his salary. In addition to tips, however, an important perquisite is the commission he receives from the tradesmen.—Lon don Tatler.

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Gallant Sir Thomas.

Sir Thomas Lipton has a gallant way of paying pretty compliments to ladies. Driving through Washington one day he passed a huge red automobile that stood before an imposing mansion of gray stone. A young girl in a white gown sat in the automo-bile, and as Sir Thomas glided by

bile, and as Sir Thomas glided by she bowed to him, smiling a radiant and charming smile. He, however, failed to see her.

The young girl looked embarrassed, vexed. She bit her lip. She thought a moment. Then she took hold of the wheel of her machine, pressed with her small foot the bulb that made the horn toot gruffly, and swiftly and smoothly she shot after the English knight.

Soon the great automobile over took the carriage and halted. The young girl, an old friend of Sir Thomas, extended her hand, and as he took it she said reproachfully: "You passed me a little while ago

without looking at me."
With a gallant smile and inclination of the head, Sir Thomas answered:
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steep Or curseth that the storm obscures the sky? Heed not the darkness round you dult and deep; The clouds grow thickest when the sum-mit's nigh.—Paul Laurence Dunbar.

DICKENS IN THE SLUMS.

Great Novelist Made Mimself Persenally Acquainted With His Types.

Everybody knows that the great Everybody knows that the great Charles Dickens was usually in the inabits of drawing the scenes and characters that appear in his novels from actual life. He would make himself personally acquainted with the places he intended to describe, and would go far out of his way to come into contact with a personage or type that seemed to him suitable for his purpose. But it is not generally known that, in the latter case he would sometimes run very considerable risk. Of one of these "sprees" of Dickens (for so he looked upon them), which has lately been described in his memoirs by the well-known actor, James R. Anderwell-known actor, James R. well-known actor, James R. Anderson, there is a brief account, so characteristic is it of the renowned author's optimistic, almost dare-devil,

fearlessness.

After a night rehearsal of "Henry V." Mr. Anderson had supper with Dickens, Maclise and Forster, and, Dickens, Maclise and Forster, and, at about 2 a. m., the trio went on a visit to some awful slums, called "The Rookery," a famous resort of the worst kind of thieves. Dickens, luckily, as it turned out, had secured a friendly detective to show him the place and the people he wanted to see for descriptive purposes. Dickens place and the people he wanted to see for descriptive purposes. Dickens and his friends found "The Rookery" crowded with "the most hideous-looking roughs,"

They stood drinks all round, but

They stood drinks all round, but without avail; the mob, instead of growing friendlier, grew more and more rowdy and hostile, and, being worsted in a battle of chaff, finally lost their temper and began to use brute force on the unwelcome visitors. One huge ruffian got hold of Dickens by the throat, and was about to land him a tremendous blow with the fist in his face, when Mr. Anderson pulled him away, just in the nick of time. Straightway the fellow went for the actor "like a wild beast"; but Mr. Anderson happened

of time. Straightway the fellow went for the actor "like a wild beast"; but Mr. Anderson happened to be a first-rate boxer, and in first-rate fighting trim, and knocked his opponent clean off his heels on to the sanded floor of the room.

Immediately the lights wore put out, and there was a perfect blizzard of bottles and glasses. "The shouts and eaths, smashing of chairs and benches, and the noise in the dark, made it impossible to tell friends from foes"; and had it not been for the detective, who opened the door of the "pub," dragged them into the street, and warned them to run for their lives, while he himself held on to the floor and kept the roughs at bay inside, Dickens and his party would have fared badly indeed.

As it was, they all appear to have escaped without a scratch. In fact, they arranged to breakfast together the next day, and they were all at the rendezveus in good time, "net a man of us," adds Mr. Anderson, "anything the worse for the overnight adventure."

Whistler's Suit Against Buskin

Whistler's death recalls the famous libel suit he brought against Ruskin.
The most amusing feature of it was the exhibition in court of som which were the subject of the suit.
The jury of respectable citizens, whose knowledge of art was probably limited, was expected to pass judgment on these paintings. Mr. Whistler's counsel held up one of the pictures.

pictures.

"Here, gentlemen," said he, "is one of the works which have been maligned."

"Pardon me," interposed Mr. Ruskín's lawyer, "you have that picture upside down."

"No such thing."

"Oh but it is so," continued Rus-

"No such thing."

"Oh, but it is so," continued Ruskin's counsel. "I remember it in the Grosvenor Gallery, where it was hung the other way about."

The altercation ended in the correctness of view of Ruskin's lawyer things and the fact, that

being sustained, and the fact that Mr. Whistler's own counsel did not know which was the top or bottom of the picture had more to do with Ruskin's virtual victory than all the arguments of counsel or the evidence of art experts.

Official Precedence in Australia.

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The question of official precedence in Australia appears to be as embarrassing as it proved in this country. The London Chronicle says: The new table of precedence at Commonwealth functions, recently sanctioned by the King, has caused some commotion. Protests and hostile comments are pretty numerous in the papers, They come mainly from the heads of the non-Episcopal Churches—Presbyterians, Wesleyans, etc.—who are indignant because their status is completely ignored, and only "the Cardinal and the Primate" are officially recognized in the new table. They consider it a curious anomaly that in such a democratic country as Australia the democratically chosen heads of denominations, like the President of the Wesleyan Conference and the Moderator of the Presbyterian General Assembly, should be thus entirely overlooked. A deputation to the Commonwealth Prime Minister, Sir Edmund Barton, had laid the matter before him when the mail left.

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Great preparations have been made for the above occasion, which will acclude athletic sports, baseball match and other amusements.

Uniner will be served on both days from II a. m. to 2 p. m., and no tracement repast. Balloon ascensions on the afternoon of both days.

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ed, including the Hon. J. I. Tarte, Mr. H. Bourassa, Rodolph Lemieux, all accomplished speakers, and others of Montreal. In addition M. K. Cowan, M. P. J. A. Auld, M. P. P., Dr. Reaume, M. P. P., N. A. Coste, G. Pacaud, ex-M. P. P., J. A. Tremblay and others are expected. The C. M. B. A., C. O. F., and the Union St. Joseph societies of the County have been invited to attend. Proceeds in aid of building fund of proposed new church. Reduced fare on the G. T. R. and C. P. R.
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BLOWN TO ATOMS.

Two Men Who Hurried to the Scene Terrorized by the Desperadoes-Two Other Robberies.

Holland, Man., Sept. 22. - Burglars visited this town last night and blew open Mr. Dickson's safe in his store, also Mr. Tyson's safe in the drug store, and then the large vault door in the Union Bank was blown to atoms. While engaged at the bank Walter and Fulton Ross, who heard where and rutton ross, who heard were promptly ordered to "Hands up and face the wall," and compelled to obey at the point of firearms. Three men then left over the hill south. They secured about one hundred dollars.

DOES THIS MEAN WAR

The Bulgarian and the Turkish Troops in Conflict.

London, Sept. 22.—A despatch from Guitchevo, on the Turco-Bulgarian rontier, to The London Daily Mail, reports that great excitement prevails in the district, because of a skirmish between Turkish and Bulgarian troops Saturday on the mountain range which forms the border line. The genwhich forms the border life. The general impression is that war is only a question of a few days. The despatch adds that Turkey is massing 40,000 troops in and around Palanka, 10 miles from the Bulgarian frontier, against which force the Bulgarians have only

4,000 men.

The Turkish frontier officers, says a despatch to The Times from Dubnitza, report that the insurgents under Gen-Zontchieff have been defeated with great slaughter near Melnik, and a great number of Bulgarians were massacred in the neighboring villages, several of which were burning.

Sofia, Sept. 22.—It is reported here that 500 Turks have been killed with dynamite while fighting against a body of insurgents in the Kresna defile.

THE BRITISH CABINET.

The Rumored Appointments Officially Denied.

London, Sept. 22.-Premier Balfour's private secretary informed the Associ-ated Press last night that the reported

ated Press last night that the reported Cabinet appointments had not yet been made. Apparently Lord Milner is still considering the offer of the Colonial Secretaryship.

The earlier report was to the effect that King Edward had approved the appointment of Austen Chamberlain, the Postmaster-General, to be Chancellor of the Exchequer, in succession to Charles T. Ritchie; Mr. Arnold-Forster, Secretary to the Admiralty, to be Secretary for War, in succession to Mr. Brodrick; Mr. Brodrick, the Secretary for War, to be Secretary for India, in succession to Lord George Hamilton, and Lord Selborne, the First Lord of the Admiralty, to be Secretary for the Colonies, in succession to Joseph Chamberlain.

It is known that Lord Milner, the

It is known that Lord Milner, the British High Commissioner to South Africa, was offered the Colonial Secre-

taryship.

The question of the support of the Nationalist party for the new fiscal policy of retaliation is said to be the subject of negotiations between the Government and the Irish leaders. It is reported that Chief Irish Secretary Wyndham is offering a concession in the shape of a Roman Catholic college at Dublin, while the Nationalists, on the other hand, are demanding a measure of local self-government as the price of their support. Whether the price of their support. Whether or not these statements are well founded, it appears clear that the Nationintend to use the Cabinet crisis

alists intend to use the Cabinet crisis as a lever.

Wm. O'Brien, M.P., speaking at Cork to-night, declared unequivocally that both of the English parties were broken, and the solid Irish party would meet whichever came out on top. The future aim of the Irish party, he said, was "Ireland a nation," and they intended to adopt a position of independence and hold their fiands until it was discovered from whom the best was discovered from whom the best terms could be obtained. The means which secured the abolition of land-lordism, declared the Irish leader, could easily, on the same lines, achieve home rule.

UNCALLED-FOR ATTACK. Strange Action of The London Daily News.

London, Sept. 22.-The recent editorial in The London Daily News attacking Attorney-General Finlay for what it called his "discourteous tone" towards the United States in the argument on the Alaska dispute, and which was cabled several United States papera, is the only unfriendly reference to the Canadian case which has appeared in the British press. The News' accession was entirely unfounded, whilst the attack on Canada was most sourcibous. The News is no longer the organ of any political party, but simply a private enterprise, so that no importance is attached to its utterances here. As showing how much The News is up-to-date, to-day's issue announces that Lord Alverstone, one of the Alaska boundary commissioners, is staying at Shanklin, on the Isle of Wight, five hours' journey from London. ment on the Alaska dispute, and which

A FORT BLOWN UP.

Many Killed and Injured in Disaster in Portuguese East Africa.

(Associated Press Despatch.) Mozambique, Portuguese East Aftica, Sept. 22.—An explosion of gunpowder and grenades has occurred in Fort San Sabastiano. Many persons were killed or injured. The fort was wreck-ed. Further explosions are feared.

BURCLARS AT HOLLAND, MAN. | DEPUTATION AFTER TRUE BILL FOR MURDER.

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Ald. Martin said that it was almost as much as a person's life was worth, if you could believe The Planet, and Ald. Piggott, should that person on behalf of the city ask the

ailway to do anything.

Ald. Mounteer said that he was not Present to defend the railroad company but he asked the Council to wait for a few days until the gravel got packed.

Ald Edmondson said that the city

had almost pleaded with the railroad Surely to goodness, the city can ask for its rights.

Ald. Edmondson's motion passed.

Mayor McKeough called the atten-tion of the Board of Works to the scheme for taking the tracks off Head street and running down along the river front.

Ald. Mounteer said that he had sug-Ald Mounteer said that he had suggested to Roadmaster Harry Morristhat the railroad instruct their engineer to run a line, then an effort could be made to secure the right of way. One geneleman on Head St. had offered \$25, another \$50, and a third \$100 towards having the track removed from that thoroughfare.

Ald Edmondson said it was an ourrage to ask the citizens to contribute one dollar.

THE CARASHOPS.

Mayor McKeough said that there had been considerable talk about the editorial in The Planet in regard to securing the car-shops and there was in the editorial, It might be well to make another attempt to get the car shops located in Chatham. Ald, Piggott had interviewed the vice-pres dent of the Pere Marquette, and he had given some hope. The Mayor thought it would be will if a deputa-tion of citizens made an appointment

thought it would be well if a deputation of citizens made an appointment with the vice president, and went to Detroit to see what could be done. Ald. Martin said that this was only a gratuatous idea of The Planet to give a dozen prominent citizens a nice trip to Walkerv. Is. He emphatically protested. He had done everything he could since he had been in the council. No man was more anxious to have the car-shops than Ald. Martin. The deputation would get the same answer, which was no answer at all. If it was in the interests of the railroad Chatham would get the shops, if it wasn't they wouldn't. The railway was a mere meteor in the head of the editor of The Planet who wanted to show the power he had. Ald. Martin ventured to say not one of the men mentioned would go on the fool's errand. They would object to being made fools.

Mayor McKeough said that the deputation wouldn't cost more than \$10 and a city deputation had done yeoman service in connection with the

man service in connection with the Chaplin Wheel Works. A deputation from Hamilton had secured the Deer-ing Harvester Works for that city. A deputation might result in good

Ald. Piggott agreed with the Mayor.
St. Thomas was losing no time. Ald.
Martin had accused him of writing editorials. This was not true, but he he accused Ald. Martin of playing to the grand stand. It was votes Ald.
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city.

Ald. McCorg said that the deputation wouldn't cost more than \$10 and
that it was a plan worth trying. He
He moved that the Mayor, Ald. Marshall and Ald. Piggott be a commit-tee of the council to accompany a de-putation from the Board of Trade

The motion carried.
G. P. Scholfield, Will Hadley and Hugh Malcolmson were mentioned as possible Board of Trade representa-tives.

TENDERS OPENED, The tenders for sewers were opened and awarded ass follows

Horn Brothers—Murray street sew-er, \$198.

Alex. Macdonald—Wilson avenue,

Richard Stevens-West street from Grey street to Patterson avenue, \$120; Wellington street to Prince, \$186; Wellington street from Prince to Duke, \$360

IN MEMORIAM. It was moved by A. B. McCoig, seconded by W. S. Marshall, that whereas this Council has learned with sincere regret of the death of Frederick Robinson, an old and highly respected citizen and father of our ly respected citizen and father of our worthy colleague, Ald. Robinson, be it therefore resolved that this Council hereby express their sorrow and sympathy with Ald. Robinson in the deep loss which he has sustained and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Ald. Robinson.

The motion carried unanimously. The motion carried unanimously.

ACCOUNTS The following accounts were pass

John Alexander, 75 cents.
George Thomas, \$15.76.
George Lampherd, \$7.
Dr. Hall, \$20.
W. S. Richards, \$20.
John H. Oldershaw, \$216.02.
J. & J. Oldershaw, \$302.
Chatham Paving Co., \$129.04.
G. N. W., 74 cents.
Mr. Steen, \$17.55.
Dominion Paving Co., \$2,923.77.
James Cornhill, \$21.50.
James Cornhill, \$21.60.
Blonde Co., \$68.42.
C. Austin & Co., 34 cents.
Park Bros., \$92.13.
Hay, fire department, \$7.23.
Geo. Stephens & Co., \$10.50. John Alexander, 75 cents.

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LAKE ERIE SHOPS MATTHEWS HOMICIDE CASE TO BE HEARD THIS WEEK.

> Circumstances of the Killing of the Colored Man Recalled-Richardson's Line of Defence-The Color Prejudice.

> Windsor, Sept. 22.-With Chancellor Boyd presiding, the Fall Assizes for Essex County began at Sandwich yes-Col. J. C. Hegler of Ingersoll is the Crown prosecutor. There is a heavy docket, the most important case being that of the King v. Oliver Richardson for murder. The Grand Jury have returned a true bill for murder against Oliver Richardson. The trial will start on Wednesday. Arrayed against the Crown prosecutor will be Mr. E. F. B. Johnston, the eminent criminal lawyer of Toronto, who will be chief counsel for Richardson. Attorney, J. H. Rodd of Windsor will assist Mr. Johnston.

Windsor will assist Mr. Johnston.

A short time preceding the murder Matthews' colt got into Richardson's corn field. Matthews was on his way to take the animal out, when Richardson attacked him. A desperate struggle ensued between the two, Richardson using his gun and Matthews some stones. After being shot twice, Matthews disarmed Richardson, then toppled over from sheer exhaustion. He died within 24 hours.

Richardson is 40 years old. Matthews was 55 years of age, and was a hardworking, respected citizen.

MEMBERS TO BE PAID.

The Financial Drouth at Ottawa Will Be Relieved.

Ottawa, Sept. 22.—"The long dry spell" for the members has come to an end by the decision to issue checks in payment of indemnity. The banks were asked by officials of the House, not the Government, if they would honor the checks, and they replying in the affirmative, the difficulty was solved. It was not too soon, as many members complained that their available assets were at a low ebb. may not be much connection between the incidents, but the Parliamentary eaterer, who has found odd business dull recently, has announced an in-crease in his rates for board.

SIR CHARLES TUPPER.

Has Started a Fresh Public Work-

London, Sept. 22.—The Westmins ter Gazette says:-Sir Charles Tupper, having recently entered his eighty-third year, apparently thinks he ought to make a fresh start in public work, and so has entered actively into the fiscal campaign. He delivered a vigorous address at Plumstead, and more is to be heard from him.

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