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### THE VILLAGE COUNCIL

The village council has had rather a kaleidoscopic opening of the year's siness, but is now thoroughly organized and ready for work.

Following the organization meeting. meeting was held on Friday evening st at which it was made known that Mr S. C. A. Lamb could not accept his appointment as clerk, and other changes were impending. At this meeting also it was learned that the legality of the by law appointing village officers was open to question

owing to informalities in passing it.

On Monday evening the council again met and re-enacted the by law in lestion, appointing Mr J. E. Burchell to the office of village clerk and the

other officers as previously named.

Preparations for submitting the bylaw to raise money by debentures for local improvements will be proceeded

### A COMPLETE VINDICATION

The principal case on the docket of Athens Division Court, on Thursday ast, was the trial of the appeal entered against the conviction recorded by Police Magistrate Deacon recently in the case of Walton Sheffield vs. Harold

The defendant was charged in the ourt at Brockville with having shot Sheffield's dog on the evening of October 22, and though Jacob and a young companion, Leonard Sly, who were out driving on that evening, swore that they were not within a mile of Sheffield's house, witnesses testified that they saw the Jacob rig on the road near where the shooting took place. The conviction called upon Jacob to pay a fine of \$5.00, damages and who can be depended upon to ad of \$20, and costs of \$21 45. An ap eal was at once entered.

tion, and when the appeal case was called here before His Honor Judge Reynolds the large auditorium and gallery of the town hall were filled with people from many miles around as well as with residents of the village, including many of Harold's student

friends The evidence given for the prosecuard Sly of their movements on that stating that all were well. evening had an impressive ring of costs of both courts.

congratulated on all sides over his was made at Port Arthur.

# A REPORT CORRECTED

Mr J. A. Ruddick, writing the Reporter this week, says :--

Mr Geo H. Barr, who was Official real last season, in speaking of his work neighbor. at the recent Dairy Convention held at Picton, Ont., made the statement that "only 2 per cent of the cheese which he examined were of No. 1 grade." This statement has been widely quoted as showing a serious condition in the Canadian Cheese Trade. As there is make the following explanation.

"As Mr Barr explained in his state the end of active service is drawing ment, he examined less than half of 1 rer cent, or about one lot out of every 200 lots of cheese received at Montreal have been over-driving the machine was asked to examine only those lots which were suspected of being inferior in quality, or which had been condemn and restree the life force. To this ed by the purchasers, it is not surpris ous one rather than a bad one."

# Cure for Weak Lungs

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### LYNDHURST FAIR

The annual meeting of the members of Lyndhurst Fair was held on the 22nd inst. and there was a fair atten dance, including many of those upon whose interest and activity the success of the fair depends.

Mr W. W. Hicock of Seeley's Bay, who presided so efficiently and satisfac torily over the affairs of the society last year, occupied the chair.

All things considered, the report of the treasurer, which showed a balance on hand of \$37.40, was encouraging and satisfactory. The election of officers was the chief

order of business, and it resulted as follows :-OFFICERS President-W. W. Hicock, Seeley's

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T. Sly, AUDITORS

E. Harvey and C. Sheffield A glance at the personnel of the board for 1908 shows that the new men as well as the old are all represent ative farmers and business men who recognize Agriculture as being the basis of all prosperity in this country vance its interests through the medium of the annual fair. The coming exhi This case attracted widesp. ead att n bition should be an unprecedented

# DEATH OF HENRY JOYNT

On Sunday, 19th Mr Henry Joynt died at his home in Port Arthur, to which place he moved with his family from Smith's Falls last June. His tion in Brockville was repeated here, demise must have occurred suddenly as but it contained nothing directly con-necting Jacob with the shooting. The Smith's Falls only a couple of days story told by Harold Jacob and Leon before from a member of his family

The news of his death caused pro genuineness, and the corroborative found sorrow to many in this section, testimony that followed prepared all where he was well known and very for the Judge's decision, which re highly esteemed, and the family in versed the verdict of the police magis their sore affliction have the heartfelt trate and required Sheffield to pay the sympathy of their many old friends and neighbors here. He is survived Cheers that could not be suppressed by his wife, his son George and two followed the verdict, and Harold was daughters, Stella and Ada. Interment

Omplete vindication.

H. A. Stewart, K.C., appeared for years here, by his kindly manner and Jacob and C. R. Deacon for Shetfield. upright life, he made many friends.

The beautiful home now owned by Mr James Cughan is an instance of his industry and enterprise. He sat for several years at the council board of Rear Yonge and Escott and in all relations of life acquitted himself as an Referee of Butter and Cheese at Mont honest, public spirited man and a good

# A LONG LIFE

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nothing in the statement itself or in the life forces begin to fail. It is a the facts of the case to warrant such a little harder to climb a hill or walk conclusion, I ask your permission to up stairs. Exercise is taken less vig orously or abandoned, and we feel that

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Driving a Good Bargain.

ed the scanty fringe of hair from that point of vantage. He could contain himself no longer and burst out incredulously: "Father, do —you—get a quarter for cutting that?"—Lippincott's Magazine.

Side-Walls

First Gold

been discovered.

Numismatists have long associated the coin with California, which was not a difficult deduction from the letters "CAL" and the date 1848, and yet they have not been sure. Some collectors included it among the pioneer or private gold coins of California and even among the pattern or experimental issues of the United States Mint at Philadel-mbts.

sues of the United States Mint at Philadelphia.

As a matter of fact the first theory is correct, but besides being associated with the first California gold used at the mint with which to strike United States coins this quarter eagle is of interest as a reminder of the fact that prominent Government officials were sceptical as to the yellow metal being gold. This sceptism is shown by certain letters recently found among Government documents.

In a letter to Brig.-Gen. R. Jones, Adjutant-General of the United States Army, with headquarters at Washington, dated September 19, 1848, Col. R. B. Mason, commanding the military department at Monterey, Cal., stated that he was sending samples of gold results.

minitary department at Monterey, Cal., Stationard that he was sending samples of gold received from a dozen or so persons, among whom was Capt. Sutter, in the care of Lieut.

L. Loeser, who on August 30, with the original of the letter, had salled on the schooner Lambaycana for Paytu, Peru, on his way argund Cape Horn and thence to Washington.

son.

In addition to these specimens of gold, the letter went on, the Lieutenant carried a tea caddy containing 230 ounces 15 pennyweights 9 grains of gold. This was purchased at San Francisco by Col. Mason's orders, "and sent to you as a fair sample of the gold obtained from the mines of Sacramento. It

is a mixture coming from the various parts of the gold district.

Gen. Jones upon receipt of the tea caddy evidently turned it over to the Secretary of War. William L. Marcy, who sent it to the Director of the Mint at Philadelphia in care of Lieut-Col. Coboper, who bore a letter to the Director dated December 8, 1348. In this letter the Secretary stated that the tea caddy was supposed to contain 230 ounces 15 pennyweights 9 grains "of what is presumed to be gold."

This metal, he wrote, had just been forwarded from different localities in California, and doubt was expressed by several persons as to its actually being the precious metal. In the event that the metal proved to be gold, Secretary Marcy requested that "the two medals ordered by Congress" what these were is not at present known, but they probably had to do with the Mexican war-be struck in it, that a pound of the nure metal be returned by Co. Cooper, and that the remainder, with the exception of one or two small bars, be coined and sent with the bars to the department.

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one or two small bars, be colned and sent with the bars to the department.

He said that as many persons might desire to procure a specimen of coin made from California gold by exchanging other coin for it he would suggest that the metal be made into quarter eagles, with a distinguishing mark on each, if any variation from the ordinary issues of the mint would be proper and could be conveniently made.

James Ross Snowden, Director of the Mint at Philadelphia, on December 12, 1848, wrote Co Mr. Marcy acknowledging the receipt of Vehe gold, which he said had been deposited to the name or the War Department. He urther said that a portion would be reserved for the medals and the rest coined, subject to his order. The gold in the caddy after refining amounted to 211 ounces 46 penny-fleghts of gold, of a fineness of .894%, and was valued at \$3,910.10.

It is easy to infer that the distinguishing mark placed upon the coins, in accordance with the suggestion of the Secretary of War, was the letters "CAL." A change in the design of a United States coin cannot be accomplished quickly, and therefore it is reasonable to suppose that the Director resorted to the simple expedient of punchmarking the three letters on the quarter agales struck from this first lot of California gold.

If the Director followed out the plan out-

nia gold.

If the Director followed out the plan outlined by him in his letter it is probable that the number of quarter eagles bearing this mark was between 1,000 and 1,200.

It may seem odd, in view of subsequent events and of the fact that for a long time after the date of the letter of the Secretary of War California was the greatest gold producing region in the world, to think that persons high in authority should regard with suspicion the first gold from California, and yet many of the samples spoken of by Col. Mason did prove to be utterly innocent of the presence of the precious metal. The mint assayers, Eckfeldt and Dubios, in whose hands all the first samp as of California gold were placed for assay and valuation, stated in one of their reports that "the first sample of ore was sent to us by an officer in the army during the Mexican war, and in advance of the wonderful rumors, but so perfectly exempt was this considerable invoice of stones from anything like precious metal that we might be forgiven for having joined in the general incredulity by which so many have been de-If the Director followed out the plan outgiven for having joined in the general in-credulity by which so many have been de-ceived and some belated. Other specimens have since been forwarded for examination by the Hon. Secretary of the Interior, most of which were equally unproductive, disprov-ing at least the common impression the everything in the gold region is gangue for gold."

gold."

While it is possible that a thousand and
While it is possible that a thousand and more of the quarter eagles in question were originally coined, still it is lkely that few are now in existence. Collectors do not con-sider their series complete unless their cabinets contain a specimen of this variety, a as much as \$36 was this year paid for specimen in uncirculated condition.

# TIPS NECESSARY IN MEXICO.

#### A Nuisance That Even the Government Cannot Suppress.

There is no city in the world where what may be called "tip mania" has become so deeply rooted as among the people of the city of Mexico.

The tipping habit is becoming a law, which, of course, is better observed by

tause who are to receive the tips. If you fall to tip any one who has rendered you a service, even if you have already paid a high price for it, you are liable to be insulted and abused.

in of these men, recalls the Ancaster township case tried in Hamilton, Ontario, about fifteen years ago.

Treasurer Hyslop, of Ancaster, was murdered in his home at midnight by two men, ovidently bent on robbery. The crown endeavored to secure the conviction of one man on the testimony of another who eadd he was the partner in crime of the man in the dock. The court refused to convict on the testimony of a self-confessed assassin, whose motive seemed to be the carning of the large reward, and the case was added to the long list of murder mysteries that has accumulated since the Biddulph township affair, thirty years ago, when several members of the notorious Donnelly family were snuffed out by vigilants. The Ancaster and Idaho cases are alike as illustrating the fact that the testimony of a criminal must always be heavily discounted in any kind of trial, mere especially when the witness is a confessed accomplice of the accused.

The query now is what will be done with orchard? He was doubtless assured of immunity on the conviction of the men indicted. The story of his complicity in a system of wholesale murder and destruction of property was doubtless substantially true. If he was not the tool of organized labor, whose hireling was he? Will an endeavor be made to discover his employers? Summon a cargador, arrange with him

Summon a cargador, arrange with him for the transportation of a bundle, and if after the work is done and the price agreed upon is paid you do not give him his "aguital" you will be insulted, and that cargador, nor any of his friends, will ever do any work for you.

Restaurant waiters, barbers, coachmen, bootblacks, porteros, mozos—everybody wants a tip, and they all have special names to call those who do not give tips. For instance, at a restaurant, they are called "jamones" (bams) or heef-

are called "jamones" (bams) or beef-steaks; at a barber shop "musicos"

musicos (musicians). by coachinen something that would not look well in print; by bootblacks "chivos" (bucks) and by porteros "sinverguenzas."

Such warning is enough. No one in the group will render services, giving as an excuse that he is very busy (mi jefective serve muy connede ahorita). an excuse that he is very busy (mi jefecito, estoy muy ocupado ahorita).

Howeyer, all these people have found of a funeral, a vastly more happy occur-

an easy way to compel pepole who have not fallen into the habit of giving tips to exploit them, and "volis nolis" they have to open their purse.

After 10 o'clock at night cabs charge

double fare, Any one who takes a cab at, say, ten minutes to ten, and discharges It fifteen minutes after ten, is compelled to pay half an hour at regular rates and another half an hour at night rates. If a cargador is sent on an errand he sometimes will spend half of the day at m

a pulque joint, and will return saying that either he could not find the house or the person whom he was to see. Then he exacts additional payment for "time lost"

Restaurant waiters double the price of articles consumed, especially if they are not included in the bill of fare, which happens very often.

Bootblacks seldom have change, and if sent to get it one often never sees them

As to porteros, their most efficacious means to compel people living in their houses to give them a tip to refuse to

open the door.

In barber shops "musicos" are compelled to wait for a long time, and when ir the chair they are either tortured by dull razors or barbers take more time than would be required to shave the entire body of a bull.

Besides these tips there are the gifts which have to be made on different days

which have to be made on different days of the year to servants or poeple who in any capacity render their services. New year, the "ann nuevo"; January 6th, the "santos reyes"; February 2nd, the "candelarita"; March 19th, the "San Josesito"; Holy Saturday, the "Judas"; June 24th, the "San Juanito"; feast of Corpus Christi, the "mulita"; August 15th, the "Ascension"; September 15th, the "Independencia"; November 1st, the "Calavera"; December 12th, the "Guadalupe"; and Dec. 25th, the "Aguinaldo."

On all these days servants, newsboys

On all these days servants, newsboys who deliver the paper at home, letter carriers, butchers, tailors, shoemakers,

carriers, butchers, tailors, snoemakers, evedybody expects to receive a gift of some kind, preferably in cash.

The tip question has become such a nuisance in Mexico city that some months ago the government of the Federal district announced that cabmen, eral district announced that cabmen, cargadors, mecapaleros, etc., who accepted tips would be discharged. Unfortunately the public prefers to tip all these people rather than to hear themselves called by the form people rather than to hear themselves called by the far from sweet names that such people apply to non-tipping persons. —Mexican Herald.

with you a gun, and you cannot know

how he knows. Once satisfied that you

are unarmed, he will remain near in spite of any vocal remonstrances, and

first, if you are dead, and, second, if by any chance—and he lives upon

chances—there is anything else in your neighborhood that he might find eat-

If you pass on with indifference, which

is the usual way, he will sit himself

they have hooted you out of the neigh-borhood. That night he and some of his

straps from your saddle, the meat from

the frying pan—and politely clean the pan—and even the boots from beside

your lowly bed.—From "The Figurehead of the Frontier," by James W. Steele in

The Hyslop Murder.

(Windsor Record.)
The collapse of the notorious Idaho case, in which three men, Haywood, Moyer, Petidone, were indicted for the murder of exGovernor Stuenenburg, on the testimony of Orchard, who said he was the hired assassin of these men, recalls the Ancaster township case tried in Hamilton, Ontario, about fifteen years ago.

Wedding in Place of Funeral.

For years, says the Iron and Coal Trades Review, the steel industry has confidently expected to see a fulfilment of the prediction made long ago that the open-hearth process will go to the funeral of the Bessemer." Recent de-

rence. The duplex process is rapidly gaining favor, and the details are being worked out in different ways by differ-

ent metallurgists. It is more a matter of appliances and manipulation than processes, as the metallurgical work is

CORRECT POSITION.

Tom-What'd de matter? Dick-Nothin'; we's playin' auto

laid out very clearly.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

the Outing Magazine for July.

**DON'T** The Cunning and Patient Coyote. This is the coyote: Co-yo-tay, with all the syllables, to the Mexican who named **Keep Hens** "Kiote" merely to the American Make Them

wanderer who has come and gone so often that he at last regards himself a resident stockman and farmer. It is this Keep You! little beat's triangular visage, his sharp nose fitted for the easy investigation of other people's affairs, his oblique green eyes with their squint of cowardice and Get twice the eggs at ½ the cost with feed at 10c a bushel, as used and en-dorsed by best breeders. Unequalied for layers and growing chicks. No man too noor to feed it and no man rich enough to buy better. No time to lose. "Do it now" and win out. Send stamp to-day for particulars to Brant Poultry Yards. perpetual hunger, that should have a place in the adornment of escutcheons. It is notorious that the vicissitudes of his belly never bring him the fate upon whose verge he always lives, and that that, will bring an end to his forlorn career. As his grey back moves slowly along above the reeds and coarse grass, and he turns his head to look at you, he knows at once whether or not you have with you a gun, and you cannot know

#### Odd Rules of life.

Galipaux, the actor, laughs at the old precept of "early to bed and early to rise," says the London T. P. O. How can a man do these things if he is an actor? And as to the advice to avoid disagree able emotions, you might as well tell a man who has dyspepsia that the best way is to take no notice of it—or, worse still, in acordance with the teachings of Christian Science, tell him he has not

spite of any vocal remonstrances, and by and by may proceed to interview you in a way that for unobtrusiveness might be taken as a model of the art. Lie down on the thick brown carpet of the wilderness and be still for twenty min-utes, and watching him from the corner of your eye you will see that he has been joired by others of his brethren hitherto unseen. He seems to be curious to know, first. if you are dead, and, second, if got dyspepsia after all.
Such is Galipaux's opinion; neverthe less, he believes in a certain regularity of life. He has his table set for dinner at seven o'clock. Even if he is not in the house the dinner is served as usual He often finds the knowledge that the meal will be served at that hour with out fail is an inducement to him to hurry home, when otherwise he would not trouble himself to do so. General Gallifet, who even as far back

as the early sixties received fearful wounds from which it seemed honeiess to suppose that he would recover, has down upon his tail on the nearest knoll, and loll his red tongue, and leer at you as one with whom he is half-inclined to still the same elegant figure and the same dashing style as in youth. His rules are "absolute sobriety, never read the papers, laugh at death, but have a terror of fools." claim acquaintance. He looks and acts then so much like a grey dog that one is inclined o whistle to him. Make any hostile demonstration and he will move a little farther and sit down again. If by any means you manage to offend him deeply at this juncture the chances are that he and his comrades may retire still farther, and then bark ceaselessly until

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# Smokestack Arsenic.

Thousands of tons of arsenic are wasted annually in the fumes that pour from the stacks of the great smelters of the United

atacks of the great smelters of the United States, says the United States Geological Survey, yet notwithstanding this waste, or perhaps because of it, 8,000,000 pounds of amenic or arsenic compounds, costing about \$375,000 were imported by us in 1905. In that year our domestic production of arsenic was only one-sixth of the quantity imported, of the value of only \$63,400.

France, England, Germany, Portugal, Spain, Turkey, Canada and the United States are the principal arsenic producing countries.

In the United States, as also in England, the great bulk of the arsenic produced is from smelter fumes. English smelters are not allowed to pour arsenical fumes into the air, forcing them to make money out of the white arsenic saved. In the United States only two smelters have plants for saving it, one at Anaconda, Mon., and the other at Everett, Wash.

A contemporary calculates that the son and heir of the Duke of Westmin-ster will possibly have an income of something like a sovereign a minute. The duke's income is stated to be £250,000 per annum, but when the leases of his property in Belgravia fall in, this income will probably be at least doubled.



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SOUNDPROOF ROOMS.

Subterranean Refuge From Thund er in a Westchester House.

If Mrs. Isaac L. Rice is opposed to noises, so also is Mr. Rice, at least when he is playing chess. In the house on Riverside Drive, which he has just sold there one noiseproof room.

It is hewn out of solid rock, under the house, and its roof and entrances are so arranged that no noise can reach the occupants. The room was built to gratify Mr. Rice's chess habits. Every week for some time the leading players of New Nork west there

York met there.

There is another subterranean room in a Westchester mansion. The idea was to create a room light and abund proof to be used as a place of seclusion when lightning flashed and thunder roared and the elements made things generally and the selements made things generally and he elements made things generally un-leasant for people who had nerves.

It is said that hardly a sound of the heaviest thunder reaches the ears of any occupant. Candles light it.—N. Y. Sun. Driving a Good Bargain.

The barber's small son was in the habit of playing around his father's shop and he was always keenly interested in the patrons. Many a stray penny found its way into the little chubby hand, and sticks of gum were dropped in quite as though by accident. Judge Williams drifted into the shop the other aftermoon for a hairbut. The lad recognized the fact that the Judge was a new patron, and so was more than ordinarily interested in him. He hung at the foot of the chair and looked musingly at the Judge's bald head. Then he walked slowly to the back of the chair and surveyed the scanty fringe of hair from that

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A big firm in town, which manufac-tures delicate instruments, received an order a short time ago for a quantity of their instruments to be sent, to South American and packed in a certain man-ner. The packers of the firm thought they knew best how to pack the con-signment of goods and accordingly ig-nored the instructions cent on with the order. A while later the firm received letter from South America asking why a letter from South America asking why
the goods had not been packed as ordered. The letter went on to say that a
pack mule which had been loaded with
the valuable burden had fallen over the
edge of a precipice and had rolled down
the side of the mountain and the instru-

nents were demolished.

The firm had to make good the loss-Boston Record.



**Black Watch** 

The Big Black Plug.

No Pay for Old Sermons.

"In the last analysis there is nothing new that any of us can say," said Booker T. Washington in Cambridge. "The doctrines of love, of punishment, of reward and of the future life are as old as the world. "This reminds me of an old negro

"This reminds me of an old negrowhom I met in the hills down south at a church where I was beseeching the audience to stand by their pastor and pay him a salary. I spoke as eloquently as I could. I watched my audience and saw that I had every one with me but this old fellow in the rear, who kept mumbling to himself whenever I finished an argument. Finally I called out to him, and asked why he opposed paying a and asked why he opposed paying a "No, suh; no, suh; we shan't pay him

no more salary this year. He's giving the same sermons he gave last year," he said.—Boston Herald.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

The Friend That Never Was, on Sea or Land.

I met a gentleman who seemed
As nice as he could be;
While I could do him any good
He was a friend to me,
But when I wouldn't boost his game
He rose and took his hat,
And made himself exceeding scarce
We've all had friends like that.

He stuck to me like liquid glue,
As long as I would buy,
Laughed at the ancient jokes I told
And boomed me to the sky.
When my resources vanished and
My money ceaseu to talk,
He folded up his tents and things
And straightway took a walk.

That is the way too oft, alas!
With some fair weather friends;
They hang around us like a cloak
When we can serve their ends,
But when no longer we produce
As once we used to do,
They straightway rise and shake themse
And flit to pastures new.

Give me the friend who doesn't make
Too much of a parade,
But who is there when you're in need,
A very present aid,
Who comes when you are in the dumps
And no relief can see,
And gently says: "Cheer up, old man,
And kindly draw on me."

—From Boston Transcript.

Any Dude Will Do.

At a Canadian watering place this

At a Canadian watering place this summer was a single lady, whom some of the younger girls thought was tired of single blessedness; and who determinged—in a spirit of reckless joility—to spring a joke on her. So one of them asked, "What is the difference between a younger and an old waid?" a Yunkee, a rooster and an old maid?" She did not offer a guess, and seemed

rather afraid they were engineering some "plot." So the one who propounded the riddle answered: "The Yankee says, Yankee doodle-do; the rooster says, Cock-adoodle do: and the old lady says, Any dude'll do!" There was a great explo-sion of laughter, in which the single lady hesitated to join; but in a minute she burst out as heartily as any of them, and exclaimed: "Send him on quick, for I'm tired of teaching school!"

Talk is cheap, if you don't use

Children Enjoy It

"I have used Coltsforts Expectorant with the greatest satisfaction with my children. It is a wonderful cure for colds and sore throat. I believe it asved the life of my little son, who was very sick from a protracted cold on his lungs."

MRS ANNIE REAMBLER

MRS. ANNIE BRAMBLER, Orangeville, March 15, 1907.
"I am greatly pleased with the good results we got from Coltstoote Expectorant. I get great comfort with it for my children"

my children."

MRS. WALTER HAMMOND. 171 Argyle street, Toronto.
Coltsfoote Expectorant is the great est home preparation for all throat chest troubles in the world. No l should be one hour without it.

should be one hour without it. I out can have free sample by sending name to Dr. T. A. Slocum, Ltd., Toronto. All good druggists keep it. Price, 25c. Send for free sample to-day.

New Drink in Georgia. The first of the prohibition drinks nade its debut in Atlanta Wednesday morning and it is understood that several others are to follow. The new drink, which looks like lager beer, smells like it and foams like it, is called "Jack Soda founts which had 'Jack Frost" on

Soda founts which had 'Jack Frost" on draught Wednesday soon sold out their supplies, for there were many who were curious to sample the legal beer. The drink is non-alcohelic, according to the manufacturers, and is made, like other soda fountain beverages, from the syrup, with carbonated water added.

Even the old red nosed topers, who found their favorite haunts closed New Year's morning, were casting about for Year's morning, were casting about for a substitute for the amber fluid with

which they were wont to regale them-selves, and they eagerly sampled the new prohibition drink.—Atlanta Journal. Minard's Liniment Co., Limited: Gentlemen,-Last winter I received

great benefit from the use of MIN-ARD'S LINIMENT in a severe attack of La Grippe, and I have frequently proved it to be very effective in cases of W. A. HUTCHINSON.

### Diamond Salesman's Secrets.

"There is no line in which more care must be exercised than in selling diamonds," remarked one of the oldest dealers in Cleveland: "For instance, we don't dare show a man a larger stone than he can afford to buy.

"Even a diamond a carat or a carat and a half in size looks like a mighty small affair to pay so much money for, and if a man comes in expecting to pay \$75 for a diamond he may get disgusted and not buy at all if the salesman showshim something a little larger for \$200. The salesman, if he knows his business, will find to a certainty just how much a will find to a certainty just how much a customer is willing to pay before he shows him anything. "Then it's better not to show a color-

ed stone, such as a ruby or an emerald or a bluish diamond in connection with other diamonds. If you show some customers a colored stone and then but it away and show him a good white dia mond he will declare that the diamond is off color. It does not seem to be a whim so much as the effect on the eyes of the colors in the stones.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

# ENGLISH SPAVIN LINIMENT

Removes all hard, soft and callouse lumps and blemisnes from horses, blooms spaxin, curbs, splints, ringbone, sweeney, stifles, sprains, sore and swollen throat, coughs, etc. Save \$50 by use of one bottle. Warranted the most wonderful Blemish Cure ever known. Sold by drag-

# Electricity from Windmills.

The Danish Government has given The Danish Government has given some attention to the matter of securing electrical energy from windmills in that country. Nearly thirty thousand dollars have been appropriated and an experimental station established at Askoc. A great deal of valuable information has been accumulated. Amono othtion has been accumulated. Among oth er things it has been determined that an arrangement of four wings is the most effective. A smaller number does not fully utilize the wind power and a greater number makes a confusion of wind currents between the wings and serves to retard their movement.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

Effects of the Flurry. "Of course you've heard about this fin-ancial flurry, Mr. Snobleigh?"
"Yes. Miss Kockies."
"Isn't it awful the way everyone is affect-

"Why what difference can it make to you."

What difference? Why, its dreadful. Father says I can only run the automobile twenty-five miles a day, that I mustn't give more than two lunch parties a week, that I can only go to one matinee, that—that—that—oh, you havn't any idea what this all means to me"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Clessin comes in pieces so break it

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### METEORITES.

Strange Adventures of Wonderers
Through Celestial Space.

According to a prominent official engaged in astronomical work for the Government at Washington, some of the meteorites that fall upon the earth possess a peculiar structure, indicating that they have been more than once in a molten condition. He concludes, as a result of his studies of this class of meteorites, that they came originally from a volcano situated in some distant part of space, but that before reaching the earth they were subjected to great heat which metamorphosed their structure. To explain thise he suggests that in the course of their celestal journey they may have passed through the atmosphere of a sun, or may have been fused through the sudden birth of a new and neighboring star. The heat developed during their fall through our atmosphere is not sufficient to explain the changes they have undergons.

### BETTER THAN SPANKING.

Spenking does not cure children of bed-Spenking does not core constructional cause feether trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W. S. Windser, Oat., will send free to any moties her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money but write her to-day if your children trouble you in this way, boart name the child, the chances are it can't help it. This treatment absorbed adults and aged people troubled with usine difficulties by day or night.

Eggs That England Eats.

Each Londoner eats less than an egg and a half a cay.
English egg importations from France-have dropped in value from £1,500,000 to £600,000:

London consumes 800,000,000 eggs. weigh 60,000 tons and cost the eaters. £4,000,000.

Fifty per cent. of the eggs are laid in England, 15 per cent. are French eggs and 35 per cent. come from other coun-

English fresh laid eggs now bring 2s. £1. to 2s. 6d. per dozen. The next best egg, the Calais variety, brings is. 9d. 2s. These are winter prices.

These are winter prices:
The price of eggs in England has advanced greatly in late years. The value of last years home product was £2,500,000 greater than that of twelve-

years ago.

Last year England imported 2,255,000,000 eggs from Russia, Denmark, Germany, Belgium, France, Canada and other countries, the total value of which was 27,980,137.

Bathe the Baby with Mira Skin Soap. It cures chaffing; scalp irritation and all skin troubles.

# SKIN SOAP

is wonderfully soothing on account of its antiseptic, healing properties. Grateful to the most delicate skin, fragrant and refreshing. It is the best toilet soap as well as the best medicinal seap.

20c a cake—at druggists or sent on receipt of price. The Chemists Co. of Canada, Limited Hamilton.

Signing Pledge Illegal. The clergyman recorded complac

the twenty-seventh New Year pledge taking. "Excellent work, A glorious day," he

said. "And yet do you know that therewas once a time when all this sort of thing was criminal?" "No!"

"Yes. It was in India, at the beginning of the English occupation. Medical men believed in those days that a white man could not live in India without drinking. They thought he needed half a

drinking. They thought he needed half and pint of whiskey, or its equivalent, everyday. And they insisted on his taking its. "Temperance societies, total abottonence and the signing of the pledge were things forbidden in: India. Such thingswere thought injurious to the white-man's health out there. Hence to see the man's health out there. Hence to go in for them was to be arrested, fin prisoned, banished.

"But to-day in India total abstinence is encouraged, for it has been found that the abstainer stands the heat far better than does the man who drinks."2-From the Philadelphia Bulletin.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

Special Classification in Germany. The word "Eisenbahnbetriebstelegraph-

eninspektions-assistenten" would suggest German humor were it not recognized in the census of all the professions, trades and occupations which were pursued in the German Empire in June last. The calling in question is that of assistant inspector in the railway telegraph survice, and is one of 15,016; different occupations specialized by the census taken in that month. While some of the call-ings have naturally tens of thousands of followers there are many cases in which there are only a few, and in some only one person in the whole kingdom is earning his livelihood in some manner Gossip comes in pieces, so break it which necessitates e special classification.

— London Chronicle.

# Eddy's "SILENT" PARLOR MATCHES Silent as

the Sphinx!

# Portland, Me., City Hall Burned Down.

# Million Loss---700 Persons Escape.

Baltimore, Jan. 27 .-- Fire early to-day took heavy tolls of the members of the fire department of this city, three being dead and sixteen others more or less seriously injured, including Geo. Hoston, chief of the fire department, who is in a serious condition. He has a badly lacerated scalp and internal injuries. The dead are: Lieut. Frederick Har-

man, William B. Pugh, an unidentified man thought to be Emil Morrin.

The financial damage is estimated at

The blaze, which is the worst that has The blaze, which is the worst that has occured in this city since the calamity of 1904, started on the third floor of the building on the southeast corner of Holliday and Saratoga streets, occupied by the J. Regester Sons' Co., plumbers' supplies. Other occupants of the building were the Baltimore Bell & Brass Co. and the Wm. L. Hollingsworth Co. the ing were the Baltimore Bell & Brass Co. and the Wm. L. Hollingsworth Co., the machinists. Upon these three the heaviest losses will fall. The fire had apparently been burning some time before it was discovered. A strong northwest was discovered. A strong northwest wind and a very low temperature made the work of fighting the fire more than ordinarily difficult. In incredibly short time after the blaze broke out on the Saratoga street side of the Regester without warning a large building, and without warning, a large section of the north wall of the building

It was this that scattered death and injuries among the firemen who were working close to the building. The rain of bricks also put out of commission an extension ladder truck upon which some of the men had been working. For a time it seemed that the fire would sweep diagonally through the block to Gay street, and a number of people living on that thoroughfare moved their effects. Changes in the wind, however, enabled the firemen to confine the damage, in addition to that already mentioned, to the plants of the E. B. Read & Sons Co., printers, and the Flynn & Emrich Co. machinists, located in a five-storey building on Saratoga street, in the rear of the Regester building, the Lonhardt Wagon Co., Saratoga street, opposite the building in which the fire originated, the old City Hall building and the Zion school building.

building.

While responding to an alarm a hose wagon and a fire engine collided, and five of the men on the engine were injured, one of them seriously.

# MILLION DOLLAR FIRE

#### Lucky Escape of 700 People From Burning Building.

Portland, Me. Jan 27 .- A fire which rortland, Me. Jan 27.—A fire which caused a property camage of \$1,000,000 early to-day destroyed the City Hall and police buildings and endangered the lives of more than 700 persons, Although known as city hall, the building was divided between city and county offices while the police building sheltered the supreme, judicial and municipal courts in addition to the police department.

since the great conflagration in Port-land in 1866, when the city's business and residential sections were almost completely wiped out.

Death was absent from the fire, a fact considered very remarkable as there was more than 700 members of the Western Maine Knights of Pythias jubilee gathered in the auditorium of the city hall when the flames were discovered. Only a few persons were hurt. Chief Engreeer Melville Eldridge the only one known to be seriously injured only one known to be seriously injured was able to direct the fight against the fiames throughout being supported by

financial loss is estimated at \$1,-000,000, but this sum will not cover the loss of the papers and decuments in the registry of deeds where everything was registry of deeds where everything was destroyed. Other city departments were swept clear of everything by the flames, with the exception of the city clerks and the city treasurer's offices. The money and securities in the latter are

believed to be intact.
One of the most valuable libraries in the State, the greenleaf law collection was completely destroyed with an esti-mated loss of \$10,000. The fire is said to have been caused y crossed wires.

Chief Engineer Eldridge was injured by the breaking away of a Siamese coupling of hose, which hit him in the coupang of nose, which hit him in the stomach. When the flames communicated to the police building where the city jail is located, the prisoners were liberated. The building, which was a five storey brick structure, was burned. The city hall survived the great fire a 1866, although it was badly damaged at that time. It was first opened in

1859. The building had a frontage of 150 creased.

The property destroyed was insured for \$240,000.

# LIEUT. BROWNE'S SUICIDE.

smoking with two friends. He passed a casual remark and rose from the easy

Three Killed and Sixteen chair in which he was sitting and walked upstairs. Nobody suspected that anything was wrong until a muffled report was heard coming from the direction of the top storey. His friends immediately made a dash for the stairway and up to

There they found Lieut. Browne lying on his face, his arms outstretched, shot in the head, and the revolver lying close to his right hand. He had evidently died instantly. Lieut. Browne had been in poor health for some time.

### TO SPLIT ON SOCIALISM.

### The New Labor Movement Already Launched in England.

Launched in England.

London, Jan. 27.—There are signs of dissatisfaction among the trades unions at the declaration in favor of Socialism made by the Labor Congress yesterday, and a split in the Labor party on the question is predicted. According to one report, a new movement has already been in augurated to form a Labor party independent of Socialism. The leaders of the movement, it is said, confidently believe that a majority of the trades unionists will support it. They declare that the vote of the congress was a snap one, and that at least one great trades union, the Amalgamated Society of Railway Servants, with a membership of 70,000, did not have an opportunity to instruct its delegates on the question.

tes on the question. Steadman, M.P., secretary of Mr. Steadman, M.P., secretary of the Parliamentary Committee of the Trades Union Congress, said, in an interview, that the vote would not bind the trades unions. It was a mere expression of biased opinion. Scoretary Appleton. of the General Federation of Trades Unions, spoke in a similar way.

#### PROVINCIAL LAW ULTRA VIRES? Novel Point in Case Against Fur Merchants.

An Ottawa despatch: A fine point in law was raised in Hull to-day in the case against Revillon Bros., of Montreal, charged with having 400 beaver skins illegally in thier possession.

The case opened this morning be-fore Magistrate St. Julien. Mr. Bros-seau, K. C., at the opening of the case, said the intention of the defeace case, said the intention of the defence was to fight the prosecution on the ground that the Indians from whom the skins were bought had the right, under an old treaty from the Dominion, to kill and dispose of beaver, and that, therefore, the provisions of the provincial law were ultra vires as applied to Indians.

The point was new to the magis-

The point was new to the magistrate and to others in the court, and time to put his case in proper shape, ar adjournment was granted until Feb

# NAME NOT EXCLUSIVE.

#### Salvation Army of United States Denied Injunction.

New York, Jan. 27.—The right of the Salvation Army of the United States, of which Gen. Wm. Booth is the head, to the exclusive use of that or any similar name, was denied to-day by Justice Newburger in the Supreme Court. Justice Newburger's decision was on an application made by the Salvation Army of the United States for an injunction to restrain the American Salvation Army, headed by James W. Duffin, from

using that name. using that name.

Counsel for the applicant, in arguing for the injunction, declared that the application was made on the ground that the Duffin organization had The fire was the worst in the state ince the great conflagration in Port

# HAIR CAUGHT IN MACHINE.

#### Young Girl's Head Drawn Down to Palley.

A Guelph despatch: While working a ne of the machines in the carpet mills this morning, Miss Beatrice Thompson, a girl of 19 years of age, met with painful accident, which might easily have been attended by fatal results. She went around to the back of the machine to adjust a part known as the collar-box, when her hair caught in a set screw on a revolving shaft. The girl's hair wound round the shaft, and an instant her face was against a fast moving pulley. One of the men working near heard her screams and

# ISLANDS DISAPPEARED.

#### Three Have Vanished Off the Yucatan Coasy.

New York, Jan. 27 .- A despatch to The eral Metcorological Bureau has been advised that recent volcanic disturbances off the coast of Yucatan have caused three islands to disappear. These islands were called Ob-ispo Notre, Obispo Sur and Cayo Nuevo. They were of considerable size and well known to navigators. There were several guano camps on two of them. Whether the submergence caused loss of life is not stated. In places the Yucatan Shore line has been completely changed. The harbor at has had its depth greatly de-

# FOG ENSHROUDS EUROPE.

### It Covers an Area of About 600,000 Square Miles:

A Well-Known Young Montreal Man Shoots Himself.

Montreal despatch: A sensation was caused to-day when the news spread that Lieutenant II. Gordon Browne had committed sufeide. He was an officer in the Victoria Rifles and confidential secretary to Lieut. Col. Whitehead.

Lieut. Browne had been chatting and concline with two friends. He passed a covers an area of about 600,000 square Jan. 27.-Europe is envel-

overs an area of about 600,000 square

# ALL ABOARD.

### Missing Passengers of the Steamer Amsterdam All Safe.

Hook of Holland, Jan. 27 .- All the passengers and crew of the Amsterdam were brought in here safely at noon to-day.

The steamer Amsterdam belongs to The steamer Amsterdam belongs to the Great Eastern Railway Co. She sailed from Harwich on January 21st, with 56 passengers on board, for Rot-terdam. That same night she collided with the British steamer Axminster near Nieuw Waterweg, and sustained serious damages. Her crew and passen-gers left her in small boats, and all the boats excepting one were speedily pick-ed up.

numbered 25, and the crew seven. They were picked up by the Norwegian steamer Songa one hour after they left the Amsterdam in a small boat. The Songa was bound from Harwich for Rottterdam. The heavy fog which has prevailed prevented the Songa from landing, and made impossible an effective search for the missing people. They were on board the Songa for two days and a half. When the fog partly cleared up this morning the lifeboat Caumsee, from Hock of Holland, found the Songa, took the party on board, and Songa, took the party on board, and brought them here.

# RUSSIAN NAVY.

# Czar's Programme Opposed by Douma and High Officials.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 27.- The conflict between the Emperor and the Douma over the naval plan which entails an expenditure of \$500,000,000 is steadily developing in a direction unfavorable to the realization of the Emperor's ambi

The scheme, which M. Kokovsoff, the Minister of Finance, privately declared spelled ruin to Russian finances, has net opposition in unexpected quarters.

At a meeting held last week of the

Council of Imperial Defence, under the presidency of Grand Duke Nicholas Nich olaievitch, representatives of the army opened the regular campaign against the programme. The Grand Duke himself declared that in his opinion the navy was in an anarchical state, and a hotbed of mutinies, unworthy to be entrusted struction.

The Cabinet, which unanimously oppos-

ed the naval programme, has privately passed the hint among the Conservatives in the Douma, encouraging the discussion against the programme in or-der to influence the Emperor, whose mind hitherto has appeared to be set on its fulfilment.

### GROWTH OF A CENTURY. Manyfold Increase of Mission Work and

Givings.

A Toronto despatch: The growth of Christian missions was strikingly shown by Rev. Dr. A. B. Simpson, of New York, founder of the Christian and Missionary Alliance, at last night's meeting of the Ali liance convention in Zion Congregational Church. Less than \$75,000 was the whole ncome of all missionary societies in the world a hundred years ago; to day their combined income amounts to \$20,000,000. A hundred years ago there was scarcely a convert; to-day there are 1,500,000 communicants in the mission churches, and 5,000,000 nominally friends and adherents of Christianity. Then there were perhaps fifty translations of the Scriptures, and comparatively few copies of each in circulation; to-day the Bible is circulated in more than five hundred versions, and more than 500, 000,000 copies have been scattered among the missions. A century ago there was just a handful of missionaries; to-day 10,000 British, American and continental missionaries are at work, besides 80,000 native workers, nearly 100,000 workers in all.

# BANK FRONT WRECKED.

#### New York Institution Shattered by Bomb.

New York, Jan. 27.—An exploding bomb to-night wrecked the front of an Italian lank building on Elizabeth street, briefly exposing \$40,000 in silver and gold, which the bankers, Pasquale. Pati & Son, had piled in the windows as ocular proof of their ability to pay deposi ors on demand.

The junior partner, Salvatore Pati

who was on guard inside, was badly cut by the glass that crashed in upon him, but stuck by his charge, and soon had the money stored away in the vaults If robbery was the object, it is believed the perpetrators were amateurs who lost courage at the critical moment when the empting treasure was within arm's

### TO ENTRAP THE REGENT. Socialist Plot Discovered and Was Frustrated.

Berlin, Jan. 27.—A Socialist ferment akin to that which is going on here, is agritating other cities. A demonstration at Brunswick late last night led to a serious fight between the police and a Socialist mob numbering nearly 2,000 persons. It was stated that it was planned to entrap the Duke of Meckplanned to entrap the Duke of Meek-lenburg, the Regent, when he was leaving the court theatre, but he was forewarned and left the building by a private entrance at the end of the first act. Near midnight, realizing that it had missed its prey, the mob attacked the police with stones, whereupon the latter charged with their swords. Scores were wounded.

# THE UNEMPLOYED FLED.

Chicago, Jan. 27.—An attempt of the Socialists to bring about a "march of the unemployed" through the downtown streets to day to the City Hall resulted in two sharp fights with the police, in which the would-be marchers were routed after a number of men had been clubbed. Dr. Benjamin Reitman, the originator of the plan to march through the streets, and two of his fol-

# ADMITTED HE PUT POISON IN.

#### BEAMSVILLE CANDY CASE BEING TRIED AT ST. CATHARINES.

James L. Karr, the Defendant, Made a Simple Statement of How He Doped the Sweets.

A St. Casharines, Ont., despatch: The case against Jas. L. Karr, the Beamsville boy charged with administering poison to George Russell, was opened before Police Magistrate Riggins yesterday afternoon, when evidence was given by Russell, Dr. C. A. D. Fairfield, who sold the poison, and Albert Wright, Oolin Wadeham, Lorne Konkle, James Tufford, Leonard Lintner, Franklin Hichman, all of whom swore they saw Karr put a powdered substance into chocolates, which he gave to Russell. The doctor's evidence was to the effect that he sold a quantity of cantharides to Karr, telling him it was poison. Later he attended Aussell, who was ill from the poisoning, but after treatment recovered.

Karr was sworn and said that on

Karr was sworn and said that a recent Sunday, when he was in Tuf-ford's livery stable, he heard some one mention cantharides and decided to get mention cantharides and decided to get some. According to his story, he and Tufford went to get the drug from Dr. Fairfield, Tufford remaining outside while the prisoner and three others bor-ed a hole in the chocolate and put the poison in, one of the candies being sub-sequently given by Karr to Russell. equently given by Karr to Russe The hearing of the case wa ourned till Thursday.

While giving his testimony young Russell fainted and had to be carried to

# LABOR IN CANADA.

LABOR GAZETTE GIVES REVIEW OF

Outlook for 1908 Regarded as Favorable, in View of Railway Construction, Etc.—Hundred and Forty-Nine Trade Disputes in 1907.

Ottawa, Jan. 27.—This month's issue of the Labor Gazette contains an ex-tended review of the industrial and labor conditions throughout Canada dur-ing the calendar year 1907. The condition of industry and of general employ ment is described in the opening para graph of the article in part, as follows

During the first nine months of 1907 the general prosperity of trade and in-dustry and the very active conditions of employment that were more pronounced in 1906 than in any previous year in the history of the Dominion were continued without abatement. Prices and wages, which went steadily upward in 1906, reached still higher levels in the spring

and summer of 1907.

With the close of the summer season With the close of the summer season, however the growing stringency in the money markets of the world began to be felt in Canada in the way of cheeking the rapid increase in production and equipment, which had been uninterrupted for some time before. The yield of wheat and grain in the Northwest Provinces, and in Ontario also, showed a falling off as compared with 1906, and although the Atlantic fisheries and coal mines had an exceptionally busy year throughout, with labor in active demand, and though the volume of traffic and the earnings of the railway com-panies were the largest ever recorded, the output of manufactured goods and of the various metals was less in the closing months of the year than in the corresponding season of 1906. The lumbering industry both in British Columbia and in Ontario and the eastern Provoinces was also quiet throughout the

autumn, with preparations under way for a smaller cut than last year. With the close of the season of outdoor activity, more than the usual number of unemployed were reported in cer-tain of the larger centres, though the ongation of mild weather in western Canada enabled an unusually large amount of land to be prepared for the season of 1908. During the closing weeks of the year there was a noticeable improvement in the general tone of the labor market and in industrial and commercial circles following upon the somewhat easier financial conditions. The outlook for 1908 was regarded as very favorable in view of the large amount of railway construction and other work in progress, the vast extent of land still unoccupied in western Canada, and the prevailing opinion that the money shortage would be overcome.

The issue also contains a special residue of the trade disputes occurring in

### EARTHOUAKE IN CALABRIA. Number of Severe Shocks Felt in Several Villages.

Reggio di Calabria, Jan. 27.—A. strong earthquake shook this province to-day. The inhabitants, recalling the devastation wrought by the earthquake of last October, were thrown into a condition of frenzied panic. Up to the present time no report of loss of life has been received. The loss of life has been received. The shocks were particularly severe at the vilages of Bianco, Brancaleone, Bruzzane and Ferruzzano. Screaming and terrified, the people rushed from their houses to the open fields, or took refuge in the nearby subterranger gratter. ean grottos

# HANDS AND FEET FROZEN.

#### Unfortunate Young Englishman May Lose All His Limbs.

Lloydminster, Sask., Jan. 27.-Percy Ingram was brought into the hospital yesterday with his hands and feet frozen. From what can be learned he left a settler's house two miles out to come to town and got lost. Doctors say that yesterday with his hands and feet frozen. From what can be learned he left a settler's house two miles out to come to town and got lost. Doctors say that the arms are frozen to the elbows and his feet to the knees, and that there is every probability that all will have to be taken off. Mr. Ingram is an Englishman, and is sail, to be a nephew of the Bishop of London.

stock, and City Relief Officer Taylor cannot supply the demand.

Mr. Kelso, however, points out that some of the local institutions have a corner in the market, and are keeping to be considered in explosion that would have wrecked the house and killed the inmates.

An expert, who disclosed the national theory, said there was enough of the explosive to destroy a block. The child said he was given the plaything hy some boys passing the house.

# **CLEVER ESCAPE OF MAN** CHARGED WITH CONSPIRACY.

# Supposed to Have Skipped During Confusion Caused by an Explosion.

daring escape to-day from the San Julia It was learned later that Dr. Lope prison, a strong fortress at the mouth of the Lagus River.

Lecause of the high social position of Dr. Lopez permission was given a party of his friends to visit him in prison. This party went to the fortress in a motor car. As the automobile drew up in front of the prison a terrific explosion was heard. The commander of the prison, after a brief investigation, ordered that the party be detained and rearrest of Dr. Lopez.

London, Jan. 27 .- A despatch has been guards were placed around the fortress eccived here from Lisbon saying that A further examination was then made Dr. Farmano Lopez, who was connected but no explanation of the explosion with the recent conspiracy to blow up could be found. The visitors were then Premier Franco with a bomb, made a allowed to depart in their motor car.

It was learned later that Dr. Lopez had escaped during the confusion following the explosion. Some one had tossed him keys through the grating of the window to his cell. With these he unlocked the door and joined his friends. He is supposed to have gone away in the motor car disguised with heavy rimmed motor glasses and a big coat.

The entire staff of the fortress, including the comma aler, has been are

# A PORTUGUESE PLOT

#### ASSASSINATE PREMIER AND OVERTHROW THRONE.

#### Was Nipped in the Bud-Forty Arrests Were Made-Many Officers in Lishon Garrison Are Disloval.

Lisbon, Jan. 23 (by courier to Badajos, Spain, Jan. 27.—An abortive attempt to overthrow the monarchy and proclaim Portugal a republic was nipped in the bud last night by the prompt action of the Government. The plot was organized by a small group of advanced Republicans. As near as can be ascertained, the plan was to assassinate Premier Franco, and then depend for success on street risings, supported by secret, Republican and Labor organizations, armed with bombs and revolvers.

The conspirators intended to take advantage of various festivities to

The conspirators intended to trans-advantage of various festivities to carry out the coup do stat. The Royal family were at Vila Viscosa enter-taining the Duke of Abruzzi. Most of the army and navy officers who were in the city were attending a gala performance at the theatre, while performance at the theatre, while many of the chief functionaries of

many of the chief functionaries of State were present at a magnificent bal! at one of the Legations.

The police discovered what was in the wind early in the evening and surrounded and raided a house where the ring-leaders in the plot were conferring. When they broke in the doors ferring. When they broke in the doors the lights were extinguished, and in the confusion that followed most of the conspirators managed to make their escape. Several of them, how-ever, were captured, including the leader, Joaa Chagas, a Republican leader, Joaa Chagas, a Republican fournalist, who was prominent in the Republican revolt of 1891; Franca Borger, editor of Omundo, and a merchant by the name of Crendella. A case of revolvers and bombs were found in the cellar.

By to-night about 40 conspirators

By to-night about 40 conspirators had been arrested. The police have secured evidence of another revolt planned to take place Jan. 27, the an niversary of the Republican revolt at Oporto, if last night's plans failed. The general political situation is marked by increasing activity on the part of the Republicans and the Miguelites. Senor Miguel has announced that his programme includes the recognition of Parliament's right of assemblage, abolition of the death penalty, and all excesses of absolutism. Owing to the political situation the premium on gold is rissing rapidly. The Diario Popolar prints a sensa-tional article to the effect that many officers in the Lisbon garrison are under suspicion of being implicated in the constitution

# PRICE OF COAL

# May Not Reduce the Price on April 1st as Usual.

New York, Jan. 27 .- Anthracite coal The issue also contains a special review of the trade disputes occurring in Canada during 1907. Altogether, 149 trade disputes, affecting 34,694 workpeople, and causing a loss of 613,986 working days, occurred in 1967, compared with 138 disputes affecting 26,014 workpeople and causing a loss of 489,775 working days in 1906.

New York, Jan. 27.—Anthracite coal interests, according to the Times this morning, are considering the maintenance of anthracite coal at present prices instead of following the custom of recent years and reducing the rates by fifty cents a ton on April 1. An official of cents a ton on April 1. An official of one of the anthracite coal roads is quot-ed as saying that while the plan of re-ducing the price of coal on April 1 and advancing it ten cents a ton per month for five months following was intended to distribute the production and marketing of coal as nearly as possible over the entire year, it had not had that effect.

# CHILDREN ARE SCARCE.

#### Children's Aid Societies Have None Available for Adoption.

Toronto, Jan. 27.—There is a scar-Toronto, Jan. 27.—There is a scar-city of children. Parents of some families may be inclined to doubt the information, but Mr. J. J. Kelso, Superintendent of Neglected and De-pendent Children, fearlessly asserts it as a fact. Of course, it is neglect-ed children who are scarce in On-tario, and it appears that hundreds of people are falling over one an-other to find some one to adopt. But they cannot secure families in this they cannot secure families in this way, for 69 Children's Aid Societies in Ontario have not an infant in stock, and City Relief Officer Taylor

# LORD DEVONSHIRE

### Woodman's Costly Gowns For His Best Girl.

Detroit, Jan. 27.—Geo. T. Woodn alias Lord Devonshire, who on Tuesday evening last married a Miss Scott. of this city, and on Wednesday was arrested on suspicion, will be taken back to Toronto to answer the charge of stealing two hundred dollars' worth

of jewelry.
The arrest of Woodman results from a tip that Siegel, the Woodward avenue merchant, gave the police sev-eral days ago Woodman called at avenue merchan, woodman called as Siegel's store and purchased gowns valued at \$300 to \$400 for his brids, to-be, but instead of paying for the gowns offered a cheque on a Toronto bank book. Mr. Siegel kept the bank book and wired to Toronto to find out whether Woodman had funds in the Toronto bank before he delivered the roronto bank before he delivered the gowns. An answer was returned saying that Woodman was unknown. The police investigated and Woodman's arrest followed.

# NEW KLONDIKE STRIKES.

#### Decomposed Rock Found Full of Free Gold.

New York, Jan. 27.—The Herald has received the following despatch from Tacoma, Wash.: Dawson despatches tell of three new gold strikes in the Upper Yukon. A new creek, known as the Black Hills, a tributary of the Stewart River, has been staked for thirty-three

It is said that twenty cents to two dollars per pan is being taken from new-ly located claims on Little Blanchs Creek, in the Klondike district. The Lite Blanchs had been convicted for tle Blanche had been overlooked for ten years, but will probably make several

large fortunes.
Three Peel River Indians have reached Dawson with samples of decompose rock full of free gold. They say the rock is plentiful where they got it, as nittee of quartz miners has acmpanied them back to investigate. This year's clean-up, including summer work, is now estimated at ten millions

# ENDS LIFE WITH REVOLVER.

#### Young English Mechanic Found Dying in His Room.

A Toronto despatch: The injuries, selfinflicted, which led to Eugene Chandon to St. Michael's Hospital yesterday, resulted in his death yesterday afternoon. He was found lying across his bed at Hughes' restaurant, 38 West Market

Hughes' restaurant, 38 West Market street, at about 11.30 yesterday morning, with a couple of bullets in the right side of his head.

Chandos worked for the W. & J. G. Greey Company as a mechanic, but had been sick for two days and not at work. In his pocket was found a pawn ticket for his watch. He had only been marty had been side of the street of ried six months. An inquest is not considered necessary.

# BOAT STILL MISSING.

#### No Trace of the 21 Passingers of the Amsterdam.

Hook of Holland, Jan. 27 .- The small boat from the steamer Amsterdam, which was in collision yesterday with the steamer Axminster, which contained a number of persons who abandoned the vessel, is still missing. It contains 21 passengers, the steward, three stewardsesses, ers, the steward, three stewardesses, a sailor and two firemen. The fog, which has been practically continuous for four days, is as thick as ever. The sea remains calm. Tugs and lifebouts searched for the missing boat for hours to-day, and religence. for hours to-day, and policemen patrolled the coast looking for her and made enquiries aboard of several anchored vessels. Nothing was learned of the boat or its occupants.

# DYNAMITE AS CHILD'S TOY.

# Galt Four-Year-Old Was About to Ham-

mer Stick on Stove. Calt, Jan. 27.—A four-year-old member of the family of John McKenzie, moulder, discovered what the youngster termed "a nice toy." It was in the shape of a cylindrical stick, and on examination was found to be dynamite. It is over a foot long, and the child was about to hammer it on the kitchen stove, when the mother interposed, and

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The following poem, written by a graduate of the Athens Reporter office, now on the staff of the Caron (Sask.) News, commemorates the opening of the new public school building at that

The voice of the throng had spoken, The word of command was passed, We looked a time for the answ And behold! it appeared at last. The brick had been laid in its mortar.

The shingle to weather nailed; A bell, with its cheery greeting, The morn of completion hailed.

Now we listen to noisy footfalls In classroom, basement and halls, And think of the myriad buildings Being started within these walls Buildings of varying manhood

That will grace our land, or mar, According as each is builded In the plan of things that are.

Here the knowledge that leads to know

ledge, Making knowledgestill deeper sought Will be laid as a firm foundation, Cemented with purest thought. The cry of our age is "forward," All must prepare for the test, And the minds of Canada's offspring

Need nurture of Canada's best. Will they cast a due reflection On the worthy hands that strove To build them a true foundation? Believing. we wait to prove.

The years to come will give answer In these characters, scattered far, When we've changed for things that

The plan of things that are. -CHARLIE GREENE.

# FROM SUNNY ALBERTA

Edison, Alta., Jan. 4th, '08. Dear Old Reporter,-

I was away from home a few months and upon my return I found a bunch of Reporters waiting me, which was as much of a treat almost as a visit to the old Home Land again. One of the big events I noticed was A. E. Donovan had got to be M.P.P. am sure he will make his mark. Also, Geo. P. Graham and The People's Daniel both had big promotions.

I am commencing my second year homestead duties on my claim. I am located in Township 60, range 26, section 14, west of the 4th meridian, about 450 miles north of the interna tional boundary, 50 miles north of Edmonton and 50 miles south of Athabasca Landing. This is going to to be a fine farming country. A coal mine was discovered here this summer, 25 miles south of Edison. While boring for oil, at 18 teet, asphalt was struck, at about 400 feet gas was struck with 400 lbs. steam gauge pressure, and will soon be connect with Edmonton and Strathcona.

Since the 15th of September there hasn't been a storm of rain or snow or wind to speak of till the present time, soon be four months. The ground is white with snow but very poor sleigh ing. It would be useless to say more now about this country, as the Star of Montreal in its issue of the 18th Dec. devoted a large space to it, and did not do more than justice to this Land of Sunshine. I left cur two boys, Morton and Arthur, in Edmonton,

where I expect to go soon. A short time ago I called for a ticket for Morinville at the C.N.R. depot, Edmonton. The clerk said "Hello," me by name. I was surprised. It was Manliff Berney, an Athens boy, and he knew me at once. Mr Editor, pa don me for taking up

so much of your time. MINOR BATES.

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On his last visit to his old home Hannibal, Mo., Mark Twain told the school children a story of a schoolnecessary for him to guarantee, though

"This boy," he said, "awoke one morning very ill. His groans alarmed the household. The doctor was sent for and came posthaste.

"'Well,' said the doctor, as he entered the sickroom, 'what is the trou-

"'A pain in my side,' said the boy. "'A pain in the head?"

"Yes, sir.'
"Is the right hand stiff?" "'A little."

"'How about the right foot?" "That's stiff too." "The doctor winked at the boy's

mother standing by. "'Well,' he said, 'you're pretty sick. But you'll be able to go to school on Monday. Let me see, today is Satur-

'Is today Saturday?' said the boy in a vexed tone. 'I thought it was Friday.

"Half an hour later the boy declared himself healed and got up. Then they packed him off to school, for it was Friday, after all." We think that the humorist knew

this boy very well indeed.—Woman's Home Companion.

The proprietor of a billiard and pool room in West Philadelphia was annoyed by a certain customer who, though he was a regular, had a bad habit of putting the chalk in his pocket and walking off with it. The propri-

etor decided to put a stop to this man's carelessness, so one day last week be went up to him and asked: "What business are you in?" "Me! Why, I'm in the milk business. Why?" was the answer. "Thought so," said the proprietor,
"from the amount of chalk that you take away with you. Any time that you want a bucket of water come

around, as I may as well let you have that also."—Philadelphia Ledger. Too Young. He was a beardless youth, and the peachy down was on 'as cheek.
"Darling," he whispered, "I beg of

you to give me just one kiss. They But the beautiful girl shook her head and withdrew to the far end of the "No, Freddy," she replied in tantaliz-

ing tones; "I don't want to do anything unlawful." "Uniawful, Miss Rose?" "Yes; you know it is against the law to give intoxicants to minors. And then poor Freddy melted away

like a tub of ice cream at a Sunday

school picnic.—Chicago News.

Freddle had been spending the day with his aunt and had been duly instructed beforehand as to his behavior. Upon his return his mother questioned m as to what he had said and done while away from home. His conduct semed to have been most exemplary in every way.

"I'm glad you were such a good little boy," complimented his mother, "and didn't take a second helping of meat." "No, ma," replied Freddie very proud-y. "I remembered what you'd told

me and said I'd take two plates of ice m instead."—Harper's Weekly. A Base Innuendo.

Cholly-I-I-I nevah was so insulted m my life. I—I snapped my ciga-wette case at him weal viciously, don-

cher know. Freddie-That policeman, deah boy? hat did he do? holly-Thweatened to awwest me f appeawing on the stweet in male

Hard to Tell.

Mrs. Style—I'd like to see your baby, my dear. Is it here in the park with these others?

Mrs. Caste-Yes, it's here somewhere, but the new nurse my husband engaged came while I was out, and I don't know her by sight myself yet -Baltimore American.



The Counterfeiter-It's easy to make money. The Confidence Man-Yes, but the trouble is to pass it without gotting caught.-Philadelphia Press.

Its Advantages.
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# DAYTOWN

Esther Wood, who has been visiting at J. H. Wood's for the past week

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Jas Huffman is drawing wood the lime kiln at Delta

Robert Irwin is getting out a quantity of lumber for market this

### LANSDOWNE

in the Methodist church here are well attended, and Rev R. Whiteside, the evangelist, is well thought of by all who bear him.

Mr and Mrs Wm Spicer of Newboro are visiting at Mr S. H. DeWolfe's.

Miss Findlay and her niece, little Ruth Deans, are ill with diphtheria of a very mild type. Miss M. Webster Miss Cornell of Gananoque is visit

ing her grandmother, Mrs S. Freden

Miss S. Warren of Rockfield and Miss McRae of Greenfield were guests, of Mrs Z. Austin last week.

Miss Maud Sommers of Rockfield is the guest of her aunt, Mrs Bigford. Mr and Mis John Herbison of Rock field spent Sunday with their son, Hilliard.

Mr and Mrs Dr Bradley spent Tues day in Kingston with Mrs B's parents.

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#### Mr R. R. Phillip attended the court District News

### GLOSSVILLE

busy just at present, getting out their wood. The farmers in this vicinity are

Mrs J. Hewitt is very sick, but we hope she will soon recover under the skillful treatment of Drs. Dixon and

North West are visiting his brother,

B.W. & N. W. Heart Strength People that attended the box social at Singleton's Corners report a good

Heart Strength, or Heart Weakness, means Nervestrength, or Nerve Weakness—nothing more. For titvely, not one weak heart in a hundred is, in its self, actually diseased. It is almost always a hidden tiny little nerve that really is all at taut,—simply needs, and must have, more power, more stability, mean coutrolling, more governing stability, mean coutrolling, more governing strength. Without that the Heart must contact to fall, and the stomach and kidneys also have to fall, and the stomach and kidneys also have to fall, and the stomach and kidneys also have to fall, and the stomach and kidneys also have to fall, and the stomach and kidneys as medicine, Dr. Shoop fars sought to sail the past done so much for weak and alling Hearts. Dr. Shoop first sought the sails of all this painful, palpitating, suffocating feart dispress, Dr. Shoop's Restorative—this oppular prescription—is alone directed to these typak and wagging nerve centers. It builds: suffered to these typak and wagging nerve centers. It builds: suffered to the fast of the strengthens; it offers Yeal, getfiline heart help. If you would have strong Hearts, strong direction, strengthen these 'nerves — re-establish hom as needed, with The special services now in progress

Restorative of Brockville is nursing them.

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Mrs J. Foley is visiting her daughter

her friend, Mrs (Dr) Bradley.

nerves get weak, then those organs always fail. Don't drug the Stomach nor stimulate the Heart or kidneys That is simply a makeshift. Get a prescription known to Druggists every where as Dr Shoop's Restorative. The Restorative is prepared expres ly for these weak inside nerves. Strengthen these nerves, build them up with Dr Shoop's Restorative-tablets or liquid -and see how quickly help will come, Free samples sent on request by Dr Shoop, Racine, Wis. Your health is surely worth this simple test. Sold by all dealers.

# CAINTOWN

Jan. 20.-School reopened on Monday last Jan 20th, with a full attend, ance. Miss Maud Avery is teacher for the year. Mr James A. Ferguson was home

r Sunday from Kingston. Mr Ira Andress has secured the

services of Mr Stevens of Athens to services of Mr Stevens of Athens to run his black-smith shop in Caintown. Mrs S. Dowsley is fast improving

# **Psychine Missionaries**

A friend of Dr. Slocum Remedies writes: "Send a bottle of Psychine to Mrs. W. They have a daughter in decline, and I believe it would help her. I have mentioned your remedies to the family, and also cited some of the miraculous cures accomplished inside the last 18 years, of which I have knowledge."

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Run down conditions from lung, stemach or other constitutional trouble curad by Psychine. At all druggists, 50c and \$1.00, or Dr. T. A. Slocum, Ltd., Toronto at the Reporter Office.

Mr James Eligh has opened up black smith shop in the shop owner by Mr James Tennant,

Mr Harley Ferguson is the proud possessor of a fast horse and a fine w cutter. Mr H. W. Powell made a

rip to Ottawa this week. Feb. 2nd. Church in the Methodist. Church in the evening instead of the

To check a cold quickly, get from your druggist some little Candy Cold Tablets called Preventics. Druggists everywhere are now dispensing Preventics, for they not only safe, but decidedly certain and prompt. Preventics contain no Quinine, no laxative, nothing harsh nor sickening.
Taken at the "sneeze stage" Preventics
will prevent Pneumonia, Bronchits, La
Grippe, etc. Hence the name, Preventics. Good for feverish children, 48 Preventics 25c. Trial Boxes 5c Sold by all dealers.

### GREENBUSH

Jan. 20-Mr John Hall of Ganan que was visiting at Mrs D. Blanch

Miss Winnie Olds of Brockville is home for a few days. Miss Jackson of Delta is visiting at the home of E. W. Jackson.

Good roads are making things lively at Mr A. Root's mill, as large quanti ties of logs are being brought, requiring him to run the mill at night. Mr Joseph Priddle is engaged as head sawyer and is giving satisfaction.

Mr Gilbert Olds has engaged Messrs W. and L. Langdon to cut logs, timber and fire wood. Mr H. Davis is looking for a place

to cut ice for his cheese factory. Mr James Carter and wife of Alex andria Bay are visiting Mr A. For

Mr Walter Greer of Fairfield visited friends here on Sunday last.

### RECIPE MIXED OFTEN

Some remarkable stories are being told about town and among the country people coming in of this simple home made mixture curing Rheuma-tism and Kidney trouble. Here is ore visiting at Mr S. H. DeWolfe's,

Mr and Mrs Thad. Purvis of Mal lorytown were visiting at Mr Will Todd's last week.

Mr S. H. DeWolfe's,

Mix by shaking well in a bottle one half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound France. one ounce Compound Kargon, three ounces Compound Syrup. Take as a dose one teaspoonful after meals and

No change need be made in your usual diet, but drink plenty of good

This mixture, writes one authority in a leading Philadelphia newspaper, a peculiar tonic effect upon the kidneys; Sleansing the clogged up pores of the climinative tissues, force ing the kidneys to sift and strain from the blood the uric acid and other poisonous waste matter, overcoming Rheu natism, Bladder and Urinary troubles in a short while.

A New York druggist who has had hundred of calls for these ingredients since the first announcement in the newpapers last October stated that the people who once try it "swear by especially those with Urinary and matian

The druggists in this neighborhood say they can supply the ingredients, which are easily mixed at home. There is said to be no better blood cleansing agent or system tonic known, and certainly none more harmless or

# A White Goods Sale

The great annual White Goods Sale of Robert Wright & Co., Brockville, is now in progress To those who have visited this sale in previous years little need be said—the values then of t ined speak most convincingly. As mem bers of the Canadian Dry Goods Syn dicate, Messrs Robert Wright & Co. share in the low prices obtained by immense grouped orders, and this is why they are able to offer such surpris ing values. It will pay any prudent purchaser to visit this great sale Mail orders are given prompt attention.

# Card of Thanks

Mrs Jonas Steacy desires through the medium of the Reporter to acknowledge with thanks the receipt from the officers of the local lodge of A.O.U W. of a cheque for \$2,000, being the amount of insurance held in the order by her late husband.

# Unimpeachable

accompanied the cheque.

If you were to see the unequal volune of unimpeachable testimony in favor of Hood': Sarsaparilla, you would upbraid yourself for so long delaying to take this effective alterative and tonic medicine for that blood disease from which you are suffering. It eradicates scrofula and all other humors and cures all their inward and

outward effects. Take Hood's. -Wedding Stationery-the verylatest

Russia leads the world in planting forests, America in devastating them.

Persian Clothes.
Persians are fond of fine clothes The usual costume for men includes collarless shirt of light, pretty material cut low at the neck and with long, loose sleeves and a vest that fits closely to the figure, also with wide, flowing sleeves.

Wedding Rings. Wedding rings were worn by both Jews and Romans at dates long prior to the Christian era.

To extract the essence of any flower put the petals in layers in an earthen jar, covering each layer with one of salt. Do this until jar is full. Cover closely and put in a cool place. Leave for a month, then strain off the essence by means of a press. Put essence in a bottle and add a few drops to every pint of water. It will impart a mos delicate fragrance.

### Posters. Posters were originally stuck on posts; hence their name.

Plain Food. The man who enjoys plain food, says the Lancet, is miles ahead, physically and physiologically speaking, of the man who would leave his meal un-touched if it were not that every item of it was calculated to "tickle the pal-

The Largest Serpent. The largest serpent ever measured was an anaconda which Dr. Gardner found dead in Mexico. It was thirty-seven feet long, and it took two horses to drag it.

Washington.
Washington was made a Mason in 1753 and attained a higher dignity in the order than any of the other presidents, though Andrew Jackson was grand master of Tennessee.

The Peaceful Dove. In spite of the fact that the dove is the emblem of peace a couple of cock birds of this deceitful species can give a very good account of themselves in a fight. The weapons they employ are their wings, which they use with terrific force.

The Yellowstone Park. The Yellowstone National park is sixty-five miles from north to south and fifty-five from east to west.

While not fond of the water, rabbit can swim if they are forced to. They have a swimming position all their own and look queer enough in the water.

They keep the head and tail high and dry, while the front part of the body sinks deep in the water.

Wives by Purchase.

Wives are still obtained by purchase in some parts of Russia. In the district of Kamyshin, on the Volga, for example, this is practically the only way in which marriages are brough why in which marriages are broughs about. The price of a pretty girl from a well to do family ranges from \$100 to \$200, and in special cases a much higher sum is obtained. In the villages

Fire Killed Wood. have demonstrated that this wood is good and should be considered as thoroughly seasoned timber so far as the

A Cunning Cricket.

A hunter in tropical regions tells of ng a cricket pursued around the trunk of a tree by a lizard. Suddenly the insect settled itself in a small depression in the bark, spread out its wings slightly and flattened itself so that the lizard actually it and went away w' ing what had beco

A box thrown overbos steamer Hunter was not ? Studen 11 10 "Asked having drifted in of 4,791 miles.

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The Eagle on the The eagle first appeared on the sa

Our Longest Canal. The longest canal in the United States is the Erie, 387 miles.

The Nighthawk The nighthawk makes no nest at all, simply laying its eggs in a slight de pression in the ground. The eggs look so much like small stones that they

Bee Superstition The following from an English paper illustrates the superstitious belief of Cornish country folk: A death recently occurred in the family of a beekeeper, who thereupon, believing that if he failed to do so all his bees would die, draped each of his five hives with a plece of black crape.

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LESSON V.-FEB. 2, 2908.

F Tesus the Saviour of the World - John 3: I-21.

Commentary .- I. The new birth (vs. 1-8). In these verses Jesus dearly states the condition of entering the kingdom of God—the kingdom of grace here and of glory hereafter. It is by being "born amin" "from above" converted record again," "from above," conwerted, regenerated. Nicodemus could not understand this and asked how a man could be born when he was old lieuwers. born when he was old. Jesus gave him to understand that it was not a natural but a spiritua! birth to which he referred. The Savior then brought to Nicodemus an illustration about the wind. He need not think it strange that the could not understand the operation of the Spirit, for he could not even understand the blowing of the wind. The laws of the spiritual life are unknown. We can understand the new birth only

as we receive it.

If. Jesus inspires faith (ws. 9-13) Nikodemus was still in the dark. He could not apprehend spiritual truth. Jesus expressed surprise that he a great Jewish teacher did not understand these all-important truths. Jesus spoke with positiveness and authority. He said positiveness and authority. He said, "We speak that which we know, and bear witness of that which we have seen" (v. 11, R. V.). Jesus spoke from personal knowledge not from hearsay, and yet Nisodemus and the class of peo-ple he represented failed to accept the estimony given.
III. God's great love for man (vs. 14-

as we receive it.

17).

14. the serpent—Study the story in his braz-Num. 21:4-9. "The history of the braz-en serpent is a parable of the gospel." even so—"Christ here testifies of the prophetic and typical character of the Old Testament." must—This was God's plan to save men (Heb. 2:9, 10). Son of man—This is the title which Christ most frequently applied to himself, sometimes interchanging it with "the Son of God." He appropriated to himself the prophecy of Daniel (Matt. 26:63, 64; Dan. 7:13). It is applied to Christ more than eighty times in the New Testament. It implies, 1. His humiliation (Matt. 8:20), and that he, the Son of God, became a true man (Rom. 8:3). 2. That he was the one perfect man, sinless and complete ery human virtue. 3. That he was the representative man, elevated above individual, class and national prejudices. 4. That he was, officially, the representative of the human race in his life and death for man. be lifted up—1. In his crucifixion. 2. In his exaltation. 3. In the publishing and preaching of his ever-lasting gospel.—Henry. 15. whosoever, etc.—Gentiles as well as Jews. "Whosoever" is better for each one than though he were called by name, for the same name might belong to another. Those who accept Christ as their personal Savior will be saved from the effects of sin, which naturally end in the

he said, "It is my favorite cordial." The verse is said to be "the best thing ever put in human speech." So loved—Such a love could not be described, Jesus did love could not be described. Jesus did not attempt it. There is a depth of meaning in that little word "so" which the finite mind cannot fathom. The world—"A Methodist collier in Yorkshire opened his first sermon with this striking comment, 'When God loves, he loves a world: when God gives, he gives his Son.'"—Moulton. Only begotten Son—While God. has many sons, made much through the regenerating power of his Son."—Moulton. Only begotten son—While God has many sons, made much through the regenerating power of the Spirit, he has only one "only begotten" Son—a Son of equal rank and dignity with himself Eclieveth in him.

"God is love." Love is sacrifice. The of the agreement arrived at by Canada ten" Son—a Son of equal rank and dignity with himself. Believeth in him—leath of Christ was the sacrifice of God. To believe in (or "on") Christ is to accept him as our Saviour; to believe and obey his teachings. It implies a thorough repentance and a renouncing of the old life, as well as obedience—and faith. Not perish—Not be—banished from the presence of God. Salvation is a gift. We cannot that the conciliatory attitude of Japan was instead of glorifying God.

"God is love." Love is sacrifice. The death of Christ was the sacrifice of God. Redemption was love prompted, love conceived, love wrought."

3. The expression of His love. "He gave." Salvation is a gift. We cannot buy it we cannot earn it, lest we "should instead of glorifying God. from the presence of C does not me-ing. Even

and religion because they are evil, and they are evil because they reject Christiand religion. Irreligion and wickedness are one.—Whedon Because, etc.—It is hard for men to humble themselves before God and confess and remouree their sins, 20. Hateth the light—Evil works are performed in the might, under cover of darkness. Wicked men are afraid of the light. Reproved—The gospel reproves and condemns the cinner. It makes sin appear odions.

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21. Doeth truth—"A most expressive phrase. Right is truth, and wrong is falsehood. Indicels and sinners act a lie." To do the truth is to obey the truth. Cometh to the light—The good man prefers the light. He does nothing under cover. Jesus said, "Im secret have I said nothing." The man who loves the light does not find it in harmony with his feelings to join himself in secret conclave, behind locks an bolta, with those who meet to learn passwords and grips in order to be able to carry on their deeds under cover. May be made manifest—He desires the most rigid and searching examination into his actions. He is right and he knows it, and he not only has nothing to fear by coming into the light, but he has much to gain. He courts the light. Wright in God.—The desire of the good man is to magnify God not himself. This closes Christ's interview with Nicodemus.

PRACTICAL APPLICATIONS

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I. Nicodemus coming to Jesus. "The presence of Jesus in Jerusalem, and especially the excitement produced among the rulers of the Jews consequent upon the purging of the temple, together with his increasing fame as a teacher and worker of miracles, which had reached Jerusalem from the hill country where Jesus had been, led to this famous interview." Nicodemus was not ready to accept Jesus as the Messiah until he had seen and heard him. With the greatest solemnity Jesus turns abruptly from PRACTICAL APPLICATIONS seen and heard him. With the greatest solemnity Jesus turns abruptly from things temporal to things spiritual. His first sentence was too deep for the wise councillor. The great plan of salvation was disclosed to him. Nicodemus was ignorant of spiritual things. "How can these things be?" was the true index of his darkened mind. "It was not teaching he needed, but the ability to understand teaching; not more light, but sight." sight."

II. The new birth. "Ye must be born

again" (v. 7). There is no other way to be saved. Flesh cannot be justified (Rom. 3. 20). "By no process of evolution can the natural man develop into a spiritual man; by no process of degeneration can the spiritual man determined to the same of icrate into the natural man. They are from totally different stock." It is not enough to improve the old nature, but there must be a new foundation, a new life, a new creation, a birth "from above." Regeneration is the work of the Holy Spirit (Titus 3. 5.) II. The brazen serpent. "And as Moses

lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must the Son of Man be lifted up" (v. 14; Luke 24, 7). 1. As the Israelites in the wilderness were bitten by the fiery serpents (Num. 21, 6), so the sinner is bitten by "that old serpent, called the devil" (Rev. 1 2, 9). 2. As every one bitten by the serpent must die, so death hath passed upon all men, for all have sinned (Rom. 5, 12). 3.As Moses fects of sin, which naturally end in the destruction of the soul, and will be given spiritual life here and in the world to come life everlasting. not perish—Omitted in R. C. eternal life—Eternal life is world (L. John 4, 9). 4. As the serpent ted in R. C. eternal life—Eternal life is
the life which nothing can destroy. It
is more than endless existence. The
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is fullness of life, joy, peace and love."
It is the life of God in the soul.

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IV. God's great love for the world. 1.

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lu becamé salvation as a satisfied her heart and gave a peace she had never known. She lost all interest in her idols and came to loathe them. Her family became suspicious. The priests ordered her to fast and not to see the missionaries. The days were dark. At last she decided to leave her lovely home and much loved family, whom she could never see again, and espouse the cause of Christ. She left all her silks and jewels, and with only a cotton cloth garment crept one Christman neglects, ignores and then denies it, he stands condemned. If God sent his Son into the world duly authenticated, man's duty is to respect and accept that coming—Wheelon.

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DEATH FROM HEAT WAVE.

This is the reason why men are cuilty and will be punished. Light—Light effen Drought in Melbourne Leaves Disaster

denotes instruction, teaching, doctrine as that by which we see the path of duty.—Barnes, The word in this connection is used with respect to Christ, who is the light of the world. It is also an interest the light to be and darkened world rests upon who see the light. The heathen words of the earth must be reached through the efforts of the Christian clurch. Men loved darkness—Love of good; they prefer the dark—the evil—and hate the good. Men reject Christ are the next to find the property of the content of the content of the heat.

Drought in Melbourne Leaves Disaster in Trail.

Melbourne, Australia, Jan. 27.—The the Park Hotel, Orange, on December 13 last Judge Ten Eyck sentenced him the Park Hotel, Orange, on December 13 last Judge Ten Eyck sentenced him the Park Hotel, Orange, on December 13 last Judge Ten Eyck sentenced him the Park Hotel, Orange, on December 13 last Judge Ten Eyck sentenced him the Park Hotel, Orange, on December 13 last Judge Ten Eyck sentenced him the Park Hotel, Orange, on December 13 last Judge Ten Eyck sentenced him the Park Hotel, Orange, on December 13 last Judge Ten Eyck sentenced him the Park Hotel, Orange, on December 13 last Judge Ten Eyck sentenced him the Park Hotel, Orange, on December 13 last Judge Ten Eyck sentenced him the Park Hotel, Orange, on December 13 last Judge Ten Eyck sentenced him the Park Hotel, Orange, on December 13 last Judge Ten Eyck sentenced him the Park Hotel, Orange, on December 13 last Judge Ten Eyck sentenced him the Park Hotel, Orange, on December 13 last Judge Ten Eyck sentenced him the Park Hotel, Orange, on December 13 last Judge Ten Eyck sentenced him the Park Hotel, Orange, on December 13 last Judge Ten Eyck sentenced him the Park Hotel, Orange, on December 13 last Judge Ten Eyck sentenced him the Park Hotel denotes instruction, tenching, doctrine that by which we see the path of duty.—Barnes, The word in this connection is used with respect to Christ, who

# BANK RATE DOWN.

Financial Affairs Look Rosy Lots of Gold in Sight.

London, Jan. 27.—The rate of discount of the Bank of England was to-day reduced from 5 to 4 per cent. The reduction of the bank rate was a foregone conclusion, owing to the rapidly improving financial conditions prevailing everywhere, which caused the market

everywhere, which caused the market for discount rates to fall to 3% per cent. The retura of cash from the country considerably swelled the reserve, which will be increased in the near future by the receipt of gold from Egypt and Australia, as well as bar gold en route to London. This will include five million dollars' worth of gold, which probably will be secured by the Bank of England on Monday.

Other influences tending towards the reduced bank rate are the improved conditions prevailing on the continent, forecasting early reductions in the bank rates of France and Germany, and the likelihood of a return of gold from America or the shipment of gold from America to the Argentine Republic, thus relieving the demand on London.

The announcement of the bank rate had a favorable effect on the London Stock Exchange, where the reduction of a half per cent only had been anticipated. Consols improved 5-16 to 84%, home rails and Kaffirs were marked higher, and Americans, which opened around parity, improved half to ome point for active issues.

# HAPPY CHILDREN

WITNESS NEW YORK CENTRAL PARK TRAGEDY.

Young Salesman Pumps Five Bullets Into His Brain While Little Tots, With Whom He Had Been Playing, Flee in Terror.

Foliseman Steinert, who was near, learned from the maid and children who had witnessed the suicide that the young man had been strolling among them for an hour before he killed him-

self.

He left a little fair-haired girl he had been talking to and walked slowly to a bench. Sitting, he removed his hat and laid on the bench. Then he pulled on his gloves and buttoned them. His actions had begun to attract attention when he drew from his overcont a revolver. He drew from his overcoat a revolver. He exploded five eartridges quickly, blowing a great wound into the side of his head before he tumbled from the bench.

Policeman Steinert and two mounted policemen were on the spot immediately. The suicide still clasped the revolver in The suicide still chasped the revolver in his hands, and the ambulance surgeon who was summoned from the Presby-terian Hospital said four bullets had been poured into the man's brain, and one of which would have caused instant death.

The dead man was identified from cards and letters found in his pockets In a pocketbook there was \$4.60. Two letters found, one written in German and the other in English, did not throw any light on the suicide, the

A DIGNIFIED SETTLEMENT.

police say.

British Press Praises Canada's Agree

is not overlooking the Imperial aspect spired largely by her friendship for Britain. The Daily Graphic observes that for it that they try to
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The Times says the passage in which Mr. Lemieux turned to the broader aspect of the immigration question, touching on the British alliance with Japan, thus showing that he appreciated the solidarity of the British race in matters relating to the rest of the world, should awaken a responsive thrill throughout the empire. "The negotiations," it says, "were admittedly concerned with a ques-tion of the utmost delicacy and import-

ance, but even this question sinks into insignificance comapred with the principle enumerated by Mr. Lemieux."

The Times adds that Canada is now a developed nation, and can talk to other nations of the world with an assured voice and almost on an equality with It is a cheering sign of her sense of dignity and reality that she should thus begin her career as a separate fac-tor in the world by remembering that her strength and honor are bound up in the strength and honor of the moher

New York, Jan. 27 .- George Wilson, the negro beliboy, was found gunty of murder in the first degree by a jury in the Court of Oyer and Terminer at Newark yesterday. He had confessed that he killed Frederick R. Romer in

eard the negro in his rooms and con

"He (Romer) got out of bed and says, what are you doing here?" I says, 'I inn't doing anything much.' I says 'I am going out right away.' Then he went to the washstand and started to open it. I says, 'We won't have any trouble if you leave me go out.' So I starts to pull him away from the door. He had his back right up against the door when he reaches for the bureau drawer, I asked him if he was going to kill me. I says, 'Well, I don't want to die now and you don't want to die.' He says, 'Well, that's all right. I ain't going to let you out. I am going to kill you or you will kill me.'"

The statement then tells of Wilson striking Romer over the head with a furnace shaker and the struggle that followed. It also related how Wilson robbed Romer and escaped. "He (Romer) got out of bed and says

# BRUTAL MURDER.

THROWN INTO STREET NUDE, HE APPEALS TO POLICE.

Cells a Plausible Story-Russian Authorities Ask His Extradition as a Cold-Blooded Assassin.

Sera has received the following telegram from Bucharest: About a month ago, in small village of Upper Moldavia, a short distance from the Russian frontier young man, elegantly dressed, presented himself at the only tavern in the place He carried in his hands a bundle, from the ends of which appeared the hilt and point of a sword.

The stranger, who spoke with a Russian accent and was very impatient, asked for a lodging for the night, and was conducted to a small room, which served as a dormitory. There he was left alone, and was soon sleeping transuits.

During the night, however, he was New York, Jan. 27.—Seated in the midst of a throng of children on the east drive of Central Park yesterday aftermoon James Kinkelstein, a neatly clad young salesman of 232 East Tenth street, put five bullets in his brain and fell dead at the feet of a fainting nurse. Foliceman Steinert, who was near, shirt on, and wandered about all the rest of the night, shivering with cold, until he reached the office of the commissary police, where he related his adven

ure. He stated that he was the son of Admiral Rataschievitch, commander of the imperial yacht, adding that he had fled from Russia, as he had been a participator in a political plot. Soon, however, the Russian authorities, asked the Roumanian Government for the extradition of the fugitive, who, they said, was guilty of a monstrous crime. Rataswas guilty of a monstrous crime. Rataschievitch, it was alleged, had led a vicious and irregular life at Kishineff, where he was an officer of Cossacka. Impelled he was an officer of Cosacka. Impelled by the necessity of getting money some-how, he agreed with a friend of his, named Romanoff, to murder the latter father, who was a wealthy landed proprietor.

He repaired one night to the country house where the elder Romanoff lived, and was let in by the son, who hid him in an attic, awaiting a propitious mo-ment for carrying out their design. ment for carrying out their design.

After a week's waiting, some guests having been sent away from the house by a strategem, Rataschievitch armed himself with a hammer, and, assisted by his friend, cautiously entered the old man's bedroom and battered his head in. Having thus accomplished his crime and collected some valuables, Rataschievitch fled to Roumania, while the parricide, Romanoff, embarked for America.

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Yesterday Rataschievitch, after having confessed his horrible crime to the Roumanian police commissary, tried to escape by jumping from a window on the first floor of the related to the floor of the palace of justice. He was, however, soon recaptured and taken back to the prison.

# KLONDIKE CASE.

Canadians to Get Over \$500,000 From Eetroiters.

Windsor, Ont., Jan. 27.-On a me tion by A. R. Bartlett, Joseph Boyles, solicitor, Judge Riddell has decided Company, in which Boyle notes third interest, is entitled not only to the half million dollars verdict awarded at the Sandwich trial last fall, but also to interest on the amount for three years. No rate of interest has been decided on, but it probably will be at 5 or 6 per cent. The additional amount the Detroiters are requested to pay accordingly will be about \$25,000. With the original verdict and the \$58,000 since paid over in settlement of a new claim, this means are generally satisfactorily, and travellers are sending in orders for a fair volume of goods. Colimatic conditions during the past week, on dentity is looked for early in the spring. Collections are general were fair to good.

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PRIEST FIGHTS BURGLARS. Surprises Band About to Rob Church and

Assails Them.

MURDERER TO DIE.

Negro Boy Convicted After a Quick Trial

at Newark.

New York, Jan. 27.—George Wilson.

Lisbon, Jan. 27.—A band of burgglars has carried off a large quantity of valuables from the rich church with a priest, whom they left unconscious behind them. The burglars broke into the church

thinking it was empty, and were search-ing for the communion plate, when Fa-ther Gorgulbo, who had been in one of the confession boxes, surprised them.

He is a young and athletic priest, and declined to call for help, thinking himself capable of coping with the robbers.

He attacked them single-handed with an iron bar, and a desperate fight followed.

TORONTO FARMERS' MARKET.

Dressed hogs . . . Eggs new laid doz Do.. storage . . . Butter, dairy . . . HE
Do., storage
Butter, dairy
Do., creamer,
Geese, dreased,
Chickens, per
Ducks, dreased,
Turkeys, per lb.
Apples, per bbl.
Potatoes, per bag.
Cabbage, dos. . .
Onions, per bag.
On, forequarters .
Do., forequarters .
Do., cholee, carcase
On, per cwt.
prime, per Milan, Jan. 27.- The Corriere della Mutton, per cwt. .. Veal. prime, per cwt. Lamb, per cwt ....

TORONTO LIVE STOCK.

Receipts of live stock at the City Market since Tuesday, as reported by the railways, were '9' carloads, composed of 1864 cattle, 82s hogs, 95's sheep and 76 calves.

The quality of fat cattle was much the same as nas been coming for some time. A few lots of good and many more haif finished.

Exporters—Export steers of good quality would be worth \$5 and sometimes extra choice would bring a little more. Export buils sold at \$3.75 to \$4.25 per cwt. An odd extra well-finished buil brought \$4.40 to \$24.50, isutchers—All classes were lower, not ex-

outles sold at \$3.16 to \$4.25 per cwt. An ode extra well-finished bull brought \$4.40 to \$2.50.

Butchers—All classes were lower, not excepting the choice picked lots, which were quoted around \$5 and a little over on Tueseday, but \$4.90 was the highest price we heard of pelng paid for this chast to-day, and only two cattle out of 1004 were reported as bringing that price, and one more was quoted at \$4.80. Loads of good sold all the way from \$4.15 to \$4.40; medium, \$3.50 to \$3.90; common, \$3.25 to \$3.75; canners, \$1 to \$1.76.

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Milkers and springers—Good to choice cows sold from \$38 to \$60; common to medium, \$25 to \$3.56 each.

Veal calves—Prices for veal calves of the best class ranged from \$5 to \$8.50 per cwt., with extra choice new milk-fed calves at \$7 per cwt. Heavy and common calves, \$3 to \$4.50 per cwt.

Sheep and lambs—Lambs sold at easier prices, from \$6.75 to \$2.25 for good to choice, and \$4.50 to \$5.00 for common this lambs, of which far too many are being marketed and not enough of the better class. Sheep sold at \$4 to \$4.50.

Hogs—The run of hogs was not heavy, \$25. Mr. Harris quoted selects to \$5.50; lights

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and fats. \$5.25; sows, \$3 to \$3.50; stags, \$1
to \$2 per cwt., and market weak.

WINNIPEG WHEAT MARKETS. Following are osing quotations

Vinnipeg grain to-day;
Wheat—Jan. \$1 ... id, May \$1.13% bid.
Oate—Jan. 54c bid, May £8% bid. Bradstreet's Trade Review.

Montreal General trade here continue to hold a steady tone. The wholesale and retail movement is still light, but travelers are beginning to forward good orders for winter starting lines. In some lines of goods these orders are not so large as is usual at this time of the year. seasonable, and a week or two of decided cold would help things materially. Clothing manufacturers complain that they are receiving many cancellations on orders. The retail clothing trade is re-ported to be very quiet. On the contrary, wholesalers and manufacturers in neck-wear, shirts and other lines of men's wear, state an excellent business is mo

ing.
Toronto: In most branches of trade there has been some improvement during the past week. Travellers throughout the country are meeting with encourag-ing business for their spring lines. Sort-ing orders are as yet light. In staple there is an excellent trade, and values there is an excellent trade, and values are generally firm. The season promises to see a big trade in ribbons and silks. Dry goods jobbers report that collections are generally good. Those from the West continue to show improvement.

Winnipeg: Travellers are beginning to send in substantial orders for sorting lines, and they also report an excellent volume of business for next spring.

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Vancouver and Victoria: General busi-Vancouver and victoria: General business that the Canadian Klondike Mining Company, in which Boyle holds a third interest, is entitled not only to the half million dollars verdict awarded at the Sandwich trial last fall, general resumption of activity is looked but also the interest and victoria: General business here holds a good tone in all lines. The outlook for spring trade is bright. There has been little change in industrial conditions during the past week, but a general resumption of activity is looked

in orders for a fair volume of goods. Collections are generally satisfactory. The improvement in the money market is helping the general movement.

London: There has been a rather better ton to trad desired. ter tone to trade during the past week.

The wholesale and retail movement is im-

proving and collections are also showing some signs of betterment.

Ottawa: There has been little change to trade here. The wholesale and retail movement is still inclined to be light, but the outlook favors a good business next spring. Collections are fair.

TICKLE GIRLS WITH LIVE MICE. Yale Freshmen Stampede Glee Club Prom. Concert at Hyperion Theatre.

New Haven, Jan. 27.—The promenade girls got a scare last night when the freshmen let down four live white mice into the necks of their decollete gowns during the glee club's concert at the

Hyperion Theatre.

tic attempts to catch the mouse. In a moment three more mice followed the first, and the whole pit was in an uproar. The fire marshal prohibited the usual paper streamers, so a shower of flowers was substituted. When the freshmen let down their banner bearing 1911 in blazing figures a thousand carnations, tulips and roses, which had been wrapped in its folds, showered upon the audience.

# LIFE WAS A BURDEN.

SHOCKING CHARGE AGAINST HEADS OF GANG ON G. T. P.

Charles Paulon, a Swedish-American, Claims to Have Been Beaten and Driven Away Because He Resented Improper Proposals.

Winnipeg, Jan. 27.—Charles Paulon, a Swedish-American, is in the city with a woeful tale, which he has placel be-fore a legal firm, who are dealing with it. Paulon came to Vermilion Bay lt. Pation came to Verminon Bay last August, and took up station work in the construction department of the G. T. P. He alleges that immediately after he brought his wife and installed her in his cabin her life was made un-bearable by improper proposals made by the walking boss and head of the sta-tion work grang.

Paulon resented the importunities of the men in regard to his wife, and in consequence received a terrible beating, as a result of which he had to go to the hospital. He is afraid to go back now, and both he and his wife are in Winnipeg. One of the men who assaulted him was fined \$20 and costs.

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About \$400 is due to Paulon, which he cannot get until the contract is fin-ished, and as he is afraid to go back he has laid his case before the legal firm mentioned, and is seeking to obtain

Paulen and his wife are young, and the lady is said to be quite attractive.

# TRAGEDY IN A STORE

WOMAN SHOT A MAN, THEN COM-MITTED SUICIDE.

Mary B. Clark Killed Frank Brady in Restaurant of New York Department Store, Then Shot Herself- Had

Three Revolvers With Her. New York, Jan. 27.-Several hun-New York, Jan. 27.—Several hundred persons, most of whom were women shoppers, witnessed a murder and suicide in the restaurant of a large Broadway department store to-day. Frank Brady, an advertising solicitor for a newspaper was shot five times and instantly killed by Mrs. Mary Roberts Clark, a manicurist, of 219 West 133rd street. The woman then shot herself and died in the hospital to-which she was taken.

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Mr. Brady was sitting at a table in the restaurant on the eighth floor of the department store, and the large room was crowded with shoppers and employees of the store, who had gone there for lunch, when the woman approached the table where Mr. Brady sat and fired five shots from a revolver into his neck, face and chest. Drawing another revolver from her muff, the wohis neck, face and chest. Drawing another revolver from her muff, the woman quickly fired three shots into her own breast and fell backward on the floor. Her action was so sudden and unexpected that witnesses of the shooting sat transfixed until the last shot was fired. Brady was dead when they reached him, but the woman was still alive, and was hurried to a hospital, where she died within a short time. Besides the two revolvers used in the

where she died within a short time.
Besides the two revolvers used in the shooting, a third revolver, fully loaded, was found concealed in Mrs. Clark's muff. The shooting was the culmination of a series of violent quarrers, and, according to the woman's intimates, in fulfillment of a threat to murder him in the contract of the world? a public place "before the world" unless he renewed the attentions she claimed to have received when he was less pros-

GIRL BABIES DROWNED.

Rev. Mr. Hess Tells How Frequently He Found Bodies.

Toronto, Jan. 27.—"I never travelled hundred miles in China without finda hundred miles in China without find-ing the body of a girl baby floating in the river, because her mother did not want her to pass through the same hor-rible experiences as she has had, or be-cause her father and mother did not think her worth the rice she would eat."
Such was one of the statements made by Rev. Isaac Hess, of Lancaster, Pa, lately returned on furlough from Kwangai prevince, South China, in his address yesterday afternon at the Christian and Missionary Alliance conventions in Ziou Conventional Church vention in Zion Congregational Church. Mr. Hess told also of the cruelty he had seen practised on prisoners. A man had seen practised on prisoners. A man is not executed for a crime until he con-fesses it, but in order to make him con-fess it the most excruciating tortures are inflicted, Mr. Hess himself seeing one man who had received a hundred strokes of a scourge with seven lashes each studded with bits of iron. Another man had a channel burned in his leg to the bone, others had their back to the bone, others had their backs burned, and were compelled to walk on burned, and were compelled to walk on red-hot iron. "And did you confess to stealing?" one was asked. "Yes, but I didn't steal." The opportunities of the present day in China, the opening of the country to missions, and its rapid development, laid heavy responsibilities, eaid Mr. Hess, upon thristians to give the Chinese the Gospel.

LIKE CIVIL WAR.

Took 200 Constabulary in Roscommon to Arrest Twenty Men.

Boyle, County Roscommon, Ireland, Jan. 22.—A force of 200 constabulary visited the Ceevah District to-day and took into custody 20 men who are charged with unlawful assembly and riot and with having interfered with

the mails.

The landlords of the Keogh and Knox estates, in this district, have refused to sell lands to their tenants. the mails. and the latter consequently organized a "no rent" combination against the land-owners. The latter then sent out Hyperion Theatre.

The freshmen, who had been dripping confetti, had subsided for an instant when from a fishing pole a live mouse was swung into the pit. It landed on the neck of one of the girls. She shricked while her escort and chaperon made fran-

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Mrs. Hunter's objections were more reasonable. She grieved to see him returned again to that field of harassing labor in which his health and atrength and peace had been already almost exhausted. She remembered the disgraceful scene of opposition, abuse and violence that had met on his return from abroad. And to see him take the stump again, and expose his noble head from abroad. And to see him take the stump again, and expose his noble head to the aggressive and insulting taunts and missiles—or the almost equally humiliating shouts and laudations of the mob; oh, this required all her faith and patience to enable her to bear it. She knew that aDniel Hunter's public honors to be gained by him in entering again upon a public life. And, noble woman though she was, she was not Spartan enough to be willing to see her husband sacrifice himself for the Commonwealth alone.

Letty perfectly agreed with Mrs. Hunter, and shared her misgivings relative to the result. Maud grieved that her father left off his pleasant daily rides with them from place to place, to watch over the "improvements," and that he gave up his cozy evening talks and readings—that he was absent from them so frequently, and for so long a time so frequently, and for so long a time—that his hours at home were mostly taken up by political friends and adherents, mostly that he lost his cheerfulness, and grew thoughtful, anxious and hag-gard. He had in truth a violently pre-judiced faction to meet and overcome. And had Daniel Hunter been the candidate for any very high office, it is probable that—"the Courtier," "the Aristocrat," "the Renegade Republican," as they miscalled him—would have been de-

But when he became a candidate only to be their representative in Congress a post which even his enemies very well could bring him no new glory—and when his friends made use of that

the handsome, impassionate, enthusias-tic stump orator, harangued the people-with all his might, flying from station to station through the Congressional district; making a dozen fiery speeches in a day and night, denouncing the Old Guards and Daniel Hunter, and grossly misrepresenting, because honestly misap prehending his character, motives, principles and politics. And crowds, while under the immediate power of his eloquence, were carried away by his messure influence, and huzzard and characteristics. meric influence, and huzzaed and shout-ed, and cheered him and his measures to his heart's content, and dispersed to get drunk in his honor. And afterward, blood was cool, and their neads clear, they went and voted for Daniel Hunter

In the meantime, passages from these denunciatory speeches were frequently ported and quoted, and the members Mr. Hunter's family often saw them, in the columns of the newspapers. And the sight of one such always gave Maud the sight of one such always gave Maud great distress. After, one day, reading a bitter and vituperative invective launched by the fiery young orator against her father, she dropped the paper and suddenly burst into a passionate fit of tears. Her father took her hand, but the father took her hand, but the field of tears are that falconer sees this advertisement, and turned her hand in her mother's and turned her head to conceal the rising tears, as she said, in a faltering to course, and will accompany his employer to Rome." per and suddenly burst into a passionate fit of tears. Her father took her hand, and sought to soothe and quiet her. But she refused to be comforted, saying, between her sobs, that the acrihatred between two that she loved so much would break her heart. And her much would break her heart. And her father calmly and silently held her hand until the gust was past. And then, when he could get a look at her tearful, flushed, half-hidden face, he smiled on her, with that smile of conscious power, noble benignity and liberal interpretation, that ever excited her gratitude and love, and inspired her with faith and hope; and he said:

"My dear, never mind. I do not like Falconer the less upon account of his frank, hearty, cordial, thorough going antagonism to myself. It grows out of a misconception so great that when it is discovered the boy's wild, honest heart will experience a revolution in my favor, of such a nature that his returning afrors, those of youth and enthusiasm. He will come right."
"Father, my dear father—oh, your patience is like the patience of our Lord."

"Hush, my dear, your words border upon irreverence. Besides, it is not all patience, my child—for Maud, I really like that boy, and his vituperative delike that boy, and his vituperative denunciations only make me smile to think
how honestly he hurls them, and how
honestly he will one day retract them.
Yes, Maud, I really do like that boy
very much—whether it is for your sake
only, or whether it is because with his
passion, and his genius, and his demon,
he gives me such a deal of anxiety, I do
not know, but certainly I like him more
and more every day"

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This was true. Daniel Hunter, from many different causes, had conceived for the wild, young, radical leader a really paternal affection. And when the crisia came, and the election was decided, and Daniel Hunter was returned by an overwhelming majority—amid the triumph and rejoicing he felt a pang of sympathy with the disappointment and chagrin of his fiery young antagonist; he longed to pour into his ear the words of counsel, comfort and strength; he felt in comfort and strength; he felt in creased anxiety upon account of the boy, and made numerous inquiries con cerning him; fruitless inquiries; for im-mediately after the decision of the elecion Falconer had disappeared from the

tion Falconer had disappeared from the neighborhood.

Mr. Hunter, however, wrote to his friend, Donzoni, telling him that he felt great interest in the well-doing of the young sculptor; that he knew the boy, in his disappointment, dejection and morbid pride, would never voluntarily present himself at the studio he had left so suddenly and cavalierly: and requesting him to ly and cavalierly; and requesting him to inquire out and write to his former pu-pil and invite his return.

and when his friends made use of that circumstance to convince the people that their oldest friend and advocate—the very patriarch of the people's party, the very veteran commander of their host, was willing to serve them 'a an humbler capacity, was willing to enter the ranks and do battle for their rights, side by side with the newest recruits; indeed there was a great revolution in Daniel Hunter's favor, and as reaction is always equal to action the return of the ebbing tide of popular favor was tremendous—was overwhelming.

It was in vain that Falconer O'Leary, that he thought nothing could so, in all respects, benefit the young artist as a few years' residence in that old city of

> Mr. Hunter read this letter with unqualified pleasure, and then communicated its contents to his wife, and said: "Now, this falls out exactly as would have it, exactly as I anticipated. He wants to go and cultivate his art in Rome, and I can send him there."

Mrs. Hunter's eyes questioned him. "Ah, I see that you are doubting, Augusta." You think that if that young man never gets to Rome in any other man never gets to Rome in any other way, he will never consent to owe his visit to me. Very likely, if he is permitted to know anything about it. But that shall not be. He shall go and that shall not be. He shall go and never dream that he goes at any one's cost but his own. This is my plan: Only yesterday I procured for our friend, Major——, an appointment as Charge at Rome. I wil lget him to advertise for a private secretary to a gentleman about to go to Rome for a resi-

"Yes, but in the meantime, while oceupied with the duties of his situation, how will he be able to study his art?" "I might answer you, love, that with a real devotion to art, he would find opportunities—but I mean not so—I mean to clear his way. By a private unmean to crear his way. By a private understanding with the Major (who has already one secretary appointed by the government). I will arrange it so that his situation will be a sinecure, and a

Mis situation will be a sinceure, and a vehicle for the income that I shall settle upon mim, and that shall be paid him through the Major—in the guise of his secretary's salary."

"That is an excellent plan, indeed. And I presume. Major—will cledly and I presume. Major—will cledly and I presume. Major—will cledly and ped each other in the face; and then

presume, Major — will gladly acede to your proposal." will gladly ac"Certainly; it will make no trouble or
"Certainly; it will make no trouble or expense for the Major, and he will be glad at once to oblige me and to secure a desirable addition to his party. It of such a nature that his returning artection will be apt to embarrass me more than his hatred did. My dear be hopeful for him—his traits of character ius to afford this young man all the adarc essentially noble and heroic—his er-

# and—but I and not intend the impertin-ence of praising you. Daniel Hunter," said the lady, with eyes soul-full of love and honor fixed upon his face. A Great Loctor speaks of a Great Remedy love and honor fixed upon his face. In a few weeks, the plan that Mr. Hunter had sketched was fully carried out: And Falconer, with a handsome outfit and liberal provision, and totally ignorant of his magnanimous benefactor, went to Rome with Majorostensibly as his private secretary, really as Daniel Hunter's protege, committed to the Major care to guide and assits in the study of sculpture. And about the first of December, Mr. Hunter went to Washington for the purpose of taking his seat in the House of Representatives. He was acompanied by his family, and once more the sirens of society, fashion, gayety, adula-

ens of society, fashion, gayety, adula-ens of society, fashion, gayety, adula-tion vainly wove their charms around the head of the beautiful Maud—they could not corrupt her lovely simplicity and integrity of character. And one rea-son why they could not do so was be-cause the maiden always had her mothcause the maiden always had her mother near her to counteract the evil influence. And thus the season passed.

Near the close of the session Mr. Hunter had elaborated and perfected a plan for the adjustment of the great national discute that had nearly broken up all old political parties, and seen up all old political parties, and seen expensed the season of the great national discute that had nearly broken up all old political parties, and seen up all old political parties, and seen each other. This plan he embodied in a bill which he brought before the House. It was met with sharp opposition—there was a long-continued, virulent conflict, too violent and noisy to be honored with the name of a debate, and which made the House of Representatives resemble more a gathering of revolutionary sans culottes than a well-ordered American Congress. But before the session was over, Daniel Hunter had the satisfaction of seeing his bill pass both Houses of Congress.

for such a long, indefinite time, and the end of all this is so distant and uncertain," and then her fortitude gave way altogether and she dropped her head upon her mother's shoulder, and wept heartily.

Mrs. Hunter folded her arms around her in silance until her fit of sabbing pass both Houses of Congress.

The success of this bill gave unbounded satisfaction to the country at large. And never, in the palmiest days of his popularity, had "Daniel Hunter" been so much the idol of the people. Throughout the country, illuminations, bonfires, torchlight processions, etc., were got up

Mrs. Hunter folded her arms around her, in silence, until her fit of sobbing had subsided, and then she kissed her and said, cheerfully:

"And yet, my darling, in all this there is also much that is very hopeful and encouraging. In the first place, you feel sure that Falconer loves you, and only you with his whole heart and that he torchlight processions, etc., were got up in his honor, and to celebrate the passage of his bill. age of his bill.

And despite all his dislike to parade, and his love of simplicity, his return home—followed, attended and met by crowds noisy with enthusiasm—resem-

you, with his whole heart, and that h home—followed, attended to the crowds noisy with enthusiasm—resembled more nearly a royal progress than the journey of a mere republican citizen. And whenever he appeared, the multitude sent up to heaven, in shouts of gratitude, the name of Daniel Hunsoul at a bad bargain could by any set of circumstances make me doubt Falconer's loyalty." "Oh, yes, I am certain of it, mamma; certain of it! I have heard of many a

Daniel Hunter, with his family, was again at Howlet Hall, and engaged in er's loyalty."

"Well, then, how much comfort in that! that in itself might be everything! And then, besides, you know that, notwithstanding his very erroneous opinions, and his rash, fiery, impetuous way of propagating them, the young man has really a very fine nature; he is noblehearted, high-spirited, talented, and full of the richest promise for the future. the superintendence of his works of improvement in that neighborhood. And Maud was still the inseparable compan-ion of her father and mother in all their and nother in all their walks, rides and drives around the country. But Maud was no longer the bright-lipped, sunny-eyed maiden, called for her radiant beauty, the "Star of Silver Creek." Since Falconer had departed for a foreign land, without having previously bidden her good-bye, she had grown pale and pensive, and with all her efforts to be cheerful, her very sweetsest smiles were sadder than another. of the richest promise for the future.

Don't you know that?" "Oh, yes, dear mother, I know it; and

"Well, my darling?"
"Oh, mother, while he is so estranged, so opposed to my dearest, my best, my most honored father!"

efforts to be cheerful, her very sweetest smiles were sadder than another's
tears. The young girl's patient sorrow
distressed her mother very much. One
day she followed her daughter to her
chamber, and eribracing her, said;
"My darling, why don't you talk to
me about Falconer? You are always
thinking about him—talk as freely to
me as you please. Do not close your
heart against me, my child. Do you most honored father!"
"Well, my love, what of that! since your father is not opposed to him? Shall the wisdom and power of maturity be fooled by the folly and weakness of youth? Daniel Hunter looks upon Falconer with the affectionate tolerance of a parent for a young wrong based and a parent for a young, wrong-headed, yet not wrong-hearted son. His care, unseen, you know, has sent him to Rome, pro-vides for his welfare there, watches over heart against me, my child. Do you think there is any one in the world who his interests, and receives constant intelligence of his progress. The last news from Rome assures us that Falconer is ursuing his studies in sculpture with the greatest zeal, and under the be

loves you more, understands you more, or can sympathize with you, and advise you better than your mother?" And

you better than your mother?" And she drew the pale girl to her bosom

most tenderly caressing her.
"Dearest, sweetest mamma, I do

this—this disposition to low spirits, mamma." Then turning around, with a

bright smile, the maiden added, archly:
"Daniel Hunter's daughter must not

turn a love-sick girl on your hands,

sure to go after him, cumping the steep rocks and breaking through the prickly pine and cedar thickets, guided only by the occasional report of his gun, at the risk of tumbling down

precipice, or getting a load of buckshot in my head, and with the certainty of secting a rueful welcome from Falconer, the would be sure to quarrel with me

or endangering my limbs, or, what hurt me more, throw away his gun and sit down and cry, to think how near he came to shooting me. I always felt his

mamma!"

to low spirits,

the greatest zeal, and under the best possible auspices. Look up, my child! Have faith and hope, as well as love."

"I will, mother! I will, best mother!
Oh, believe me, I often take myself to task for my depression. Yes, indeed—how dare I sit down in selfish repining over one single selfish desire up. close my heart against you. The Lord forbid ie. All the angels know I have not a secret from you in my bosom-but ing over one single selfish desire unfilled, or only deferred—and not rather rise up and go and minister to those who are really afflicted? Yes, dear nother, your lessons and your example have so communed with If, and I have made resolutions, which, with the help of our Heavenly Father, I mean to carry

"And then, mamma, I have one excuse to offer for suffering myself to fall into this depression that gives you pain. You know, dear mother, it is not as if Fal-"Une of the uses of affliction, my dearest child, is to impress that lesson."
"And then, dearest mother, when I have gone among the suffering poor; when I have entered one of those miserable Irish cabins on the mountain, and found human beings; men and women and children, sunk in brutal ignorance were playmates and companions ever since I remember anything—and we lov-ed, and played, and quarrelled, and slap-ped each other in the face; and then grieved, and coaxed, and kissed and and children, sunk in brutal ignorance and coarseness; living amid squalor, filth and disease! enduring the pangs of hunger, cold and illness; without relief for the present or hope for the future; almost without love for each other or faith in God. I have thought only in the second state of the contract of the contr before, ever since we were babies. Only as we grew up, we grew more refined in our cruelty, and when we disagreed we struck each other on the heart in-stead of the face. But that did not often happen, sweet mother;" and then and not for these? And even when I go into one of our comfortable negro quarters (though we should not think comfortable for ourselves, mamma?) and when I see some old, supernatural negro, after his life of toil, dying by inches, on his coarse, hard bed, in his rude, rough room; and see him leaving his children and grandchildren with no hope of a better for the the supernature when I see some old, supernatural regro, after his life of toil, dying by inches, on his coarse, hard bed, in his rude, rough room; and see him leaving his children and grandchildren with no hope of a better for the their supernatural when I see some locomotive manufacturing companies complete their engines ready for actual service before sending duties. Some locomotive manufacturing companies complete their engines ready for others ship them to the destination in a partial "knockdown" state and they are completed in the shops of the road to which they are delivered.

When a new engine is taken into a she smiled again very archly, as she con-tinued: "We were like a pair of pig-eons hatched in the same box, and wherever you saw one perched, you might be sure that the other was flying ar-ound very near. We used to go almost ound very near. We used to go almost everywhere together I was naturally a cowardly little thing, especially afraid of falling and of broken bones; and yet when Falconer would take his fowling-piece and go off up the mountain in the morning before I was up, I would be sure to go after him, climbing the steep rocks and breaking through the wields. hope of a better fate than his own, I ask myself in fear and trembling—my God! who has made me to differ? How dare I grieve for myself and not for these also? And oh! how I realize that it is no merit of mine, that I am not one of them—as it is no fault of theirs that they are poor and ignorant and diseased and hideous—as it is no merit of mine, that I am rich and intelligent and fair and healthy. And, oh, then I inquire—does not this great difference make me fearfully responsible for all all the advantages I possess? fearfully accountable for all the sufferings I might relieve? Mother! dearest mothers, with head the suffering the s er! my sin has been that I knew how to do right and did it not! But it shall be so no longer. Your teachings shall not be so cast away. I will be different. I will live a useful and an unself-ish life."

(To be Continued.)

Wilful Waste. "Don't it make you angry to see a pretty ri waste a kiss on a Teddy bear?" asked to all young man. "Indeed it does." replied his chum. "And it is always a bachful girl." A girl '- Chicago News. r a kiss will

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THE WINDS OF THE WORLD. fight Between the Monsoons-Local Breezes and Some of Their Effects.

Being credibly informed the other day by a queer old man of the seafaring persuasion that the southeast consoon was still fighting the northeast monsoon to see which would conquer, and the information being followed by a dissertation on the failure of the last sea sports owing to the same per ersity of a veteran lagging superfluous on the stage when he ought to have left the boards empty for the keen rotheaster, it occurred to me that there was a considerable

to me that there was a considerable amount of information to be obtained about winds without discoursing on windiness.

Until one actually experiences it there is a lot of romance hanging around the outskirts of the world monsoon. We speak of the monsoon being late or early, of the east coast being practically closed, but unless we go down to the sea in ships continents of India and Australia, however, the breaking of the rains is a

we go down to the sea in ships continents of India and Australia, however, the breaking of the rains is a matter of real moment, of general interest to everyone, of painful and keenes, anxiety to many, and in such cases the word is fraught with a meaning which is greater than ever book conveyed to the mind of man.

Apart from the winds of regular habit there are the many local winds which occur in different parts of the world and are generally unkind in character. Of such may be mentioned the Simoon, Sirocco, Harmattan, the Puna of Peru, the bitter northeaster of Britain, the Mistra of Marseilles and that coast, the Pampero of the Andes. With all these local breezes, though in fact they are oftentimes gales of some velocity, many curious effects are coupled, and one of the most noticeable of these is that the blowing of the genuine nor easter at home is always coincident with the greatest number of deaths from consumption and brain disease.

There is here opened up a wide field of most interesting research for the curious in weather study and humanity lore, for the effect of wind on sentient beings has never been as deeply considered as it might be. Thus in the lower planes of life the animals are distinctly affected by winds, and in porticular cats, as any one will remember if they consider the peculiarities of cats when high winds are blowing. Cattle, too, are susceptible to winds, and possibly more to the premonition of wind, while the

ible to winds, and possibly more to the premonition of wind, while the blowing of a nor wester will exhibating of a nor wester will exhibate some temperaments in a manner not quite the same as anything else will.

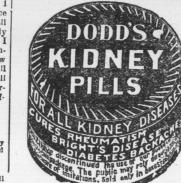
—From the Singapore Free Press.

BREAKING IN A LOCOMOTIVE.

fried First in the Yards and Later

Sent Out on Regular Runs. Few persons outside the realm of the operating department of a railroad know nything of the ofttimes vexatious peculiarities and not infrequently seeming-ly intelligent capers of a locomotive when being "broke" to its mission in the world. Each new engine must undergo a set training or test before it is put into most without love for each other or faith in God. I have thought—oh! I have asked myself, who hath made me to differ; how dare I live for myself and not for these? And even when I go into one of any comparished myself, and love the second of the second o

When a new engine is taken into a shop it is turned over to a mechanic whose duty it is to fit it up and make all connections and adjustments of the interior mechanism. This complete, the engine is turned over to a fireman, who steams it up and blows it off in order to remove any grease that might have accumulated in the boiler or any such foreign substance as might cause a boiler to



"foam" while in service. The engine is them turned over to an engineer, whose duty it is to "break" it in. The engine is steamed up again, and if it will run is taken for a little try-out about the

SEA BATHING ON NEW YEAR'S.

Annual Dip in San Diego Bay Asten ishing to Easterners.

While the waters of the East, where during the summer months, youth and old age delight to swim or row, are frozen over and provide only a field for the invigorating winter sports of skating and curding, the beys and ocean beaches of the Southwest are the scenes of all sorts of acquatic pastimes. Little beaches of the Southwest are the scenes of all sorts of acquatic pastimes. Little does it matter if the calendar does say the day is New Year's or Christmas. Memorial day or the glorious Fouria. It is all the same to the swimmer, the carsman, the owner of a yacht or the fisherman of California. This is particularly true in the cars. hisherman of California. This is particularly true in the great bay of San Diego, at the extreme southern end of California, where headland and peninsula afford a vast space of still water. One of the regular annual features of a rowing club, cays The Travel Magastine, is the New Year's day dip in the bay, when scores of the members get

sine, is the New Year's day dip in the bay, when scores of the members get into the water at the same time, making a picture which is a source of astopishment to the "easterners" who may be down on the water-front. But this is not the only day in the winter when the boys have their swim in the open water. Indeed, the members may be seen any day in the year taking an inseen any day in the year taking an in-vigorating plunge.

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Making a Business of Benevolence. It takes a practical mind to make a fortune. Men have often said in my hearing: "Oh, how I wish I were rich!
If I had money I should do this great
work or that." Now, those men will never be rich. They haven't got the purpose and practical bent of mind for it. They think of the fruits of victory with the struggle. I fast it a present Iney tank of the fruits of victory without the struggle. I fear it is necessary to fix the mind pretty firmly upon the making of money before it is possible to plan its spending. I remember clearly when the financial plan—if I may call it so—of my life was formed. It was out in Ohio, under the minis ration of a dear old minister, who preached "Get money; get it honestly, and then give it wisely." I wrote that down in a little book. I have the little book yet, with that write have the little book yet, with that writing in it. I have tried ever since to "get
money honestly and give it wisely."
There is a great deal of folly shown in
the distribution of benevolence. If substance is a trust, then it is very serious business, this matter of dispensing it. business, this matter of dispensing it.

One can't simply get rid of it and have a free conscience. A responsibility attaches to the distribution. I have sided on that point, to this effect: Let us have benevolent trusts—corporations to manage the business of benevolence."

—John D. Rockefeller in Leslie's Week-

Women Defied Church Rule.

Six splendidly clad young women, not the least of their grandeur being represented by the latest examples of millinery art, swept into the First Presbyterian Church last night and seated themselves in the most advantageous seats of this the most selected house of worship in the city. The six did not resemble conspirators bent on revolutionary and rebellious tactics, but they were and they won their point.

"Ledies will please remove their hats," commanded the Rev. Dr. Matthews, when his calm glance over his congregation revealed the fact that one of the standing rules of the church was being violated right under the ministerial nose.

There was no responsive action on the part of the six. The request was repeated in a still firmer tone, but the rebels sat firm, and after a purse of a minutes's duration the divine began his sermon while the six sat straight with their plumes flaunting a paean of victory.—Seattle Times.

But She Doesn't Last as Well. Women Defied Church Rule,

But She Doesn't Last as Well. The modern girl is cast iron. She can do everything a man can do. No man could live the life the ordinary society woman leads and not be a wreck at the end of the first season. Certainly no man could run the risks the average woman runs in the ware matter of health and runs in the mere matter of health and not become a confirmed invalid on the spot.— Ladies' Field.

Blodds-"Old Hardhart reminds me of a boarding house chicken.' Slobbs—"How so?" Blobbs—"He hasn't a tender spot for anybody."

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earne to snooting me. I always felt his troubles and his triumphs with far keener sense than my own—indeed, I had some, but his—" Here, by her on fond memory and her nother's sympathy, the maiden was beguiled into many a reminiscence of the past. Percentage of the past were again swimming into her eyes, and she says." Sweet ming into her eyes, and she-sull: "Sweet mother, we were never semirated before. estranged; he has sail d without even bidding me farewell; he best described em-bittered and unh

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# Local and General

Kingston penitentiary now contain

Miss Addie Wilson is visiting friends Mr Brock DeWolfe is confined to

his home by illness. Mrs Chas. Woodcock of Brockville

is visiting friends in Athens. Miss Ethel Mooney is a guest at the home of Mr and Mrs Joseph Thompson Mr M. C. Kelly is home from the Canadian West for a visit with his

The home of Aaron Burns, North Augusta, is under quarantine for the hockey match in Brockville on

Mrs R. Cummer of Parry Harbor is visiting her daughter, Miss E. M.

The Ladies' Aid of Christ church will meet at the home of Mrs Dobbs on Saturday at 2.30.

Mr Harold Thompson returned home a few days ago from St. Andrew's

Mr and Mrs A. E. Paker of Merrick ville were in Athens last week, guests of Mrs Charles Rowsome

Robert F. Avery, a well known farmer of Mallorytown, died suddenly from beart disease on Friday last.

Mr N. K. Benedict is confined to his home by poor health this winter, but lately has been improving some-

Mrs Judd, visiting at the home of hust be removed from the walks her daughter, Mrs I. C. Alguire, has been invalided for a few days with an attack of rheumatism.

Mrs A. J. Slack and son, Carman, en route from Westport to their new home in Smith's Falls, were guests at the home of Mrs P. P. Slack over Sunday.

We are pleased to report that Mrs Lewis Knowlton of Smith's Falls, who has been ill for several weeks at the home of Mr Sterns Knowlton, is now

Mrs S. Hamblin, who was preparing to accompany her daughter, Mrs Churchill, on her return to her home in Grand Forks, N.D., is suffering from

-Miss Edith Falkner will return to during the month of March. Two her.

Mrs A. W. Swerdfeger and two bull, Athens, have returned to their

home at Chesterville. The first accident of this season on "the big bill" coasting track occurred last week when Master Winford Gifford had one of his feet quite badly injured

by being struck with a pair of bobs. The Reporter has pleasure in joining with the many friends of Mr H. A. Stewart in extending congratulations on his appointment as King's Counsel. The honor was never more worthily

Mr S. S. Holmes of Lake Eloida visited the fair at Ottawa last week. There was a great showing of poultry and splendid exhibits in the bacon hog department, but the fat stock classes were not very well filled.

The patients and staff of the Eastern Hospital, Brockville, have all been vaccinated—750 in number. The disease in town maintains its mild, measley, chickenpoxy character, and the quarantine is quite as much dread

The roads, following the recent storm are reported to be quite heavy. The Guide-board road, as usual, is pretty well filled, but no serious pitch-holes are reported until crossing the line into Athens. This is a matter that will no doubt receive the prompt attention of

the village road co cash and he responded to the special summons requiring his attendance at Division Court here last Thursday. His case was settled out of court, he to pay \$45 in instalments of \$2.50 per Sacred Herb."

Testinous plant extract, that helps to heal aching lyngs. The Spaniards call this shrub which the Doctor uses, "The Sacred Herb."

Demand Dr Shoop's.

Mrs Wm Stafford of Delta spen Sunday with her mother here.

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Brockville schools are being fumiga ed preparatory to reopening.

Village council meets in regular monthly session on Monday evening Born-On Friday, Jan. 24, to Mi

and Mrs William Barrington, Epworth League, Monday evening. Topic: "Faith and Works." Leader,

Miss E. Young. Mr R. W. Tennant, post

Mallorytown, is seriously ill with About a score from Athens attended

Tuesday evening. Mr W. L. Steacy has leased the

Eyre house on Mill street and is mov ing there this week. his household goods to his new home

on Wiltse street Mrs Joseph Jones went to Poole's Resort on Monday to the home of her

daughter, Mr. W. Poole. Mrs Jas. Walker and little daughter of Gananoque are visiting at the home of Mr and Mrs Jas. Stevens.

Miss Flossy Sly, a student at the A.H.S., was forced to return home by an attack of appendicitis.

Charlez Davison, late a student at the A.H.S., has taken a position in the Merchants Bank at Delta. The Chief warns citizens that snow

-A visit to the Athens Reporter office will mean money saved to any person wishing to attend a Business College.

Mr M. B. Holmes, reeve, is this week attending the sessions of the counties council, which opened on Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs Alfred Snider have re turned from Utica, N.Y., Mr Snider's health having been very poor for several months

Messrs Gordon Lawson and Arthur Bell of this place are both taking up Commercial work at the Brockville Business College this term.

Mrs Almeron Robinson has been very ill for several days with pneu Athens and re-open her store with a full stock of New Spring Millinery Westport, is assisting in caring for Westport, is assisting in caring for

Anyway, it seems reasonably certain that the dog was shot, and it would now be in order for some conscience. stricken individual to come forward

and say "I did it with my little hatchet. The first of the series of monthly social evenings inaugurated by the oung people's society of the Baptist church takes place at the home of Mr and Mrs Ardie Parish to day (Wednes

The first snow block ade of the seas on on the B.W. & N.W. occurred on Monday, the train from the west not reaching Athens until 11.45. The now-plow passed up the line during

Monday night was the coldest of the season. At 9 o'clock the mercury stood at 4 deg. above zero, but at 6.30 on Tuesday morning it marked 20 deg. below. The ice crop is going to be alright, alright.

Two partes engaged the attention o Athens young people, on Thursday evening last, at the home of Mr and uarantine is quite as much dread the disease. About 23 houses placards, Mrs William Jacob and at the home of

A tickling cough, from any cause, is quickly stopped by Dr Shoop's Cough Cure. And it is so thoroughly harm less and safe, that Dr Shoop tells mothers everywhere to give it without hesitation even to very young babes The wholesome green leaves and tender stems of a lung healing mountainous John Forsythe, recently committed to Brockville jail for 21 days in default of payment of a fine of \$7.25, was liber ated by friends putting up the requisite cash and he responded to the special pecial used to injure or suppress, Simply a nee at resinous plant extract, that helps to

### LITTLE DUTIES

Written for the Reports When the sunlight is about us And the flowers strew our way, To our loved one in the shadow
We find duties every day,
And the while we gladly do them, so much good: It cures.

As the precious moments fly, We are sowing seeds of kindness For our reaping bye and bye.

Christmas gifts and New Year gree

ings,
Lights to many a pathway here—
God and men and earth and heaven All will meet some glad New Year Then we'll find those little duties, All along the path we trod, Are recorded there in Heaven In the memory of God.

Mr E. A. Gardiner leaves this week on his return trip to Regina. On Saturday evening Mrs Gardiner very pleasantly entertained a party

Judging from the crowd here or Thursday. you don't have to go to the mountain region of Kentucky to find people that appreciates the value of

His Honor Judge McDonald delivers his illustrated lecture on "A Trip to Rome" in the basement of Christ church on Thursday evening, Jan. 30. Admission 10c.

-It is said that all Educational Insti tutions in Brockville will be allowed to resume work Feb. 3, and W. Rogers Principal of the Brockville Busines College, says that a large number from this district contemplate commencing courses at the College at that date.

At Division Court on Thursday last it was surprising to most people and no doubt highly gratifying to friends Mr. Lester Brown last week moved of the shot dog to learn that it still lived, with bark unimpaired and with a fair prospect that its injured foot would be fully healed this side of Beautiful Joe's Paradise."

> Rev. W. N. Scott and Mr Melvin Milroy visited the great poultry fair at Ottawa last week. In driving to Bellamy's their horse took fright dumped them out, and departed swift on a course of its own. The travellers continued on their way to Ottawa and the horse with the wrecked remains of the cutter was captured near Lyn.

We are pleased to learn from the Recorder that a system of fire drill has been inaugarated in Athens public school. The item was probably in tended to apply to some other school but it is a matter that might well receive some attention here to the extent at least of determining just what part each teacher should assume in guiding and controlling the child-ren in case of fire.

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# SALE REGISTER

On Monday, Feb. 10, Mr Job Jame will sell at his farm, 11 miles north of Addison, 1 horse, 7 milch cows, implements, vehicles, etc. Sale a 1 p.m. D. C. Healy, auctioneer.

# DELTA FAIR

The total receipts of Delta Fair last all were \$2,216 30, of this amount there was paid for actual agricultural exhibits, \$1,078.90. The election of officers resulted a

ollows ; President-R. J. Green. 1st Vice Pres .- Omer Brown. 2nd Vice Pres -R. G. Leggett. Auditors-W. J. Russell, R. E.

Directors—Wm Bass, Archibald Stevens, H E. Eyre, D. G. Ripley, Geo. Morris, H. E. Bowser. Alfred Willows, Phi ip Halladay and A J. Kendrick.

Secretary-L. N. Phelps. The question of three days fair was discussed at some length by the mem bers and will be finally settled at the next meeting of the board to be held on the 17th of February next.

A position on the official board of Delta Fair is an honor to be coveted, and the members have every leason to apples and can guarantee satisfaction. be satisfied with the selection they have Price right. Fifty years experience. made for this year. The administrative ability of their president has been monstrated in many ways, and we look for a highly successful fair next

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Rev. W. H. Stevens, Paisley, Ont.:
"Psychine seemed just the stimulant my
system needed. I shall add my testimony
as to its efficacy at every opportunity." Rev. R. M. Brownen Amherst Head. N.S., "I have often recommended Psychine since taking it myself, for it is a cure for the troubles you specify." "I have often Rev. Chas. Stirling Bath NR . " have used Psychine in my family; the results were marvelous. I have visited people who state that they never used its equal. I strongly recommend it.

Rev. J. S. I. Wilson, Markdale, Ont.:
"I have taken two bottles of Psychine
and am pleased to say that I am greatly
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