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Allies Within Sixteen Miles of the Chinese Capital.

Enemy Offers But a Faint Opposition -Some Fighting to do Yet,

London, Aug. 15 .- The Standard, after expressing the opinion that there is increasing ground to hope that the ministers will be rescued by the arrival of the allies at Pekin to-morrow (Thursday) if the initial rate of progress is maintained, goes on to deal with what will follow, and says it may be taken for granted that the policy attributed to the Washington cabinet represents the absolute minimum of the demands of the combined powers. The only news which takes the advance upon Pekin further than Hosiwu comes from Paris. The London morning papers contain nothing to confirm the French report that the allies are within 16 miles of Pekin, although a Che Foo despatch is printed, saying they were within 27 miles of the goal on Saturday, Confirming the report of the arrival of the international forces at Hosiwu, the Daily Mail's correspondent adds:—"The Chinese offered little real opposition. The arrival of the allies frustrated a determined attempt to divert the course of attributed to the Washington cabinet

rival of the allies frustrated a determined attempt to divert the course of the river. The heat is intense, but the health of the troops is good."

Al Port Arthur special announces that the women and children have been natified to leave that place. The allied troops, says the St. Petersburg correspondent of The Times, having on Aug. 9th, occupied Hosiwu, have now moved on toward Machang without meeting any great opposition. The artillery is being moved satisfactorily in spite of the bad roads, which the Japanese are engaged in repairing. ese are engaged in repairing, The Chinese are now concentrated t Esinghoh-Sien, where fighting may

THE BONNIE BELL

Now Takes Possession of the Erie & Huron Cup.

the Beat the Eric B. After the Latter Had Scored Twice and Only Required Another Win.

At the Scotch picnic at the Eau yesterday there was a yacht race sailed, around which centred much interest. Three seasons ago the Erie & Buron gave a beautiful cup for competition among the Eau boats. To permanently own the silverware some boat had to win it three summers in succession. The contest soon narrowed down to two boats, the Eric B, belonging to George Bounsall, of Blenheim, and the Bonnie Belle, owned by Supt. Jones, of Chatham. They were the two flyers. In both cases the owners had built these boats and they were both designthese boats and they were both designed on something the same model. However, though the Bonni Belle showed great speed, the luck seemed to be with the Eric B. The Bonnie Belle always seemed to meet with some mishap which spoiled her chances. Mr. Bounsall had already scored two wins, so that if he had beaten the Bonnie Belle avain the curp was his.

so that if he had beaten the Boline Belle again the cup was his.

The judges this time were J. K. Laird. Ira Burke and Captain Post. The start was made at 2.20 o'clock, the Eric B gaining a slight advantage in the jockeying which preceded the gun and crossing the line 15 seconds aboad.

THE START.

It was a run before the wind to the first buoy of the triangular course, and on this the Eric B maintained her lead. From the first to the second buoy it was a slight beat to windward

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and the Bonnie Belle here showed her superior sailing powers by overtaking her opponent, and at the second turning buoy the Chatham boat was one and one-half minutes in the lead. On the reach home Jones' craft gained still more, and when she passed the last buoy on the first time around the course the little flyer was two and one-half minutes to the good. On the second run before the wind Skipper Bounsall had some trouble with his spinnaker, but the canvas on the Bonnie was drawing perfectly. Here Commodore Jones added another minute to his lead and on the second beat windward still further increased it by 60 seconds more.

THE BONNIE WON.

On the reach home for the second and last time the Maple city boat did some very pretty work and finally crossed the line, amid the blowing of whistles of her admirers, a,winner by six minutes. The "Erie B" had been besten by nearly one mile. It required I hour and 28 minutes to sail the races. The Chatham yacht was skipped by Commodores W. R. Phillimore and E. B. Jones, the sails being managed by Bert. Jones. Will Tackaberry was carried along as ballast.

Geo. Boamsall directed the sailing of the Eric B., assisted by Fred Boansall and W. E. Hall. A good breeze was blowing throughout the race, so that at my time did the Lexcitement die away for lack of wind.

OTHER AQUATIC EVENTS. In the free for all only three boats entered. The promoters of the picnic feel rather hurt at the refusal of the Chatham yachtsmen to enter their boats in this race. The hitch occurred over the non-recognition of the Rondeau Sailing Association. The Eric B., the Eric Boy, and the Kingsville boat entered and finished in the order named.

In the swimming race, Thomas Mais-onville was first and Charles Ryall second. Thomas Maisonville also won first in the diving race with Fred. To-

bey second.

The matched race between the four oared crews of the Walkerwille and Date of the Walkerwille and the walkerwille walkerwille and the walkerwille and the walkerwille walkerwille and the walkerwille walk Detroit Boat Clubs was very exciting, the Walkerville club, however, won the

"WHO IS WHO."

The title, "Who is Who" which has been assigned to the musical farce comedy in which Chas. A. Lober, John A. McMahon which Chas. A. Lober, John A. McMahon and a large company appear under the direction of F. W. Stair, certainly indicates the nature of the vehicle. It is termed a comedy of complications and promises, a merry antidote for the blues. Many of the situations are new and this is considerable of merry antidote for the blues. Many of the situations are new and this is considerable of a triumph now-a-days. While the play partakes of all the elements of legitimate farce, there will be sufficient interpolations of specialty features to entitle it to be classed with the most collicking farce comedy bill extant. This superb organization will open the Grand Opera. House next Monday evening.

THE SONS OF ENGLAND

Fred. Cook, of Ottawa, Will be Next Supreme President-Grand Lodge Meeting.

Windsor, Aug. 15.—The Sons of England Supreme Grand Lodge opened its sessions, here yesterday afternoon in the auditorium of the Collegiate Instithe auditorium of the Collegiate Insti-tute. The afternoon was taken up with addresses of welcome from the Prince of Wales Lodge, fraternal greetings from Essex and Kent districts, civil greetings by Acting Mayor John Mc-Connell and aldermen, the city board of trade and greetings from Sons of St. George of Detroit, Sons of Scotland of Windsor and other fraternal or-ganizations. The general purpose com-mittee was in session yesterday mittee was in session yesterday arranging the details for the coming sessions and other matters connected sessions and other matters connected with the convention. The election of officers will be held on Thursday. It seems a foregone conclusion that Fred Cook, of Ottawa, will be elected Supreme President without opposition. The Grand President has appointed Rev. C. C. Purton, of Windsor, Grand Chaplain; J. L. Broughton, of Winnipeg, and H. B. Lloyd, of St. John's, Nfld., Grand Guides, and John Plimmer and J. Hoodison, of Windsor, as Guards.

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What Chatham Mineral Water Wil do For Man, Beast, Tree and Shrub.

Chatham has taken the plug out of the loud-smelling mineral water well on the McGregor farm and sees millions in it. The loud-smelling mineral water well on the McGregor farm and sees millions in it. The water has in the past been credited with most marvelleus cures, a case of the healing of a broken bone being recorded by The Planet. The same paper says the water will cure anything from fleas on a dog to the seven-years' itch, and no bedbug will stay within its sphere of influence. Chatham has almost swooned into ectasy, a condition which is attributed sartly to the "high" quality of the fluid.—Tilbury Times. It's all very well to make fun of this water but its curative properties are simply marvellous. Gardeners now draw it away to sprinkle their fruit trees with. Paris green is not in it with this mineral water as a potato bug destroyer. The Times is quite right when it says it will relieve any dog of fleas in about half a minute, or mange also in a little longer period. No microbe or insect can live where this water reaches it on man, beast tree or shrub. There is no doubt but that the owners of the well will make a big thing out of it. It is expected the canes, crutches and invalids chairs cured people will leave behind them, having no use for, will alone sell for more than enough to pay—the running expenses of the institution, when it gets going.

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STOLE THE BOER FUNDS.

Many Americans sympathyzed with the Boer cause. They went so far as to subscribe to it. They paid their money. It was used for wine and blowouts by the Tammanyites. Then to cover up the fraud the subscriptions were marked unpaid. Speaking about this matter the Philadelphia Record

"Contributions to the fund of \$1,-134.38 which was contributed at various pro-Boer meetings held in this country during the visit of the Transvaal and Free State envoys, for the benefit of the widows and orphans of burghers who had fallen in the fight, will doubtless be gratified to hear that \$18 at least, of the amount contributed will be forwarded to the intended beneficiaries. Some who subscribed (and paid) may be pained to hear that the word, 'unpaid' appears opposite their names on the abscription list. The fraudulency of the gushing sympathy for the liberty-loving Afrikanders displayed by the Tammany politicians who engineered the pro-Boer demonstrations is clearly shown by the diversion of the greater part of the benefit fund to the purchase of fireworks and wine and the payment of hotel bills and hack hire."

A LIBERAL PAPER'S PROTEST.

The Eastern Ontario Review, Liberal, is not pleased with the failure of the Government to live up to its pledges, and is honest enough to say so. The Review wants a political guillotine erected to which must be condemned all false promisers. If that be not done out goes the Government. The Review says:

The present editor of the Review, in the campaign of 1896, used whatever little influence he had to elect the present Government.

The present Liberal Government was elected on a definitely stated platform which met with the views of honest men in both political parties. They made great promises. Here are a few of them:-

They promised us a tariff for revenue only. They have not given it to

They promised to reduce the expenditure of the Government by several millions of dollars. They have increased it by many millions.

They promised to enormously reduce the national debt. They have enormously increased it.

They promised to clean this country of corrupt practices in elections. They have not done so, but, in many cases, have brought disgrace upon the party whose name they bear.

They promised to stop the practice of appointing members of Parliament to positions in the Government. They have followed this same practice in most shameful manner.

The Review, as an independent Lib eral paper, has repeatedly protested against the mistakes of the leaders We do so again, and in this we are no alone in this constituency.

During the past month scores of oldtime Liberals here have stated positively that they would use neither their influence nor their votes to return their party to power with its present leaders.

We would not like to see the Liberal Government turned down at the next election. The party, as a whole, was, and is, honest, but if it is to govern this country any longer its dishonest leaders must be beheaded, and that at

THE GLEANER DEFENDS ITS COURSE.

All the leading governmental organs have camped out on the trail of the Huntingdon Gleaner, a Liberal newspaper of considerable note, which has been criticising the Laurier regime with vigor and effect. The Gleaner's trouble in the camp of its friends arose because it firmly believed in the ante-election fairytales uttered by Laurier and his lieutenants. 'After four years' (waiting it proceeds to call the government to account for deceiving the people of Canada. The Montreal Herald took the Gleaner to task and the staunch and honest old Gleaner replies in part, as follows :-

For a long time the government or-gams have been saying severe and spiteful things about the Gleaner. Learning its silence has been misan-derstood, we reply to what the Her-ald advances as embodying the ald advances, as embodying the gist of the criticisms passed on what has appeared in these columns regarding the Dominion government. The view taken by the Gleaner is

this: For eighteen years the Domin-ion suffered from extravagant administration of its affairs and unjust dis-crimination in favor of the manufacturer and railway promoter as against the farmer and mechanic. Led by the Globe, the entire Liberal press sought to bring about a change and, after a prolonged agitation, suc-

The change was effected on the basis of a contract between the lead-ers of the Liberal party and the electors who put them in power in 1896. The contract is to be found in the speeches of these leaders, in the motions of want of confidence they placed on the journals of the

The Prudent Man Setteth His House in Order."

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e, and in the platform adopted at the Ottawa convention.

The chief of these pledges w

that if the electric would place the Liberals in power 1.—They would give the country a revenue tariff.

2.—Put an end to corruption.

3.—Reduce the expenditure.

4.—Stop the increase of the public debt.

5.—Keep public lands for actual settlers. There were other promises of less importance. These are the

If ever men went into office on the distinct understanding that they would adapt the tariff to suit the wage-earner and not the manufacturwage-earner and not the manufactur-er, that they would put an end to the growth of the public debt, and stop the boodling, favoritism, and corrup-tion which had sickened the electors,

they were the Liberals of 1896.

The understanding was clear, and distinct that a revolution in the management of the affairs of the counry was to be made, that in place of extravagance we were to have thrift, in place of debt we were to have a paying off of old scores, that for every dollar spent the country was to have full value, and the robbery of the public treasury, under what-ever pretence, stopped with a firm

For four years a Liberal govern ment has been in office backed by a powerful majority. Holding office for four years under most favorable conditions for carrying out reforms, with a surprising increase of revenue and an entire absence of irritating questions to divide the house, have the ministers at Ottawa fulfilled the pledges on the strength of which

the people placed them in power?

Let facts answer.

They were to keep down the public debt. they have increased it by eight million dollars; they declared the business of the country could be the business of the country could be carried on with an expenditure of forty millions; they have increased it to over fifty millions; they promised to keep the public lands for the settler, they have voted over nine million acres to railway corporations; they were to protect the farmer against the extertion of the manufacturer for such elemental necessities of the farm as fence-wire. essities of the farm as fence-wire, nails, implements and coal oil; the Canadian farmer is to-day paying

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In the great lines of the management of our country's affairs there has been no change. There has been a change of men, but the ministers who call themselves Liberals have been doing what the Conservatives did.

It is in reality a question of good faith, There is not a Liberal who reads these lines, who did not in the election of 1896 seek to get votes by promising retrenchment and honest government. Can be look these men in the face and say the leaders have done what he expected from them? done what he expected from them? Are there not tens of thousands of Liberals ashamed of the record of the past four years, and who recog-nize that the men at Ottawa have

proved faise.

They do not want to see the old gang go back into power and they are hoping against hope that the evil will yet be cured from within the ranks of the Liberal party itself, and so they denot speak out.

of the Liberal party itself, and so they do not speak out.
In that we differ.
Had the Liberal press, at the very inception of the policy of extravagance, when the Crow's Nest Pass job was mooted, spoken out, would the excesses of the after-sessions have been committed? Ministers have been allowed to do as they pleased, unchecked by the out-spoken criticism which would have kept them to their promises, and the result is tocriticism which would have kept them
to their promises, and the result is today the reproaches that are being
heaped on the Liberal name, and to
which no sufficient reply can be made.
Only those who believe that honesty
in politics is poor policy, will condemn
the Gleener for pursuing the course the Gleaner for pursuing the course of admitting what is true and seeking to remedy what is wrong.

COST OF NEWSPAPERS INCREAS-ING.

The three London (Ont.) journals-Free Press, Advertiser and News publish the following signed announcement:-

"On account of the increased mechanical cost of production, and especially because of the seriously enhanced cost of white news printing paper, the re-imposition of postage, etc., the publishers of the daily newspapers of London find it imperatively necessary to make a slight advance in the prices of their publications, to which they believe the public will readily agree as both reasonable and moderate in the circumstances."

The increase will take effect on Sept. lst. This is business, and unavoidable if the papers are to be conducted on a sound financial basis.

THE STATURE OF A KING. Cleveland Plaindealer.

Victor Emmanuel is only five feet in height. Let's hope he'll be every inch a king.

REGAL COINCIDENCES. Westminster.

History repeats itself in many way It is curious to recall that the papers of June 5, 1894, contained the announcement of the birth of the eldest son of the Duke of York, and of the assassination of the president of the French Republic.

"Hail, happy morn, O day of dread, A ruler is born, A ruler is dead."

To-day we chronicle the birth of a sor to Prince Christian of Denmark as well as the assassination of the King of Italy

But the toiling peoples One tenor keep, Though chime the steeples Though statesmen weep; The poor must earn The children's bread, Though a ruler be born

And a ruler is dead.

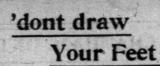
DEATH BY HANGING.

t is the Most Exaggerated of Ail Modes "I have made the subject of death by hanging a long study," said Dr. D. S. Lamb, an ex-surgeon of the United States army. "From my observations during my experience in the army, I feel justified in saying that death by hanging is the most exaggerated of all modes. It may be immediate and without symptoms, but the subject

must pass through three stages before

"In the first stage the victim passes into a partial stupor lasting from thirty seconds to two minutes, but this is generally governed by the length of the drop, the weight of the body, and the tightness of the construction. There is absolutely no pain in this stage; the feeling is rather one of pleasure. The subjective symptoms described are intense heat in the head, brilliant flashes of light in the nead, brilliant masnes of light in the eyes, deafening sounds in the ears, and a heavy, numb feeling in the lungs. In the second stage, the subject passes into unconsciousness, and convulsions usually occur. In the third state all is quiet except the beating of the heart. Just before death the agitation is renewed, but in a dif-ferent way from that in the second state. The feet are raised, the tongue has a peculiar spasm, the chest heaves the eyes protrude, from the orbits and oscillate from side to side, and the pupils dilate. The pulse can, in most cases, be felt ten minutes after the

drop.
"I once knew a man who was de "I once knew a man who was desirous of ascertaining if there was any suffering by hanging, and in order to find out he placed a rope around his beek and stepped off a bench, intending to step back again, but he became immediately unconscious, and would have died in a few minutes had it not been for the timely arrival of a friend. He said he experienced all the feelings that I mentioned in the first stage."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.



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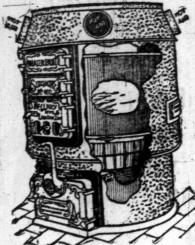
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Every book is in its place, And the lonely little fellow Wears a smile upon his face. In the House of Too Much Trouble He is silent and at rest-

In the House of Too Much Trouble, With a lily on his breast. -Albert Bigelow Paine in Munsey's

MUTINY ON SHIP BOUNTY.

'A nephew of William Lay, a member of the crew of the English ship Bounty, tells this story of the famous mutiny in The Milkaukee Sentinel: A few years after the soldiers of George III. had been thoroughly vanquished and the republic of the United States was in its infancy; when Washington was in the heyday of his influence and was the eastern star to the young nation, William Lay was born in Connecticut. His father was a thrifty farmer, and had shouldered a gun in the revolutionary war, being brevetted for valorous conduct. When William grew up he early manifested a roving disposition. He showed a decided liking for the sea, and after many importunities his father secured him a position as cabin boy in a ship which left the Connecticut river, destined for England. The lad was brave and buoyant with hope. The good ship set her bow for the East, flapped her sails to the breeze and started for her home port.

When he landed at Spithead, England, October, 1789, he was paid off, and his father had instructed him to rejoin the ship and return home. But the boy's appetite for adventure had been whetted and he wanted more. At the instigation of King George III. the English admiralty was fitting up the ship Bounty to carry bread seed from the West Indian islands to the South Sea islands. The popular theory existing then is poetically and tersely expressed in the following verse: "The bread tree, which without the

ploughshare yields The unreap'd harvest of unfurrowed

And bakes its unadulterated loaves Without a furnace in unpurchas'd

And flings off famine from its fertile priceless market for the gathering

guest." The Bounty was to sail from England to the West Indies for bread seed, which was to be planted in the Islands of the sea and a rich harvest garnered. Volunteers to man the vessel were called for, and young Lay, were among the number. The crew of officers and men numbered forty-two, and they were in charge of Lieutenant Bligh of the admiralty department. They were classified, one master, three warrant officers, one surgeon, two master's mates, two midshipmen,

cabin boy, another boy, and thirty-

two petty officers and men. Two days before Christmas day, 1789, the craft weighed anchor from Spithead, amid the hopes and cheers of a vast concourse of people. It was a sturdy vessel of 215 tons, and was commanded by an intrepld officer, who had been a companion with that famous explorer, Cantain Cook. When the boat was some thirty days off the coast, of the cape of Good Hope, a tremendous storm swept over the sea, and after being butted about in the angry billows for several days, the master, Captain Fryer, steered her toward Pitcairn island. The crew up to this time had been obedient and order was strictly enforced, because Lleutenant Bligh was an inflexible disciplinarian. For twenty-three weeks the ship lay off Matavai, and between the seamen and the natives the greatest intimacy sprang up. Lieutenant Bligh gave presents to Otoo, chief of the district of Matavai; also to Poeeno, chief of the Otaheitans. In turn the chief sent crude articles, the handiwork of the half-civilized Otaheitans, to be given to the English monarch. After the weeks of pleasant intercourse had closed, the ship again weighed anchor to continue her jour-

On board two men were assigned to the duty of master's mates. One, Fletcher Christian, was a powerful man physically, with superabundant brute force linked to a dissolute and dare-devil nature. Christian was totally without conscience and indiffer-He was abvious to danger and without fear. After the ship had been several weeks out from Pitcairn island, Lieutenant Bligh had occasion to reprimand Christian. The latter was surly and resented it, but without violation of authority, which would have meant death to the culprit. He took into his confidence Charles

Churchill, ship's corporal; Joan gunner's mate, and Thomas Burkitt, able-bodied seaman. These four mea schemed to cast adrift on the ocean, schemed to cast adrift on the ocean, in a small boat, the lieutenant and all those who were loyal to him. This was a daring project, because the men had to figure on overwhelming odds

against them. On April 28, 1789, Christian, who was on watch, at 3 o'clock in the morning, accompanied by his fellow conspirators, descended the hatchway to Bligh's apartment and binding him hand and foot carried him on · A boat was lowered to the water and the lieutenant soon followed it. The commotion resulting from this high-handed act brought sallors and officers on deck, and in a fiash the men ranged themselves on opposite Eighteen sailors remained loyal to the lieutenant, and these were roughly thrown overboard into the tiny craft, which was then cut loose from the big ship and cast adrift, having but five days' rations.

Young Lay, the cabin boy, was asleep in the bow of the ship a part of the time, but when he awoke and discovered what had happened he wanted to be counted among the loyal, But Christian would not let him go; he roughly pushed the boy away from the ship's side, saying: "You young brat, we want you." Bligh, though cast adrift, and in a wilderness of water, without a compass or a rudder, and with little food, was able to so guide his frail boat as to reach a safe haven. After wandering over the waters for some 3,618 miles, he, with his men, touched port off the coast of Timor, in the East Indies. It took them forty-three days to sight a harbor.

When Christian got the Bounty in his own hands he steered for Pitcairn island, determined, if possible, to set himself up as monarch of all he sur veyed. He planned to slay the chiefs and bring the black savages in subjection to his rule. It was a bold move; the plot of a pirate which required the courage of a desperado to execute. Christian depended on his men remaining loyal; that is where he made his fatal error. The Bounty in due course of time arrived at Pitcairn island, and Christian and his companions landed. After emptying the ship of its valuables, the hulk was set on fire and destroyed. Lay became a kind of private secretary to Christian, which to him was the most irksome labor.

By Christian's orders the Otaheitans became serfs, and so cruelly were they enslaved and so arduous their work that they rebelled. One night the black men, armed with heavy clubs, stealthily entered one of the tents occupied by the usurpers and killed Christian, Hilbrant and Byrne, three of the crew. In the same tent slept young Lay, and he was awakened by the bloody assault, but fortunately was enabled to escape with his life. The following day, when it was discovered that Christian had been killed it was rumored among some of the crew left on the island that one Mc-Coy had incited the crime and an effort was made to assassinate him as an appeasement to their crude notion

of justice. However, the following day a council was held, and by a vote it was decided to decapitate every bla within sight, and in the horror of that awful night some twenty white men armed with blunderbusses and buildgeons put to death every black male within reach. From thence on for many years there was white supremacy. The leaders on the island from that time henceforth were Young, Churchill, McCoy and Quintal. These men set up in rustic fashion an orienanother American named Warren tal principality, with Young as chief lesser order. This entitled the governmental officials to maintain separate harems, for the polygamous theory of inter-relation was immediately established.

Things ran along smoothly for several years, no one working hard except McCoy, who was sore pressed for whiskey. After repeated efforts to manufacture the stuff he found a cereal which, when put through certain processes, gave an alcoholic stimulant which, on the island, was an admirable substitute for a Scotch high ball. McCoy erected a grotesque looking distillery, manufactured considerable liquor and drank it nearly all himself. As his habits became more and more depraved, he began to lose hold over his fellow-squatters and several plots to kill him were hatched. McCoy, however, had an ambition, that was to possess every woman in the island, to have her as his wife. He wanted to outclass anything or anybody of ancient or modern times whose fame ested on the multiplicity of his wives. An edict, however, was issued restrict. ing him in this line, and he revenged himself for his disappointment and overthrow by killing himself with liquor.

After the McCoy episode the settlers and pirates lived happily together and a new social system was founded, with Adams as chief. Children were born and grew up, not totally ignorant of civilization, not wholly uncultured, not irreligious, but rather deyout. During all the following years up to 1808 Lay remained on the island and mingled with the people, but nev. er married. In the spring of 1808 Captain Folger, who commanded an American bark, dropped anchor off the Pitcairn coast, and after making some investigation learned the story of the islanders. He ran into Lay, who had grown into manhood, and the latter earnestly solicited the captain to convey him to American soil. This Folger willingly did.

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isn't even skin deep. Misery is like a marriageable roung

lady: it loves company. Some people can't stand prosperity and some can't get a chance to try. Love is blind to the interests of the

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Court Chatham, I. O. F., will meet in the lodge room to morrow night at 8 o'clock. Miss Annie McKellar left to-day for her home in Poplar Hill after spending the past month with relatives here.

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Sportsmen say that the man who can't shoot 50 in a day this season, will be manders of the relief column by the no good with the gun.

The Chatham Fruit Crowers' Association shipped a carload of fruit yesterday, in cold storage to Winnipeg. There were 1400 baskets in the signment. Will D. Ross and Hooper King were the heaviest individual shippers. Hooper King will leave on Friday evening and meet the car at Winnipeg.

Senix Bannisters' charge of abusive language against Joseph Kovinski was dismissed by the Mayor this morning. Senix admitted he had been drinking the day of the row, and this cost him his case. O'Neill for plaintiff, Lewis his case. O'Neill for defendant.

CHALLENGE ACCEPTED.

Commodore S. B. Arnold, of the Outlaw, writes as follows: The crew of the Outlaw have much pleasure in accepting the flattering invitation of the crew of the Baden-Powell for Friday evening, at 6 p. m., oysters pre-ferred. Time limit for race, twice around in 1 1-2 hours.

A GOOD GUARANTEE. F. E. Stair, the advance representative of. the "Who is Who" Company which opens the Grand next Monday evening, is in the city to-day. He claims that this year's edition of this farce comedy will prove even better than last season's, which was without doubt one of the very best attractions of the year at the local theatre. Every thing is brand new but the name, and the guarantee of Mr. Stair, who has never exploited a mediocre attraction, should satisfy any who did not see last 'season's version. One of Mr. Stair's other companies—Wand & Vokes in "The Floorwalkers" will be the Toronto Opera House attraction during the

Mrs. Geo. T. McKeough and family returned to the city from their summer cottage at the Enu, yesterday. A number of boys, who sailed up to the Eau from Erie Baach yesterday, were obliged to remain at the pavilion all night on account of the storm. Mrs. Tackaberry and family, who have been spending several weeks at Jubilee Cottage, returned home yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Dr. R. V. Bray will occupy the cottage for a short

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Shanghai, Aug. 15. — Numerous reports from Pekin, dated Aug. 8, have arrived here, describing the situation at the Chinese capital. It appears the Chinese are again desperately attacking the legations, which had very few defenders left. It is also alleged that Prince Tuan and a hundred high officials have left Pekin, and the news of the capture of Yang-Tsun caused a heavy exodus of the residents. Finally, it is said that the execution of Chen-Yin-Huan, the Cantonese, who was special ambassador of China to Queen Victoria's jubilee, has created widespread terror, and it is believed to be a fact that Yu-Lu, the former Viceroy of Chi-Li, was killed in battle at Yang-Tsun. at Yang-Tsun.

Winnipeg is threatened with an epidemic of typhoid fever. There are about sixty cases in the city.

Fifty members of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen, representing every division on the Grand Trunk system, have commenced their annual conference at Montreal,

Col. Otter gives the following disposition of the Royal Canadian Regiment: Present in South Africa, 934; sent to England, 143; killed in action, 38, died of disease, 25; transferred, 3; total, 153. total, 153.

The day Lord Roberts entered Pre-toria, President Kruger applied to the American authorities for an asylum in their consulate at Lorenzo Marquez in case he retreated there. He feared the Portugese would hand him over to the English.

D. J. Donoghue, Supervisor of Labor on Dominion public works, has returned from a trip to the Northwest. He pronounces the condition of the works ingman fair in British Columbia, Man-itoba and the Territories, and says there are enough men to deal with all the work on hand.

The Roumanian immigrants who came over on the Elder-Dempster steamship Lake Megantic and were detained at Montreal have been permit-ted to land upon the steamship com-pany or the Baron de Hirsch Society guaranteeing that the newcomers will ot become a charge upon the Canadian people.

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teri you Hood's Sarsaparilla cures that tired feeling.

Do not say, "My face is full of pim-ples." You are quite likely to be told by some one, "There's no need of that, for Hood's Sarsaparilla cures pimples."

It is improper and unnecessary to say, "My health is poor and my blood is bad." Hood's Sarsaparilla will give you good blood, and good health will follow as a natural consequence.

Down to Sleep

Train - Jesse Merriam, of Bridge End, the Victim.

The Scotch' picnic at the Eau yesterday was responsible for at least one bad accident which, from the opinions of the doctors, will ultimately result in death for the young victim. Jesse Merriam, a fifteen year-old lad, whose parents reside at Bridge End, and who is is employed by Mr. Finnis-ter, of Cedar Springs, was one of the many who took in the big excursion. He was returning home on one of the late trains last night and got off at Blenheim. He then began to walk east along the track and then began to walk east along the track and after proceeding about half a mile, for some unaccountable reason, probably being overcome by drowsiness and fatigue, lay down beside the track and fell asleep. Shortly afterwards while in this recumbent position the boy was struck by the Ridgetowa train and terribly injured, the skull being fracturad and his head badly cut Merriam was brought back to Blenheim on the train where Doctor Quackenbush temporarily dressed his wounds and made arrangements for immediately bringing him into the General Hospital However, no word was sent ahead and when he arrived here there was much delay in getting an ambulance. By the time he was taken to the hospital and finally attended to it is said to have been nearly four o'clock. Dr. Bray finding that a sister of Merriam's was employed by Chas Dingman, bookseller, Mr. Dingman was notified and he immediately took charge of the case. took charge of the case.

An operation was considered imperative and accordingly it was performed by Drs. T. K. Holmes and Quackenbush. The un-

TO-DAY'S LATEST

SIXTEEN MILES FROM PEKIN.

yesterday's opposition of no consequence, yet terrible heat, many men prostrate. Please inform secretary of war. REMEY.

Natow is about 11 or 12 miles beyond Ho Si Wu. The road between Ho Si Wu and Natow is indicated on the war department man as the wars teen. war department map as the worst sec-tion of the road between Tien Tsin and

TERRIBLE RAILWAY COLLISION.
Geand Rapids, Mich., Aug. 15.—The
most terrible wreck in the history of
the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad
took place about 5 o'clock this morning at Pierson, 29 miles north of Grand
Rapids. The north-bound Northland
express collided head on with passenger train No. 2, due here at 6 o'clock.
Nine lives were lost and many passengers were injured. The trains met in
a heavy fog. No. 2 was running for
a siding to make up time, without orders, hence the accident. Both engineers and firemen were killed.

SALE OF THE BANNER.

It is understood he is here in reference to a transfer of the Banner, by which that journal will come under control of the above mentioned firm. It will take a few days to arrange details, and in the meantime it is understood Mr. Spry, the present editor, will have charge until the public sale takes place next Wednesday.

apace. A native firm at Nagasaki has just finished a 12,000 ton steel twin-screw passenger ship and six others of similar type are in process of construction.

Meyer Shapero and Fannie Helpert who were held as material witnesses in connection with the death of Morris Goldstein at Toronto, on Friday last, are now charged with the murder of Goldstein.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

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Special Scenery, Beautiful Costumes

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To Take

This Tired Excursionist Lay

And Was Badly Hurt by a Passing You Don't Have

fortunate victim was alive this morning but the attending physicians do not consider that he can pull through.

Washington, Aug. 15 .- The bureau of navigation has made public the following dispatch:—Taku, Aug. 12.—Just received an undated dispatch from Chaffee, Natow;

TERRIBLE RAILWAY COLLISION

Co., paper manufacturers, is in the

Shipbuilding in Japan is flourishing

The Monarch of

Third and Best Edition of that Rapid and Rollicking Musical Farce

-And a Host of Other Farce

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5 pcs. English Pk's with fancy silk checks and stripes, in pink, green and light blue colors, worth 40c and 45c yd., to clear.....15c yd

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assurance of carrying off the palm of excellence and absolute values in up-to date goods, and yet we purpose doing better because the growth of our business enables us to do it: And we do it. Our experience has taught us that it does not pay to carry goods over from one season to another, hence the clearing prices on all summer lines. No misleading in our advertising. You can buy goods here just as you see them printed in this paper and at prices that are

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your neighbors about it; or, better still, come and see the values we are offering.

For Economical Buyers

Mr. Irving, representing Barber & Special lines at our staple counters to be cleared out at once—Shop early.

5 only, 8-4 pure bleached Table Cloths, border all around, sham-

rock pattern, worth \$2.50, to

At 25c Each

5 only, Honeycomb Toilet covers, with fancy colored stripe, size 26 x 43 inch, special.......25c each

At 17c, 20c Yd

fall trade, 38 inch wide, with tancy colored borders, and good

washing colors, value at per yard......17c and 20c

2 pcs. 38 inch Apron Lawns, with fancy striped border, worth 121c yard, only...... 10c

Extra value Halifax tweed for boys school suits, in fancy weaves, or plain colors, all pure wool, only 35c

yds. American Zephyrs in stripes and checks, good making colors, worth 10c yd., to clear at

Blankets

Rather warm weather to be talking about blankets, but we have about 18 pairs of matchless wool blankets, just in, size 60 x 80, worth in a regular way \$3 pair, while they last you can have

At 12*c, 15c Yd

Bargain Centre

The Salad Season

Salad making is easy If you use, the "Royal Salad Dressing."

This dressing is smooth and rich, fine in flavor, and always ready to use.

30c and 50c a bottle.

Lobsters, 20c, 30c and 35c a can

Shrimps, 15c a can.

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GARNER HOUSE BLOCK

Important Auctor Sale of Househol. Furniture.

Wm. Clements, Esq., has instructed Andrew Thomson, jr., auctioneer, to sell with out reserve all his household furniture and effects on Tuesday, Aug. 21st, commencing at 1 o'clock sharp. House is situated on the corner of King and First streets, west of Pirota Mill. of Piggott Mill.
One piano, Boston make, parlor suite—

pieces, drawing room moquette carpet, marble top centre table, pictures, 3 pair fine lace curtains, 1 fancy stand lamp, 3 pair fine lace curtains and poles, chinelle irtain, carpet and corder, moquette, mar-e top centre table, 3 pieces parlor sett, ble top centre table, 3 pieces parlor sett, body Brussel hall carpet, hall rack, coal and wood stove, nearly new, hall settee, dining carpet, body Brussell, 1 walnut dining table opens 18 feet, one massive side-board cost \$175, dining room chairs, pie ures, silverware, 1 coal or wood range with reservoir, nearly new, 1 extension table, 14 feet, 1 sideboard, 1 linoleum, 1 side table, blinds, clock, dishes, glassware, 1 gas stove, 1 cook stove and furniture, 1 kitchen table, 1 dinner sett, stair, and hall carpet, I beautiful walnut suite, 1 hair mattress, 1 spring, 1 I dinner sett, stair and hall carpet, I beautiful walnut suite, I hair mattress, I spring, I feather, body Brassel carpet, 3 pair of lace curtains and curtain poles, I toilet sett, I lounge, I oak suite, I tapestry carpet, mattress and spring, 3 pair of lace curtains and poles, I toilet sett, I bedstead, I sick chair, I mattress, I spring, I bureau, I centra table and cover, tapestry carpet, I feather bed. cover, tapestry carpet, 1 feather bed, 1 washing machine, tubs, crocks, gar-den tools, fruit, also, fruit jars and other articles too numerous to men-

Remember the day and date. Tuesday, Aug. 21st, at one o'clock sharp. A. THOMPSON, JR., WM. CLEMENTS.

Minard's Liniment - Lumberman's

A LOYAL MAJOBITY

Shows its Strength in the Cape House of Assembly.

Cape Town, Aug. 15.—In the Cape house of assembly yesterday, by a vote of 46 against 38 the motion of J. W. Sauer, former commissioner of public works, that the house appoint a select committee to inquire, into the administration of martial law in the colony was recommended. Mr. Schreiner, former premier, and Mr. Schreiner Cabinet, voted with the government against the motion. This government against the motion. This was the first crucial division of the session and resulted in a large major-ity for the government of Sir John Gordon Sprigg than had been expected. The passage of the treason bill is now assured.

BASEBALL.

National League. Cincinnati-Brooklyn game postponed Pitteburg 5, New York 0.

Pittaburg 7, New York 1. Chicago 6, Boston 7. Chicago 6, Boston 7. Chicago 6, Boston 7. St. Louis 6, Philadelphia 2.

American League Detroit 2, Indianapolis 4. Cleveland 0, Buffalo 3. Milwaukee 0, Chicago 4. Kansas City 11, Minneapolis 5

Eastern League. Springfield 5, Rochester. 8. Worcester 6, Toronto 8. Hartford 5, Syracuse 4. Providence 6, Montreal 1.

-You never read of such cures else where as those accomplished by Hood's Sirsaparilla, did you's It is America's Greatest Medicine.

DRESDEN.

Aug. 15.—A special meeting of the council was held last night to hear the report of the board of works on the petition for a block of granolithic sidewalk on St. George street. The adoption was moved by Tassie, seconded by Wiley, and, on vote, was defeated by Bidder and Steeper.

John H. McVean has purchased a Shetland pony.

Shetland pony.
Miss May Watson has returned to Miss Ada Shain left last night for a short visit to Wallaceburg. Miss Davis. of Detroit, is the guest

of Miss Ida Hayhow.

K. Panter, of Norwich, is visiting
Miss Laura Rudd. Miss Stewart, of Hamilton, is visit-ing Miss Cora Lawrence.

The Scotch picnic at the Eau was fairly well attended by Dresdenites

resterday.
The firemen's annual excursion to Sarnia, Port Huron and Bay View

takes place to-morrow.

The Florence picnic to-day was, as usual, well represented by Dresden

Clover Mill

Monitor, nearly as good as new-run only part of two seasons. Cost \$465; will sell for \$225, and take \$75 in J. G. GUSTERBOUT,

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FALL SUITINGS

Bicycle Repairs at Brisco's. A dark purse was found and left at Th Old pipe or tea lead wanted at The Planet office.

Chief of Police Cape, of Wallaceburg, was in the city to-day.

Reeve John Holwell, of Chatham township, is seriously ill from blood poisoning.

The Chatham Brewery will erect a malt house this fall and make their own malt. Mrs. and Miss Addie West have returned from Kincardine where they have spent the last six weeks.

J. W. Cunningham, Detroit, is spending a few days with his brother, P. Cunning-ham, Harvey street.

Miss Lizzie Johns has returned home, after spending two weeks with relatives in Detroit Mrs. Louis Wangenheim and daugh-ter have arrived home from Mount Clemens and Detroit.

James Dillon, who lives near Mer-lin, had his barns and hog pens burned last week, together with several farming implements and a number

W. R. McGregor, Harwich, brought into the Blenheim mills last week 1800 bushels of wheat. This amount repre-sents the product of a 46 acre field. O. L. Lewis returned last night from attending the I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge at Hamilton. Mr. Lewis devoted two days to piscatorial efforts at Port

Two Windsor boys, named Germam and Woods, are wanted by the Wind-sor police for the theft of a suit of clothes on August 10th. They are thought to be in the vicinity of Chat-

T. W. Smythe, S. O. E. treasurer, left for Windsor this morning to attend the Grand Lodge. President Walters will go down to-morrow. Chatham Lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. F., met last night but, contrary to expectations, the excursion committee did not bring in their report. It has been laid over for two weeks.

Miss Carrie Sharpe, assistant in County Clerk Shambieau's office, who has been spending a two weeks' vacation at the Bungalow, Ericau, resumed her duties this morning. At a meeting of the East End Boar Hound Kennel Club, held recently, Frank Humphrey was reinstated, af-ter a long absence. Ed. Snook was elected president and Mark Daniels secretary-treasurer.

A Blenheim girl went to sleep while returning from the Eau last night, and did not awaken until the train ar-rived in Chatham. She stayed with friends over night and went back this morning.

Something new in the excursion line is offered by the Catholic Order of Foresters in their annual outing to Marine City on August 21st. No one should miss the opportunity to visit this pretty little city on the St. Clair. Four burglars made an attempt to enter the residence of Isaac Aubin, Tilbury last week. They were warned twice to desist from their efforts, and finally retired. There was \$150 in the

house at the time The East Middlesex election trial is put down to be held at London on Thursday, Sept. 13. The South Ontario trial is fixed for Sept. 10, while the East and West Elgin election trial will come off Sept. 4 at St. Thomas. These are all the election protest trials pending.

Reasons for taking in the excursion to Marine City, Tuesday, Aug. 21st:—It is our of the common, the scenery is grand, the passage is magnificent, the sail up River St. Clair a view for beauty and grandeur second to none, is a treat. It is the cheapest of season—only 50c, etc., etc., ad infinition.

The sporting editor of the Highgate Monitor and the man who occupies the editor's stool on the Rodney Mercury have succeeded in getting into a very lively controversy over an article which recently appeared in the Mercury, criticizing the Highgate baseball club. Some very strong personalities are being indulged in.

Walter Wellman, a Wallaceburg citizen, whose wheel was hidden by two ladies, just for a lark, had them arrested on a charge of theft. The jokers were taxed a few dollars costs, but the owner of the wheel was in turn arrested for using insulting language, and also contributed towards the police court finances.

Inscribed on the wall of the waiting room at the Lake Erie Junction at Benheim is the following, which attracts the attention of all the auburned visaged youths when returning from a sun-bath at the Eau: "Some nice young gentleman kindly correspond with Miss E. Prangley, 1016 Raymond Ave., Waterloo, Iowa. Be sure."

A curiously addressed letter passed through the Blenheim post office last Tuesday. The address, which was copied by Postmaster Morris, was as follows: 'Please forward to Mr. Agfollows: "Please forward to Mr. au-thur Gibbon, Port Alma, four days; if not called for then to Merlin postoffice two days; if not called for then to Essex, three days; and if not called for sex, three days; and if not called for then please return to Kippen P. O.,

One Short Puff clears the Head.— Does your head ache? Have you pains over your eyes? Have you constant droppings in the throat? Is the breath offensive? These are certain symptoms of catarrh. Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder will cure most stubborn cases in a marvellously short time. If you've had catarrh a week its' a sure cure. If it's of fifty years' standing it's just as effective. Price 50 cents. Sold by J. W. McLaren. 11

AN UNHEALTHY COUNTRY. Trooper Frank Peck, writing home to his father from Pretoria, laments the lack of letters from home which he says go astray on the way out. He thinks that fever will be rampant around Pretoria in a short time, owing to the large number of dead men and horses which lie unburied all over the country. In his opinion Johannesburg and Pretoria are as fine cities as Toronto.

The Gordon Store

Miss Florence Muckle, of English's, Has just received a fine line of Fall Suitings for Ladies' Suits and is visiting relatives in the city. Skirts-gray, brown, blue and black Homespuns, 56 inch wide, at

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WILL PUT UP A FIGHT

Against the Railways if Backed Up and Not Otherwise.

At the last meeting of the city council a communication was read from the board of health in which it was stated that the C. P. R. and G. T. R. cattle yards and hog pens were a public nuisante. The board asked, therefore, that the council do something towards granting relief to the long suffering residents in the immediate vicinity of these pens. Mayor Smith in referring the matter to the propeerty committee, spoke with consider able feeling, and concluded by saying that he hoped the committee would take vigorous measures towards wip-

ing out this crying nuisance. When Ald: Fleming was asked yes terday morning as to what his committee would do in the matter he said; "Of course this hog pen nuisance ha been brought up time after time and committees have made reports galore upon it, but the council has always de-cided to take no action just at present. or has referred it back, etc., etc., un-fill the agitation has finally dropped. Now, the Mayor has set the seal of his approbation upon upon a course anvolving vigorous measures, and the rospects are that the coming session of the property committee will see a report recommending that the much desired vigorous measures be resort-ed to. I think myself that we will

ed to. I think myself that we will have to consuit the city solicitor first, as these big corporations are very likely to make a fight in case the city attempts to compel them to remove the pens. However, if we are assured that the Mayor and council are at our backs the property committee will not shrink from its duty to protect the rights of the citizens."

When Ald Liddy was told what the chairman had said, he remarked: "The chairman had said, he remarked: "The doctor is quite right. I am of the same opinion myself, but what can we do if the property committee is treated as it invariably has been during the enthe chairman and myself are the only members present. All the important issues of the year, from which there was a chance of trouble arising, have was a chance of trouble arising, have been foisted upon the shoulders of the property committee by the Mayor and and council, and then, when we go before the council with our reports and recommendations, the Mayor is the first one to sit on us. What can you expect from encouragement like that fall the council would assist us we would go into this new trouble.

brunt of the storm while those who should back us up would cry us down with might and main." SUCCESSFUL EXCURSION.

The William St. Baptist church held

we would go into this new trouble with energy, but you see how it is. We would in the end have to bear the

The William St. Baptist church held their annual picnic yesterday. They went to Belle Isle on the steamboat; and all enjoyed one of the pleavantest outings of the season. Hugh Macaulay, superintendent of the Sunday school, and the Rev. Thos. Cornish were busy all day looking after the comforts of the excursionists. The lunch stand was in charge of Mrs. Albert Mann, Mrs. W. H. Bensen, Mrs. Hugh Macaulay, Mrs. Walters and Miss Arnold. The ice cream stand was in charge of Mrs. James Oldershaw and Miss Mary Green. The confectionery stand was in charge of James E. Oldershaw, Matthew Side, Murray Clark and others. Supt. Macaulay stated this morning that the finances had noticyet been figured up but there would be over \$100 clear on the excursion. The committees all deserve great praise for their work. Everybody was well served, but unfortunately the ice cream and other confections were exhausted early in the afternoon. The whole day passed off without a single mishap, and the tired, but happy picnickers reached the city shortly after nine.

Student Life at Alma

The life of the students is made as much as possible life in a well-regulated family; a few simple regovern. Lectures and talks on current events and on becures and tasks on current events and the contemporary literature are given, and musical, y and social entertainments held at the Col-An annual reception is a pleasant feature, a school is opened every morning by appropriate ous exercises; attendance at charch on Sundays used of all students that appearing of the charch

ALMA LADIES COLLEGE



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Change of Time



Steamer City of Chatham will make her round trip every Monday and Wednesday from Chatham to Detroit, leaving Rankin dock at 7,30 a.m., returning leaves foot of Randolph St., at 3.30 p. m., Detroit time, on 4 p. m., Chatham time,.

Will also make round trips from Detroit to Chatham every Friday and Saturday, leaving Detroit, foot of Randolph street, at 8,30 a. m., Detroit time, or 9 a. m., Chatham time, returning will leave Chatham at 3,30 p. m., Detroit time, arriving in Detroit about 8,30 p. m.

Fare—Round trip, 60..
One way trips: Boat leaves Chatham Thursday morning at 9.30 o'clock for Detroit, and leaves Detroit for Chatham Sunday morning at 8.30, Detroit time, or 9 o'clock Chatham time.

Betroit
time.
Fare—One way, 50 cents.
Stringer & Waddell, agents, Chatham; John Stevenson, agent, Detroit; Odette & Wherry, agents, Windsor.

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SIGN OF THE BIG CLOCK

TENDERS

Will be received by the undersigned up to 4 o'cleck p. m. on Monday, Aug. 20th, 1900, for the construction of a glazed pipe sewer on Wellington street, from First street to a point 150 feet easterly therefrom.

Specifications may be seen at the city engineer's office.

Tenders to contain a marked cheque for 25 per cent. of the sum tendered.
Tenders to state a lump sum for the work only, the corporation to supply all material except shoring.
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SATURDAY, AUGUST 18

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DON'TS FOR PARENTS

paramount to every other consideration. When children, particularly girls, between the ages of ten and seventeen existing a few finishing touches to her advantages of nervous dissibility evidences o hands or extreme irritability it is a "Mamma," the little girl whispered, sure sign either that the school work "the mar in the parlor wanted me to s too severe or that they are not liv- kiss him."

In the majority of cases, to conquer the difficulties of arithmetic or grammar or the intricacies of a new language is harder work for the child than are for the business or professional man his every-day vocations. Hence children need constant care, sympathy and encouragement.

Children should spend not less than two hours a day in the open air, and if possible should engage in games requiring both skill and activity. They should not be permitted to attend social parties or public meetings or entertainments on an evening pre-ceding a school day. They should spend in sleep not less than nine and if possible ten hours out of every twenty-

The following practices should be rohibited as injurious to health; Study before partaking of food in the morning, the rapid reading of lessons just before the beginning of school sessions, study immediately after the close of school before the mind and body have been rested by play or other suitable change or occupation, study immediately after eating a hearty

The children should have fixed hours for study.

When parents find that their children, after conscientious effort, cannot accomplish the work assigned by the teacher in the time specified in the rule they should at once communicate the fact to the principal of the school and ask diminution of the tasks as-

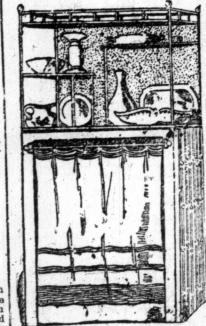
Parents should never urge children to make extra efforts to obtain promotion, nor show annoyance if they fail to obtain promotion. What children ornamental. need for intellectual and moral progress is systematic work. If for any good reason the child is not promoted or graduated at the end of the term, parents by finding fault with the teacher weaken her influence for good.

Cigarette-smoking by growing boys is dangerous alike to the physical, the intellectual and the moral well-being. Parents cannot be too vigilant in preyenting their sons from using tobacco in any form, and particularly in that of the cigarette.

Radiator in Disguise.

The uncompromisingly ugly radiator may be prettily disguised during the Summer months, says Harper's Bazar, from which the illustration is taken, by slipping over it a plain pine frame, from whose lower part hangs a curtain like that of a bookshelf. The a curtain like that of a bookshar with foretells his destiny.

"Monday's child is fair of face.



shelves for bric-a-brac or crockery. If the curtain be made of whiplash or bamboo strings the covering may be left on in Winter as well as in Summer, as the hot air can thus escape. The frame may be stained to match the woodwork of the room.

Women's Occult Powers. In discussing the "sixth sense" in Cor. K ng and 5th animals, the London Daily News announces that, among the other domestic animals, woman possesses th's sense to a marked degree. In evider e of which there is the instance of the woman residing in the hotel at Amalfi the day before the landslip, who refused to stop another night because she could "feel" that the earth was moving. Similarly, domestic animals manifested symptoms of unrest and apprehension before the serious earthquake of 1897 in the Rivera, and it is commonly noticed that previous to 'earthquakes generally, and before great storms, dogs, cows, horses—and women—"feel" the approaching disaster. Why domestic animals, including women, have this prescience which is almost entirely wanting in wild beasts and men, is explained by the statement that the former have less to think about than the latter and so are more attentive to their sense impressions. Men and wild beasts labor under the absorbing necessity of providing food for them-selves against enemies, while the domestic animals are spared all this. Now that this sixth sense of woman has been certainly discovered and

clearly explained in London, says Harper's Bazar, one naturally locks there to know what, if anything, comes to woman in measuring up the

When the new minister, a handsome and unmarried man, made his pastoral call at the Fosdicks, he took little Analth of school children is as up in his arms and tried to kiss her. paramount to every other con- But the child refused to be kissed; she

is too severe or that they are not live kiss him. "Well," replied mamma, "why didn't ing under proper hygienic conditions, you let him? I would if I were you." Thereupon Anna ran back into the parlor, and the minister asked: "Well, little lady, won't you kiss

me now? "No, I won't," replied Anna, promptly, "but mamma says she will."-Harper's Bazar.

seed. Say saw.

Sambo Corrected.

Little Sambo came running to his recently, says 'mammy" Motherhood, cryiny out, "Oh, mammy, I've swallowed a seed!"
"Now, Sambo," corrected Dinab, who
had been to the "University," "don't say seed. Only ignorant negroes say

The Stylish French Roll. That ultra-fashionable mystery known as the "French Roll," which stretches across the head of so many beds in dainty feminine apartments



nowadays is not, as many persons think, a substitute for pillows, but is made of pasteboard covered with some pretty material, which is tied or knotted looselyy at the ends. It is removed before the bed is used and is purely

Mothers' Superstitions

Women are naturally superstitious and, therefore, it goes without saying that charms of all sorts are to be found in the nurseries of different nations.

In Roumania mothers bind red ribbons round the ankles of their babes to keep them from harm. In Ireland a strand of woman's hair is placed in the cradle for the same purpose, and in-Holland a mother takes care to have bread, steak, salt and garlic placed in the cot of her new-born child. Welsh mothers place their faith in a knife or a pair of tongs as a charm against evil to their infants.

Among the Vosges peasants a child born at the new moon is supposed to have a well-hung tongue, while a child born at the last quarter will have keen

powers of reason.

American mothers know well that a child's future depends much on the day of birth, and the following rhhyme

Tuesday's child is full of grace. Wednesday's child is full of woe, Thursday's child has far to go, Friday's child is loving and giving, Saturday's child must work hard for

his living,
The child of Sunday and Christmas Is good and fair and wise and gay."

To Gain a Plump Arm. Thin, scrawny women will have a hard time this summer unless they begin at once to make themselves ready for warm weather frocks. We are not only promised collarless gowns, but elbow sleeves as well, and she of the thin arm is looking aghast. Here is an exercise to make the arms

plump: Stand erect and carry the arms straight out at the sides parallel with the shoulder. Clinch the hands and make the muscles tense the entire length of the arm. Now twist the arms very slowly from the shoulder to the hand as far forward and backward as far as possible

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Some short while since a jeweller, when starting business in one of the orthern towns of England sought to attract notice, and consequent cus-com, by displaying in his window a lozen silver broaches, each worth ten shillings, but ticketed only two shilings, and twelve similar articles in gold, which though costing £2 2s. apiece, were offered at the same price. The former, says a writer in London Tit-Bits, had a quick sale, but not un-il the tradesman had considerably aised the amount originally demanded or the latter did they find purchasers. A gold brooch for two shillings! You ion't catch us with that chaff, thought every one, and to their subsequent regret they refused to bite. In the winter of 1898 a dealer in

curios and antiques, who carried on business in Seymour place, Marylebone oad, exhibited in his window, for a wager, a heap of coins, among which in a prominent position, were a num-ber of English sovereigns, surmounted with a ticket inscribed: -"These coins 15s. 6d. each. For a few days only. Although there were many curious ga zers there were no buyers, and the

tradesman won his bet. Last summer a Parisian shopkeeper, either for a wager, or for advertisement, offered for one month only s number of twenty franc pieces at five francs each. They were placed prominently in his window, and at times attracted a small crowd, curious, but supicious. None went beyond jecular nquiry until the last day of the stated eriod, when a man entered and, to the tradesman's horror, insisted on buying the lot, some fifty in all.

An hour later another man appeared, and, handing over the twenty franc pieces to the wondering tradesman, requested the return of the 250 francs, stating that the purchaser was a gen-tleman of weak intellect, who had managed to elude the vigilance of his friends, and as such was no one of whom advantage should be taken. Needless to say that the other was enirely of this opinion.

About the beginning of the present entury a Mr. Whaley, an Irish gentleman noted for his eccentric wagerson one occasion he won £20,000 by walking to Constantinople and back within a year-gained no small sum by offering some very valuable diamonds for sale at a guinea each. Although by the terms of the agreement he was obliged to guarantee the genuineness of the stones, his words found no credence, and by declining to give the price demanded for what they considered worthless crystals the public enabled Mr. Whaley to win his money. in the early eighties a most eligible house in one of London's southern suburbs was to let. There were several applicants, but one and all on being told the rent, for the ridiculous lowness of which no explanation was youchsafed, declined to come to terms, suspecting drains, damp, ghosts or other undesirable accessories. At last the owner himself took up his abode there, when it transpired that the house together with other property, had been left him by a distant relative, conditionally on his refusing to give

any reason for the merely nominal rent that he was alone permitted to demand. One of the most curious sights to be seen in a cavalry charge is the various riderless horses galloping in the line in perfect order. At the charge of Baliclava the front rank of one regiment was composed to a great extent of riderless animals, their masters having dropped one by one. It would seem that in the excitement of the moment the horses lose all conception of what is happening around them, and probably fail to notice the fall of their riders. The return of riderless horses to camp is an almost certain sign of defeat When a cavalry charge is successful the horses will, as I have said, all keep up together, even though they have lost their riders; but when force is routed the first news of ill omen to those in the rear will be the return of the horses with empty saddles and stirrups dangling free. more sorry sight can be imagined. To illustrate the callous feeling these animals have under fire, a case which happened at Ladysmith during the seige may be cited. A farrier sergeant was engaged in shoeing an officer's horse in the open ground behind the stables of a hotel, and had already put one or two nails into the shoe when a shell came screaming through the air. The next moment the missile burst five or six yards away from where the sergeant and the horse were standing, and the splinters flew around both, but failed to touch either. When the smoke had cleared the horse was seen to be standing with its foot still in the man's apron, quite undisturbed by the

Feathered V ntritoquist.

Many birds form their sounds without opening their bills. The pigeon is a well-known instance of this. ooing can be distinctly heard, although it does not open its bill. The call is formed internally in the throat and chest, and is only rendered audible by resonance. Similar ways may be observed in many birds and other ani-mals. The clear, loud call of the Cuckoo, according to one naturalist, is the resonance of a note formed in the third. The whirring of the snipe, which betrays the approach of the bird to the hunter, is an act of ventrilo-quism. Even the nightingale has cer-tain notes which are produced inter-nally and which are audible while the bill is closed.

Don't Drink Ice-Cold Water, Ice-cold water is not so good as iced The less of either the better. It is an excellent practice to drink water—an abundance of it—just before retiring also the first thing in the morning. It is a cleanser of the system, and is a good diuretic.—Ladies' Home Journal.

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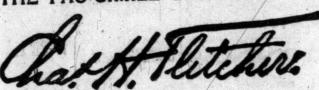
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HERE baby shall sleep from the very first day of his appearance is a subject upon which far too little thought is usually expended. The mother usually either lays him on the bed next to her or else upon a pillow which rests upon two chairs beside

Both of these places for baby's sleep are objectionable. In the first place, no baby should lie under the same covers as the mother. Not only is she apt to turn upon him, and thus injure him unawares, but if he be a nursing baby he will soon acquire the habit of demanding food at frequent intervals the night through. The pillow is as bad. It is altogether too soft to support the weak little back, and it does not admit of baby's being tucked in as snugly as is desirable when he first appears. Some mothers lay their child in the carriage. This would do at a pinch for awhile, if it contained a mattress laid upon a pillow, in order to raise it high enough to give the baby air, but he should not be put in the bottom of the carriage or upon a pillow alone. Some mothers use crib right from the beginning. This, of course, is all right, but it is not so desirable at the outset, as it is a trifle too large to allow of the close tucking spoken of above, and as it gives no sort of support to the weak frame.

Nothing can be found that is better for all round purposes than the willow bassinet. This comes in several sizes, is very light, and rests upon a small stand, from which it can be lifted at will. It has the advantage that it is light and portable, and therefore convenient to carry the baby about in without disturbing him.

For the mother who feels that she cannot afford to pay \$6 or \$7 for a bassinet, the clothesbasket is recommended as an excellent substitute But care should be had in selecting it to get one with sides not too high, and, if possible, with sides of very open weaving. If this is not practicable, the mattress can be raised high in the basket, resting upon a pillow which

lifts it almost to the top.

But whether the mother elects to have the crib at once or chooses the bassinet, the arrangement of the bed should be the same in either case. First of all, there must be a mattress of soft curled hair. This is essential. Pillows are not fit for baby to lie upon. His back needs a firm support. He should not lie upon one in the carriage when later on he is taken out. A small mattress can be fitted to the carriage, and sometimes the one for the

passinet will fit the carriage.

Over the mattress should be laid; piece of rubber cloth to cover its entire width, and about eighteen inches in length. This is not necessary during the first few months of life. It is only when baby is old enough to roll and move about freely in his crib that this becomes desirable. Over the mattress, then, is laid the sheet of muslin or linen, upon which rests a small, thin pillow of feathers or hair, preferably the latter, covered with a linen case, over the sheet, in the centre, just beneath the pillow, is placed the pad. This is made of the very best quality of white Turkish towling, and about twelve inches square. It is fastened with buttons or tapes. Into it is slipd a doubled piece of rubber cloth. This will prevent moisture penetrating to the sheet. Now come the second sheet and the crib blankets. These may be the knited blankets of cream white yarn, the softly quilted cheese cloth blankets, with carded wool cotton between, or for the more for-tunate baby, the comfortable of down. One of the comfortables or a pair of blankets ought to be enough, unless

the temperature be very low. Have everything about the bed spotless. Change the bedding morning and evening. Have plenty of pads. Hang the night bedding in the sun to air each day. Never put a thing back upon the bed if it becomes the least bit soiled. Sponge the rubber cloth off every day with a two per cent solution of carbolic acid.

It is sad to see in the parks on a summer day the hot and soiled feather pillows upon which pabies are expected to go peacefully to repose. The carriage canopy is let down over the little faces, excluding all the air, and the inexperienced child nurses roll the carriage about interminably, wondering why the children cry so inc s-santly. And what a pleasant contrast is the cooing clean, smiling babe who lies in his spotless bassinet or carriage and kicks contentedly at you, or falls to sleep quiet unconscious of any de-sire to be rocked or soothed to slumber because nature has been allowed to assert herself.

Never put baby int a cradle, and never acquire the habit of rocking or singing him to seep. Just lay him Then you will not need to waste hours later on in getting him to sleep and teaching him to go to sleep of his own accord, like a rational bit of humanity.

The Color of Children's Hair. A Regular Reader,-Don't attempt to do anything to Keep the children's hair light excepting to shampoo it well, which makes it fluffy and keeps it free from superfluous oils and dust, giving it a lighter appearance. The color of the hair depends upon the pigment, which is composed of various minerals. No external application that will really lighten the hair is anything but a bleach, and I certainly should not think of using a prepara-tion of this nature. The effect of cutting the hair, generally speaking, is to make it darker. If I were in your place I should not cut the little girl's hair. My personal experience leads me to believe that it does not increase the growth or luxuriance. The French hygenic scap is the one I refer to.

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Wheat, 65c. Wheat, 63c.

Mixed oats, 25 to 26c.

White oats, 26c.

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Corn, shelled 35 to 36c

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Barley, new, 50 to 65c.

Alsike, \$5 to \$6.50.

HAY AND HOGS. Hay, timothy, per ton, \$7 Hay, clover, \$5.50 to \$7. Hay, baled, \$8.50 to \$10.

GRAIN WANTED Nelson Stringer, corner King street and Aberdeen bridge, buys alsike, clov-er seed, and timothy seed. Farmers 11 cents.

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Calf skins, No. 1, 8c, No. 2, 7c4
Sheep skins, 30c to \$1.
Spring lamb skins, 15c, to 20c.
Cow hides No. 1, 6c; No. 2, 5c.
Horse hides, \$1, to \$2.

Butter was in fair supply at 19c. a pound, and eggs sold at 11c. a dozen.

Eggs, 11c. Rhubarb, 20 . a bunch Carrots, two bunches 5c. Radishes, three bunches for 5c. Lettuce, 2c. a bunch. New potatoes 121-2c a peck. Apples 10 to 15c a peck. Plums, 5c. a quart. Blackberries, 3 boxes for 25c

Mutton, 5 to 6c. Pork, 7c to 8c.

TORONTO BEAN MARKET. Toronto, Aug. 14.-Choice handpicked beans are worth from \$1.70 to \$1.75 delivered here; and resell at \$1.85.

TORONTO DRESSED HOGS. Toronto, August 14.—Dressed hogs nominal. At farmers wagons, choice

46 cents.

Peas—Quiet, Car lots are quoted nominally at 60c., north and west, and 61c. east, new, 55c, west.

Barley—Quiet. New, No. 2, 38c., outside; old No. 2, 40c.

Rye—New rye, 47 to 48c., outside, and old 51 to 52c.

Oats—Easy. White oats, north and west, 261-2, and east 271-2c; new 24c

TORONTO PRODUCE.

Toronto, Aug. 14.—Butter — Market steady and demand good. Large dairy rolls are not in demand much now, as weather is getting too warm. Tubs and pails are active. Creamery unchanged. Dealers here sell to the trade as follows: Dairy tubs, 16 to 17c. for choice; large rolls 13 to 14c.; 18c.; oreamery, tubs and boxes, 19c. to 20c.; pounds 20c to 21c.

Bggs—Plenty coming in just now, and demand is only moderate. Dealers are selling in the ordinary way at 12 to 12 1-2c for choice candied stock, the latter figure being for select single cases only. No. 2, hot weather eggs, sell at 9 to 10c. Dealers 'here are buying choice eggs outside at about TORONTO PRODUCE.

Planet Office, Tuesday evening, August 14.

The Kent Mills gives the Planet the fellowing grain quotations:
Wheat—The market rules about the same, at 65c. a bushel. There is not much coming in, but what offers is of good sample.
Barley—There is quite a large quantity offering, but nearly all is too dark for malting purposes.
Oats—This grain is quite plentiful at from 22 to 32 cents a bushel. There is a heavy crop this year. Old oats

two cents more a bushel.

Beans.—The growing crop looks well and gives indications of a heavy yield. There is very little doing in the bean market and quotations are made nominally at \$1.20 to \$1.30 a bushel.

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There was a good market on the square on Saturday. Blackberries were rather scarce at 3 boxes for 25c. Feaches were plentiful at 25c to 30c. a basket. Plums are beginning to show up in some quantity at from 5 to 7c a quart. Apples were freely offered, choice quality, at 10 to 15c. a peck.

Tomatoes brought 25 to 30c. a peck. -corn 6c. a doz., beets two bunches for 5c., onions (Spanish) 5 cents a bunch, potatoes 121-2c, a peck, and carrots

Butter, 19 to 20c. Green onions, 2 bunches for 5c. Squash, 2 for 5c. Peaches, 25 to 40c. a basket. Tomatoes, 10c., a quart. Green corn, 6c. a dozen. Beans, two quarts 5 cents.

Raspberries, red, \$1.7 5to \$2 a crate lack, \$1.50 a crate. Currants, red, 5c to 6c. a quart. Goosebarries, 5c. a quart. Beets, two bunches for 5c. Cabbage, 3 to 8c. a head. Celery, three bunches for 10c. Chickens, 25 to 35. cents. Spring chickens, 15c. Turkeys, 75 to \$1.25. Lamb, 6 to 7c.

Beef, 50 to 60. FISH MARKET. Mullet and carp, 10 to 40c. aplece. Herring, 25 to 30c. a doz. White fish, 8 to 9c. a pound. -Pickerel, 8c. a pound.

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TORONTO GRAIN MARKET. Toronto, August 14.-Wheat - The market is dull. Old white and red is quoted at 68c. west, but some holders quoted at 68c. west, but some noiders are asking a cent or two more; new is is quoted at 67c, west. Manitoba is steady at 90c. for No. 1 hard, g.i.t.; 80c. afloat Fort William; 87c Toronto and west, and 85c. Midland.

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at \$3,10.
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TORONTO LIVE STOCK. Toronto, Aug. 13.—Notwithstanding the excessive heat there was an ex-ceptionally good trade done in all lines

last week.

Export Cattle—There was a large supply offered, and choice were rapidly picked up by local shippers. The supply included a number of inferior grades, which were not wanted. The prices showed no quotable change, but the market was not as firm as in the drily part of the week the warm weather no doubt being accountable for last week ther no doubt being accountable for this change. The ruling price was \$4.50 to \$4.75 for choice selections, and heavy exporters, averaging 1,320 fetched \$5.25 per cwt, and it was reported that another bunch brought a still higher orice.

a still higher price.

Butchers' cattle—Although the supply was not large, the market remained firm, the ruling price was \$4.50 to \$5.121-2 per cwt. for choice selections and \$4.30 to \$4.75 for lighter stock; a few bunches were left over in the pens few bunches were left over in the pens at the close; common and inferior grades were in heavy supply, but were unsaleable at prices ranging from

\$3 to \$4 per cwt. Stockers and feeders—Canada stockers for Buffalo were a little steadier, and the bulk of the offerings were made up of good stock; choice stockers, 400 to 700 lbs, fetched \$3 to \$3.50 per cwt., and lighter stockers and heifers brought \$2.25 to \$2.50 per cwt. Cows—An unusually strong feeling prevailed in this line, the large supply meeting with a brisk demand at steady prices of \$35 to \$50 for good

milkers.

Sheep and lambs—Prices for sheep underwent no quotable change, but but choic lambs were a little firmer, being quoted at \$4.50 to \$4.75. per cwts.; choice butchers sheep fetched \$2.50 to \$3.50 each, and export ewes brought \$3.75 to \$4 per owt. bucks were quiet at \$2.75 to \$3 per

Hogs-The market remained unchanged, and quotations underwent no quotable change in any line.

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Bothwell is making a strong bid for the Orange celebration on July 12th next year.

The Wallaceburg council will be asked to make a grant of money towards the attempt to revive a band in that

Dr. A. D. Graham, of Bothwell, has

returned from a three months' tour through France. He visited the Paris Exposition also.

Last week's wind storm blew down

six oll derricks at Bothwell and stop-

ped all work until the damage was re-

John O'Mara has purchased the Montreal House, Wallaceburg, from Peter Toulouse. Mr. O'Mara was a former proprietor of the house. The Bothwell Lawn Tennis Club defeated Thamesville last Thursday five events to four. After the match the players were retrivined at the resistance.

players were entertained at the residence of Robert Ferguson, M. P. P.

A Sombra man named Bury got wedged in between a hay rack and a barn the other day. He became ex-cited and broke three ribs in trying

King, who jumped into the water and

swam to a dock, pulling Smith with

A STRICKEN FAMILY.

Henry Loeb, of Germany, arrived at Castle Garden with his family on Oct.

7th, 1899. Two days later they passed through St. Thomas on their way to

the West—rugged and happy and full of hope, and fairly well to do. There were eight of them, Loeb, his wife and

eix children. The youngest were two red-cheeked boys, twins and three years old. At 3.30 p. m. yesterday, Loeb arrived in St. Thomas over the Wabash on his way back to the fatherland, and all that there was left

of his family were the twins. There

are five new graves scattered across

the country from Mexico to Kansas City, which were the places where Loeb left the rest of them. One of the twins

is dying of Mexican fever, the other

is suffering with a broken leg, and Loeb himself is thin and bent like an

WAS TOLD TO RESIGN.

Rev. Mr. McPhail Explodes a Bomb

shell in The Tilbury Church.

Tilbury Times.

Rev. Mr. McPhail, late Presbyterian minister here, caused a dramatic scene in the Tilbury Presbyterian church during the Sunday, morning service, when he arose from his seat in the congregation and explained that his reason for resigning was not owing to ill-health, as stated in The Times and other papers. He said that shortly after leaving for

said that shortly after leaving for his vacation he received a letter from a prominent member of his congrega-

to the effect that he had

ter resign. Until then he had no in-

tention of resigning, as he and Mrs. Phail had hoped to remain several years with his flock here, which they

TILBURY.

Aug. 15 .- To the wife of Mr. Wright,

Jas. Stewart, Jr., leaves to-day for Mt. Clemens to be treated for rheu-

Miss M. Mahoney is renewing ac

quaintances here.

There was not a large crowd yester

There was not a large crowd yester-day at the meeting of the W. C. T. U., owing, no doubt, to the heat. The next meeting will be held on September 8th, at the home of Miss L. Wil-

Miss Kate McDonald returns to-day

from Detroit.

Miss Jennie Paneuff is visiting in

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Popularity is won by a mixture of elf-suppression and self-assertion. The first step toward learning how to please most people is by realizing that they are more interested in them-selves than in you, and the measure of their regard will be the degree in which you minister to their pl

The way to be popular is to give much and take nothing. After all, we ourselves like best the friends who care to know details of our private exeriences, so why should we act toward others as though their affairs were matters of indifference to us? Learn to rejoice when you hear of the success of an acquaintance, then you will not forget to congratulate her when she next meets you. Be sorry for a neighbor's clouded prospects—she will be gratified to find herself of conse-This wordly sermon has for its

text "Be nice if you want to be popu-There is no need to debate the question "Is popularity worth seek-ing?" for all pursue this form of the bubble reputation. Society wou'd dissolve into fragments if we did not. Another essential ingredient of pop-ularity is "cheek." Timidity is the extra spoonful of flour that spoils the cake. Modesty is a mistale, except in the company of highly gifted in-dividuals, and even they would mostly

rather be playfully than actually wor-shipped. Malicious gossip must be kept under the lock and key of the will. If repeated it alarms those whom is most amuses, who think "If Elizabeth would say such sharp things about Maud, what will she say of me?" In conversation assist the backward and help the adventurous to execute clever manoeuvres; in literary discussion be as brilliant as you please, in short sentences, but exact the point for

praise from the rambling arguments of others—in fact, remember always that a human being thinks "How can I acquire myself well?" not "How nice it is to meet with so much clev-This is all give and no take? True

But the reward is "being popular."

Boer Ladies at Home.

Some interesting notes about the ways and customs of the Dutch ladies appear in the British Weekly from a correspondent who spent some time in Boer households in the Wakkerstroom district of the Transvaal. The ladies, we are told, have very pale complexions, in the whiteness of which they take their pride. To keep off the corching sun's rays, they envelop their heads in white linen scarfs, worn like the nuns and sisters of mercy, and over this wear either the sunbonnet, or "cappie," or a large straw hat tied under the chin with strings. They have the impression that they "burn black," and know nothing of the becoming brown sunburn which English girls like to get.

class there is an American organ or "scraphine," and the girls are gener-In most Boer houses of the better to push away the barn.

Thomas Carey, of Palmyra, has returned from a visit to the Paris Exposition and has brought back with him many valuable mementoes of the great fair. He also "did" England, Ireland and Scotland thoroughly.

At Amherstburg, on Wednesday last, a lad named Orney Smith fell into the river. He was rescued in a very gallant manner by another boy, Fred ally able to play simple tunes and accompany songs and hymns. Four girls in one house where the correspondent was staying surprised their visitor by singing the familiar old songs, "In the Gloaming" and "Just Before the Battle, Mother," in preference to Dutch songs. As only one emed able to speak English, it was curious to hear the others join in the choruses. The daughter of the house is always the one to bring the customary cup of coffee to the visitors.

At the same house the daughters entertained their visitor in their bedroom by showing her box after box full of elaborate crochet-work, counterpanes, antimacassars, and yards and wards of crocheted lace frillings, which they had made. They are also very clever makers of paper bowers, and many of the parlors and entertaining rooms are freely adorned with colored bunches and festoons of them. In some houses the bedroom walls are adorned with pages from fashionbooks. The ignorance of the Boer girls is sometimes surprising. One old Dutch "frau" quite thought that there were Kaffirs or black people all over the world, and no doubt wondered how the English could get any work done with no servants at command.

CHEESE BISCUITS.—Place ounces of Parmesan cheese and four ounces of pastry bower in a basin,

with a little salt and a few grains of cayenne. Rub into this two ounces of butter and make into a stiff dough with the yolk of an egg. Roll the pastry out thinly, cut it into rounds, prick with a fork and bake in a cool oven until crisp. Keep these biscuits in a tin until quite cool.

PRUNE JELLY.—Take one quart of

prunes stir until soft and mash through colander; half a box of galatine; put in bowl, cover with cold water, let it soak for about five minutes; take a pint and a half of the mashed prunes, add to the gelatine, with three tablespoonfuls of sugar; put on the stove, and let boil for five minutes; pour into jelly moulds and serve with

EGGS A LA JOSEPHINE -Boil six eggs twenty minutes. Remove the shells. Separate the yolks without breaking; cut the whites in thin, narrow slices, and mix them with an equal quantity of fine shredded cooked fish and a tablespoonful of parsley. Place the mixture on a platter in a circular or oval ring, and put the yolks in the centre. Set the platter in a steamer to heat the mixture. Make a pint of thick white sauce and our around the edge of the dish.

The popular notion that "fish is a brain food" is a mistake, for eminent physiologists tells us that fish, no more than any other nitrogenous food, contributes to brain growth and development. All nitrogenous foods, such as fish, meat, eggs and so on, repair the

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more importance than the others.

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ENGRMOUS CROWD

Attended the Annual Scotch Picnic at Rondeau.

Wood Days' Sport-Lots of Music Five Bands Present.

The annual picnic at Erieau, under the auspices of the Blenheim Scotchmen, was held yesterday and was successful in every respect. All day long the trains kept bringing crowds to the Eau till there was nearly 10,000 people on the ground. Varied amusements had been provided by the energetic committees and the picnickers were all able to pass the time pleasantly. The Urania brought a large crowd from Port Stanley, St. Thomas and London. Quite a number drove down and some sailed from Kingsville and Erie Beach. County Councillor Von-Gunten was early on hand and worked untiringly all day long. Speaking in the evening he said the crowd, though large, was the most orderly ever seen at the Eau, and every Scotchman felt proud of the manner in which the pleasure seekers had all conducted themselves. Everything had been put on the bills, so the people knew just what to do and when to do it. The crowd was liberally disposed and the confectioners were all sold out before

confectioners were all sold out before darkness set in.

The athletic contests were good and the crowd were kept back well so that all might see, and everybody was well pleased and well satisfied.

During the day five bands discoursed music. They were the City Band, the Pipe Band of the 48th Highlanders, the Windsor Band and the Tupperville Band. The Walkerville Cadets under

Band. The Walkerville Cadets, under Capt. Alex. Black, did some splendid marching. They stepped out like old veterans to music furnished by the Chatham City Band.

Towards evening the weather, which had been pleasant all day, became threatening and a little rain fell, but not enough to cause any inconvenience Fireworks were set off during the even ing from the north of the pavilion and dancing was indulged in to the music of the City Band. The water sports attracted a large crowd

THE SPORTS.

Putting 21-lb. stone—Jos O'Neil, 35 ft. 2 in.; G. Perrie, C. J. Currie, Geo. Stewart, W. F. Scott. Throwing 16-lb. hammer—Perrie, 92 . 7 in.; Stewart, Scott, Currie. Putting 14-lb. stone-Jos. O'Neil, 43 10 in; Currie Scott, Stewart, Per

Throwing 12-lb. hammer- Stewar

114 ft. 2 in Perrie Scott Currie Tossing the caber-Scott, 36 ft. n.; Stewart, Perrie, Currie. Running hop, step and jump-Jos O'Neil, 40 ft. I in.; G. McKay Hall, J. M. Jones, N. George, Stewart. Running high jump-Jos. O'Neil, M. Passmore. Third prize divided M. Passmore. Inited prize divided between Jones, George and Hall.
Vaulting with pole—Hall, O'Neil,
George and Jones.
Hundred yards dash, men, — Hall,
Jones, W. T. McKay, George and

100 yard race, boys under 16.—R. Yeasfley, P. Baby, Jos. Clement, lyde Forbes, G. Marshall, Georgenyne, Morley Williamson, and John

Erriey. Sword dance, Men-Johnston, of Montreal, Murray, of Toronto, D C. Rannie, Toronto, A. McPherson, Ham

Sailor's Hornpipe—John ton, Dag gan, Rannie and McPherson, Reel of Tulloch—Murray, Johnston Rannie, McPherson. Highland fling, boys and girls under

16 years —Tommy Campbell, Barbara Sparks, Sasie McGill, Eugene Lockhart, Ina Riddell, Lotta Sparks, Mary McGregor and W. Lectaire, Senn Truibbas—T. Campbell, L. Sparks, McGill, Scotch reel-T. Campbell, P. Sparks,

S. McGill.

Highland fling, boys and girls un-der 14.-T. Campbell, B. Sparks, S. McGill. Scotch reel boys and girls under 14.

T. Campbell, S. McGill, B. Sparks, Irish jig.—Eugene Lockhart, B. Sparks, S. McGill.

NOTES OF THE DAY. The last train left the Eau this W. D. Samson and Will Robinson anducted the water sports in a sat

A. F. Falls says that the delay last evening was caused by the Scotchmen wanting to get their money's worth, and refusing to go home when there were trains to go. T. J. Rutley says that the reason the

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Chatham yachtsmen refused to enter the free for all was because the Scotchmen didn't recognize the Rond- When the train which left Ch eau Sailing Association. The Chatham ham members believed in living up to to the rules made, that no yacht should enter a race not sanctioned by the Association, and they did so.

The officers of the Blenheim Scotch society are: President, Peter Hag-gart; Vice-president, J. H. Ferguson; Secretary, Archie Samson, Assistant Secretary, C. L. VonGunten, Treasurer, James Crookshank.

C. St. Clair Leitch, of Dutton, master of ceremonies, and Geo, J. Gibb. assistant at the Caledonian games, and J. J. Maclennan and A. C. Gordon, Toronto, W. W. Gordon, Glen-coe, and Dancan MacMillan, Dutton, were the judegs.

Gen. Agent Tillson, was at the Ean all day, keeping a shap look out to see that everything was right. He see that everything was right. He says that 10,000 people visited this popular summer resort resterday. They were all brought in in good shape but there was some unavoidable, delay in getting them away at night.

Samuel Bastedo, of Toronto, private secretary of Sir Oliver Mowat when he was premier of Ontario, was at the Eau yesterday, in company with Frank Gould. Mr. Bastedo is now head of the Ontario fisheries depart-

Two cottages, Drumtochty Lodge, the residence of W. D. Samson, and Penryhn, the residence of Geo. Bounsall, were gaily decorated yesterday, and the two presented a very pretty appearance. It was too bad that all the cottagers didn't adorn their bealings as the would give a most dwellings, as this would give a most charming appearance at the bar. Detective Skirving, of the Lake Erie, took Detective McGregor and Con-stable James Seney down to help him look after the crowd. Mr. Skirving said that nothing occurred during the day to require the services of himself

When the train which left Chatham at 1.15 p. m., was about half a mile north of Fargo, the coupling strip in the air brake between two cars burst, and the train of 12 coaches stopped, Conductor Whitely had a new, piece put in and the train started in a

a minute and a half. The Scotchmen farmshed some 500 invited gaests with food, t'The baggage room at the station was improvised as a tunch room. The ladies who had charge of this, and who deserve great credit for their splendid work, are: Mrs. Archie Samson, Mrs. C. L. VonGunten, Mrs. (Dr.) Story, Mrs. Archie Campbell and Mrs. George Hyatt.

General Freight and Passenger Agent of the Lake Erie Marshall, was at the Eau till the last train left, seeing that his passengers were well treated. He said that the day had been a very good one, but he would have liked to have seen the excursionists get away better. At Port Stanley, the Lake. Brie were able to handle a large crowd owing to having a straight run from Port Stanley to London, but at the Eau there was Ridgetown and also the places to the west of Blenheim to be looked after and this made it much more difficult.

Miss Nora Stephenson

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