The Athens Reporter

Athens, Leeds County, Ontario, Wednesday, April 27, 1904.

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The Economy of Ingrains

buyers. The Ingrain is a great wearer. It is nine inches wider than Tapestry or Brussels, and so covers more space. It is reversible and by turning it over every six months it wears evenly over the entire surface. Each side also has an entirely different appearance and the turn over freshens your room. It is easily handled and easily cleaned, not being so bulky a: other carpets. It is an ideal floor covering for Bed rooms, Sitting rooms, etc. We have an immense stock of choice new patterns in these cerviceable

Good Union Carpet—one yard wide; good reversible patterns; good value at the price Per yd. 250

Good Union Carpet. Yard wide, excellent variety of colors and patterns; extra good for per yard

Wool Filled Carpets—Great wearer; yard wide; fine new patterns; extra good. Per yard 65c 55C

All Wool Carpets—Very super-lor; splendid wearers; newest pattern. Per yd, 90c,85c,75c,69c

FURNITURE.—In a few days we will open an entirely new and complete stock of furniture which we will sell at department store prices.

Robt. Wright & Co.

BROCKVILLE

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Roofin & Eavetroughing

Get our figures for any work you require done. We can give you the Kincaid Metallic Shingle, a roof covering that has stood the test of time, at an attractive price.

Not Too Early to carefully consider what you are going to require in your dairy this year. Orders placed before the spring rush receive extra good attention.

All Repairing entrusted to us is carefully and promptly ex-

MORTON C. LEE

The Athens Hardware Store.



Give me a call when wanting anything in my line.

Wm. Karley,

Main St., Athens.

Here's an Advantage

On any day of the week, excepting Wednesday, a "rush" order for poster work, etc., reaching the Reporter office in the impurities. It overcomes all the lain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and morning will be completed and returned on the evening effects of catarrh too, and builds up a quick cure is certain. For sale by the whole system.

H. R. KNOWLTON, REEVE

There was a good attendar ratepayers at the meeting held in Lamb's hall on Monday evening for he nomination of a reeve. During he hour the following were placed in

H. R. Knowlton by W. H. Jacob and C H. Smith. M. B. Holmes by S. A. Taplin and

A. M. Eaton by F. Pierce and M. B Holmes.

S. A. Taplin by Wm. Karley and G. E. Judson by M. Knapp and H.

Messrs. Holmes and Taplin resigned at the meeting and Messrs. Eaton and Judson, who were not present at the close of the meeting, resigned on Tuesday, thus leaving Mr. Knowlton reeve

elect for the remainder of the year.

The village clerk, Mr. B. Loverin, was elected to preside over the meeting held at the close of the nomination.

The retiring reeve, Mr. Irwin Wiltse, was first called upon, and in a brief address he explained the nature of the disqualification that led him to resign, and also gave a statement of the finan-cial position of the village in relation to the town hall.

Mr. Taplin followed and gave one of the best addresses we ever heard him deliver on such an occasion. He spoke at some length in a most interesting way, dealing with the present problems of our municipal government in a broad, liberal, enterprising spirit. While regretting the loss of Mr. Wiltse, he welcomed Mr. Knowlton's re-entry

Mr. Holmes deliverd a characteris tically humorous speech and intimated that his days were too full of con-somme or business to permit him to take advantage of this "opportunity of

Last week Mr H. R Knowlton was presented with a requisition signed by nearly fifty of the leading ratepayers (including all the members of the coun cil) asking him to allow his name to be placed in nomination.

He delivered a short, clear-cut speech, in which he touched lightly on subjects intruduced by previous speak-ers, and affirmed his intention, if elected, to deal with all matters that came before the council in such manner as would best promote the interests of the

Councillor Smith and Councillor Jacob spoke in response to the invitation extended to the members of the council, explaining their attitude to-wards the town hall proposition, and To those asking that suggestions be given by of General Benedict Arnold, a g

Mr. Karley, ex reeve, by a series of be new and interesting. He was born questions and comments thereon made in England in 1741 and died in Lonclear the exact financial position of the don England, 1801. His great mili town hall fund. He strongly advised tary ability we recognized when very that receipts and exceeditures on this account should be kept entirely separation he got a grant of land, 13,400

briefly and pointedly on the subject of

the subject of accommodation and cost, in which Mr. F. Pierce and several others took part.

It was a most harmonious gathering, in which the discussion was conducted on a high plane, and the result should be to strengthen the hands of the council so that a vigorous policy may be

Eyes Tested Free

At Gamble House Hotel Parlors by Prof. J. H. DeSilberg, the celebrated eye specialist and optican from Ger many. He is meeting with great success all over the country. The Professor will be here from Thursday, April 28th until Friday afternoon, April 29th. He will supply you with suitable glasses, guaranteed to give

Catarrh

Called an American disease, is cured by an American medicine, originated and prepared in the most catarrhal of American countries.

That medicine is Hood's Sarsaparilla. It cures radically and permanently, in that it removes the cause, cleansing the blood of scrofulous and all other

THE ASSESSMENT ACT

The Assessment Act just passed by the Ontario Legislature provides for the following basis of taxation :

Distiller, 150 per cent of ass value; brewers, 75 per cent of land, except such land occupied as a making which will be 60 per cent of ed value.

Wholesale merchant, insurance companies, loan or trust companies, express companies, banker or finance firm, 75

Manufacturer, 60 per cent; 'not liable to business assessment as a holesale merchant.

Departmental store, more than five branches, where assessed value exceeds branches, where assessed value exceeds \$20,000; coal, wood or lumber, lithographer, printer, club, 50 per cent; in cities ouer 100,000, coal dealers 25 per

Barristers, physicians, coulist, aurist, medical, electrician, dentist veterinary, engineer, surveyor or architect, agent,

etc., 50 per cent.

Retail merchant in cities over 50,000 per cent; other cities over 10,000, percent; all other municipalities, 30 per cent.

35 Photographer, theatre, concert hall, skating rink, boarding stable, restaurant, hotel, 25 per cent.

Telegraph or telephone company, electric or street railway, transmission company, 25 per cent, exclusive of

Where assessment of any person under the business tax is less than \$250 he shall be assessed for \$250.

TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONES

Telephone companies, 60 per cent of gross receipts in cities, towns and villages; in cities over 100,000, 75 per cent; in townships, \$135 a mile for one wire, each additional wire \$7.50 a mile. Lines not exceeding twenty-five miles are not included.

Telegraph companies in cities, towns and villages, 50 per cent of gross receipts; in townships, \$40 a mile for one wire, \$5 a mile for each additional wire.

The act comes into force June 1, 1905.

BEOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

In connection with the death of the late H. J. Arnold, merchant, the Westport Mirror publishes the following interesting sketch of the Arnold

To those who never read the history deal relating his military career would He was born ate from other moneys of the village.

Messis. W. G. Parish, Joseph
Thompson and H. H. Arnold spoke burg, now occupied by squatters, also

some in Leeds. town hall construction, all favoring the building of a hall that would be archi tecturally plessing as well as fully A number of the Arnold ancestry meeting the various require nents of filled high offices in the British army and department of state. Mr. Jas. R. A desultory discussion followed on Arnold an uncle was aide de-cump to King William IV.

In his later years, on account of his extensive knowledge of American affairs, his advice was often sought. He had many private conferences with the King and was seen walking with the Prince of Wales and the King's brother in public gardens.

A daughter General Arnold married Lieut Col. Pownall Phipps of the Mulgrave family, Knight of the Crescent

On the accession of William IV to the throne General A nold was appointed one of his Majesty's aides decamp. He was created a knight of the Hanoverian Guelphic Order and Knight of the Crescent.

Richard and Henry, sons of Bene dict Arnold, the former the father of H. J. Arnold, were commissioned as lieutenants of cavalry in the American Legion raised by their father in 1780, and afterwards received from the British government half pay as retired

Richard married Margaret Weatherhead, of Augusta, Upper Canada, and left a large and highly respected family of sons and daughters.

For a bilious attack take Chamber the lain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and

CLOTHES OF QUALITY

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Our smart, handsome spring Suit and Top Coats are decidedly well bred-and you can call them "clothes of quality"-for they certainly contain all the qualities appreciated by good dressers

The newest fabrics are here in the latest cut. Our new double-breasted sack suit, with the new narrow collar and long lapels, is a winner with everybody. So are our short-cut Top Coats.

Prices to please everybody.

The Globe Clothing House

Up to date Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers

SPRING - 1904

When you are thinking of your Spring Suit or Overcoat, it will pay you to see my goods before purchasing elsewhere. We have the very newest patterns, combined with the latest Eng-

lish and American styles, and we guarantee a perfect fit. If you cannot visit our store, write for a measurement form and sampler, and if we do not give you a fit, equal to anything you have ever had, and better than a great many, we will refund your money.

The Star Wardrobe

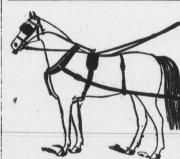
CENTRAL BLOCK

To Let—A first-class furnished ten-room cotta

Notice

First-class wages will be paid to a first-class cook, also a second girl, at the Wardrobe House, Westport, Ont. Apply by letter or in THE WARDROBE HOUSE.
Westport, Ont.

Wanted



We Make the best Harness for Horses

You Should See Our goldine trimmed single harness with a genuine Kay saddle at \$20 00.

We Manufacture All our own harness and horse

Always in all goods for the horse

CHAS. R. RUDD & Co. BROCKVILLE

Mr. W. G. CRADDOCK

Solo Organist, Pianist and Voice Instructor

Late of the following professional appointments: Organist of St. Patrick's Cathederal. Armagh, Ireland; Organist of Ulster Hall, Reifast; Pianist to Earl Spencer. Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, will instruct pupils in organ plano, singing, harmony and counterpoint. Pupils prepared for musical examinations and Dominion College of Music, Montreal.

REXALL HOUSE DYES

FURNITURE

A Housecleaning Suggestion

The one thing that will add pleasure to spring housecleaning is the purchase of a new piece of furniture. Given that, a woman will take positive pleasure in making everything about the house look its very best.

We have dozens of articles, combining beauty and utility, at a reas onable price, and you are invited to inspect our

Bedroom Suites Parlor Suites Sideboards Tables Tables Etc., etc. Rockers

Call and see what we can do fo you in furnishing your home.

T. G. Stevens

UNDERTARIM

(Washington Post,)
Nig, the best known fire dog in Washington, and the pet and mascot of Chemical Company No. 1, distinguished limself and probably prevented an accident to the apparatus last Sunday afternoon. On the way to the fire at the Mezerott building Nig preceded the engine.

The heavy fire fighting machine, on its way up Twelfth street at a gallop, was handleapped by cabs, carriages and other vehicles which lined the curbs, and left only a tunnel through which there was a free passage. Nig was ahead of the apparatus, almost under the horses' feet, when the E street crossing was reached.

As the engine crossed the car tracks a big dog bounded from the sidewalk, directly in the path of the engine. He faced the plunging horses engine. He faced the plunging norses and barked his disapproval of the clanging boll. It looked as though the horses must run over the dog and probably cause them to stumble and go down, with serious consequence to both animanis and fire appropriate the contract of the paratus. The driver knew this, and took a tighter hold on the reins. Nig also teemel to real ze the situation. Bounding at the other dog, he tion. Bounding at the other dog, he seized it by the neck and swung it to one side, so that it rolled into the gutter, clear of the wheels of the engine. The bystanders on the sidewalk applauded the act with cheers, as though a heroic feat had been performed. But Nig did not seem o know that he had done anything out his duty. At the fire Nig was one of the first

to enter the burning building. He bounded up the five flights of stairs and was present with his company on the scene of the fire on the top on the scene of the fire on the tep floor. That night at the fire com-pany house, on D street, he was re-galed with a pound of fish and calld "great dog."

Nig's particular friend in the com-pany lives in Georgetown, and when the fireman is off duty the dog trots up to 34th street to visit him. Then Nig hit upon a better scheme. One day one of the firemen stand-ing at Twelfth and D streets saw the black mascot board an avenue Nig's particular friend in the comthe black massot board an avenue car. The dog was alone, but he knew his business. He had learned to save himself a long tramp by riding on

"But that's nothing," said the fireman. 'Nig's the smartest dog in Washington, and no mistake. We caught him one day standing at Twelfth street and the avenue wait-Twelfth street and the avenue waiting for a car to visit his pal up in Georgetown. I'we Fourteenth street cars, yellow ones, passed the corner in succession. Nig passed 'em up. He never moved. Then a green car came along, and Nig jumped on the platform. We ran up as far as Thirteenth street to see what would happen. Well, the conductor tried to put Nig off. The old fellow showed his teeth, and the conductor retired. We watched the car out of sight, and We watched the car out of sight, and o last we saw as it turned by e Treasury was Nig sitting it wm proper. We bought him a lea-er collar for that.

"It ain't every dog that knows the difference totween a Mount Pleasant car and a Georgetown car. But that's not all. We were watching him again one day. Nig was waiting for a car A vellow one came along and he didn't even look at it. He hidn't even wag his tail. Then a green bne came along. Nig pissed that up, tool I fell you I felt bad, I thought he'd lost the trick of reading the colors. Then I saw over the rear skylight; 'F and G streets,' Yes, sirree, tat dog knows the difference, all right. He tells 'em by the white tag on the front dashboard. i Ng won't go around by the gas tank. He always takes a car straight

He always takes a through to Georgetown. knows all the conductors on the line now, and they never ask for his fare any more. He goes up to Georgetown every time Bill's off duty. And he rides, too. That dog won't walk any place except to a fire. And then he runs."

GREAT SPEED OF MOTOR ENGINES.

While Driving the Boats They Exceed Two Miles a Minute.

It requires some study to ascertain the precise speed required in an engine that drives the fast autoboats that plough through the water at the rate of twenty or twenty-five miles an hour, and having ascertained the figures one is almost inclined to disbelieve them, although it is said they cannot lie. To attain the speed named the propeller wheel revolves from 500 to 1,250 times in a minute. When the number of revolutions is stated one rarely comprehends what it means.

In a boat of high power the propeller will be twenty-three inches in diameter. This means that its periphery is a little over six feet.

It requires some study to ascertain the precise speed required in an engine diametal feast. Hell and destination are never ful'; so the eyes of man are never satisfied.

If ye cast pearls before swine they will turn again and rend you.

It is tetter to dwell in a corner of the liouse top, than with a brawling woman in a wide house.

Pride goeth before destruction, and a laughty spirit before a fall.

The race is not to the swift nor the battle to the strong.

woman in a wide house.

When the number of revolutions is stated one rarely comprehends what it means.

In a boat of high power the propeller will be twenty-three inches in diameter. This means that its periphery is a little over six feet.

If this screw revolves at the rate of 1,250 times a minute the outer edge of the blades of the propeller are cutting will not depart from it.

through the water at the rate of just one and a third miles a minute.

These propellers are not flat. If they were they would have no purchase on the water and the beat would not move an inch. To give them a grip on the water each blade is twisted slightly, like a spiral, and that twist increases the stretch of the blades beyond its circumference by about 1.4, so that what marine engineers call the helicoid path of the propeller would be very nearly two miles in a minute.

This remarkable speed is produced by a motor that is only twenty-eight inches

This remarkable speed is produced by a motor that is only twenty-eight inches wide, forty inches long and forty-one inches high. It develops a horse-power of about sixty-five,

The propellers which drive the fast Atlantic liners are about forty-eight feet in circumference. The tip of the blade will cover about a mile and a fifth each minute when revolving at full speed.

The cruiser Minneapolis, which is one The cruiser Minneapous, which is of the fastest in the navy, has propellers forty-eight feet in circumference. They make 132 revolutions a minute, that the tip of the blade when so that the tip of the blade when driven at full speed is travelling at the rate of 6,336 feet each minute, and the helicoid path, or the distance covered by the spiral twist of the blade, is 8,870 feet a minute, or more than a mile and a half.

The Minneapolis and the ocean liners

are driven by steam, but in the fast autoboats gasoline is the motive power. It can be understood to what a nicety the mechanism in a gasoline engine is adjusted when it is stated that to

adjusted when it is stated that to make 1,000 revolutions a minute means that in a four cycle engine, there are 500 sprays of gasoline forced into the cylinder, 50 times the electric battery makes a spark and 500 times the escape valve is opened to let the gas out, If there are four cylinders at work on the same shaft, and many of the fast boats have four cylinders, then each operation is repeated four times. Some motors have eight cylinders and one is now being built that will have twelve cylinders. It is figured that a motor uses a pint of gasoline for each twelve cylinders. It is figured that a motor uses a pint of gasoline for each horse-power an hour. An eight horse-power motor will use a gallon of gasoline an hour, and will cost about 16 or 17 cents an hour to run. A twenty-four horse-power motor will take three gallons an hour, which will make the cost about 50 cents an hour.

There is a motor boat being built that is to have a 500 horse-power motor. This motor will consume about sixty gallons of gasoline an hour, and if run for ten hours a day will cost more than \$90 a day.

> Do you catch cold easily? Does the cold hang on? Try

Shiloh's Consumption Cure The Lung

It cures the most stubborn kind of coughs and colds. If it doesn't cure you, your money will be refunded.

Prices: S. C. Wells & Co. 30 25c. 50c. \$1 LeRoy, N. Y., Toronto, Can.

PROVERBS.

In beginning an examination into the proverbs of different peoples and different ages, one can hardly start with better material than the bits of crystalized wisdom to be found in the pages of the Old Testament. Among those wise sayings in common use whose origin is to be found here are the foliowing;

A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches.

A soft answer turneth away wrath; but grievous words stir up anger.

A word fitly spoken is like apples of gold in pictures of silver.

As a jewel of gold in a swine'n with better material than the bit

As a jewel of gold in a swinch snout so is a fair woman who is without discretion.

Before honour is humility.

Better is a dry morsel and quiet-

ness therewith than a house full of sacrifices with strife. Better a dinner of herbs where love is than a stalled ox and hatred therewith Fear God and keep His command-ments, for this is the whole duty

of man, Go to the ant, thou sluggard, consider her ways and be wise.

He that is of a merry heart hath a continual feast.

SHAKE OFF THAT SPRING FEELING

Dodd's Kidney Pills Will Do It Naturally and Well.

Cause and Cure of the Tired Peeling That is Epidemic at This Season of the Year.

The spring is here. You can fe The spring is here. You can feel the every part of your body. Your clothes are too heavy and though you are not too sick, you are too tired to walk, too tired to work, yes, even too tired to eat.

It's that "spring feeling."

Do you know the cause of it? No, all you want to know is how to get rid of it. Well, the explanation and the cure are allies simple.

rid of it. Well, the explanation and the cure are alike simple.

In the winter you "et used" to the cold, you think. As a matter of fact, it is the body that gets prepared. It puts on a fortification of extra tissue that keeps the cold out. In the spring time this tissue is thrown off by the body and if the system is all in good working order, the blood carries away the cast-off tissue, which is in turn filtered out of the blood by the kidneys, and expelled from the body. This means extra work for the

This means extra work for the kidneys, and if they are at all tired or worn out they fall in their work. The result is clogged circulation and that tired spring feeling.

The cure is to tone up the kidneys with Dodd's Kidney Pills. Fodds Kidney Pills make healthy kidneys. Healthy kidneys quickly cleanse the blood of all impurities and the "spring feeling" is replaced with a vigor of body and buoyancy of spirit that makes work a pleasure.

A Utilitarian.

(Chicago News.)
Tailor—Do you wear padded shoulders, my little man? Wilie—Naw; padde pants! Dat's where I need it most.

Proved Priceless.-Ruby coats an innamon flavor. Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills are household favorites. Impurities leave the system. The nerves are toned. The blood is purified. The complexion is bright and ruddy. Headaches vanish and perfec health follows their use. 40 doses 10 cents

Reflections of a Bachelor. Grand opera is a good training o go somewhere else to get some

A man can forget to love a wo A man can lorget to love a woman quicker than she can learn not
to want him to.
A woman worries a good deal all
her life over the possibility of not
getting as many flowers at her funeral as she deserves.

It's frame how much more extra-

eral as she deserves.

It's funny how much more extravagant it seems to take your own sister to a 25-cent lecture than an old school chum to a cliampagne A woman gets her enjoyment ou

A woman gets her enjoyment out of talking about scandals she isn't in, a man out of being in scandals that aren't talked about.

A girl is willing to marry a man she doesn't love because she thinks it will somehow come around the way it does in the story books.—
New, York Press.

In Half an hour after Mr. Laver took the first dose of Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart he was on the road to Permanent recovery.

road to Permanent recovery.

"I was under treatment with some of the best physicians in London (England) for what they diagnosed as incurable heart trouble. I suffered agonies through pains about my heart, fainting spells, palpitation and exhaustion. As a drowning mangrasps at a straw, I tried Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart. The first bottle relieved me greatly, and when I had used two bottles all the symptoms of my heart trouble had left me."

—A. Lavers, Collingwood, Ont.

Dr. Agnew's Gintement Cures Eczema. 350 Dr. Agnew's Ointment Cures Eczema, 35c

TIME SAVED BY METRIC SYSTEM. The United States statistician says two-thirds of a school year would be saved to American girls and boys by saved to American girls and boys by putting the metric system in place of the other twelve or thirteen systems. Carry the enormous saving of time into the counting-houses of the country, into al kinds of calculations from the farm to the factory, and a fairly good idea is obtained of what the metric system

Rossway, Jan. 28, 1901.
C. C. RICHARDS & CO.:
Dear Sirs,—This fall I got thrown on a fence and hurt my chest very had so that I could not work, and it hurt me to breathe. I tried all kinds of liniments and they did me no good.
One bottle of MINARD'S LINIMENT warmed on flainels and appled on my breast cured me completely.
C. H. COSSEBOOM,
Rossway, Digby Co., N. S.

Fame and—Brandy! (Chicago Chronicle.)

There is grave question by many whether Poe ever did anything to entitle him to lasting fame. He had a curiosity

him to lasting fame. He had a curiosity lurid, one may almost say grotesque, extravagance of imagination in certain morbid and fantastic ways and no imagination at all of the broad, noble, uplifting type.

Fifty or sixty years ago, when Poe was living, there was a curious impression widely prevalent that an abnormal thirst for brandy, a mania for getting more or less drunk, was an indubitable sign of genius. The curious delusion has not wholly disappeared even yet, but it was a common article of faith then and is only exceptional now. It would have done little harm, perhaps, if it had not carried with it a notion that many who possessed genius could manifest it only

carried with it a notion that many who possessed genius could manifest it only while intoxicated.

Probably no small part of Poe's contemporary fame grew out of that queer notion. While he lived, and for long after most of what was said of him was in a deprecating, apologetic vein. The world was asked to pardon the habits of drunkenness because of the genius, and was assured that without the former the latter could not have existed.

THE TINTED FEATHER.

ne Pale Color and Sets O

A fact with regard to millinery that I am afraid must be chron icled, although I do so with a bad heart, writes Mrs. Jack May in London Queen, is the cost thereof. There are cheap models, of course but frankly no one wants them they mean well, but they do not look well. The untrimmed shapes look well. (The untrimmed shares are marvels at the price, and in a weak moment we succumb before their economical possibilities. But, lacking the subtlest millinery faculty, the possibilities end at the purchase of the shape, after which we flounder about with veils and flowers, and cache-pelgues, and mostly produce failures. Nothing either in millinery or modes is so disastrously misleading as simplicity, which every touch tells. Surreme efforts are always inspired, and the only millinery efforts a fastidious taste can induce us to accept this year are essentially inspirations, creations of dangerous simplicity, the result only of an exceeding extravagance.

Exceeding extravagance.

The ostrich feather of our best af-The ostrich feather of our best affactions is the Neil Gwynne variety, which by a deft manipulation is disposed upside down or curled over on its back. This is some pale color, such as clei blue, hyacinth blue, orchidee mauve, vert salade, caressing—how I love that word!—a black picture shape, the feather monopilzing indeed, the whole decorative situation. consumates a millinery uation, consumates a millinery triumph of the highest order of eleganne. My horoscope predicts a dan-gerous run, one verging to ubiquity, which a crowning triumph is found in one of these black chapsaux with its accompanying feather of delicate

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere

The Mighty Microbe.

The Mighty Microbe.

"Here," said Marmorek, picking up a phial the size of a finger, "is enough microbic poison to kill off all Park," D) you wonder that, during the strife between Spiln and Cuba, a boll, bad Cuban sought admits on to him and askel to purchase a germ which could be let loose in the Spanish camp? Marmorek was so tickled by the man's native notion of his functions that he burst out laughing in the fellow's face; whereupon the Cubin, curraged, crying, "I see, you are not a serious scientist," turnel an indignant back upon the institute.—Israel Zangwill, in the Reader.

Use Lever's Dry Soap (a powder) to wash woolens and flannels,-you'll like

What Zion City Should Secure. (Cleveland Plain Dealer,)

Zion City has a printing establish-ment and the superintendent is looking for a printer who does not chew, drink, smoke or swear. Of course, there are printers of this description, but they are not looking for jobs in Zion City. What the superintendent should do is to compromise on an automatic attachto compromise on an automatic attachment to a linotype machine that can be worked with a crank.

Minadr's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

His Grace Was Grasping (Modern Society.)

The Duke-How much of a settlement vill you make? American Magnate—Well, say half of

what I've got.

The Duke—But what are you going to do with the other half? You have no more daughters.

Too Much of a Feast.

"Can I see the editor?" inquired a stranger, as he stepped into the editor's office of a Carbon county newspaper, and turned to the ink-daubed devil, who was roosted on a high stool.

"He's sick."

"What's the matter with him?"
"Dono,' said the boy. "One of our subscribers gave him a bag of flour and a bushel of pertaters the other day, and reckon he's foundered."

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

Almiral Makaroff. (Toronto Star.)

Brave Makaroff is surely dead,
No more the Japs shall flout him;
At rest he lies in ocean's bed,
His gallant crew around him.

A sailor brave, no other grave

Would he have sought, nor ask it,
His requiem the ocean wave,
His battleship his casket.

PENNSYLVANIA BRAIN THROBS. Many a man has found the key to success, but saw too many keyholes to put

Some of the rooms in the new apartment houses are so small that the tenants have to use condensed milk in their coffee.—Pennsylvania Punch Bowl.

\$50.00 to California and Return

Via the Chicago, Union Pacific & North-Western Line, from Chicago, April 23 to May 1. Choice of routes going and returning. Correspondingly low rates from all points. Two trains a day from Chicago through without change. Daily and personally conducted tourist car excursions. Write for itinerary and full particulars regarding special train leaving Chicago April 26.—B. H. Bennett, 2 East King street, Toronto, Ont.

Then He Kept Busy. (Cincinnati Enquirer.)

He stole a kiss, but strange to say, She did not bid him stop; She merely said in a gracious way, "Sir, this is no retail shop."

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralois

Assistance. Mrs. Black—Did your husband help you decide on an Easter hat? Mrs. Blank—Yes; he said I couldn't



A little Sunlight Soap will clean cut glass and other articles until they shine and sparkle. Sunlight Soap will wash other things than

FISH UNDERSTAND LANGUAGE. A Spanish naturalist, Dr. Ribera, has proved that fish can hear and distinguish sounds and words. Concealing himself behind a bush, he taught the carpin a pond to come to the surface for food every time he spoke a certain sen-tence. To other words not associated with feeling they paid no attention.

DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED

by local applications as they cannot reach
the diseased portion of the ear. There is only
one way to cure deafness, and that is by conattitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by
an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of
the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed,
beafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be
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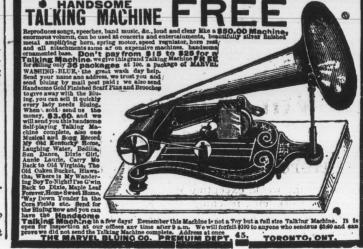
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TORONTO COUNTING COST OF THE GREAT CONFLAGRATION

Merchants and Manufacturers Busy Planning to Rebuild as Soon as Possible.

Graphic Description of the Fight Between the Fire Fighters and the Fire Demon.

CHARLES CONTROL OF THE PARTY OF Factories and Warehouses Destroyed Employees Temporarily Out of Work, at Least Total Loss Estimated by Insurance Experts, at Least\$13,000,000 Insurance Companies' Losses (approximately) \$ 8,885,000

the commercial section laid waste, the hand of the destroyer was stayed early yesterday. While the embers of the warehouses were still aglow Toronto's business men were planning a fresh start. From Lorne street through the very heart of the old business city to Yonge street, and north half-way to King street, there stretches a desert of tumbling walls and twisted girders, from which will spring the business city of the future. Toronto's financial interests will stagger under such a blow as few other Canadian cities ever received, but the signs of recovery are already here. Thirteen to fifteen million dollars in property were swept out of existence by the fire of Tuesday night. Two thousand clerks and Tuesday night. Two thousand clerks and operatives who have daily thronged Bay street to and from their employment came down yesterday to gaze upon the ashes and the piles of hot bricks, and wonder where their wages would come from. Nearly nine millions of dollars are to be paid by the insurance companies, some of which have within the past for empths experienced heavy losses. few months experienced heavy losses. Such is the position of Toronto after its great fire. There is no despair. The busi-ness community will feel the loss, but it is recognized as only a check on the city's progress. Manufacturers who escaped the fire are offering their former caped the fire are offering their former rivals opportunities to establish them-selves at once, so that their trade can be mantained, and the aid which came so willingly from other cities to Tor-onto to fight the flames is being extended in other ways to help fight the results of the fire.

No Thoroughfare.

It is imposible to traverse the burned district; even the firemen work only on the skirus of it. At the southwest corner of Front and Yonge streets the custom house stands as a barrier to the desoluting fury of the destroyer. Yesterday a solid block of great warehouses filled the snace between it, and Bay street; to-day only porcions of the giant walls are standing. On the Esplanade side the smouldering debris is scattered to the foot of the custom house nade side the shouldering detected to the foot of the custom house walls. All morning crowds of sight-seers waded through the filth and mud There the telephone of the Espianade. There the telephone and telegraph poles have been burned, and men are at work erecting new ones, while the way is strewn with a snarl of tangled wires and cables. At the of tangled wires and cables. At the southeast corner of Bay and Esplanade streets the dismantled stone wais if the McLaughlin flour mill still stand, with the street wall leaning men-acingly, while the entire street is piled with brick and water. Across Bay street is a counterpart of ruin. North it, here and there, rise th skeleton of walls, looking, with their shroud of white smoke, like ghosts of departed prosperity.

The Dying Fire. At half a dozen points on the scene of battle small fires are burning fitfully. and over them the tired victors are standing guard. These are the dying embers of the field of flame that swept the standard of the field of flame that swept the standard of the field of flame that swept the standard of the field of flame that swept the standard of the field of flame that swept the standard of the field of flame that swept the standard of the stan through fourteen acres of business ings yesterday morning. The fire has been conquered—conquered through the skill and courage of Toronto's fire skill and courage of Toronto's fire department and their allies from sisted department and their allies from sisted Canadian cities and the sister city across the border. Sadly handicapped by an insufficient water supply, with the fire chief stretched on his back injured at the outset of the battle, with at the outset of the battle, with the gale fighting on the side of the flames, whe department, nobly reinforced by the detachments from outside, won a vic-tory. The fire was beaten with the detachments from outside, won a victory. The fire was beaten with the odds all in its favor at the Telegram building, the loss of which would have meant the destruction of half a dozen other blocks. It was driven back from the Queen's Hotel when the saving of that historic structure seemed honeless. house and the Bank of Montreal, where the fire fiend was finally stayed, was as

Toronto's greatest fire is small compared to what it might have been. Electric Wires the Cause. A tiny electric wire, imperfectly inlated, is held responsible for the dister. When the last employee of E. S. Currie left the warehouse on Wellington street there was no trace of fire. Less than an hour later tlames fire. Less than an hour later flames were shooting up the elevator shaft to the roof of the building and the decartment had begun the most stubborn. Ight in its history. Chief Thompson led his men into the adjoining ware-nouse of A. Anslev & Co., and from its upper storeys began his attack on the flames. The fire worked in on the flames. The fire worked in underneath, and it was in escaping down a hose from the third storey that the experienced the agony of knowing that his services were needed, and that a comparatively trifling injury had put him out of the fight. Almost simultaneously with the Ansley warehouse. splendid five storey warehouse of

THE REPORT OF THE RESERVE THE PROPERTY OF THE With fourteen acres of the centre of | Pugsley, Dingman & Co., at 50 and 52 Wellington street caught, and the fire department, which had responded to the general alarm, realized what was be-

Deputy Noble in Command. With the chief on his unwilling way to the hospital, his first lieutenant, De-puty Chief Noble, assumed command Across the street to the south were the warehouses of Brown Brothers and Rolph, Smith & Co., filled with inflammable stocks of papers and books, kindling for an awful blaze. The three buildings on the north side of the street were doomed, and Noble tried to confine the fire to them. Twenty streams of water played on them and the adjoining buildings to the east and south, but the fire had gained a foothold. Flames shot up a hundred feet in the air until they were caught by the icy gale and blown over the roofs towards Yonge street. Blazing embers were carried for blocks by the wind and within half an hour the premises of Brown Brothers and Rolph, Smith & Co. were a part of the fire. The larger buildings of W. R. Brock & Co and Dignum & Moneypenny at the south and Dignum & Moneypenny at the southwest and northwest corners of Wellington and Bay streets, with their fire walls, gave ground for hope that they would block the progress of the flames to the east. To the north, however, on Bay street the fire found a vantage point in the Westwood & Garland buildings, and in a few minutes these were enveloped. The gale increased in fury, and the flames leaped the sixty-foot street and licked up walls of the buildings opposite. Here at the Telegram office the first victory of the night was won, and won by amateurs. amateurs.

Calls for Help.

But the flames found other avenue But the flames found other avenues of attack, Beginning with the large Gale factory, the variable wind carried burning embers to the roofs to the north of the Garland Company's building on Bay street, and they were soon burning. Down on Wellington street the premises to the south of W. R. Brock & Co. had caught, and the fire area had extended so far that Deputy Chief Noble found the forces at his disposal insufficient. Mayor Urquhart, who posal insufficient. Mayor Urquhart, who had been on the scene early, sent the deputy a message asking if he needed assistance. "We need all the assistance we can get," was the answer Within a few minutes telegrams telling of Toronto's danger were being read in the fire department offices of Buffalo. Niagara Falls, Hamilton, London, Peter-boro' and the suburban towns. 'The railway officials had the sanction of His Worship to spare no expense in provid-ing special trains for the speedy transportation of the detachments from other cities, and Deputy Noble renewed his efforts to hold the fire until aid arrived. The heat welling up from the burning buildings increased the furv of the gale and as a last resort the use of dynamite was suggested. It was proposed that several buildings in the path of the fire should be sacrificed to prevent the ruin which threatened the entire commercial section. The authorities at the fort were asked to provide a squad of engineers for the exceedingly dangerou duty, and the reply came that while there were plenty of volunteers, the necessary explosives could not be obtained. City Architect McCallum, who like all of the city officials, was on the ground ready to render assistance, ad-vised that the use of dynamite might pread the fire, and the project was

Fighting for Time.

r blocks. It was driven back from their ceaseless calling for fuel sounded Queen's Hotel when the saving of historic structure seemed hopeless. The stand made at the customs and the Bank of Montreal, where the fire fiend was finally stayed, was as with acts of daring and tragedy my feat of arms. The loss from their ceaseless calling for fuel sounded their ceasele than once the engines had to be dragged away hurriedly to escape falling walls. At 10.30 L.e flames were extending in all directions, but the sweep of the fire was towards the east. On the north it was being held in control at the Davis & Henderson firm's building, the north wall of which saved the adjoining wooden buildings. The strenuous efforts which saved the Telegram building to the east were impossible with the premises of the Office Specialty company next door to the newspaper office and opposite the blazing Davis & Henderson building. Its whole front was ablaze in a few minutes, and this turn of affairs sealed the destruction of the whole block to the south.

Minerva Manufacturing Company, 12 Vest Front street-Loss, \$50,000 on West Front street—Loss, stock, \$15,000 machinery. Insured for Hutchison, R. B. and H. B., wholesale woollens-Stock \$30,000. Insurance

Goulding, George & Son, 55 Day

stock, \$100,000. Fully insured.

Booth, George, manufacturers' agent,
in Suckling building—Loss \$50,000.

Fully insured.

Rolph, Smith & Co., lithographers, 49 Wellington street west—Loss on building and stock, \$125,000. Insurange,

Bradshaw, William, wholesale goods, 25 Wellington—Loss on stock and building, \$150,000. Covered by in-

Crogg, Fred, 78 Bay street, manufacturers' agent—Loss on stock, \$10,000, Insurance, \$6,500.

Dignum & Moneypenny, 72 Bay street, wholesale woollens—Loss on

street, wholesale woollens— Loss on stock, \$20,000; on building, \$25,00d.
Sanford, W. E., Co. (branch), wholesale clothiers. 47 Bay street—Loss to stock, \$4,000. Insured. Employees, 6. Gordon, Mackay & Co., wholesale dry goods, Bay and Front streets—Loss on stock, \$525,000; on building, \$55,000. Insurance, \$480.000.

Eddy, E. B., & Co., 40 Front street west, paper manufacturers, branch office—Loss on stock, \$60,000. Insur-

Watson, George H., owner, 86 Bay street—Loss, \$6,500. Insurance, \$1,500. Holtman, Charles J., owner, 88 Bay street—Loss, \$6,500. Insurance, \$1,500. Merchants' Dyeing and Furnishing Co., 42 Front street west—Loss on stock, \$40,000. Insurance, \$25,000. Brock, \$40,000. Insurance, \$25,000.

Brock, W. R., & Co., wholesale dry goods, 64 to 68 Bay street—Loss on stock, \$550,000. Insurance, \$500,000.

Loss on building, \$60,000. Insurance, \$55,000.

Gillett, E. W., & Co., 32-34 From Gillett, E. W., & Co., 32-34 Front west, wholesale yeast manufacturers— Loss on stock and machinery, \$100,000; on building, \$30,000. Insurance, \$50,000. Darling, Robert, & Co., wholesale dry goods, 44 Front street west— Loss on stock and building (estimate), \$150,000. Lincoln Paper Mills Co., 30 Front street west—Loss on stock, \$7,000; on building (owned by Clarkson Jones), \$14,000.

\$14,000.

Consumers' Gas Co., \$1,500. Toronto Railway Co., \$10,000.
Toronto Electric Light Co., \$3,000.
Bell Telephone Co., \$1,200.
Barber & Ellis Co., wholesale statio ers, 43-47 Bay street, loss, stock \$110, 000; building, \$40,000; insurance, \$120,

Allan, A. A. & Co., wholesale furriers Alian, A. A. & Co., wholesale lurriers, 51 Bay street; loss on stock \$150,000; on building \$50,000.

McClary Manufacturing Co., stoves, 14-18 Bay street; loss \$30,000; partially insured.

Gale Whitewear Co., 14-24 Mincing Lane, estimated loss, buildings and stock, \$125,000; nearly covered by insur-

Gray, F. H., owner of Gray building, Wellington street west, estimated value \$18,000, damage to building prob ably less than \$1,000.

Ishikawa & Co., importers of Japanese Carlaw, John A., owner, 28-30 Wellington west; building valued at \$25,000; loss on building \$1,000, caused by water Stibbs, William J., owner, 32 Wellington west: building valued at \$10,000;

oss on building \$1,000. Snarr, Miss Catharine, owner, 34 Welington west; building valued at \$10,000 lightly damaged: insured. Nishet & Auld, wholesale woollens and

ailors' trimmings, occupying 32 and 34 Wellington west; loss slight. Cowan, John W., owner, 54 and 56 Wellington west; value of building \$25,

sley & Co., hat manufacturers, 54

King, W. P. & Son, agents for Toronto Knitting Mills Co., 24 Front street west; stock \$25,000; insurance, \$14,000. Kilgour Bros., wholesale paper hants, loss on stock and building \$140,

Sinclair, D. James, florist, 59 street, loss to stock \$25, (damaged

by water) covered by insurance.
Wyld-Darling Co.. Bay street and Wellington, wholesale dry goods, will exceed insurance of \$500.000 by \$100,000 or \$150,000. The building was worth \$150, eph. Mrs. Matilda, owner of 76 Bay

treet, loss \$600; insurance not known Currie, E. & S., neckwear manufactur building \$25,000; stock \$25,000; in-

Continental · Costume Co,. Wellington street west, loss of stock \$15,000; in Ontario Neckwear Co., 67 Bay street oss on stock, \$25,000; insurance, \$20,

70 Front street west-Loss on stock and building, \$200,000; insurance, \$150,000. McMahon & Broadfield, crockery, 5 Front street west—Loss on stock, \$69, 000; insurance, \$45,000.

Jessop, W., & Sons, Limited, 82 Bay street—Loss on building and stock, \$20, 000; fully covered by insurance. Brereton & Manning, furriers, ront street west—Stock, \$125,000; surance, \$100.000; building (owned D. McKak), loss, \$35,000.

Copp. Clark & Co., 66 Front street rest—Loss on stock, \$140,000; building, \$40,000; insurance, \$125,000 and

Stewart, Howe & May Co., 24 Front Irving Umbrella Co., 20 Front street west—Loss, \$100,000; insurance, \$85,-

000. Goulding, G., & Son, milliners. Bay-Loss, \$110,000; insurance, \$80,000. Tooke Bros. Manufacturing Co., 47 to 3 per cent.

on the Esplanade—Loss on building and stock, \$300,000; insurance, \$100,000. Fuckling, W. J., & Co., 60-68 Wellington street west—Loss on building \$12,500; on stock, \$800; insured.

Buntin, Reid & Co., 27-2) Wellington street west—Loss on building, \$40,000;

street west—Loss on building, \$40,000; on stock, \$100,000; insured.
International Brokers, 88 Bay—Loss on contents, \$5,000.

A. R. & E. M. Gilmore, 86 Bay—Loss on stock, \$2000 on stock, \$2,000. Thompson, Smith & Payne, 86 Bay—Loss on stock, \$1,100.
Davis & Henderson, 84 Bay—Loss on

building, \$7,000; on stock, \$16,400; insnell, Wm., estate, 82 Bay- Loss

Bosnell, Wm., estate, 82 Bay—Loss on building, \$2,500.

Muirhead, Andrew, \$2 Bay—Loss on stock, \$10,000; insured.

Alcock, Laight & Westwood Co., 78 Bay—Loss on building, \$6,000; stock, \$11,000; insured.

Garland Manufacturng Co., 76 Bay.

Loss on stock, \$5,000; insured,

McLaren & Dallas, 11 Front street east loss on stock, \$8,000, building \$10. east, loss on stock, \$8,000; building \$10,-

Novi Modi Costume Co., 13 Front street east, stock, \$15,000; on building, \$18,000; insurance on stock, \$8,000, and on building, \$12,000.

on building, \$12,000.

The Canada Paper Co., 15 Front street west, on stock, \$19,000; building (owned by W. Hendrie), \$19,090; insurance on stock, \$15,000, on building, \$7,000.

Caulfield & Burns, 17 Front street west, stock, \$10,000; T. W. Lester, owned to building, \$1,000.

er of the building, \$11,000; \$6,000 insurance on sto k, and \$9,000 on building.

Asher & Leeson, 19 Front street west, stock, \$5,000; insurance, \$9,000 on building, and \$2,500 on stock. The Land Security Co and Security Co., assessed \$60,

Toronto Coffee and Spice Co., 2 Bay street, stock assessed at \$40,000.

Harris Lithographing Co., No. 6, as essed \$3,000. Barber & Gribble, printers, No. 8, as

essed at \$1,000.
Toronto Pharmical Co., 22 Bay, assess ed for \$3,000. Wm. G. Atkinson, 44 Bay street, fancy

wm. G. Atkinson, 44 Bay street, latery goods, loss, \$40,000; insurance, \$12,000; in addition, orders amounting to \$30,000, for delivery of goods in June, which the firm has manufactured, are lost; building was owned by the North American Gutta Percha Rubber Co., occupying

45, 47 and 49 Bay street, estimated loss, \$500,000, fully insured; real estate assessed at \$29,000. Cockburn & Rea, wholesale milline 46 Bay street, occupied the six storeys of the building owned by Lady Carna-han, England; loss, \$75,000; insurance,

\$52,000. H. E. Bond, wholesale clothiers, 51 Bay street; insurance about \$150,000. Samuel W. Browne, assessed at \$3,000, had a business at 51 Bay street. Johnston & Sword, 51 Bay street, as

sessed at \$3,200. Charles Home, tailors' trimmings, 54 Bay street; loss between \$35,000 and \$37,000.

New Idea Pattern Co., 54 Bay street, assessed at \$300; others in the sall building were F. C. Davidge & Co., wholesale wall papers; Davis & Thomas, assessed at \$3,000, and Jas. Adams, hand-

erchiefs, assessed at \$400. Edward Musgrave, 54 Bay street, be-ween \$9,000 and \$10,000; insurance

Drake, Hambly & Cockburn,

Drake, Hambly & Cockburn, Wholesale faney dry goods, 56 Bav street, assessed for \$2,500 personalty.
Charles Cockshutt, dry goods, 57-59
Bay street, is out of town.
John H. Boulter & Co., woollens, 58
Bay street, assessed for \$2,000 personalty. Mr. Boulter resides in Hamilton. Mark Fisher, Sons & Co., 60 Bay street, manufacturers of woollens, per-Mr. Boulter resides in Hamilton

onalty assessed at \$5,000. George R. R. Cockburn, owner of 60 and 62 Bay street, insured for about and 62 Bay street, insured for about the amount of the assessed value of the mildings, \$2,500 each.

William Croft, fancy goods and no-tions, 61-63 Bay street, cannot estimate loss. His loss is fully covered by in-

surance. Hackburn & Sheridan, wholesale clothiers, at 65 Bay street, assessed at 88.000. John McPherson & Co., 69 Bay street,

ssessed at \$6,000. George H. Hees & Co., damage to their building was very little. C. H. Westwood & Co., owners of 72 and 74 Bay street, had \$15,000 insurance on building and about \$40,000 on

Sharpe & Tugwell, photo Bay street, were damaged but not to a very great extent.

Charles Walker, owner of the hotel

Charles Walker, owner of the noted at 75 Bay street, property was assessed at \$4,000, and personalty at \$800.

The Office Specialty Company occupied 77 Bay street, stock assessed at \$8,000; building, assessed at \$7,500.

The Telegram building, 79-81 Bay ottest. street, damaged in upper storey and the windows cracked. The loss is com-paratively slight. The John B. Smith loss is \$125,000;

ured for \$85,000. H. S. Howland, Sons & Co., tenants at 37 and 39 Front street, wholesale hardware, estimate loss at \$175,000, well

\$42,000 William Bryce, 22 Front street, person lty assessed at \$1,000.
P. D. Dods & Co., paints and oi's, assessed for \$5,000. Nothing was saved. Cuthbertson & McCurin, wholesal fancy goods, 25 Front street, assessed a

M. Schwab, owner 27 Front, which was assessed at \$9,000.

Haly & Boyd, wholesale rubbers, 29

Front, assessed at \$1,000. Front, assessed at \$1,000.

Sarah Staunton, owner of 25 broat street, assessed for \$9,000, occupied by Robert S. McIndoe, wholyade grocer and commission merchant. Mr. McIndoe was at London when the fire occurred

was at London when the life occurred and returned yesterday to find only a few boxes of papers had been saved.

J. B. Smith loses \$10,000 in buildings at 50 Esplanade; insurance of \$6,000:

M. McLaughlin, corner Bay and Esplanade, flour mills, valued at \$15,000, contents, \$25,000; insurance on building \$10,000, on personality \$18,000.

London.—The rate of discount of the Bank of England was reduced from 31-2

Day street—Lose, \$6,000 to \$7,000 or stock, insurance, \$4,000. Elackhell, W. B. & V. E., 26-28 Front street west—Lose on stock, \$10,000; insurance, \$7,500. W. J. Gage Company, Limited, 54 to 58 F and street west, publishers—Lose, over \$150,000, of which \$50,000 was in buildings. Eckardt Casket Maunfacturing Co, on the Explanade—Lose on building and

WALLEY .

Are in Overwhelming Force at the Yalu.

The Vladivostock Fleet Still in the Harbor.

Viceroy A'exieff's Resignation to be Accepted.

London cable; The Chemulpo correspondent of the Express, in a despatch sent by way of Chefoo, says that although all is declared quiet on the Yalu River, it is belevel that the Russ ans are gathering strength to invade Corea in force, to offset the Japanese cesses at sea. The Russian strength centered at L'ao-Yang is said to be almost overwhelm ng and having the advantage of position, it would be comparatively easy for the Russians to cross the Yalı.

The Toko correspondent of Times conf rms the statements of the other correspondents that it is expected that the Russians will make a stand at the alu R.ver. In addition to their 50,000 troops massed between Chiulencheng and Tatungku, their upstream extension is in-definite, but reaches at least to the Posh I River, which entrs the Yalu opposite Huangpien.

ALL QUIET ON THE YALU. umber of Japanese Troops Increa ing, However

St. Petersburg cable says; General Couropatkin has sent the following telegram to the Emperor; "Gen, Kasatalinsky report Kashtalinsky reports as folows on April 19; "All is quiet on the Yalu. The Jap-

and is quiet on the land, the same are throwing up entremolements opposite Golutsy and further to the north.

"The numbers of Japanese troops are increasing. They are concentrating at Wiju, and spreading toward the north along the Velocity.

the north along the Yalu.

"Cossack sentinels have observed the lights of Japanese transports near Chingtaitse, opposite the village of Potansa, west of Tatungskau. The vessels were anchored at distance of four miles from the

'According to a despatch from Gen. Misichecko, Jaranese ships were also seen near Couchou." The general staff has issued the

"According to official reports all has been quiet at Port Arthur and Yinkow and along the Yalu, during the last few days. There is no further change in the general situation to report."

Russians in Corea.

Tokio cable; Russian troops to the number of 1,000 are reported to be in occupation of Yong-Gan, in North-eastern Corea. North-eastern Corea.

A detachment of 40 Cossacks has appeared for a second time at Sung-Jin, about 150 miles north of Gensan, where they burned the Japanese settlement and took possesion of the post and telegraph offices. The Corean officials at Sung-Jin were friendly to the Russians.

Another detachment of 75 Russian soldiers has advanced as far south as Puck-Chyong, about 75 miles down the coast from Sung-Jin.

EXIT ALEXIEFF.

St. Petersburg cable;

Viceroy's Resignation to be Accepted Forthwith.

signation of Admiral Alexieff, Vice-roy of the Far East, has not been announced officially, but it is re-garded as a fact. It is believed that it will be accepted forthwith. His im-mediate reason for resigning is understood to be the appointment of Admiral Skydloff, who is known to be hostile to Admiral Alevieff as the successor of the late Admiral Mak-According to gossip in of aroff. ficial quarters Admiral Alexieff's position has been rendered impossible by the series of humiliations con veyed by the successive appoint-ments of Admiral Makaroff, General Kouropatkin, and Admiral Skrydloff, He was not consulted regarding any of these appointments. It is added that when Admiral Alexieff notified that when Admiral Alexieff notified the Czar that he had hoisted his flag on the battleship Sebastopol in succession to Admiral Makaroff, His Majesty did not reply to the despatch. He then appointed Admiral Skrydloff to the command of the sian fleet in the Far East, ignoring Admiral Alexieff's suggestion that Admiral Dubastoff be appointed. Admiral Alexieff's retirement will remove from power the last of those who were responsible for Russia's pol-

STILL IN HARBOR.

that another viceroy will be ap-

icy before the war. It is not expect-

Atter Fortpight's Silence.

Vladivostock cable says: Thr Es sen, of the Russian cruiser Novik,com-mander of the squadron here, has is sued an order of the day referring to the death of Vice-Admiral Muk-aroff, in which he attributes the loss of the Petropavlovsk to the battleship having touched a mine, add-

The ways of the Almighty'are inscrutable. Every war demands such sacrifices as this, which has deprived the fleet of an experienced fighting commander, his whole staff, the crew of the Petropavlovsk, and the hattleship itself. But such is the will of God. Ever lasting honor to those who are lost. They fell as heroes, but the war will raise up heroes who will take their places. Let up have fortitude and place our trust in the future development."

Lord, and we shall never be con The above despatch was the first absolutely authentic information in regard to the whereabouts of the ssian cruiser squadron for over a

THE FALL WHEAT.

Mice Worked Havoc With Fruit Trees

and Grape Vines. The reports as to the condition of fall wheat throughout the Province, and of small fruits and fruit trees are generally optimistic, but in some counties, more particularly Kent and Brant, much of the land devoted to fall wheat will have to be ploughed up, the crop being a failure. The general condition, however, is probably decidedly better than in the United States, where the fall wheat is far below the average. In the Fruit Belt.

Oakville, April 17.—The famous fruit belt in this district, as well as Bronte and Clarkson, has suffered greatly from young trees being girdled by In some cases growers lose eighty per cent. of young plum, cherry and apple trees, and the loss will aggregate thousands of dollars. Not only were the young trees at-tacked, but bearing trees of all kinds have been completely destr Grapes have been damaged as especially young vineyards. One grower will lose fifty per cent. of a large vineyard. Old vines were not touched. Blackberries and currant bushes have not escaped. Such havoc among fruit trees has not been known in twenty years, and it is at-tributed to the great depth of snow. and the scarcity of food for the mice. The greatest damage is done in or-chards and vineyards that were not carefully cultivated. Long grass found a harbor for the mice. found a harbor for the In some cases the trees girdled two and three high. A few young orchards high. A lew young orenards were saved by wrapping tar paper around the trees, and others by banking in various ways. J. C. Wilson has a bearing orenard badly damaged, F. G. McCrancy loses 80 per cent. of a young cherry and plum orchard,
John Bothwell suffers the loss of a
half of a young vineyard, and A.
E. Earle, A. Morden and J. Hutchison are heavy losers in this immediate district. Growers now recognize the necessity of destroying the nice, and claim that there are no nice, and claim that there are no better agents than cats in barns and fox terrier dogs on fruit farms. Th fruit area is spreading here, the large farmers setting out four and five acres of strawberries and twenty acres of tree fruits. This year great numbers of therry trees are being planted. With the increas-ed production of fruit, some system of co-operation must be adopted, in order to find a profitable market. order to find a profitable market, Central packing stations and canning factories are being promoted! One packing house is under construction. It is early yet to predict the tree fruit crop, but strawberries have wintered well under the deep snow, which protected them from cold winds and extreme frost. When the covering is removed a fine cold winds and extreme frost. When the covering is removed, a fine growth of strong young plants is found. Barring late frosts, which are often hurtful, the berry crop promises to be large. Raspberries have also wintered well, and there should be a good yield. There is a cast acrage of these fruits here: The loss of trees by girdling, combined with the desire for more fruit, has created a great demand for nursery stock, the growers placing some large orders. The Canadian nurseries will be taxed to supply the demand.

THE CATTLE EMBARGO.

Liverpool

taxed to supply the demand.

of the animal and meat trade sec Commerce at Liverpool, a telegram Commerce at Liverpool, a telegram was read from Sir Alfred Jones, urging the section to press the Government for the removal of the embargo on Canadian cattle. The Chairman strongly advocated the removal, on the ground that it would be an excellent thing for this country, from a hydright rount, in view try from a hygienic point, in view. of the fact that we are sending our best beef stock from this country, and as a consequence our stock are interbreeding, which naturally results in a deteriorating quality of stock. Also the embargo might be removed for reasons of friendship

for Canada. Mr. J. J .Gilbertson, of the Canadlan Pacific Railway and others spoke strongly in favor of the sec-tion taking action. Professor Boyce, referring to the health of English cattle, stated that, owing to lack of fresh stock, 25 per cent. of the cattle were infected with tubercu-

The following resolution was carried unanimously; "That the pre-sent restrictions on the importa-tion of Canadian cattle to Great Bertain are unjust, so far as they are based on the dread of disease are based on the dread of disease existing among such eattle since any outbreak of disease is as rigidly dealt with in Canada as in Great Britain, and no infectious disease now exists in Canada." The resoluconcludes by asking those present that the regulations be at once

BRITAIN AND RUSSIA.

A Strong Feeling in Favor of an Understanding.

St. Petersburg, April 25.-While acst. Petersbarg, April 25.—While accepting gracefully the world-wide expressions of sympity which Russia has received as a result of the death of Vice-Admiral Makaroff, and the Petropavlovsk disaster, the papers seem (specially impressed with the sympathy shown by the British arrespondence of the papers of the sympathy shown by the British press, several using the text to argue on the opportuneness of the discussion in favor of a Russo-British understanding. Such a rapproachment, the Novosti believes, could now be founded, not only upon robitical interests, but on popular sympathy shown by the could now be reuned, not only spon-political interests, but on popular sympathy. Another such moment, the paper adds, may not soon come again, and should be taken advan-tage of. Continuing, the Novosti says: "A sincere rapproachment with Great Pritain would guarantee our

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Refitting of the Old Bellamy

grist mill at 3 was running full blast, sawing lumber, grinding flour-and feed, and making cheese boxes to the excent that a large gang of men were employed the whole year round. But cheese box timber and logs got carce in that locality, and the roller process took the place of stones in the manufacture of flour. The once busy manufacture of flour. The once busy mill began to grow quiet, until the hum of industry is no longer heard and the raging torrent, which had caused the wheels to turn, aweeps idly by, crested with foam, and angrily saying, "Why stand ye all the day idle?"

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THE CHEESE TRADE

In his report regarding the charge trade of 1903, Mr. A. W. Grindle, agent of the Department of Agricul ture in Great Britain, makes some suggestions that merit the attention of makers and exporters. He says :-The cheese season of 1903 was a most successful one; there was a large one: there was a large increase in the quantity and the steady improvement in the quality was so great, that in spite of very heavy supplies the prices realised on the whole were satisfactory. The mild sweet palatable flavor, as distinguished rom the heated and biting character so noticeable in former years, has created a large consumptive demand,

Causdian cheese. The salesman as well as the exporter are to blame for sending these immature cheese, and the patrons of factories should insist that their cheese should be held in the curing room until it is in such a condition as will give satisfaction to the

curing room until it is in such a condition as will give satisfaction to the British consumer.

The difference in the quality of chrese held in the Government cool curing rooms was very noticeable, not only in quality, but in general appearance. This improvement is due to cool curing and "waxing" the cheese which also has the advantage of preventing a considerable percentage of allowance in weights, but it was soon

25 per cent.

Care should be taken not to use reen, unseasoned boxes as the chee e. particularly the top and bottom, may be damaged in quality from this cause

Leading British importers Canadian cheese are in favor of branding cheese indelibly with the month in which they are made. Some years ago "September" cheese became the favorites, but owing to the improvement in the quality of cheese made during whatever, until I procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and the the system of "gool curing" introduced the system of "cool curing" introduced by the Department of Agriculture, the makes of other months have proved to be nearly as good in quality as

It is claimed that unscrupulo dealers in Canada as well as in Great Britain quote "Septembers" at suc low prices that the supposition is that they are the make of other months and any interiority in quality is not discovered until after delivery is taken. If the month was branded, speculators who bought cheap lines of July, August, October or November makes would be debarred from quoting them by cable or otherwise as "Septembers,"

Pills And Piles

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Look Higher. Never cultivate second or third rate folk except for artistic purposes. Meet them, if you must; leave them when you can. You need expect nothing from them that they can conscientiously withhold, for they are after your goo while keeping a strict and jealous watch upon their own. All you can get from them is material, never any spi itual, intellectual, wise, sane or moral or helpful messages.

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ART OF CONVERSATION.

Caroline Hazard in her "Edu

cool curing and "waxing" the cheese which also has the advantage of preventing a considerable percentage of shrinkage. During the season of 1902 when "waxed" cheese first appeared on the British market, some of the Grocers Associations objected, and even went so far as to demand an even went so far as to demand an of spiritual thought. This ideal of allowance in weights, but it was soon proved that there was less shrinkage. which, added to the improved quality and appearance of the cheese coming from the Government curing stations, at an advance in price compared to cheese coming from the ordinary factorbeauty has to come to the aid of every the realm of thought, has certainly begun to be beautiful in himself. For The percentage of broken boxes was not so high during 1903, although it still runs very high ranging from 5 to 25 per cent. the great natural reservoirs and fountains of the beautiful before he himself can become truly beautiful in life and

character and so able to transmit be ty to all around him. ANCIENT BABYLON.

Its Great Wall Was One of the Won

According to Herodotus, the ancient city of Babylon stood on a broad, level plain and was an exact square of fou teen miles each way, making the entire circuit of the city fifty-six miles. It was protected both by a wall and a moat, the latter being broad and deep and kept constantly filled with water. But the wall was the wonder of wonders, being 93 1-3 feet in width and an even 200 feet in height. This monster barrier was provided with 100 gates, all of solid brass, the lintels and side pieces being in bronze. Cross walls ran along the banks of the Euphrates, which corresponded to the number of streets running in each direction from

the river.

The most remarkable edifice inside the wall was the temple of Bel, a pyramid of eight square stadia. On the gold image of Bel forty feet high, two other smaller figures of the same pre-cious metal and a golden table forty feet long and fifteen feet wide. This wonderful city first came prominently into the history of the world in the year 747 B. C., but since the time of Alexand the Great it has been a ruin, the site having at one time been entirely lost.

THE GREAT CONDOR.

It Is the Most Difficult Bird In the

World to Trap.

Probably the great condor is the most difficult bird in the world to trap. One of the great vultures, it inhabits lofty peaks of the Andes, hardly accessible to man. It builds its nest among the topmost crags, often on a ledge of some precipice with an almost perpendicular frop of many hundred feet.

An extremely wary bird, it shares with its congeners the proverbial "ea-gle eye" and is thus able to see immense distances while yet unseen by man. Its wings have a spread of twelve feet, and, though its flight is heavy, it can sustain itself for long periods in the air.

To trap it men ascend to its haunts and shoot some animal of considerable size. This is skinned, and a man lies down by the body under the skin and waits, perhaps for hours. Soon contles on the skin, when the man below grips its legs, flings the skin over it and stabs it to death.

The strength of these birds is enormous, and the condor hunters often have their arms broken by strokes from their powerful wings.

The Offending Handkerehlet. It is in fact a grave sanitary ques-tion whether the handkerchief does not do more harm than good as it is ordinarily used. When we assume that the

nose does not need to be wiped, we face a reasonably broad proposition as to the danger of the handkerchief as a disease propagator. Most nasal canotably those of grip origin. Contrary to a general law of asepsis, the handkerchief saturated with disease germs, instead of being promptly washed, is stowed for hours in the

imagined. Is it any wonder then that catarrh is constantly fostered by a system of auto infection? Would Win Either Way. "Would you still want me to be your

pocket, with a result that can be easily

wife if my father was a poor man?" asked the beautiful heiress.

"Yes," the duke replied after a little "In that case I would be enough of a curiosity to get rich exhibiting myself."—Chicago Record-Her-

Probably There Now. Bobby-Pa, did you ever see an arm of the sea?

"Where was it?" "It was hugging the shore the last I saw of it."-Smart Set. The Owner-See here! That trunk

never did you any harm, did it? The Porter-Any harm? Of course The Owner-Well, then, don't treat it as if it did.—Brooklyn Life.

Street Arabs Who Rise,
Rewsboys and street arabs often
make admirable clerks. The way they
work into commercial houses is astonishing. A large percentage of public
and prosperous business men of America began as newsboys, but probablyno one realizes how many work their
way up from the gutter to wealth and
influence. They begin as hangers on
and are recruited from the ranks of
every class of street gamin. Their wits
have been sharpened by contact with
the sordid side of life and by observation in the school of the street. They
know the value of friends. So they are
to be found at the door of every big
house, ready at any time to run an erto be found at the door of every big house, ready at any time to run an errand, always at hand to pick up an umbrella or open a door. And before the people who regularly pass in and out of the doors of the place realize it one of these little chaps they have been accustomed to see is on the payroll. Somebody has bought him a six dollar suit of clothes to put him more at ease suit of clothes to put him more at ease with the people and weather, and he is on the road that in a surprising number

Eddystone Lighthouse. The famous Eddystone lighthouse stands fourteen miles off the coast of Land's End and is perhaps the most celebrated in the world. It has often been used as an illustration by posts and preachers, for no other lighthous place, and none costs so much money who live there with their families and two of them are always on duty, while the third is on the main coast enjoying a vacation. They relieve one another each month, so that none of the keepers remain on duty more than two months at a time. The change and rest are said to be absolutely necessary to preserve the nerves of the keepers. The lighthouse is 135 feet high, was erected in 1882 at a cost of \$400,000 and rises from a submerged rock. The first lighthouse was erected on this rock as long ago as 1697, but was washed away six years after and was not replaced for a long time. The second was burned down in 1775; the third stood from 1767 to 1882 and was famous in history.

"The" O'Gorman Mahen.
The last of the Irish duelists, O'Gorber of his colleagues in the Irish party who claimed the prefix and by way of ridiculing their pretensions to chieftain-ship assured the house there were only three personages properly entitled to it—the pope, the devil and the O'Gorman Mahon. The O'Conor Don, The McDermott, The O'Donoghue, The Mc Gillicuddy of the Reeks, The O'Grady and The O'Sullivan are regarded as en-Irish families, clans or septs. There are also some in Scotland, notably "The McNab," whose ancestor had a beat of his own at the time of the flood, being too proud to accept the hospitality of

Seidl's Silent Tongue. One of the most striking anecdotes told in Hermann Klein's "Thirty Years of Musical Life In London" relates Anton Seidl's first interview with Wagner in the library at Wahnfried. Seidl found the room dark, and, imagining nobody was there, he pulled out his letter of introduction and began silently rehearsing the speech he had prepared.
Suddenly from out of the gloomy corner Wagner appeared, and Seidl was so nervous that he could not bring out a sentence of his speech. This proved ing, "If you can work as well as you can hold your tongue, you will do," engaged him on the spot.

Still Innocent. "Senator, what was the nearest you Forthton *9.46 " 4.42 " ever came to being bribed?" asked the Elbe..... *9.51 " 4.47 " girl who always blurts everything right

"It was the time I voted for the postal box bill and received 7,000 shares of stock in the concern that was to make the boxes when the bill gave it a me-

nopoly of the business."
"I should think that was a clear case "No. The measure didn't go through, and the stock never amounted to any-

Que Description of It.
"What," asked the teacher, "do you understand by "the strenuous life?" Boes it convey any meaning to you?"
"Sure," replied the bad boy.

"What?" Why, what happens in the wood shed when pa gets home after you've been naughty," was the prompt reply.

Delays Are Dangerous Lover-And so your mother does not believe in long engagements? I am de-

Miss De Broker—Yes; mamma says ever so many girls' fathers have failed during long engagements, and the poor things never got married at all.

"Honesty In Others.
"'Honesty is the best policy,'" quoted the hypocritical deacon, "and I wish I could make everybody realize it."
"I reckon ye do." replied the hard headed farmer. "Ye'd git the best of everybody in a horse trade then, uldn't ye?"

The Floorwalker.

One of the greatest surprises for a countryman on his first visit to a big city is to learn that the floorwalker does not own the store.—Danville (Ill.) Commercial News.

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The sugar season, which has proved the best for many years, appears to be

Stanley Hayes has left community to spend the summer Raspberry Hill, N. D.

John Anderson has gone to Addison

to stir curd in Palace cheese factory, John is a most industrious fellow and

TREVELYAN

Old Winter has at last been over

We are glad to hear that little Lor-etta Leeder, who has been seriously ill for the past two weeks, is slowly re-

was looked forward to with the great

It was found necessary to put twelve

A very small crowd assembled at S Luke's church on Sunday evening or account of the disagreeable weather.

"In December, 1900, I had a severe

DELTA

Death visited this section

burden lifted

est anxiety by all.

statches in the cuts

gaged with their spring's work.

drawing to a close

WASHBURN'S

Miss A. Rilance, who spent the winter with her sister, Mrs. Lewis Washburn, returned home on Mon-

Mr. John Hudson, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hudson, left here on Monday for Franktown, where he will take charge of the cheese factory for this season.

GLOSSVILLE

The sympathy of their many friends and neighbors will go out to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Lee in the death of their infant son, which occurred last Thursday after an illness of only a few days. This being the second bereavement Owing to the great run of Miss Ads Johnson has returned rom visiting friends at Caintown.

Milford Church, who has been engaged in a grocery in Smith's Falls, is spending a few days at home. Miss Lillie Good spent Sunday with

er parents. Mr. James Johnson left on Tuesda; for the North West,

FRANKVILLE

Rev. Mr. Pinel of Jasper took the services in the Methodist church

ing forth here the past week. Mr. Hilliard and Elmer Bushfield

Freeland spent Sunday here. Mrs. Rogers and children of Perth are visiting at the home of Nelso

Mr. G. A. Dixon is very low a

Mrs. R. Runring's parents prother visited her this week.

LYNDHURST

The town received a visit from Mr Dickey of North Williamsburg on Thursday, relative to locating here as

Mr. Geo. Roddick and family have moved to Oak Leaf, where he will work during the year for Mr. Byron

Services in the Presbyterian church on Sunday were conducted by Mr Ferguson of Queen's

Mr. John Rhoddick and Mr. Philip Wing have resumed their work on th Rideau, with Mr. Judd's Yacht.

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R. Hudson, who has been very ill, is able to be around again. Preparations are being made for the

opening of Cedar Park hotel. The Banta family are expected the

first of May. The ice has not left the lake vet. Miss Bertha Slack is in Toledo this week, attending the wedding of her cousin, Miss Maude Yates, and Mr.

Fred Hewitt of Smith's Falls. There seems to be a disease going among the canine race, as some of the people in this section have lost their

A great many of the farmers had the misfortune to lose cows

The marriage of Miss Mary A

Foster and Joseph Geboo takes place to day at Buffalo, N. Y.

JUNETOWN

Sugar making is about over and the people are all glad to gather their buck ets, as the sugar season this year has been a long one.

Service was held in the schoolhous Friday night instead of Wednesday the usual evening for it.

Dr. Kinney made his usual visit to our school on Wednesday last; his visit being delayed on account of the bad weather during the winter months. Miss Grace Herbison has returned nome after spending a few months in Brockville.

Mr. Clark Turner is now a resident of Junetown, having leased Mr. Frank Fortune's house. We wish him the best of success in his factory.

A number of people from here at-tended the services held in the Methodist church, Caintown, on Sunday and Monday evening, where impressive

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This being the second bereavement which has visited the home within the last few months makes the blow doubly severe to the grief-stricken Mr. and Mrs. Monie Kilhorn of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Greene of Spring Valley were calling on friends in the Glen last week. Plum Hollow have moved to the Island cheese factory No. 1 to make

Mrs. (Rev.) Geo. Conners and three hildren, late of Niagara Falls South, visited at Thos. Conners. We are pleased to hear that Rev. G. W. Con-Mrs. Wm. Howe and family have moved to their new home at Addison. Their pleasant faces will be greatly missed by their many friends of this ners has accepted the call from the Westport Baptist church.

Rupert * Stevens and Miss Jes Davison were successful in passing the Easter examination at Athens High School. We congratulate them.

Miss Edna Phelps is visiting her spends all his extra time at the blackfriends in Toronto. nith shop, serving his apprenticeship. W. J. Birch has secured the services of Thedore Pratt to fix the sewer across

from his house to the road. Rev. Stearns Tighe of Amherst Island occupied the pulpit last Sunday at the church of England.

powered, and if the weather continues warm the farmers will be busily en-Rev. Mr. Eagleson of Westpert reached the Educational sermon in Mrs. Harriet Burns (Aunt Harriet) the Methodist church last Sunday has been quite ill tor the past week at the home of Mrs. George Leeder.

Westport.

NEWBORO

covering. Being a general favorite, she had the deep sympathy of all dur-ing her severe illness and her recovery Mr. John Cauley of Westport ha ceived the contract for plastering and ishing the Hotel Rideau.

Mr. Robert Dixie has started digging Mrs. C. Fahey is seriously ill a

the cellar of his new house, which he intends putting up as soon as possible A number of teachers from this vi-cinity will attend the institute meeting Our mail boy was seriously hurt one day last week. Having dropped the reins to take some mail, his horse started, and not being able to regain his seat, he was dragged some distance and it is thought the sharp stones inflicted the cuts which were found around one of his eyes. He was quickly taken home and a dector sent for in Gananoque on the 28th and 29th

One of our young business men will join the ranks of the Benedicts this Mr. Jas. Carty of the Narrows

Locks spent Sunday the guest friends here. ly taken home and a doctor sent for. Miss C. Barber, who has been visiting triends here for some time, left on Saturday for her home.

A concert under the anspices of the hockey club will be held on Friday, May 6th.

Mr. G. W. Bagshaw, manager, of the Union Bank here, and Mrs. Bag-shaw left on Tuesday for Sydenbam, A Good Word for Chamberlain's where Mr. Bagsnaw will take charge of the Union Bank. Mr. Oliver of old and was so hoarse that I could not speak above a whisper," says Allen Davis, of Freestone, N. Y. "I tried several remedies but got no relief until Spencerville is in charge of the Newboro' branch.

I used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, Mr. John Rodgers of Portland was

always speak a good word for that day. medicine." For sale by J P. Lamb M Mr. Wm. Whatey left on Wednes day for Winnipeg where he will work during the coming summer.

Whitmarsh Bros. of Westport we in town on Saturday on business. Messrs A. H. Tett and Oliver were in Portland on Friday evening. emoved from our midst a young boy

Cheese factories in this vicinity in the person of Mr. William Fuzer, all running. eldest son of his respected parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Furzer. His death and Mrs. Henry Furzer. His death took place on the 18th of April after a H. Warren's and Pierce's last week.

week of illness from pneumonia. All report a very enjoyable time.

Deceased was 18 years old and was It is reported that Mr. Frye It is reported that Mr. Frye, our a great help. His death is a severe baker, had fifty dollars stolen from blow to the family. All kind and him on Saturday evening. A local willing hands could do was done to character is suspected, and there will relieve the sufferer, but to no avail. likely be some interesting doings. The remains were conveyed to the Methodist church, where Rev. G. H.

Mrs. Jas. Howarth, an aged and Methodist church, where Rev. G. H. highly respected citizen of this place, williams conducted the funeral ser. Highly respected citizen of this place, died at her home on By street last mon. He leaves his invalid father and week, after a lengthy illness.

mother and one brother and one sister to mourn their loss. The bereaved The Junior League of the Methodist ones have the sympathy of the Delta church held a very successful sugar people, who greatly respected the invalid father.

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ship. A different prayer was offered in the Mosaic ritual from the patriarchal form.

2. Say — The beauty and value of the lessons in the Lord's prayer arise from, 1. The tone of holy con-fidence—it teaches us to approach God as our Father (Rom. viil. 15), in God as our Father (Rom. viii. 15), in love as well as holy fear. 2. Its absolute unselfishness—it is offered for all the brotherhood of man. 3. Its entire spirituality,—of its seven petitions, one only is for any earthly boon, and that only for the simplest; 4. Its brevity and absence of all vain repetitions, Eccl. v. 2. 5. Its simplicity, which requires not learning, but only holiness and sincerity for its universal comprehension. For but only holinoss and sincerity for its universal comprehension. For these reasons the Fathers called it the "epitome of the gospel" and "the pearl of prayers." Farrar, Our Father—An expression of love and condecension. Here are two grand ideas; 1. That tender and respectful love which we should feel for God, such as that which children feel for their fathers. 2. That strong confidence in God's love to us, such as Yathers 2. That strong confidence in God's love to us, such as Yathers 2. That strong confidence in God's In God's love to us, such as fathers 2. That strong confidence in God's love to us, such as fathers have for their children. This relation dictattes to us reverence for His person, zeal for His honor, obedience to His will, submission to His dispensations and chastisements, and resemblance to His nature.—Clarke. sations and chastisements, and re-semblance to His nature.—Clarke. Which art in Heaven—In the former semblance to His nature.—Clarke. Which art in 'Heaven—In the former clause we express his nearness to us, in this His distance from us. In this we contrast Him with the fathers we have here below, and so raise our souls to that "heaven" where He dwells, and that malesty and glory which are there, as in their proper home.—J., F. & B. This phrase in the Scriptures seems used to express 1. 2. His omnipresence (1 Kings viii. 27). 2. His majesty and dominion (2 Chron. xx. 6). 3. His power and might (Psa. exv. 3). 4. His omnipscience (Psa. xxxiii. 13-15). His infinite purity and holiness (Isa. Ivii. 15).—Clarke. Hallowed be Thy name—The "name" stands for the man himself—his character, his ability, his possessions, all he has and is; so the name of God stands for all God is. "To hallow God's name is to give Him high honor and veneration, and render His name sacred; to set Him highest in our thoughts; to love and

needs are felt. Our daily bread—"Life's most common necessity. Strength to gain it, skill to earn it—all are from God. From H m the soi, the seed,—the sun, the harvest." "This includes a prayor for the instruction of God's word, which is often compared to food (Job. xxiii. 12; I. Tim. iv. 6), and for the assistance and support of His grace. 12; I. Tim. iv. 6), and for the assistance and support of His grace, for streng h to do H s w 1, for that bread which endureth unto ever-lasting life."—Hall.

4. Forg've us our sins-Sin is hore 4. Forgive us our sins—Sin is hore represented as a debt. Man has nothing to pay. If his debts are not forgiven, they must stand charged against him forever.—Clarke.—Sin ha an old debt, a just debt, a great and growing cebt.—Hanry. We alid forgive—Elee how could we entreat thee for pardon. Not into temptation—As the grayer for delly bread and es us ab ve care for to day, and the prayer for the forgiveness of sins is meant to quiet us concerning the patt, to is the grayer against certain future, that we may not certain future, that we may not fall again under the might of evil.

-Lange. D I ver us from evil.—From all the wicked fascintion and miscrable results of sin, from its blind-

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Prayer and Promise—Luke 11; 1-13

Commentary.—I. Christ teaching
Inservational to pray, vs. 1-2. 1. was graying—It was the habit of Christ to pray. Many instances are referred to in the gospels besides the general statement in Heo. v. 7; When He ceased Power He (1) prayer, wrestling with portunity in prayer, wrestling with

Commentary.—I. Christ teaching the desired to pray, when the ceased—Perhaps He was praying such a powerful prayer as to arouse the feeling that they knew not how to pray, and needed to be taught—Whedon. Teach us to pray they knew that prayer was important, and they had a desire for ability to pray aright, as John also taught. Each new dispensation may not only have its new unfolding of truths, but its new everlations may open new modes of access, and new topics of prayer and modes of worship. A different prayer was offered in the Mosaic ritual from the patreason why he should have prompt relief.—Clarke.

relief.—Clarke.

7. Trouble me not—The trouble made him insensible both of the urgency of the case and the claims of friendship. In bed—We learn from travelers that it is usual in the East for a whole family to sleep in the same room, each laying his mattress on the floor. I cannot—Without exertion, which was equal to "I will rot." 8. His importunity—Literally, his shamelessness; that is, his unblushing persistence.—Farar. His perseverance in asking and

is, his unblushing persistence.—Farrar. His perseverance in asking and stating his own inability to supply a friend. As many—His reluctance once overcome, all the claims of friendship and necessity are felt to the full.—J., F. & B.

HI. The disciples urged to persistency in prayer, (vs. 9-13). 9. I say unto you—We have it from Christ's own mouth, who knows his Father's mind, and in whom all promises are yea and amen. Askseek.....knock—This verse contains very important directions. In every very important directions. In every very important directions. In every thing, by prayer and supplication, we are to make our requests known unto God; then we are to "seek"—continue to ask and knock at the door of Ilis mercy. Our approaches to God should be with earnestness and in sincerity. "These three words include the ideas of want and loss. We are destitute of all writing the second continuous control of the second control of the second control of all with the second control of all writing the second control of the second control o We are destitute of all spiritual good and have lost God, and are in danger of losing eternal life; be in earnest; be importunate; ask with confidence and humility; seek with care and application; knock houdly and long."

10. Everyone receiveth, etc. _
Christ binds himself to hear and Christ binds himself to hear and answer. No soul can pray in vain that prays to God as directed. But our asking must be in harmony with the will of God, and in faith (James iv. 2-3.6

might (Psa. exv. 3). 4. His power and might (Psa. exv. 3). 4. His omniscience (Psa. xxxiii. 13-15). His infinite purity and holiness (Isa. Ivii. 15).—Clarke. Hallowed be Thy name—The "name" stands for the man himself—his character, his ability, his possessions, all he has and is; so the name of God stands for all God is. "To hallow God's name is to give him high honor and veneration, and render His name sacred; to set Him high honor and veneration, and render His name sacred; to set Him highst in our thoughts; to love and trust in His name; to give Him honor and praise in all that we do for Him."—Watson. Thy Kingdom come—"The kingdom of His power, His gospel, His grace—and His glery." The kingdom here intended is the dominion of His grace—that provision of His infinite mercy by which He is to subdue our sinful race into cheerful obedience and service unto Hinycelf.—Williams. Thy will be done—The will of God is infinitely good, wise and holy. As in heaven—By the angels and all the hosts of heaven. So in earth—by mortals.

3. G ve us—The good things of this life are the gits of God. T. is traches us our dependence upon H.m., and is a 1-sson of contentment, frugal ty and patient labor, moderation, benevolence and faith.—Norton. Day by day—In the order is which our needs are felt. Our daily bread—releft most common necessity. Strength to gain it, skill to earn it—all tars from God. From H m the £0 l, the seed, —the sun, the harvest."

Sincere, earnest, fervent and in sheet of heaven, all ars from God. From H m the £0 l, the seed, —the sun, the harvest."

Sincere, earnest, fervent and in sheet of his his paying child.—Lange, the harvest."

All ars from Ha the as a his into food in that which the friend will do for a "father;" and from that which the still as higher to that which one could expect to that which one could expect to that which the friend will do for a "father;" and from that which the price from that which the will of God as "father;" and from that which the stowen to that which the friend will do for a ask. The asking must be hearty, sincere, earnest, fervent and in faith.

By example Jesus taught His followers to pray. On this occasion, as He returned to His disciples from His private devotion, His face aglow with divine inspiration from His comumnion with God, and His manner even more tender than was usual by His inward sense of divine love. by His inward sense of divine love what wonder if His disciples shoul conceive a longing to gray as Christ grayed; and that one of the com-gany, a little more bold than the rest, should voice their desire in th

request, "Lord, teach us to pray. This model prayer is addressed to This model prayer is addressed to our Father in heaven, and by the very address the children are brought close to their loving heavenly Father. If they say "Hallowed be Thy name," they say it with reverence for their Father in heaven. This, then, is the perfect prayer to the Father in heaven. It speaks the language of adoration and submission. It asks for the supply of earthly need. It seeks re-

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mission of sin. It calls for protection and deliverance. GREAT RAILWAY STRIKE. tion and deliverance.
But even a perfect prayer could not be offered by His listeners, without difficulty. Perhaps Jesus saw that by the necessity of continued prayer alone, the sluggish faith of his children might be aroused to leap the chasm of its own indifference and bring back the lang waiting ansiver.

long waiting answer.

How graciously does Jesus hold out the promises to His disciples. As Jesus stands at their heart's door to knock for admittance, they may draw, up near and knock at the heart of the Eternal, and the door will be opened and from the door will beam out that mighty love that will transform and renew their will transform and renew their sinful hearts and shroud them forever in eternal bliss. If they were destitute of grace they may ask and receive. If they have lost the favor of their Father and with it the comforts of earth and the

the comforts of earth and the blessings of heaven they may seek His favor again and surely find.

Jesus tells His disciples that the very best gift for which they can gray and the blessing that includes all others is the Holy Spirit. The prayer of the Holy Spirit is the most acceptable prayer. The Father delights to answer this trayer.

MAY FIRE ON BLUEFIELDS.

British Cruiser Retribution to Return

Kingston, Jamalca, April 25. -Th Dritish cruiser Retribution, which, under instructions from the Imperial der instructions from the Imperial Government, sailed from Kingston After taking one dose of Dr. Agnew's Heart Cure I retired and slept soundly. I used After taking one dose of Dr. Agnew's Heart Cure I retired and slept soundly. I used connection with the seizure of six turned."—99 Cayman turtle schooners and the arrest of their crews by Nicaraguan officials, returned to Port Roya from the Nicaraguan coast to-day after ascertaining that the vessel and crews had been sent to Blue-fields. The captain of the Retribu-tion accused the Nicaraguan commandant, under whose orders the schooners were seized, of piracy. There is consternation among the Nicaraguan officials over the affair. Retribution will sail for Bluefields on Saturday next, to demand the release of the prisoners and the boats, and also immediate compensation for the illegal seizure and detention. It is rumored that, should it be found ne-cessary, the Retribution will bombard the port of Bluefields.

Traffic on Hungarian State Lines is Stopped.

Budapest, April 25. - As thousand railroad employees , have been arrested in connection with the strike of railway men, which began yesterday on the Hungarian Western Railway. The strike became general, and on all the Hungarian State railways to-day traffic is at a complete standstill. The Southern Railway, which is not owned by the Government, alone managed to start trains out of Budapest. Six trains due last night have not yet arrived.
The strike committee by telegraph ordered all traffic to stop at midnight, and all trains to be abandor ed by their crews at the stations where each happened to be at that hour.

The railroad stations are now guarded by troops. The prices of provisions have risen. The men in the workshops of the Western Railroad joined the strikers, who have disconnected the telegraph instruments at various points.

A band of 750 employees seized a train at Dia-Torbagy, brought it to Budapest and reported themselves to the police, who began criminal proceedings against them

Awful Experience with Heart Disease, -Mr. L. J. Law, Toronto, Can., writes: "I was so sorely troubled with heart disease that I was unable for 18 months to lis down in bed lest I smothe

WANTS TO PAWN HIS BODY. Central Ontario Man Makes Strange Requestto Queen's.

Kingston, April 25.-Queen's medical faculty had a strange request be-fore them at their last meeting. It was in a letter from a Central On-tario man who desired to mortgage his body and to sign a deed of it to the Queen's medical faculty, who would own it so soon as be had no longer any use for it. This is the first time that Queen's has ever been honored with such a request. The man making the proposal has been to Kingston often. The medical faculty decided not to entertain the

The Markets

onto Farmers' Market. The receipts of grain to-day were moderate, and prices generally ruled steady. Wheat is unchanged with sales of 100 bushels of wheat at 95%, asel 100 bushels of goose at 50 to 5fc. Barley, dul, 100 bushels selling at 45 to 46c. Oats, firmer, 400 bushels selling at 37% to 40%.

Dairy produce in moderate supply with prices generally easier. Choice two butter bought 18 to 20c., and eggs 15 to 16c per flozen.

Hay rules steady, with fair receipts; 50 loads were sold at \$10 to \$22 a ton for timothy, and at \$8 to \$9 for mixed. Straw easier, four loads selling at \$9 to \$10 & ton.

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Following are the qubtations; Wheat, white, bush., 95½c; wheat, red, bush., 95c; wheat, spring, bush., 88 to 90; wheat, goise, 80 to 81c; leas., bush., 87½ to 40½c; harley, bush., 45 to 46c; hay, timothy, per ten, \$10 to \$12; haj, clover, per ton, \$8 to \$9; straw, per ton, \$9 to \$10; seeds, alsike, bush., \$4.50 to \$6.75; seeds, red clover, bush., \$6 to \$6.75; seeds, timothy, 100 lbs., \$2.25 to \$8.25; apples, per bbl., \$1.50 to \$2.25; dressed hogs, \$6.50 to \$7; eggs, per dosen, 45 to 16c; butter, dairy, 18 to 20c; butter, creamory, 23, to 26c; chickens, per lb., 13 to 14c; turkeys, per lb., 16 to 193; solatose, per bag., \$1 to \$1.75; celery, per dozen, \$1 to \$00; beef, kholden, per dozen, \$1.75; celery, per dozen, \$1.25 to \$1.75; celery, per dozen, \$1.25 to \$1.75; celery, per dozen, \$1.25 to \$9; beef, forequarters, \$5 to \$6.50; lamb, yearling, \$10 to \$11; mutton, \$8 to \$9; veal, per cwit., \$8 to \$9.500.

The Cheese Markets.

The Cheese Markets. ; Belleville, April 23.—Twelve fac-tories offered 480 white and 35 colored cheese here to-day; 7 8-4c bld;

no sales. Leading Wheat Markets.

July. 80 1-4 87 90 7-8 Toronto Cattle Market.

Receipts of live stock were 51 cars, 535 cattle, 1,078 hogs, 210 sheep, 152 calves and 561 hogs, to Park,

Blackwell.

The quality of fat cattle was fair.

Trade was not as brisk as it was on Tuesday, but nearly everything was sold before the close of the day.

Prices in all classes unchanged from Thursday's quotations, which was give below.

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Exporters—Best load of exporters sold at \$4.50 to \$4.75 per cwt.
Export bulls—Choice quality bulls—are worth \$2.50 to \$3.75 per cwt.
Butchers' cattle—Choice picked lots of butchers', 1,000 to 1,500 lbs. each, equal in quality to best exporters, are worth \$4.25 to \$4.40; lots of good sold at \$3.90 to \$4.20; fair to good, \$3.50 to \$3.75; common, \$3.25 to \$3.50; rough to inferior, \$3; canners, \$2.50 to \$2.75.

Feeders—Steers of good quality, 1,050 to 1,150 lbs. each, at \$4 to \$4.25 per cwt.

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Stockers—One-year to 2-year-old
steers, 400 to 700 lbs; each, are
worth \$3 to \$3.25 per cwt.; off colors and of poor breeding quality
of same weights are worth \$2.50 to

of same weights are worth \$2.00 to \$3 per cwst.

Mitch cows—Milch cows and springers are worth \$20 to \$55.

Calves—Calves sold at \$2 to \$8 each, or from \$3 to \$5,25 per cwst. ewes, and bucks at \$3.50 to

Yearling lambs-Prices for grainfed, choice ewes and wethers for ex-port, \$5.60 to \$6.25; barnyard lambs at \$4.50 to \$5.50.

Spring lambs—Good spring lambs

are worth \$3 to \$5 each. Bradstreet's on Trade.

Trade in wholesale circles at Montral is showing a little more activity now. There is a better sort ing demand for seasonable goods. Large shipments are being made to eastern and western points. Continued warm spring weather in needed to stimulate the demand for seasonable goods. The market for dairy produce is disappointing. Rail-way carnings are increasing way carnings are increasing again. The disastrous fire at Toronto this week, which burned out 123 business

weer, which ourned out 123 business, iffms, destroyed many of the finast homes of mercantile and manufacturing houses, caused a loss of \$10,000,000 to \$15,000,000 to \$9,-000,000 insurance, and threw 3,000 to \$1,000 hands cut of employment has greatly unsettled the trade sit-uation in this city. Spring business is now fairly active. Values of staple

is now fairly active. Values of staple goods are firm.

At Quobec little change is perceptible in general trade from that of the preceding week. The backwardness of the season has been against the demand for seasonable wear.

At Victoria and Vancouver wholesale trade is improving. There is a fair inquiry from the provincial mining districts. The outlook for the jobbing trade is promising.

In Winnipeg trade is improving again after the snow storms of last week. Seeding operations are being resumed. Many new rettlers continue to arrive. Collections are better.

The sorting demand, especially in dry goods, at Hamilton has been brisk this week, as reported to Bradstreet's. Retailers are anxious now to get their stock; well assorted and the disastrous fire at Toronto naturally increased the in-quiry among Hamilton wholesale houses. In other lines there is the

steady development usual with the spring conditions of trade. Values are firmly held.

Londoù wholesale trade is getting more active. The country roads are not in very good condition. The untlest for business is greed. outlook for business is good.

There has been a steady improvement in some departments of trade at Ottawa the past week. Shipments are now quite hears, Values of staple goods are firm.

The widening of London Bridge by about twelve feet, which has cost £100, 000, has been completed.

The first Christian Science church in England was opened in London yester-day.

Gold dredging on the Fraser River is reported to yield good results near Lil-locet, B. C.

The Canadian Underwriters have decided to raise rates in Toronto 75 per cent., beginning last Tuesday midnight,
The trouble over a French shore clause in the Anglo-French agreement has been settled to the satisfaction of Newfound-

Engineer Robertson, of the C. P. R., was injured in the yards at Regina last night as a result of a collision between Messrs. Derome & O'Brien, boot and

shoe manufacturers, of Quebec city, have assigned, with liabilities of \$42,126, and assets of \$27,425.

The joint committee of the Canadian Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational Churches has passed a resolution favoring organic union.

The British Government will protest against the Russian edict forbidding cor-respondents to use wireless telegraphy in the far east war zone.

"Death from natural causes," was the yerdict of the Coroner's jury at Masonville in the case of John Hewings, the old fish peddler, found dead near his home in that village a week ago.

McAdam, N. B., railway junction village was swept by fire last evening. The buildings destroyed are the Roman Catholic Church, two general stores, Foresters' Hall, the old station building, now disused, and fourteen dwellings. The total loss is \$25,000 to \$50,000.

Previous to their departure for Toron-to, where Rev. W. J. McKay goes to be-come editor of the Canadian Baptist, his come editor of the Canadian Baptist, his congregation at Stratford presented him with an address and a handsome gold watch, and a case of silver knives and forks to Mrs. McKay.

Judge Wurtele, who is presiding over the Cooke-Blackley libel case at Mont-real, became seriously ill of hemorrhage of the stomach shortly after dinner last night. There is some anxiety as to the result. The Cooke-Blackley trial has been on now for about two weeks, and has proved a severe strain on the aged

ELECTING A BISHOP.

Synod of Rupert's Land Makes Its

Winnipeg, April 25.—The Synod of the Anglican Diocese of Rupert's Land, called for the selection of two candidates for the vacant Archbishopric, continued to-day. The first ballot again resulted in a deadlock between the two names suggested for second choice, viz., Bishop Grisdale and Archdeacon Fortin. It was then decided to ballot on two new names, Rev. Dr. Eden, Bishop of Wakefield, England, and Rev. Prof. Cody, of Toronto. The first ballot resulted in a small majority for Bishop Eden, but not sufficient for election. Three ballots were taken this afternoon, the fourwere taken this afternoon, the four-teenth of the session, resulting in Bishop Eden's selection in a total vote of 135 to

The names to go before the House of Bishops for selection will, therefore, be Bishop Matheson, of this city, and Bishop Eden, of Wakefield, England.

MME. NORDICA'S DIVORCE.

Zoltan Doeme Serks to Have Interlocutory Decree Set Aside.

New York, April 25.—The hearing in the action brought by Zoltan Doeme to have set aside the interlocutory decree of divorce obtained by Madame Nordica for Madame Nordica, fead fr davit by his client, setting forth that davit by his client, setting forth that Doeme, since he married the singer, had filled no engagements, and that his only income had been from Madame Nordica's singing. The affidavit further set forth that Nordica had given Doeme upwards of \$300,000 in the past five or six years, she transferring to him at his request on one occasion \$40,000, which she had on densit with a trust company. on deposit with a trust company.

DEMAND ON TURKEY.

Russia Wants Money on Overdue War Indemnity.

Paris, April 25.—The correspond-ent of the Temps at Constantinople says that on the occasion of the last says that on the occasion of the last randicace with the Russian Ambassador, M. Zinovieff, was granted by the Saltan he insisted on the payment of \$4,000,000, long due to Russia for arrears for the Turco-Russian war indemnity. Such a demand at such a moment, the despatch adds, leads to the belief that Russian delomacy is preparing the way for other demands. lomacy is preparing the way other demands.

Sulmarine Disaster.

Portsmouth, Eng., April 25.—As a consequence of the sinking of the British submarine torpedo bont $\Lambda 1$ near the Nab Lightshir, off the Isle of Wight, on March 18, and the death of all on board, eleven officers and men, a coroner's inquest was held, and a verdict that the victims were "accidentally drowned" was rendered. The coroner's jury added a rider to its verdict or added a rider to its verdict, expressing the opinion that submarine torpedo boat manoeuvres should not be held in a narrow fairway.

THE LONELY CZAR.

Apart from his wife and mother, who are said to be the only members of his family in whom the Czar can place im-plicit trust, his only other bosom friend is Prince Ukhtomsky, the proprietor and editor of the Viedomosti, which is the organ looked to throughout the whole empire as the real exponent of opinion in court circles. The prince accompanied the Czar when still czarevitch on his teur in the far east, and afterward wrote a most high-falutin' book about it. An unsparing critic of England, he is also a Teutophobe of the first water, and ascribes all the present troubles to the Chinese policy of Germany. He has accustomed the Czar to regard India as the ultimate heritage of the Slav TROS.

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(To be Continued.)

A CRISIS IN WOMAN'S LIFE

There are Backaches and Headache

and Days When Life Seems Scarcely Worth Living.

diziness; when even some women are threatened with the loss of their reason; when they suffer because they are women. The happiness of women for the rest of their lives de-

pends upon being safely tided over this crisis. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

have proved a blessing to women a all ages, and are particularly val

uable at two critical periods -when

girlhood is merging into womanhood

and when women are approaching the turn of life. These pills make the rich, red blood that stimulates all the organs of the body, expels

disease and makes the weary suf-ferer bright, active and strong. Mrs. A. Jones, Cypress Tilver, Man., says "Out of gratefulness I feel that

must let you know the good Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done me.

I feel safe in saying the cure

SILKS AND WOOLENS.

Such as One Sees in a Tour of the

In woollen goods eo'lenne, volle and

Voile and etamine should not be confused. The first has a fine, round

thread evenly woven, while etamine

is rougher, more uneven, and rather

Broadcloth is an old standby and

always fashionable.

Homespun is made up into some stylish pedestrian suits.

White serge is particularly fashinable for a simple cut suit.

A small black and white shepherd's plail, made up with black braid and a few touches of red, would be very smart and dashing.

smart and dashing.

Some very handsome gowns are made of changeable silk.

Taffetas are now made with a soft finish, soft materials being absolutely required by the present

styles.

Messaline is the favorite slik of the

season. It is used for shirtwaist suits, or simple, dainty frocks,
One variety of it has a series of lines which resemble nothing so much as the fine grain of wood. The effect of lights and shadows is wonderfully protes.

BOON FOR CHILDREN.

Charles M. Schwab will shortly see one

of his cherished schemes realized. For three years the steel magnate has been

planning a children's health and fun re-

sort for New York. The resort is lo-

cated on Staten Island and consists of an extensive park in which are all sorts of contrivances for ministering to the

tamine are worn most.

woolly in appearance.

always fashionable.

pretty.



Violet's Lover

Perhaps in all her life Lady Chevnix had never felt so humiliated.
There was no polite disguise about
the remark, no conventional vell.
"She had jilted their best friend, and
they did not care to know her."
Even Evelyn cried out in wonder
when she heard what her aunt had
said.

No half-truths for me," said that incomprising lady. "If every one told the truth this would be a dif-

lerent world."
Never had Lady Chevenix felt so humbled: even her magnificent carriage seemed to have grown small insignificant when she returnand insignificant when she returned to it; while the very servants seemed to know that she had been treated with scorn and contumely. She had hoped to have heard something of Felix and Evelyn, but if

thing of Felix and Evelyn, but it Eve would not see her, why there was an end of it.

She had not encountered her old lover once. She wished very much to see him. Why should they not be friends? She had no desire for anything more than the most common form of friendshy. She remembered his bright, sunny temper, his mon form of friendsh'p. She remembered his bright, sunny temper, his sweet smile, his wonderful good humor, his cheerful presence. She felt that it would be a comfort and a pleasure to see him at times after the sullen silence that often leasted for days to hear a few for days to hear a few words. She found herself often wondering when and where she should meet him again. At last the

Lady Maude Bramber had been ablady Maude Bramber had been ansent from home for some few days, and during that time the earl had sent out invitations for a dinnerparty. If he and his countess had heard anything of the love story of Felix and Violet, they had completely feelts and violet, they had completely forgotten it. The earl sent out the invitations, and one went to Garswood for Sir Owen and Lady Chevenix, and one to Felix Lonsdale. Lord Arlington very seldom had a large dinner-party now without inviting Felix; his brilliant conversation powers made him a most welcome his brilliant conversational

Folix is a host in himself," the earl

would say, laughingly. He had not the faintest idea, when sent out his invitations of having cone wrong. Lady Maude, to whom Felix had revealed his love-story, d.d. not return until the day of the dinner-party, and then it was too late

to send a note or message anywhere. "They must meet some time," she sail to herself, in dismay; "perhaps it will b' better here than el ewhere. shall be at hand to help him if he

requires help."
She said nothing to any one, but awaited the course of events.

The dinner was given in honor of Lord Rayden, a great statesman, who was visiting the earl, and Lord Arlington was both pleased and proud to introduce his young and gifted protege to his friend. Col. Riddell was invited—he would not have gone had he known that he was to meet Sir Owen, whom he detested—also Lady Rolfe, her daughter, Lavinia, and several other friends.

It was a warm day, and the green hade of the foliage all about Bramshade of the foliage all about Bram-ber Towers was cool and inviting. The dinner hour was fixed for 7. The dinner hour was fixed for 7.
"There is no keeping people indoors on these fine summer nights," said the earl, "so we may as well be prepared to spend the evening out-of-dipors."

Lady Maude only hoped the even ing would pass as pleasantly as her father seemed to anticipate. e knew what rival interests would be at play. She would have been better pleased had th been time to send a message to Felix to tell him who were to be relix to tell him who were to be present, but there was not time. She resolved to dress early and wait for him. He should not be seen to disadvantage. She knew that he was coming early; he had some papers that her father wished to soe; and they had arranged it so.

ed it so.
Lady Maude was the first in the drawing-room, and to her great delight Felix came in soon afterward. was wonderfully proud of him. As

Lady Mande looked at him, she thought to herself that there could not be a finer, handsomer or nobler looking man in England than he was. There was a warm friendship between the two. Felix would have done anything in the world for the noble, beautiful woman who had one anything in the work for the noble, beautiful woman who had seemed to him like an angel of comfort in the darkest hour of his life; he had the greatest reverence, the greatest esteem for her; he knew that he owed all his good fortune to the bigger tiple not with the angle. that he owed all his good fortune to her kindly influence with the earl. And Lady Maude was very fond of him. She watched his career with pride and hope; she had a feeling almost of proprietorship in him; but for her he might have gone to the bad. So now she waited for him, and,

when he had spoken a few words of greeting to her, she said:
"I was waiting for you, Mr. Lonsdale; I have something to tell you.
I know you are a brave man; this

I know you are a brave man; this evening I shall see your bravery put to severe proof."

He could not imagine what she meant, but he said that he hoped whatever might be the proof she would not find him wanting.

"I have no fear as to that," she said, earnestly. "Mr. Lonsdale, I want to tell you that Lady Chevenix will be here this evening. Papa made up his list of invitations during my absence, and I could do ing my absence, and I could do

made to recover himself. He succeeded; the color returned to his face; he stilled the trembling of his hands; he smiled as he answered

her:

"You are so good to me, Lady Maude, that I am at a loss how to thank you for giving me this warning. I needed it. If I had met Lady Chevenix suddenly I should have been terribly embarrassed; now I am master of myself."

"And will keep so?" said Lady Mande earnestly.

Maude, earnestly.

"And will keep so," he repeated.
Then the countess joined them, and presently one or two more entered

the room.
"Look," said Lady Maude, as she "Look," said Lady Maude, as she touched Felix's arm gently.

He looked in the direction indicated and beheld Violet, so changed from the lovely laughing girl who had kissed him and quarrelled with him twenty times in an hour that he hardly recognized her. This was an imperially beautiful woman, on whose white breast and white arms shone lovels worth a king reason lewels worth a king's ransom-a

woman whose face was so peerlessly ovely that it dazzled one as did the light of the sun.
Violet wore one of the triumphs Violet wore one of the triumphs of art that she had brought with her from Paris, and nothing could have been devised to enchance her loveliness more. Her dress was composed of some pele-green fabric, soft and shining, covered with clouds of white face looped up with water-lilies, and in her golden hair nestled a lovely drooping water-lily. She wore a parure of diamonds and emeralds. Her white shoulders and well-molded arms helped to compose a molded arms helped to compose a picture that no man could have seen without feeling his heart beat

Lord Ariington went forward to meet her. Like a foil to her bright and radiant loveliness her dark-brow-

the quicker for it.

and radiant loveliness her dark-browed husband stood by her side.
"You are right," said Felix to
Lady Maude. "She is a thousand
times more beautiful."

Lady Chevenix did not notice Lady
Maude Bramber leave his side and
go up to her. When she had exchanged a few words with her she
said.

said:
"An old friend of yours, Lady
Chevenix, is here this evening." And
once more the two who had parted
so tragically stood face to face.

CHAPTER XXXI. Once more Violet and Felix Lonsdale stood face to face. They looked at each other for a moment in silence. To Felix there came back, with a keen, bitter pair, the memory of his passionate farewell; to Violet there came the sudden, keen conviction that she was looking at

ever cared for. Lady Maude Arlington, much as Lady Maude Arlington, much as she disliked the brilliant young beauty, felt pleased, after bringing the two together, that she had screened Lady Chevenix from ob-servation, for she trembled; her face flushed crimson and then grew.

Felix was the first to speak. He did not hold out his hand in greeting; he simply bowed and murmured

"We have a little time to sparewould you like to look at these pho-tographs? They are quite new, and finer than anything I have yet seen."

They sat all three round one of the pretty little tables that were covered with pictures and books. Lady Chevenix turned to Felix again, "I should like to see your father and Mrs. Lonsdale," she said. "Are

and Mrs. Lonsdale," she said. "Are they well?"

"They are quite well," he told her, but he made no response to her desire of seeing them.

"He does not care at all about seeing me," she thought; "he does not seem in the least degree agitated or embarra.sed — he has forgotten me"; and as the thought came to her, her eyes filled with tears. "He never could have cared so very much for me," she sand to herself; "he

for me," she said to herself; "he could not really have grieved about losing me." She looked at him-he was talking She looked at him—he was talking; In a lively and animated strain to Lady Maude. She wondered to herself if this calm, proud, handsome man, so perfectly well-bred, so self-possessed, talking so brilliantly to the earl's daughter—if this could rea!-ly be the same ardent, despairing young lover who had bidden her a possionate farewell. Fe was in no the earl's daughter—it this could reastly be the same ardent, despairing young lover who had bidden her a passionate farewell. He was in no hurry to talk to her. She had rather pictured herself as having to hint something like prudence to him; she could have laughed at herself for the notion.

The did not look at her, she doubt.

He did not look at her; she doubted even whether he had noticed her rich dress, her shining jewels. When she spoke he replied with polite in difference, with well-bred calmness, but he never once voluntarily advanced her. It was all see different to the difference of the second seed of the second He did not look at her; she doubtdifference, with well-bred camness, difference, with well-bred camness, but he never once voluntarily addressed her. It was all so different friends with me?"

He turned round in amazement hefore him, looking

them for a few minutes, and then Lady Chevenix turned to Felix.

"How strange if seems that we should meet here," she mid.

"Yes, it is strange," he replied. "I am very often here on husiness—you, I presume, come equally often on pleasure?"

"It is my first visit" she said.

oleasure?"
"It is my first visit," she said but he did not ask the reason of

but he did not ask the reason of that.

"How cold, how indifferent he is to me," she remarked to herself. "No one would ever think even that we had been friends. If he would say something reproachful it would be better than this."

But there was no thought of reproach in him. He spoke to her with a smile. He neither sought her nor avoided her. His conduct was such that she might have been a stranger whom he had met for the first time. Then came the signal for dinner, and Lady Chevenix was surprised to find that Felix took down Lady Maude. She went down with the Earl, and Sir Owen escorted Lavinia Rolfe. Violet was so placed at the table that she could see and hear all that passed.

Never in her life had the beautiful

passed. Never in her life had the beautiful Never in her life had the beautiful Lady Chevenix felt so surprised. She had always heard Felix spokea of as being clever and gifted; but she had never dreamed that he was really the genius he was. When with her he had seldom spoken of anything but herself and his great love for her. Now, for the first time, she heard him converse with intellectual men, who all seemed to look up to him as their superior. She was astounded. The great statesman, Lord Rayden, The great statesman, Lord Rayden talked much to him, and the ear

talked much to him, and the earl asked his coinion.

"It does me good," said Lord RayGen, "to hear such ideas as yours, they are so thoroughly fresh, elever and original. We must have you on our side.; You must not go over to the enemy."

Felix had a natural wit that made his conversation pagant and amusing.

his conversation piquant and amusing. Lord Arlington de ighted in it. When playful attack was made on him he would look at him and say any

"I shall leave you to answer that Mr. Lonsdale."

The dinner was a complete success

The dinner was a complete success. It was a new thing to Lady Chevenix, intellectual conversation such as she was listening to. She looked once at her husband, and she saw him gazing with undisguised admiration at Felix.

Sir Owen said little. He had ideas of his own; one was that talking at dinner time was a bore rather than not; people sat down to eat, not to talk. He certainly did not contribute much to the general entertainment. He dined well, and more than once Violet felt something like tribute much to the general entertainment. He dined well, and more than once Violet felt something like dismay, as she saw how the wine glasses before him were replenished. She could not help contrasting the two men; nor was she the only one present who did so. Felix was so bright, so handsome, so animated, so gifted and intellectual; he was a leader of conversation even among older and wiser men than himself, for he had the gift of picturesque language. Sir Owen, coarse and heavy, his brain dulled with constant drinking, speaking little, but when he did speak, saying something almost disagreeable, was doltish and mert, except when he was offensive. There could have been no greater contrast—and Lady Chevenix saw it. To herself she thought how Felix would be appreciated and understood in London, how eagerly he would be sought—who would care to remember that he was the son of a country lawyer? Such men make of a country lawyer? Such men make their own mark. Where her husband would not be tolerated, Felix would be received with open arms. All these observations she made to herself as she sat by Lord Arlington,

herself as she sat by Lord Arlington, her beautiful face wreathed with smiles. The last words she heard as the ladles quitted the dining-room were from Lord Rayden.

"The next time you run up to London, Mr. Lonsdale," he was saying, "pray come and see me. I shall be delighted if you do, and I will show you the very articles in the newspaper of which we are speaking."

And in her own mind Lady Chevonix thought that such a thing as an invitation from the eminent statesman would be an honor Sir Owen would never attain. would never attain.

said Lady Chevenix, and the words had a ring of truth that touched both listeners.

With her usual smiling grace Lady

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with him again. As his lordship had forseen the out-door attractions proved too much for the younger guests. The earl him-self and Lord Rayden sat down to sen and Lova Raybean sat town to chess; Lady Arlington, Lady Rolfe, Colonel Riddell and Sir Owen made up a whist table; Lavina went to the plane; Lady Maude dis-tributed her actentions equally, and tributed her attentions equally, and most of the young people went out through the long, open windows on to the wide terrace. The evening was fragrant calm and sweet; far away under the trees the glowworms were beginning to shine; a nightingale was singing in the gardens; the faint ripple of fountains filled the air; the rich odor of roses and lilies ascended like a cloud of perfume.

perfume. One by one the guests went out. Some descended the terrace step into the rose gardens below; some admired the tints in the west left by balustrades; others wandered into the beautiful grounds. Lady Maude walked for a snort time with Felix, and then she looked up at him with a smile.

"You can amuse yourself," she said

orbing."

She was glad that they were alone. His face grew white as death—so white that she was alarmed; he stood quite still, and the stood quite still quite stood quite still, and the stood quite still quite stood quite still quite still quite stood quite still quite still quite stood quite still quite

her beauty deepened because over her waite neck and shoulders she had thrown a silvery veli; it fell from her golden head, shadowing the fair face.

"I have alarmed you," she said; "you were not thinking of me."
"Tm afraid, to use a lawyer's phrase, that is a true indictment," he repiled. "Lady Chevenix, I must-plead guilty. I was thinking of Lord Rayden?"
"And I was thinking of you," she FOOD PRODUCTS.

Report Concerning Canadian Goods in Great Britain.

Goods in Great Britain.

Department of Agriculture,
Commissioner's Branch,
The following is the report of Mr.

A. W. Grindles, agent of the Department of Agriculture in Great
Britain, regarding Canadian Food
Products in Great Britain:
Canadian lood products are often
sold in Great Britain to the consumer, as being the product of Great
Britain or the product of some other
country—the produce of which may
command a higher prices on the marets. The only thing that can be done
is for Canadian shippers to brand
"Canada" or "Canadian," on everything, and advertise freely in the
British trade journals. A few Canadian firms have followed this plan
and to-day their brands are in demand, and are known as "Canadian
produce," but this position has only
been gained by spending a lot of
money, in advertising. Financial returns are what the average shipper
looks for, and if he receives more plead guilty. I was thinking of Lord Rayden."

"And I was thinking of you," she said, gently,

"You are very kind," he returned, indifferently. "Lord Rayden is quite a new type of man to me; I have seen no one like him."

They were walking down the path together now—he had been compelled to follow as she led. The white acada blossoms fell on them; the evening breeze was full of sweetness. Lady Chevenix turned to him with her old graceful impetuosity. "I do not want to talk about Lord Rayden—I do not care to hear about him; I want to hear of you."

"You are very kind," he said again, with a polite bow. with a polite bow. She stamped her little fcot on the ground impatiantly:

"Do not be so polite to me," she cried; and then she seemed suddenly to remember herself. "I beg your pardon, Felix," she said; "but I want to know if you will be friends with ooks for, and if he receives mo money by having his goods sold as the product of some other country, he very naturally pockets the high-er price and says nothing. It is a er price and says nothing. It is a very slow game, getting the British people to change their ideas or tastes, to "play the game," one must have lots of time and spend money freely. This the average Canadian exporter cannot afford to do, but Canadian goods are gradually, if slowly, gaining in favor. This gain in favor is chiefly due to the fine quality of the Canadian goods. Inme?"
"I do not understand you, Lady
Chevenix," he reflied; and she knew
there was nothing but indifferent
wonder in his voice,
"You do not understand? You must
understand! A child would know understand! A child would know whalt I mean. Will you be friends quality of the Canadian goods. In-ternational competition is so keen to capture the British market that there is no room to try lake games, e stood still as she asked him the question, and looked up at him with wistful eyes. In the half-golden light her face shone out clear and cure as and I am sorry to say the only way to make some Canadian shippers a star. She held cut her hand to him "Will you be friends?" she repeatto make some Canadian snippers honest is by act of Parliament. Great good has already been done by "The Fruit Marks Act." Our dairy products are landing each season in more perfect condition—this is due

to the close inspection kept in Can-ada over the manufacture of cheese ada over the manufacture of cheese and butter, to the improvement in the cicese factories and creame is, but also largely due to the "Government Cool Curing Rooms" for cheese, and the improved "cool" and

Scarcely Worth Living.

There comes a time in the life of all women when they are face to face with a grave crisis; when there are distressing backaches, headaches, dizziness; when even some women are threatened with the loss of their reason; when they suffer because they are women. The happiness of women for the rest of their lives detected to the l

the butter picked in this style is the test quality of Canadan creamery, and is put up in this shape by the shippers who receive their instructions from consignees on this site—most of it comes with no mark except what is on the sacking which covers the cask—if any mark is on the cask it can be easily erased. the cask it can be casky erased. There is no doubt that the bulk of the butter packed in this style is sold as Choicest Danish.

Only a few Canadian firms ship butter in kiels, or eggs in the foreign or Irish case.

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Canada in the majority of cases
does not get credit for her food
products. One never sees tu British
retai: sh ps "Canadian Cheere,"
"Canadian Butter," 'Canadian Eggs,'
"Canadian Bacon," oc. "Canadian
Egef." A few Canadian firms are edvertising their goods, and in time
our goods may be called for, but
as yet the average British concumer
does not care where his food comes Williams' Pink Pills have done me-For years I suffered from inflamma-tion of the womb and kindred trou-bles. Only those who have been sim-ilarly afflicted can tell how, much I suffered or how dreary life seemed. I tried many medicines but none of them helped me. Then I was ad-vised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I am grateful now, for that advice, for after using about a dozen boxes does not care where his food comes from as lang as it suits his taste and the price is reasonable. As a general rule the wholesale firms buy and sell goods for what they are, for after using about a dozen boxes every symptom of the trouble disappeared and life again seemed worth living. It is now several years since I took the pills, and as there has been no sign of the trouble vince, the fusny-work is done by the retail-er, and the consumers are the only ones who are decived, and they don't care if the quality is good.

I feel safe in saying the curs is permanent."
What these pills have done for Mrs. Jones they will do for all suffering women if given a fair trial. But you must get the genuine with the full name "Dr. William's Pink Pills for Pale People" on the wrapper around every box. Sold by all medicine dealers or sent by mail post paid at 50 centig a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by writing The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont. "Merchandise Marks Hnder the Act" of Great Britain, goods can enter the country with no mark or any mark that will not lead people astray as to where the goods come from. For example, if you put Doston on goods, the party con-cerned would be fined, as there is a Roston in England, but Boston, Mass., or Boston, U.S. A., would be 'Nova Scotia' on apples from that Province would be allowed, as Nova Scotian apples are classed by themselves. Eggs come from Can-ada packed in the foreign or Irish which holds 1.440 eggs. Thes are sold as Irish or Selected Danish, whichever may bring the highest price. American and Canadian bacon and hams are sent from port of land-irg to English smoke-houses, and ap-pear on the market as Wiltshire, Cumberland, Yorkshire, Berkshire, or any other favorite brand. Of course if you could prove a case when marks were forged, the parties co perned would be heavily fined, but all this funny work is done in cel-lars or behind the scenes. Yours very truly,

W. A. Clemons, Publication Clerk.

OYSTER FARMS IN VIRGINIA. Natural and Artificial Beds in Eastern

Part of State. In eastern Virginia there are several thousand acres of oyster farms, where oysters are raised by artificial methods on artificial beds. The "natural" oyster bed is where the oyster breeds and matures natrally. There are thousands of acres of such bods in the Chesapeake Bay system of salt water. In such beds the oysters breed by the millions, and as they are too close together there they cannot all reach a sat-isfactory growth. If taken when small from these "natural" beds and strewn along on the bottoms, where there are no oysters naturally, at the rate of 600 to 1,000 bushels per acre, such young oysters mature and ripen off for the market, some in one and the rest in two years.

pleasure of little ones. A big boat will ply between there and the city, and the plan is to take about 1,000 children over plan is to take about 1,000 children over every day in summer and bring them back in the early evening. Trained nurses, guards and private policemen will see that the visitors are properly cared for. In the big pavilion every day a lunch will be served and the rest of the time will be spent mostly in bathing, wading and playing around in the sand.

the female—"equal rights," we perceive. The eggs of the male are called "milt," and the eggs of the female are called "spawn." An ordinary full grown oyster is supposed to lay a million eggs a year. In spawning season the water is full of these eggs, and when the "milt" and the spawn some in contact, and the water is at the right temperature, life is imparted to the microscopic egg, and it drops to the bottom, where if it succeeds in graeping hold of something, such as another oyster, or shell, or rock, or anything to hang on to, the tiny creature begins to form its shell, and in a few weeks becomes visible to the eye.

and in a few weeks becomes visible to the eye.

The oyster farmers are harvesting the crop at present. While the greater portion of the United States is tander snow, and in the grasp of winter, our oyster farmers are busy harvesting their crop, which requires no fertilizer, food or feneing, and costs only for the seed, the sowing and the harvesting, and which pays a good dividend on the investment. From 12,000 to 15,000 hands are engaged in the oyster work in eastern. Virginia. It is an odd sort of farming, and the oyster farmers in winter become corn farmers in summer.—Country Gentleman.

EXPERIENCED MOTHERS.

Experienced mothers know that nost of the troubles that afflict Experienced mothers know that most of the troubles that afflict young children are due to some derangement of the stomach or bowels, and that if the cause is removed the little one will be plump, rosy and happy. For such troubles as indigestion, colic, constipation, diagrhoea, simple fevers and teething troubles, there is no medicine in the world can equal Baby's Own Tablets. The action of the Tablets is speedy, and above all things safe, as they contain not one particle of opiate or harmful drug. Ask any mother who has used the Tablets and she will say that they are the best medicine in the world Mrs. John Gill, Cranberry, Que, says; "After having thoroughly tested Baby's Own Tablets, I can say they are the best remedy for the aliments of little ones that I have ever used. No mother should be without them in the house." You can get the Tablets from any druggist, or they will the house." You can get the Tab-lets from any druggist, or they will be sent by mail at 25 cents a box by writing the Dr. Williams' Medi-cine Co., Brockville, Ont.

20 ACRES OF CARNATIONS.

Average Yield is From 6,000 to 10, 000 Flowers Every Day in Year.

Commercial carnation growing in Commercial carnation growing in the northern, middle west and eastern parts of this great country of ours has been a problem in economics. Outdoor growing in the sections named is always confined to limited times, or rather seasons, and so much of it has necessitated tothouse adjuncts that theories theories vanished before the attacks of conditions. The flower is one that has always ben popular, and has been cultured and specialized to almost a perfection, but never comalmost a perfection, but never com-mercially satisfactory, excepting to the interested grower whose ef-forts became remunerative upon the extreme demand and limited sup-

the extreme demand and limited supply.

To the stranger within the gates of this State, the carnation growing of California becomes an object of the greatest interest and a most satisfactory sight. The success of the enterprise, and the very simple and effective style of cultivation make it another marvel in this land of natural wonders. When E. J. Vawter retired from the active life of a banker he sought recreation in ranching. Part the land in the confines of Santa Monica, the particular section of Monica, the particular section of this city, claiming title as Ocean Park, he experimented with, five years ago for a more remunerative crog than that of barley. A tract about two acres was planted with pure California seeding carnation plants. Since then the acreage has increased to twenty, and at the close of the planting work this seasriants in active growth. Ultimately the most of a 200-acre ranch will be devoted to the culture of

this flower.

In brief the carnation fields are yielding on an average from 6,000 to 10,000 flowers every day in the year, with a market in which the demand is at all times greater than the supply. The plants are perpetuating in a sense, are propagated in the open fields, cultivated with less labor than ordinary more and are exempt from insect this flower. crops, and are exempt from insect pests, and but rarely troubled with disease, excepting ordinary fungus

attacks. The average life of a field carna-The average life of a field carnation varies from two to three years. New plants are taken in cuttings from the old ones and put directly into the ground. They in about ten months are in bloom and continue to give their daily quota of blossoms until they die out. In planting the carnations are placed in rows three feet ampt out. In planting the carnations are placed in rows three feet apart and the plants two feet from each other. This permits the cultivation with horses, and after once in healthy growth they require only watchfulness for disease and insect posts, irrigation about every two weeks and daily picking.—Los Angeles Times.

LOG CABIN OF POTATOES.

A Table Oddity Worth One's While to Achieve.

Pretty to look at is the fanciful cabin built of "logs" of potato, and some-thing new for the dinner table, if not thing new for the dinner table, if not very easy to serve. You are so apt to bring down one side of the structure unless you allow the waitress to serve you. The logs are long straws of potato, made in this shape, before being and then they are plunged into the dipped in yoke of egg and breadcrumbs, sauce pan, in a deep bath of melted butter. A short time suffices for the immersion if the butter be hot enough, and by careful lifting out you will There is a profit in such work, when intelligently managed, of 25 to 33½ per cent. Profably more than 100,000 acres of artificial oyster beds are made to grow an oyster crop, in addition to the acreage embraced in the "natural" beds. The area of "artificial" beds is increasing rapidly each year.

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LOCAL ITEMS

Choice western beef at Wilsons. Mr. W. E. Frye of Newboro was in

thens on Tuesday. Mr. C. C. Slack

Miss Hattie Patterson has returned

ome from Queen's University. Mr. Lester McVeigh left Brockville this week for Winnipeg, Man.

Mr. Melville Walker, a student at Queens's, is visiting old friends here.

A few days ago the home of Mrs. Copeland near Lombardy was totally destroyed by fire. -50 pieces of new dress trimmings-

the newest to be had-from 5c to \$1.50, at Beach's. Bills inviting tenders for the excavation of and for supplying of timber for the Mill street drain were posted this

Mr. John Rappell, the enterprising Elgin street grocer, has just received a carload of choice Quebec potatoes.

Mr. W. A. Johnston, who is pursu ing a course of study at the Ontario School of Mines, Kingston, is home for

vacation. —Who said that cottons were advancing in price? You can buy all kinds of cotton goods same price as last year

Mrs. W. H. Merrick and Miss Essi Owen, after spending the winter with friends in Toronto and St. Catherines,

have returned home. . -B. W. Falkner, Photographer, will

day of each month. should interest al! who have not yet purchased their spring suit.

Messrs. W. G. McLaughiin & Son have been in Athens for several days, repairing and painting the roof of the Taylor buildings on Main steet.

Giles B. Murphy, a recent graduate of the A. H. S., has just taken his B.A. at Queen's. He also won the Sir John Macdonald prize in political

Messrs. Robert Wright & Co., Brockville, are adding another department to their big store, and will shortly place on sale a complete stock

Mr. Mort Knapp has about completed the installation and arrangements of his machinery and chemicals

Mr. Ed. Purcell, the popular agent of the B. W. & N. Ry. at this station has purchased the Wiltse property, corner of Henry and Prince streets. We are pleased to note this evidence of his intention to remain here permanently.

The discussion of the proposed union of the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational churches would be much more interesting if some person of the Molines Movement, where service will be conducted by the Rev. R. C. Horner.

Mr. T. S. Duncan of Westport, a graduate of the A. H. S. and valedictorian of his year, took the degree of favor of these churches uniting. M.A. and won the university medal M.A. and won the university medal for Latin at the recent exam's at the largest stock of fine Carriages he of 9 kinds of Spectacles and Eye prize winner in arts.

and impressive service on that day.

The bishop of Ontario has appoin Rev. Geo. Code, of Madoc, to vacant parish of North Augusta.

Commencing next Sunday, the eyer ing service in the Baptist church wi be held at 7.30 during the summer. Mr. A. Williams, a graduate of the Brockyille Business College, has a sit-uation in Toronto as Stenographer.

Messrs. C. C. Nash and Howard Geddes, dental students, Toronto, have returned home for the long vacation.

Mrs. Eli Chant of Chantry spen Sunday in Athens, the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. Derbyshire, Church -You will find the larest and mos

up-to date stock of black and colored dress goods ever shown in Athens at Beach's. E. Boiton of Phillipsville, a gradu

ate of the A.H.S., was a prize winner in arts at the recent Queen's Univer sity exams. Rev. Mr. Woodcock of Brockville will conduct the services in the Angli-

can churches of the parish of Laus downe Rear on Sunday next. Usually, 60c is considered a good blice for calfaking, but as will be seen by their adv't this week, Brightman &

Co. of Brockville are paying 75c. May flowers are usually gathered in April, but this year they will justify the appropriateness of their title by remaining under cover until next

A poultryman at Renfrew Buff Orpington eggs at \$1.50 for 13. The offer made by Mr. R. Norton Crane in this issue should be carefull

A number of members of the Athens lodge of the I.O.O.F. will join with their Delta brethren in atter yine service in that place at 2.30 or Sunday next.

The Rev. L. M. Weeks, B.D., has the following appointments for next Sunday: Plum Hollow, at 10.30; Athens, 7.30. Evening subject: Athens, 7.30 "Delilah's lap." The Westport Electric Light Co.

putting in a number of lights in private houses. The electric light system is giving good satisfaction now, there being a fine water power. Mr. D. Wiltse is invalided with

erious affection of his left leg. A slight injury to an old sore has pro-duced a painful swelling extending from his knee to his ankle.

Supt. Geiger of the B. W. & N. railway is making application to the Fishcies' Department at Ottawa for a large supply of salmon fry to stock the waters of Wolfe Island near Westport

Bis Delta on May 5 and 19, and Williams Medicine Co., was travelling thereafter on the first and third Thurs- for a Toronto firm when the great fire In his adv't this week, A. M. Chassels makes an announcement that \The marriage is announced of Miss Enzabeth V. Mavety of Athens to Mr. G. A. Byam of Watertown, N. Y. The ceremony was performed on Sunday, April 10th, in that city, and Mr.

> dence at 27 Smith street. Corporal Fred McConnell of H Company Lisgar Rifles, Lansdowne, re-turned last Monday from a six weeks' trip through the North-West Territories. Corporal McConnell will assist his father, who has recently purchased the lumber business of the Rathbun Co. at Lansdowne.

Our former townsman, Mr. J. G. Howarth, presided at a banquet recent ly held in Toronto by the Leeds and Grenville Old Boys' Association. It was a highly successful event and as usual brought together many from these counties now helding prominent.

ings of ministers and laymen, so far, the feeling has been unanimously in

Queen's University. He was also a has ever had on exhibition at this sea prize winner in arts.

The thanks of the congregation of Trinity Church, Lansdowne Rear, are due Miss Elva Green for the presentation of a beautiful and most artistically worked set of fair "Altar Linen, which worked set of fair "Altar Linen, which was used for the first time last Sunday by the Rev. S. Tighe, M.A., of Kingston, who conducted a most beautiful and impressive service on that day.

has ever had on exhibition at this sea Glasses for young and old persons son of the year, which he purposes affected with weak eyes, tender quavers, with red veins, watness eyes, and eyes with red veins, the guarantees to give entire satisfaction to everyone. Free consultation at the sea of the year, which he purposes affected with weak eyes, tender quavers, watness eyes, and eyes with red veins, the guarantees to give entire satisfaction to everyone. Free consultation at the sea of the year, which he purposes affected with weak eyes, tender quavers, with red veins, watness eyes, and eyes with red veins, the guarantees to give entire satisfaction to everyone. Free consultation at the sea of the year, which he purposes affected with weak eyes, tender quavers, will make no mistake if they watness eyes, and eyes with red veins, the guarantees to give entire satisfaction to everyone. Free consultation at the sea of the year, which he purposes affected with weak eyes, tender quavers, the purposes affected with weak eyes, tender quavers, affected with weak eyes, tender quavers will make no mistake if they watness eyes, and eyes with red veins, the purpose affected with weak eyes, tend FISHER.

gained the degree of B.D. at Queen's at the recent exam. He also wen in Church History the Glass Memorial (\$30 cash) and in The Early Apologists the Mackie scholarship (\$25 cash). Mr. Beckstedt is now in charge of St.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Brown have the sympathy of the community in the loss they have sustained by the death of their son. During its brief life of four months it was never entirely well. On Friday last the baby was apparent-ly about the same as usual, and had On Friday last the baby was apparently about the same as usual, and had just been taken in arms by its mother when it suddenly expired from beart failure. The funeral service was conducted at the house by Rev. W. E. Reynolds on Sunday in the presence of a large number of friends, who followed the remains to the family burial plot in the Methodist cemetery. The pall-bearers were Alan Evertts, Roy Parish, Dan Conway and Beaumont Cornell.

For many years the Sunday School lessons have been taught in the day schools in Kingston and the plan is thought to bave been of much benefit to the pupils. It is likely to be

thought to bave been of much benefit to the pupils. It is likely to be adopted by all the schools in Ontario. In Kingston the lessons are read each morning by the pupils and the Golden Texts age memorized. In addition to this the teachers are allowed to vary the exercises by the recitation of the Apostles' Creed, the Ten Command-ments, the Beatitudes or a Psalm, she exercises to conclude with the scribed form of prayer issued by the Education department. The Sunday School teachers find the religious instruction in the Public Schools to very helpful in their work.

Baseball League Meeting

The meeting called to be held at Delta a few days ago in connection with the formation of a baseball league was not fruitful of results, and another for that purpose is to be held here on Saturday of this week, when it is hoped there will be present representatives from all the clubs that it is proposed shall constitute the league, viz. : Lynd-hurst, Delta, Athena Brockville.

first-class team in the field, one whose ppearance and performance will both ring credit to the classic village, and to this end propose buying appropriate suits for the players and securing a good pitcher. To do this and provide for ordinary and incidental expenses will require the expenditure of considerable money, There is now but \$51 in the treasury, and to prosecute preditable and successful campaign the managers feel that they must have the noral support of the citizens.

The importance of encouraging any iation aiming at phyical culture through the medium of manly outdoor sports is now so generally recognized that little need be said along this line. The managers of the A.B.C. should and no doubt will receive the hearty endorsation of the villagers.

DEATH OF OTIS F. BULLIS

Mr. Otis F. Bullis, one of Athen Mr. G. Wing, who recently purchased the Curry barber shop has added to his possessions the back widely known and respected citizens, added to his possessions the back Mrs. G. Latham, on Tuesday morning, residence at the corner of Henry and ged 73 years and 6 months. Since Pearl streets, which he bought from last fall he had been in poor health and flad been confined to his bed for a street. Mr. S. S. Holmes, la'e with the Dr. month preceding his death, so that his

Mr. Bullis lived nearly the whole of his life at Glen Buell, where his very genial nature and sterling christian character gained for him many friends, and on leaving there to come to Athens, about tifteen years ago, the people of the Glen honored the departure of himself and wife by a great assemblage at which they were presented with an address and valuable

and Mrs. Byam have taken up resi-Since coming to Athens, his zeal in church work and his uniformly kind and charitable disposition have won the esteem of the villagers, who join the hereaved relatives in mourning his

Deceased was twice married, his first wife being Melissa Boyce of Lyn. by whom he had two children, Mrs. Eber Yates of Frankville and Mrs. George Latham of Athens. His second wife

opposed to the union would stand up and say something. At public meet Prof. J. H. DeSilberg

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Dr. George D. Sparham, Kempt ille, one of the oldest medical practi-oners of Leeds and Grenville, disc Wednesday in the House of Industry. He arrived only a short time before, thoroughly chiled by a long drive, pneumonia developed and his death ensued. The deceased had lived to be 97 years of age and for many years past had retired from active practice of his profession. He was a graduate of McGall College, of Montreal. The remains were taken to Kemptville for

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