

..The Planet..

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BRITISH LOSSES HAVE BEEN HEAVY.

Figures showing the total losses through the war in South Africa up to the end of March were issued from the War Office last night. For last month the deaths, including killed in action, were 623; missing and prisoners, 39; sent home as invalided, 1,069. The following are totals for the whole war up to March 31—

	Officers.	Men.
Killed in action.....	348	3,583
Died of wounds.....	114	1,187
Died in captivity.....	4	92
Died of disease.....	216	8,577
Accidental.....	8	290
Total deaths.....	690	13,734
Missing and prisoners.....	17	758
Sent home as invalids.....	1,892	43,534
Total.....	2,599	58,026
	60,625	
Deaths in South Africa.....	690	13,734
Missing and prisoners.....	17	758
Invalids sent home who have died.....	4	300
Invalids left the service as unfit.....	2,189	
Total.....	711	16,981
	17,692	

DOING EVIL THAT GOOD MIGHT COME.

Those who condemn the methods by which General Funston accomplished the capture of Aguinaldo, are free enough to admit that the capture itself was in the interests of peace, but they force an indelible injury to the conscience of the United States when the impressionable youth of the country are taught to regard the man as a hero, who, by dishonorable means achieved a desirable end. How can the virtue of truth and the heroism of Funston be comprehended by a school-boy at one and the same time?

Napoleon was not a stickler for upright methods in war; and those who claim that great laws cannot be violated without injurious results may say that his successes, although brilliant, were brief, and that the structure he erected on false principles soon fell. In 1812, M. Pasquier, an officer of police in Paris, captured a gang of counterfeiters with their plant and a large stock of counterfeit Austrian and Russian notes, only to find that he had got himself into trouble, as the counterfeiting was being done under Napoleon's orders to produce bogus money for use of his armies in the forthcoming campaign in Russia. He did not propose to pay good money in buying supplies in an enemy's country. It is significant that the man who planned this elaborate fraud defamed the coinage of France and weakened his own throne. Such chickens come home to roost.

EVERY MAN HIS OWN RAINMAKER IN THE WILD WEST.

Last year in Southern Alberta and Western Assiniboia proved to be the second wet year which, as experience has now shown, may be looked for in recurring cycles of two wet and five dry years, and, as a consequence, irrigation of the growing crops was not required to the same extent as in dry seasons. The year was marked, however by unusual progress in ditch and canal construction, the total number of ditches and canals completed being 290, with a total length of 525 miles, and a total area susceptible of irrigation from completed canals and ditches amounting to 668,757 acres. Irrigation is coming rapidly to the front in the region of light rainfall in Western Canada. The Galt canal in Southern Alberta, completed last fall, ranks with the large irrigation undertakings on this continent. The engineer who located that canal and supervised its construction is now engaged in going over the proposed Bow River irrigation canal in Northern Alberta, a still more extensive project. In the region of insufficient rainfall in the Territories, the irrigation era has plainly arrived.

The irrigating farmer is in the position of being his own rain-maker. "When he wants a gentle shower," in the words of a recent writer describing the methods in use in the western states where irrigation is extensively used, he goes out and opens his head-gate a little, and he gets it. When he wants a downpour he opens the head-gate wider and floods his land. And when he wants the rain to stop, he shuts his head-gate and it stops. If he wants rain on his meadow and none on his outfield, another combination of head-gate brings the desired results. The irrigating farmer has no fears of his meadow drying up, or of his oats rusting because of too much rain, and spring freshets never delay his potato planting." In fact, the farmer who regulates his showers by head-gates is the most independent agriculturist in existence.

The Mormons, under Brigham Young, in the Salt Lake valley, were the first on this continent to make extensive use of irrigation, and their skill in its application and the success they have achieved have led to the saying in Utah and Idaho that a Mormon can make water run up hill. The well-established fact, however,

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that water will only run down hill is the ever-present consideration governing the work of the mining engineer in the location and construction of a canal, such as that projected in Northern Alberta. Having determined the site of the intake, or, in other words, the beginning of the whole irrigation system, he has to locate its course so that the water will be carried to the desired areas that are to be irrigated. An accurate topographical survey is required, much more exact in the taking of levels than a survey made for the location of a railroad.

If by their own act the government of Ontario can prolong the life of the ministry at all why cannot they do so indefinitely. Ross might then declare himself Premier for life.

That gentleman who made \$5,500 at Toronto on Saturday by altering cheques, was certainly sharp as a raisin.

It seems that Uncle Sam's officers have been robbing him in Manila, and living riotously on the proceeds. Over a year ago The Planet expressed the opinion that the Philippine war was being purposely prolonged because somebody was making a good thing out of it.

The feeling in favor of a decimal coinage for Great Britain is evidently gaining ground. The latest proposal is one by Lieut.-Col. Bucknill to the effect that the farthing be regarded as the one-hundredth instead of the nine-hundredth and sixtieth part of the pound, and that the three-penny piece be abolished. All

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the coins would then fall within three places of decimals behind the sovereign mint. As an English paper remarks "a decimal system of some kind is eminently desirable in the interests of our international trade."

STRUCK IT RICH.

Clarksburg Reformer. Some of our village boys are hiring out this summer for great wages. Eggar Neely left this morning for a term of eight months for the snug sum of \$144.

FROM ASIA—NEXT.

Hobbsay Independent. Senator Mills says that a batch of immigrants are to be brought from southeastern Asia, and that the literature of Canada will work them into Canadian homogeneity. Oh, yes, sir. The literature of Canada worked dead loads of homogeneity between Quebec and Ontario during the last election. Party literature makes a special line of homogeneity—always.

IN DEEP TRIBULATION.

Kingston Freeman. Editing this paper is a nice thing. If we publish jokes people say we are rattled. If we don't we are an old fossil. If we publish original matter they say we don't give them enough selections. If we give them selections they say we are too lazy to write. If we don't go to church we are heathen; if we do we are a hypocrite. If we remain in the office we ought to go out and hustle for locals. If we are out then we are not attending to our business. If we wear old clothes they laugh at us. If we wear good clothes they say we have a pull. Now, what are we going to do? Just as likely some one will say we stole this item from our exchanges, and so we did.

WERE MINED BY AZTECS

The Ancient Implements Found Prove Them to Have Dug Turquoise in Arizona.

Modern Methods of Manufacture Make Old Mines Exceedingly Valuable.

Denver Times. A new method of manufacture seems destined to make the turquoise the fashionable gem stone of the day, and there is a mint in store for the operators of the few profiting mines.

George Bell, a Denver lapidist, has just returned from an inspection of turquoise mines in New Mexico. In the Jarilla mountains of that state, only a few feet from the surface, Bell is mining for the precious treasure, and has found the largest piece of pure turquoise ever mined, weighing 60 carats, which he sold for \$1,000.

Bell was compelled to leave his business in New York on account of his health 10 years ago and came to Colorado. He was determined to find a turquoise mine and his prospecting was almost immediately rewarded. But the mineral was not of an even color that distinguishes the turquoise and after two years he quit operations. The mine has been neglected for eight years, but for two years it produced sufficiently to have made him a multi-millionaire if the present method of manufacture had been in vogue.

The new method incorporated the matrix as a part of the gem, and the beautiful harmony of color enriches the effect over the pure, but lifeless turquoise, which costs 10 times as much. This is the conception of Tiffany, owner of the largest turquoise producing mine in the world, for which it is said he paid \$1,000,000. The Jarilla mountains, with Grand county and Santa Fe in the same state, is practically the home of the world's turquoise production. According to Mr. Bell the turquoise mines of New Mexico were neglected for more than 200 years before an accident finally disclosed them to the world again. He gives a legend to the effect that the Spanish worked them at that time for many years by enslaved Indian labor, when the Indians revolted and massacred their masters. The ore sacks were then made rudely of skins and the Indians carried the treasure from the mines in baskets on a pole thrown across their shoulders.

He also has unassailable evidence that some of the mines were operated in more remote times by Aztecs, when they flourished in this country. Stone implements have been found and on excavating the Aztec graves pieces of turquoise are always discovered.

"Since Tiffany got the idea," said Bell, "that the matrix rock in which the turquoise is found could be polished together, it has become worth while to mine turquoise. Before that we could only cut a small clear stone from a piece, and it cost 10 to 15 times as much. That is why I gave my Colorado mine eight years ago. To get one good piece we often had to blast 100 tons or more of the granite. The streaks are never wider than one inch, and none of the shafts run deeper than 100 feet. A mine is only 30 feet deep. That is one reason why in turquoise mining we don't use the advanced machinery and why a common horse-whim to draw the buckets of ore out is sufficient. Dynamite is not used in turquoise mining. In Persia the mines are much deeper from long use, but they are fast playing out. Persia has supplied the world for years. The finest gems used to come from that country, and the finest collection in the world is possessed by the Shah. The way he gets it is by having inspectors out to examine every load of ore mined in

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"One day when I don't have some things to do a man comes in my place and says: 'Look here, cobbler, we shall go into some combinations. You help me, and I help you. I have got an undertaker who starts in peesness on der next block, and I can send you 20 customers a week. When peopies cum to my place, I says to dem: 'Do you know der German cobbler? Vhell, he vhas a rusher, and he vhas sheep prices. You go to him, and he vhas all right?'"

"'And when some peopies cum to your shop you should say: 'Do you know der undertaker down der street? Vhell, he vhas boss, and if you patronize him once you vill be sure to come again.'"

"After dot undertaker goes away I talk mit my wife, and she says maype it vhas all right. I like it better if it vhas some tailor or butcher, but poorty soon when an old man mit a lame back comes in to get a cement patch on his shoe I says: 'Vhell, maype you vhas going to die dis winter, and it vhas good for you to git der lowest price and der best treatment. I like to recommend my friend Jones to you.'"

"Vhell, I never saw a man so mad. He calls me names and wants to hit me mit his cane, and he says he shall drive dot undertaker out."



"VHELL, DOT VHAS ROBBERY!"

drive all my customers away and send me py der poorhouse. A hay and send me a big row dot feefty peopies come around and belief somebody vhas killed by der street cars. I can't see why he gets his back oop, but when he goes away anodder man comes in and cries out: 'Hello, cobbler, but dot combination vhas all K. O. I vhas down to see Jones and look after some bargains, and he recommended me to you. He says your work vhas good and your prices sheep. How mooch to put some soles on my shoes?'"

"'Nonsense! Dot vhas der old figure before der combination. If I can buy a \$40 coffin for \$25, do you belief I shall pay you feefty cents for new soles? You make der price 25 cents and go to work!'"

"I couldn't do dot, and do you belief dot man shouts and yells and kicks around and says he can lick me in one minute by two clocks? He calls me robber, thief and liar, and some more peopies come running and ask where der fire vhas. I like to give oop dot combination right away, but I don't haf time to see der undertaker before a fat woman comes in mit an old pair of shoes to be fixed. Dot woman vhas so big and fat dot she can hardly come in der door, and she haf some asthma der worst kind. 'Vhas you in some combination mit an undertaker?' she asks as she sits down. 'I vhas. If you like to buy a coffin and haf a pair of shoes fixed at der same time, I can do bully by you.' 'Dot vhas peesness. Cobbler, I vhas expecting to die eafery day, and of course I like to be buried ash sheeply ash possible. While I lift I must wear shoes, and so you can gif me figures on shoes and burial. Don't try to swindle me because I vhas fat.' 'Of course not. It vhas all der same, lean or fat. Our goods vhas der best and our prices der lowest. I vill say sixty dollars for all. If you die in der night, it vhas no deference.' 'Sixty dollar?' she says. 'Why, dot vhas robbery! If somebody don't bury me for forty dollar, den I lay on top der ground! Cobbler, I vhas a fat woman and a dying woman, but you can't swindle me. Make dot price forty dollar, and we shall talk. It vhas forty dollar, and I shall haf sixteen backs at der funeral.' 'Sixty dollar vhas der lowest figure,' I said. 'Dot vhas an awful discount, but we like to do peesness and satisfy der peopies. We vhas here to stay. If you come once, you vill come again.' 'Dot woman vhas some deceiver. She looks like a leetle lamb, but when I don't make dot combination for forty dollar she begins to shout and swear and scream and kick, and poorty soon she faints away and falls down. More ash one honored peopies comes crowding around, and dot cross eyes pollicians shumps in der door and pulls me out on der sidewalk and slams me around and yells: 'Here vhas der villain! He shall go by state's prison for life for killing some fat woman!'"

"It vhas an awful time. We don't get dot fat woman out for an hour." M. QUAD.

THE GLASS OF FASHION.

Sashes of all kinds and descriptions will be a feature of summer dress.

The prettiest, most becoming face veil for decorating wear is made of Brussels net with a scalloped edge, a hemstitched border or a crape band.

Embroidered batiste of the finest texture and the daintiest blacut tint is to be very much worn this season for entire gowns, waists and trimmings.

French knots are quite as popular as ever as a means of trimming, with the difference of using heavy instead of fine silk. On gauze materials they are very effective.

Spring hats have blossomed out in a very realistic way with flowers in the lead for decorating. Roses are first on the list, but all sorts of exquisite floral designs are in evidence on the new hats.

The new leather belts are the same straight around bands so long worn, but are covered with rows of stitching or combined with velvet showing a narrow line through the center, the leather overlapping and being stitched on.

Single faced velvet ribbon is promised as one of the trimmings for four-leaf gowns, and it is to be stitched on at the upper edge. Bands of pieces of velvet were stitched on to the skirts of the winter models, so it is only the same idea differently expressed.

THE TURF RECORD.

Snulol, 2:08 1/4, is surely in foal. It is said, to Orowood, son of Oro Wilkes. General B. F. Tracy is fearful lest the increase of the pacer will drive out the trotter.

Mr. George A. Graves of Boston has purchased Combination park, the fast half mile track.

R. C. Moody has been elected president of the Palmersville (O.) Driving club, recently organized.

Belle Miller, 2:25 1/2, has been sold by Henry Shipper, Lancaster, Pa., to C. H. Rohrer, Petersburg, Pa.

Melton, a highly touted 3-year-old, by Allerton, has been purchased by C. W. Lascelle, Whitinsville, Mass., for a long price.

Hazelwood Hal, 2:15, is being trained by Frank Hedrick, South Solon, O. This horse is said to be much faster than his record.

A California paper states that the Chinese consul, How Yow, who is entering the racing game, will have his drivers costumed in yellow silk jackets with embroidered dragons on the back.

Slandering the Cook.

Here is something that a woman who knows says is a sure diagnosis of the status of the cook. If you have a good cook, you may be more or less sure that she will look too frequently upon the wine when it is red. It is an unfortunate fact, but if the cook is less than a \$40 cook as little annoyance as possible may be expected from this weakness. Possibly it will never make itself manifest enough to be known above stairs. But if the cook has risen higher in the social scale of cooks than \$40, then look out. A cook who is rated at over \$40 may be expected to smash things.

If one chances to make a morning call at the house of a friend and discovers the servants crowded up stairs, frightened and trembling, while from below come the sounds of ironware crashing across the kitchen and pottery crashing against the wall and between times the voice of the masculine head of the family gently expostulating or commanding in would be stern tones, then it may be known that that household has reached the dignity of a \$50 or \$60 cook.

Huxley and the Clergyman.

A rash clergyman once, without further equipment in natural history than some desultory reading, attacked the Darwinian theory in some sundry magazine articles in which he made himself uncommonly merry at Huxley's expense. The war was intended to draw the great man's fire, and as the batteries remained silent the author proceeded to write to Huxley, calling his attention to the articles and at the same time, with mock modesty, asking advice as to the further study of these deep questions.

Huxley's answer was brief and to the point, "Behold a cockroach and dissect it!"—Argonaut.

A Historic Throne.

The biggest episcopal throne in Europe is at the Exeter cathedral. Composed of the very best oak, with magnificent carving executed by the most expert designers of the day, the throne soars upward in beautiful tapering pinnacles, which rise up to the lofty roof of the sacred edifice. The throne is not only the biggest, but one of the oldest. It was saved from destruction by the Puritans by the ingenuity of the Cavaliers, who when the Roundheads marched on Exeter pulled down the throne and divided it into 365 pieces, one for every day of the year. The pieces were safely secured in many hiding places, and when peace was restored the pieces were put together again without the aid of a single nail.

A Willy Answer.

The shah of Persia once asked a group of his courtiers whom they thought the greater man, himself or his father. At first he could get no reply to so dangerous a question, the answer to which might cost the courtiers their heads. At last a wily old courtier said, "Your father, sire, for although you are equal to your father in all other respects in this he is superior to you, that he had a greater son than any you have."

"Badly Crippled."

Rheumatism at its worst is a sort of living death. It chains a man to a chair or binds him to a bed, and metes out to him a daily martyrdom. At the best rheumatism is a painful malady, interfering alike with pleasure and business.

To cure rheumatism it is necessary to eliminate from the blood the acid poisons which are the cause of the disease. This is effectually done by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It carries out of the blood the corrupt and poisonous accumulations which breed and feed disease. It increases the activity of the blood-making glands and sends an increased supply of rich, pure blood through vein and artery to strengthen every organ of the body.

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Cades, Williamsburg Co., S. C. "I was badly crippled. Tried many doctors and two of them said I was to die. None of them did me much good. The pains in my back, hips and legs (and at times in my head), would nearly kill me. My appetite was very bad. Everybody who saw me said I must die. I took five bottles of the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and four vials of 'Pelle's,' and today my health is good after suffering twelve years with rheumatism."

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Missed His Chance.

During his lecture to children at the Society of Arts Mr. E. Walter Mander told his audience an instructive story. A certain lecturer on astronomy observed that some of the students were not paying due attention. "Mr. So-and-so," he called out to one of them, "will you be good enough to tell us of what the corona is composed?" The student addressed hesitated for a moment and then blurted out, "I did know, sir, but I've forgotten." The professor looked at him and then exclaimed: "What a calamity! Here we have the only man who ever knew the composition of the corona, and he has forgotten!"—London Chronicle.

Juvenile Logic.

Norman's mamma was something of a stickler for propriety, and she was not a little annoyed that it seemed impossible to make the boy give his uncle's name the customary handle. One day after the little fellow had met with a severe reproof than usual for this shortcoming of his he said: "I mean to be good, mamma, but I don't see why I should say Uncle Harry. I don't see why Uncle Papa, do I?"—New York Mail and Express.

More in Sorrow Than Anger.

"Judge," said the lady who was accused of battering her husband, "it is true that I struck him, but the weapon I used proves that I did so more in sorrow than in anger."

"What did you hit him with?"

"A sadlon, your honor."

Architectural.

"I am disappointed in 'Uncle Tom's Cabin'."

"Well, what did you expect? A Queen Anne villa?"—Detroit Journal.

THE KANSAS AIM.

"No woman can throw straight."

"Oh, I don't know; she can throw a baseball straight by holding on to the end of it."

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DEED.

ARNOLD.—On Tuesday, April 16, S. S.
Arnold, in his 63rd year.

The funeral will take place from his
late residence, River Road, Town-
ship of Chatham, on Thursday, at
2.30, to Maple Leaf Cemetery.
Friends and acquaintances are re-
spectfully invited to attend.

LOCAL BRIEFS

See Morton's saws and chisels. If
Old Pipe and tea lead wanted at
The Planet Office, immediately.

Mrs. A. R. Coltart has returned from
an extended visit with her daughter
in Montreal.

E. & D. Bicycles and some ladies'
and gents' second-hand wheels for
sale at this office.

Miss Baines has resumed her situa-
tion in Dr. Tye's office, after a cou-
ple of months' vacation.

Dr. Russell, dentist, has removed his
office to Cor. King and Fifth streets,
over Merchants' Bank.

The Essex Heroes' march and two-
step, by Catharine A. Westcott, of
Kingsville, can be obtained at Tach-
hart's Music Store, King St. Price 25c.

Dr. McKenough delivered an address
in the Foresters' Hall, Bear Line,
Dover. The building was crowded and
the assemblage much enjoyed the
doctor's address on "A Visit to Rome."

BLAMES PROCTOR.
"Proctor should be burned in effigy
every year, to attest the odium his ac-
tion brought to British arms at the
battle of the Thames," said a citizen
this morning. "With all the ammuni-
tion he had and Tecumseh and the
army at his back, Proctor should have
beaten the American General Harri-
son. His action was a horrible dis-
grace. Had the British had a few
Irishmen and an Irish leader, the re-
sult would have been different, and
there would have been no monument
to British dishonor sunk near Pike-
ville. Tecumseh, on the other hand,
should have the finest monument pro-
curable, and his name should be on
every tongue. The great chief and his
warriors did the only fighting that
was done at the Battle of the Thames
and thereby Canadians wiped away in
part the stain from Britain's honor."

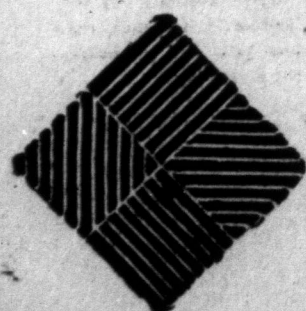
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Astigmatism

(Uneven Sight)



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Miss Emma Fares returned yesterday to
Molton College, Toronto, after spending
her vacation with her cousins, Misses
Edmondson, Emma street.

The plan for the opera, Pirates of
Penance, is filling up splendidly and
the prospects are that the opera will
receive the patronage it deserves.

The Master-in-Ordinary, Toronto, yester-
day gave judgment in favor of Wilson, Kerr
& Pike in their claim of one hundred and
sixty-nine dollars against the old Banner
Printing Company.

The regular weekly meeting of Court
Hope, A. O. F., will take place this evening
at 8 o'clock in their lodge room, over the
Standard bank, at which important business
will be transacted.

Amongst the names of Canadians men-
tioned for meritorious service in South
Africa is Lieut. H. J. A. Davidson, son-in-
law of Mrs. J. G. Pendergast, late of this
city, and Sergt. J. M. B. Skirving.

The Manson Campbell Fanning Mill
Co. have shipped cars of fanning mills
to each of the following places: Brandon,
Man.; Arden, Ontario; Brantford,
Thornbury, Ont., and Bird's Hill, Man.
The Detroit branch has been rebuilt,
and four or five cars of mills have
been shipped from that factory since it
was finished.

THE LATE MR. ARNOLD.

Samuel S. Arnold, whose death has al-
ready been noted, was born on the present
farm on the River Road. He married Miss
Julia Keating and they had four sons and
four daughters. Two of the daughters are
now dead. The surviving members of the
family are Robert S. and two daughters on
the farm; Charles D., employed in wagon
works; F. H., working at Gray's and W. T.
on his own farm in Chatham township.
The deceased, who was a most estimable
gentleman in every respect, was a member
of the Church of England and a Conserva-
tive in politics. He had been ill for over a
year suffering from a weak heart.

Musical and social event of season, opera
Pirates of Penance at Grand Opera House,
Thursday, April 18th. 5d 1w

THE BOERS SAID TO BE WEAKENING

An English, M. P. who has Returned
From South Africa Thinks
They are Tired of Fighting.

London, April 17.—Col. Harry McCal-
mont, M. P., returned to London yester-
day from the theatre of war in
South Africa, where he has just com-
pleted several months' service as com-
mander of the Warwickshire militia.
Col. McCalmont said last night:

"Latterly the Boers have been fight-
ing doggedly under very hard circum-
stances in some sections. In others
they have been able to maintain them-
selves more successfully. The British
forces are carrying on a relentless
campaign, marching and fighting most
of the time. My personal belief is that
enemy is gradually being reduced to a
state of helplessness.

"It is possible that the cold weather
may put an end to military operations
of any consequence. However, there
will unquestionably be heavy police
duties for our men for many months
in both the Transvaal and Orange
River Colony."

A MISSING MAN.

Mrs. L. B. Burdick, of Kingsville,
wife of an old United States pensioner,
of that name, is greatly worried
over the mysterious disappearance of
her husband. On March first the old
man went to Detroit to collect his
quarterly pension and since that time
nothing has been seen or heard of
him, and there are fears that he may
have met with foul play. Mrs. Bur-
dick is to-day homeless as well as
husbandless, her home having been de-
stroyed by fire, together with all its
contents.

A ROYAL RESIDENCE IN IRELAND.

London, April 17.—According to On-
looker (a society paper) a site of 145
acres has been acquired in Ireland
for the erection of a Royal residence.
Plans for the building have been ap-
proved and work will commence
shortly. The coronation of King Ed-
ward will take place at the end of
June, 1902.

CHINA SHOULD BE MADE TO PAY

That is the Opinion of Foreign Cor-
respondents in Pekin—The
Emperor will not Return
to Pekin.

London, April 17.—The Pekin corre-
spondent of the Daily Mail says he
thinks the aggregate of the indemnities
demanded by the powers will not be
reduced below £50,000,000, and adds
that it cannot be too strongly pointed
out how serious a danger would rise
from too excessive a reduction of
claims. "If the powers fail to recoup
their actual outlay," he says, "they
are likely to seek compensation by
separate secret arrangements with
Pekin, which would infallibly lead to
grave complications."

It is said the Emperor will not re-
turn to Pekin as long as foreign
troops are there.

Dr. Morrison, writing to the Times
from Pekin yesterday, says:—"At the
meeting of the ministers of the powers
to-day it was decided to adopt the
recommendation of Mr. Rockhill, giv-
ing effect to article 12 of the joint
note concerning the reform of the
Tsung Li Yamen, and the modification
of the court ceremonial. It was
agreed that in place of the Tsung Li
Yamen, there shall be a Wai Wau
Fu, or board of public affairs, having
precedence over other boards. It is to
consist of a president, who shall be
an imperial prince, and of two min-
isters, one being the president of a
board and the other a member of the
grand council, with direct access to
the Emperor. There will also be two
vice ministers, having knowledge of
foreign affairs, one of them speak-
ing a foreign language. With regard
to court ceremonial, the ministers of
the powers, when about to be received
in audience, will be conveyed in im-
perial chairs to the palace through
the central gateway, and be received
in the halls where the Emperor re-
sides, and the other members of the
princes, and they will be shown honor
equal to that shown by European sov-
ereigns to foreign ambassadors.

People who expect to attend the Pan-
American exposition should remem-
ber: First that the number of lights
and the quantity of light will exceed
that of any other equal area ever ar-
tificially illuminated, and it will be
evenly distributed; Second, that un-
usual spectacular effects will be pro-
duced by the many combinations of
light and water, and these combina-
tions will be so graded as to climax
in keeping with the decorative lights
of the Electric Tower; Third, that the
Electric Tower basin will be the stage
of the display of a combination of 1-
500,000 gallons of water per hour in
fountains, with the light of 100 large
sized search-lights, a scene which
will certainly be impressive.

Realizing that this grand illumina-
tion will be leading feature of the
exposition, the Grand Trunk Railway
system are arranging for a series of
popular price excursions to Buffalo,
twice a week, during May and June,
by special trains, so timed that pas-
sengers will reach the exposition
grounds about 10 a. m., of the day
they leave home, and the special trains
will leave Buffalo after the illumina-
tion is over the same night. This will
afford an opportunity of viewing the
principal attractions during the day
as well as the wonderful night dis-
play at the minimum cost, and it is be-
lieved a great many persons residing
within say 250 miles of Buffalo will
prefer to make frequent visits to the
Exposition in this manner, rather
than incur expense of remaining over
Buffalo several days in succession.

**PUT UP A COLD
CRUEL JOB ON HIM**

Amateur Hypnotist has an Expe-
rience With Some of His
Subjects.

Since the visit of Professor McEwan
to this city, a number of Maple City
residents have been practicing hypno-
tism with more or less success,
chiefly less, however.

One city barber, tired of scraping
faces at ten cents a scrape, was car-
ried away by the idea that he was a
born mesmerist, and he saw visions
of large audiences entertained by his
mystic powers, and the golden shekels
flowing into his treasury. The pros-
pect was thrilling, and he set to work
to perfect himself in the art. He easily
picked subjects from amongst the
boys who were perfectly willing to be
mesmerized at 25 cents a night. A
boy will do a lot for a quarter. The
practising was all done in the barber
shop. The barber last evening felt
that he had the boys enough in his
power to dispense with the 25c. sche-
dule of pay. The boys, however, didn't
agree with him, and as soon as they
were supposedly well under the influ-
ence, proceeded to wreck the shop.
During the uproar, two mesmerized
subjects clobbered the barber, who was
frantic when he discovered his loss.
He found one of the boys, Speck Barry,
asleep in the doorway of Fred. Bris-
coe's bicycle store. All the orthodox
mesmeristic methods of awakening
hypnotic sleepers failed and the hair-
cutting wizard was almost frantic.

"Wake, please, please wake up," the
barber would appeal to the subject shaking
him. Then to the crowd that had collected
he would cry, "Send for Dr. Tye some of
you quick."
To the subject, "Wake up or I'll kill
you," threatened the now desperate ama-
teur hypnotist. But all to no purpose and
the hair chopper was fast losing his senses
when the subject tired of shaming and woke
up.

The face scraping mesmerist was
relieved till some one told him
that the other escaped subject
had, while under the influence, jumped into
the river. Once more the unfortunate mes-
merist was on the gridiron. He was returning
from a visit to the river when he saw the
lad on King street. He took after him but
the faster he ran the faster ran the lad.
When the astute hypnotist secured the boy
he found him in a rigid state. After half
an hour the mesmerist brought his subject
to and once more falls relieved. Later he
learned he had been made the victim of a
cold cruel job.

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barn 20x75 with silo pig pen 24x40, poultry
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New Venetian Broadcloths
A very desirable all pure wool material for smart costumes, in all the popular
shades and black, 54 in. wide, at per yd. \$1.25

New Satin Amazon
A beautiful sheer cloth in black, navy and light shades, fine pure wool, 46 in.
wide, bright finish, very desirable for dressy costumes, at per yd. \$1.25

New Wool Poplins
Small and medium cords, rich finish, perfect in dye, all pure wool, complete range
of shades, 42 to 46 in., at per yd. 80c and 75c

Special for This Week
Black Silk Bengaline, one piece only, heavy cord, rich bright finish, reg. price
\$1.00, this week per yd. 75c

Silk Moire Velours
Five shades, browns, fawns, navy and two greens, very suitable for undershirts,
reg. price 90c, to clear at per yd. 25c

A Talk About Gloves and Hosiery

This store never was so well prepared to do the Glove and Hosiery trade as now
—never commanded so many excellent qualities—never showed such a wide range of
worthy lines, and never was in a position to offer such splendid inducements to buy-
ers. Nothing unworthy or undesirable in the whole stock—all bright, new, fresh
goods, with qualities in every case dependable and of the stamp we can guarantee to
give satisfactory wear of money refunded. These price hints make interesting read-
ing:—

Ladies' Gloves
Ladies' extra fine French Kid Gloves, 2
dome fasteners, Trousseau make,
two tone fancy embroidered silk
backs, in newest spring shades, per-
fect-fitting glove and selected from
choicest material, per pair. \$1.00

Ladies' 3 large dome Kid Gloves, Trous-
seau make, fine French embroidery
ed backs, in self white or black, all
the newest spring shades, castors,
tans, browns, white and black, per
pair. \$1.25

Ladies' 3 large dome fastener Suede
Gloves, in newest shades, with
best embroidered backs, in tan,
browns and blacks, per pair. \$1.25

Misses' Fine Kid Gloves, 2 dome fasten-
ers, in tans and browns, per pair 75c

Careful buyers never think of spending money for Gloves and Hosiery without
looking at our stock. Hundreds more may share the same advantage if they wish.

Ladies' Underwear
Three items that have a stamp of genuine
economy, of double importance because
being seasonable goods.
Ladies' Ribbed Cotton Vests, long
sleeves, reg. price 25c, sale price, 19c
Ladies' light weight, natural wool Vests,
long sleeves, correct for spring
wear, special at. 50c
Ladies' fine natural wool Vests, long
sleeves, fine ribbed cuffs, reg. \$1.25
value for. \$1.00

The Eyelids of Your House
In other words Window Shades, do
much to make or mar not only the in-
side but also the outside of your dwell-
ing. We make this important article
in housefurnishing any size, color or
color combination desired. Our prices
are "unmistakable" by any other shade
seller in Chatham. COMPARE QUO-
TATIONS AND SEE.

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**Why Not Make Clothing
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Have you ever taken the trouble to compare Clothing stocks, to examine the qual-
ities and styles of what is offered here and around town? You'll find it very inter-
esting and profitable to do so. Examine the quality of material, the style, the fit of
each garment, the tailoring and every detail of the making or finish. Then decide
where the best Clothing is to be found. After that consider the stocks as a whole.
Find out where you can make the best selection, get the largest variety of styles, in-
vest your money to have the biggest returns. We're quite willing to undergo the
test in any way you like, and you may be sure we'll do all we can to help you make
an intelligent comparison.

**Men's and Youth's Worsted Blue
Serge Pants, all sizes, Special at
\$2.00**

**Men's Blue Serge Suits
Just Opened up**

Men's Special Blue Serge Suits in single breasted saque
coats, made from all-wool Serges, good weight, hon-
est wearers, well lined, sizes 36 to 44, at \$6 and. \$5.00

Men's Worsted Blue Serge Suits in four button, single
breasted sack coats, made from hard twist Worsted
Serges, noted for wear, well made and lined, all
coats French faced, all sizes 36 to 44, very dressy,
at \$7.50

Youth's and Men's Pure Botany Blue Serge Suits in four button single breasted
and three button double breasted saque coats, made from very fine twill
Serges, handsomely made, all coats wide French faced, edges piped with silk,
a perfectly tailored garment, you pay the tailor \$15 for these, all sizes 34 to
44, vests single or double breasted style, at. \$10.00

Young Men's All-wool Serge Suits, made from all-wool Serges, in single breasted
saque coats, good wearing material, serviceable linings and make, sizes 32
to 38, making a dressy suit at little cost, special value. \$5.00

Young Men's Worsted Blue Serge Suits, made in single breasted saque coats
made from hard twist blue Serges, wearers, well lined, wide facings, very
dressy, all sizes 32 to 38, value at. \$7.50

Boys' 3 Po. Worsted Blue Serge Suits, made in single and double breasted styles,
made from hard twist blue Serges, dressy, vests in single and double breasted
ed styles, wearers, sizes 25 to 35, at \$6.00 and. \$5.00

Boys' 2 Po. Worsted Blue Serge Suits, made single and double breasted styles,
in the always dressy hard twist blue Serges, wearers, for ages 8 to 13 yrs., sizes
22 to 30, special value at \$4.00 and. \$3.50

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Pineapples

The East India kind, put up in cans. Ordinary canned pineapples we know are not very inviting. These we speak of are the whole pineapple, cored, and a heavy syrup poured over them. We speak confidently when we say they are delicious—**25c a can.**

FRESH PINEAPPLES.
RIPE BANANAS.
FRESH LETTUCE.

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HAVE LOTS OF WARM WORK

Major Reed's Son is With Imperial Troops in South Africa.

He Writes an Interesting Letter Home Telling the Progress of the War and His Own Experiences.

Major Reed has received the following letter from his son Willie, of the Imperial Light Horse, South Africa: Woudersfontein, Feb. 29, 1901.

My dear Parents,—Since writing you from Johannesburg about 7th of Feb., I thought I would drop you a few lines to let you know I am still alive and feeling in the best of health. In my letter to you of the 7th of Feb. I enquired if my letter from Cape Town on Jan. 12th reached you O. K. and in reply to same please mention whether you received it or not, as there are letters I know for a positive fact never reached their destination, as often in transportation of mail from here to the Cape the train which carried the letters, etc., has been blown up by the enemy. I might mention to you that for the past eight days the corps in which I am has had plenty of fighting. We left here for Carolina, a place about thirty miles from here; it was occupied by the Boers when we reached it. We had eight hours of steady fighting driving the Boers from it, but upon taking the place, we soon evacuated it, as it was of little use to us, and upon our leaving it, the Boers swarmed in to it as thick as bees. The casualties were small on both sides, as we were well under cover, it was our pom poms that drove them out.

Latst war news, Feb. 25th: Gen. French with the I. L. H. and other troops gained a great and decisive victory over the Boers at Amsterdam, a place about 60 miles from here. Gen. French captured the Boer laager, containing 120,000 rounds of ammunition, 6,000 horses, 1,000 head of cattle, 15,000 sheep, 1200 carts, and 1,000 prisoners, and split the Boer commando up into several factions. Hurrah for French and the I. L. H.

Feb. 28: Lord Kitchener is being interviewed by Gen. Botha, commanding the Boer army, at Middleburg, about 40 miles from here, in regard to Gen. Botha's surrender. Mrs. Botha is with her husband. They have a body guard of 500 Boers. We look for his surrender before sunset to-morrow. He has about 5,000 Boers under his command.

Last night about 500 Boers with two field pieces tried hard to take this place. Firing commenced at 8.30 p. m. and lasted till daybreak. Myself with fifty of our men were detailed to take charge of the horses. Our losses were only three killed and six wounded. Their casualties we judged were about 40 killed and about 60 wounded. We were all well entrenched. The four guns on the armored train played sad havoc with the Boers. This was one of their night attacks and it proved a failure for them. This place is well fortified and has been attacked six times since December 23rd, 1900.

When I get my discharge I, as well as every soldier in the campaign, will be presented with a gold

medal by the Colonial Government, and one also from the King.

SORRY FOR THE QUEEN.

I was in East London when I heard of the dear old Queen's death. Wasn't she a good old Queen? I suppose King Edward the VII will follow out her policy.

We are having beautiful weather here now. I wrote Frank from here and addressed in your care. I hope he received my letter. Tell him to write, as soon as he can. As soon as my six months are up I am going to enlist again for six months more. Every soldier of the corps I am in, who survives this war is offered a billet in Johannesburg at a salary to commence at \$5 a day so when my time is up I intend to remain in this country for another year before returning to Canada, and after paying you a visit I am certainly going to return to South Africa, as after the war it will be a great country to live in. I am under the impression that in say five years a man might make a nice little fortune.

March 1st:—Gen. French has captured 60 more prisoners and part of a Boer convoy and General Smith-Dorrien has also captured east of Amsterdam 30 Boers, 2000 cattle, 1000 sheep, 21 mules, 60 horses, besides discovering four new Krupp guns that were buried by the Boers.

Being the paymaster's orderly to-day I must now close my letter with love to you, my dear father and mother, and God bless you both, and kind regards to friends, I remain ever your affectionate son.

WM. H. REED.

AT THE THEATRE.

The next number of the Lyceum Course at the Grand will be Edmund Vance Cooke, the famous American entertainer, who will be here Monday evening next, April 22. No number of the popular Lyceum Course has come more strongly endorsed than this one, and it promises to be one of the most enjoyable evenings of the season.

Cary W. Hartman, of the Great Eastern Lyceum Bureau, was in the city on Monday, and while here closed with Mr. Cairns for The Fadettes and for Albert Armstrong, two of the best numbers in this year's course. The Fadettes will open next season's course in October.

Alberta Gallatin's magnificent production of the delightful comedy "Nell Gwynne," will be at the Grand April 25. Plays dealing with the life of Nell Gwynne have proven the rage of the season in American cities, and the biggest successes of the year have been Henrietta Crossman in "Miss Nell," Ada Rehan in "Sweet Nell of Old Drury," and Alberta Gallatin in "Nell Gwynne." Local theatre goers are fortunate in having such a high class organization brought to their doors and should appreciate it.

Walter E. Perkins in his famous farce, "The Man From Mexico," will be at the local theatre April 29. This company played through Canada last November and made the biggest hit of any comedy of the year. It is playing return dates everywhere that it appeared, which speaks well for it.

THE CENSUS SCANDAL UP

How an Attempt Was Made to Get Political Information

By Requesting the Census Enumerators to Perjure Themselves—Will be Further Alred.

Ottawa, April 16.—In the House yesterday in committee of supply, on the vote for the census Mr. Bennett drew attention to Cote's circular asking enumerators to be careful that Frenchmen are enrolled as such, and also to the effort made by the Ontario Government to have enumerators receive political information.

Mr. Borden denounced the whole business as perjury and fraud. Such an attempt to use enumerators for political purposes was the most disgraceful piece of political machine work he had ever seen in this country.

Mr. Barker asked if the Government was aware that Cote had issued circulars asking enumerators to make private returns to him of all French-Canadians residing in United States.

Mr. Fisher said he knew of no such circulars.

Mr. Barker—You can see it in a dozen newspapers in Quebec.

Col. Prior read a letter from T. A. Le Page, a Frenchman, of Victoria, B. C., who denounced Cote's circular as unpatriotic and calculated to breed dissension among races in Canada.

It was discussed another hour and finally allowed to stand to enable Mr. Fisher to be in position to give the House further information.

"I'd rather be dead than suffer again the tortures of insomnia, palpitation and nervous twitching of my muscles induced by simple neglect of a little indisposed. These are the forceful and warning words of a lady who proclaims that her cure by South American Nervine which cured everything else had failed was a modern miracle. A few doses gives relief.—23

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THE DISTRICT.

TILBURY

April 16.—Mrs. Frank Campbell, of Rhode Island, is visiting relatives here. A. Roszell left to-day on a business trip to Oil Springs and Petrolia.

Miss Bertie Struthers, of Valletta, is visiting relatives here.

Miss V. Pook, of Detroit, is the guest of her sister here, Mrs. S. Sloan.

Miss Fenton, who was lately employed in J. S. Richardson's store here, has secured a position in St. Thomas.

The Daily Planet is on sale at Johnston's Drug Store.

JEANNETTE'S CREEK.

Miss Kontze gave a large party Thursday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Rogers. Miss Forbes, of Chatham, is visiting her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Rogers and family returned home Friday afternoon after spending a week with friends here.

Mr. Smith, of Bothwell, is here for a few weeks.

While C. Kontze was driving home from Tilbury Sunday evening his horse was frightened by two dogs belonging to J. Marchand, Tilbury. The phaeton was upset and the top smashed. Fortunately Mr. Kontze escaped with only a few bruises.

Mr. Larose has planted maple trees across the front of his farm.

Mrs. Anthony Oullette is quite sick. Dr. Ferguson is in attendance.

N. Bruno has got all the material on the ground for a new house.

Mr. Webster, G. T. R. operator at the diamond, and Mrs. Webster and Miss Webster were the guests of R. Vanning last week.

Moore & Stevens shipped three cars of shelled corn this week.

Mr. Labadie shipped a car of oats on Friday.

Mr. Kendall is building a new barn.

Jas. Charleton has all the material on the ground for a new barn.

Mr. and Mrs. Le Rose left for their new home in Panemville, Ohio, last week.

BLOOMFIELD.

The farmers in this vicinity are very busy at present.

Rain is badly needed in all sections of the country.

The sugar making season is nearly over.

Seeding is the order of the day in this section.

Charles and Richard Wilcox have rented the farm of H. L. Howard and have taken possession of the place and are getting ready for the season's work.

Mrs. H. A. Wilcox, who was confined to her room for several weeks, is able to be around again.

Miss Agnes Dolsen died on Friday evening, April 5th, near midnight. Although she had been ill for a few weeks, her death was not anticipated until the end was near, and it came as a surprise and shock to the members of her family and the community in general. She had arrived at the age of 49 years and had lived in this vicinity so long that she became endeared to all and will be missed greatly by all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance. Miss Dolsen took a great interest in the Sunday school of this district and was a very earnest worker.

The funeral took place on Monday afternoon, April 8th, and was an exceptionally large one. The people in this neighborhood and the surrounding country apparently turned out en masse to pay their last respects to one whom all held in esteem. Rev. Dr. Hanson conducted the funeral service. The pall bearers were: J. Dowling, H.

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8 designs, very dainty renaissance effects, per pair \$1.50 to.....	\$1.75
13 designs, extra sizes, very lace, unequalled for the money, per pair \$2.00 to.....	\$2.45
9 designs, special, fit for the Tulleries per pair \$2.45 to.....	\$3.00
10 designs, undiscernibly pretty, per pair \$3.00 to.....	\$4.00
8 designs, the best Nottingham, 3 1/2 to 4 yards long, per pair \$4.50 to.....	\$6.50
Irish point, renaissance, Brussels Net and Bobbin Net Curtains, 3 1/2 yards long, full width, all tambooured work, per pair \$2.00 to.....	
3 1/2 yards long, full width applique, fine patterns, per pair.....	\$2.50
7 designs of tamboour and applique, cream or white, per pair \$2.97 to.....	\$3.75
12 designs, pretty renaissance effects, name your style, per pair \$3.50 to.....	\$4.75
12 designs, you see them and must have them, per pair \$5.00 to.....	\$6.75
10 designs, finest yet, fit for Marlborough House, per pair \$6.75 to.....	\$25.00
Mullin Curtains, eight designs, white or colored, per pair \$2.00 to.....	
White Curtain Mullins, in stripes, figures, dotted, tambooured and frillings, per yard 16c to.....	45c
Nottingham Net, all widths and many patterns Brussels Sash Curtain Nets. All colors, stripe, dotted and figured Curtain Mullins and Scrims, in cream, etc., per yard 6c to.....	12 1/2c
Are Denims, double faced, large assortment, per yard 17c to.....	22c
Art Percales, Cretonnes, Tapestries, Japanese Drapes, Silk Imitations, Etc. Lots of low price Lace Curtains and Lace Curtain Ends, travellers' samples, from 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 yards long, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 45c and.....	50c

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Geo. Meynell, Clothing & Furnishing

3 Doors West from Market.

Drury, W. N. Morley, H. A. Wilcox, Jas. Bogart and Mr. Wells. The floral tributes were beautiful.

EAST CAMDEN.

D. Mickle is very slowly improving and is still confined to his room.

J. Shaw had a large number of elm logs measured last week. D. A. Gordon, of Wallaceburg, purchased the logs.

T. Stewart agent for the Frost & Wood Company, at Wallaceburg, was up through this section last week, setting up new machines.

The many friends of C. Lynch, will be pleased to learn that he is improving.

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as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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The Amount of Movement That May Be Crowded into Fifty Seconds. The Greatest Successes Are Often Brought About by Accident.

"A queer thing about moving pictures," said an expert operator in this line to a New Orleans Times-Democrat reporter, "is the illusion they generally produce as to the time they occupy while on the screen. What is known as the 'standard exhibition film' is 50 feet long. It is used almost entirely for comic scenes, trick pictures and other effects that are got up in the studios of the experts who make them a specialty. Every theater goer has seen them, and I will venture the assertion that the average man will declare they take at least three or four minutes in passing before the eye. As a matter of fact the picture is on the screen less than one minute. You can easily figure it out for yourself. The ordinary 50 foot film of the kind to which I refer is put through the reproducing machine at the rate of 16 pictures to the second. Each picture is three-fourths of an inch broad, which makes the 16 measure exactly one foot, edge to edge; in other words, the film travels a foot a second—50 feet, 50 seconds. What gives it the effect of taking up so much more time is the immense lot of action that is usually crowded into the brief period it is in view. Until the moving picture was invented I don't think anybody had the least idea how much could be done in 50 seconds. It seemed hardly time enough to turn around in, yet when the experts began to study its possibilities they found it was ample for hundreds of little pictorial comedies that have since delighted audiences all over the world.

"It is entirely a matter of rehearsal. A subject is selected, generally calling for from three to four people, and every detail of the 'business' or action is carefully worked out in advance. Suppose, for illustration, that a comic burglary is the topic. The business, in skeleton, might run something like this: Old gentleman dozing in parlor; enter burglar; old gentleman awakes; burglar hides; enter policeman, searches the room, collars old gent; they fight and roll on the floor while burglar suddenly emerges and leaps out of the window. That doesn't sound particularly side splitting, but in the hands of intelligent comedians it can be made really very funny. The all essential thing is to crowd it into 50 seconds, and to that end each bit of action is carefully timed and made to fit into each other bit like so many well geared cogwheels. The old gentleman's startled yawn, the burglar's glance around the room and every step, movement and gesture on the part of the actors is calculated with the utmost nicety, and at last after dozens of rehearsals the act is attempted before the recording machine. If everybody is lucky, it goes through on schedule time, but the slightest hitch is fatal, and if one occurs the film is spoiled, and they must try all over again. No wonder it seems impossible to future spectators that so much could transpire in 50 seconds.

"But some of the most telling effects in composition pictures," continued the operator, "have been the result of accident and were entirely unpremeditated. That was the case with a film that I had a hand in preparing and that afterward made a tremendous hit and proved to be one of the best sellers ever put on the market. In getting up the picture our principal purpose was to introduce a large and very intelligent bulldog I owned at the time, and we sketched out a simple little scene in which a tramp steals a pie from a kitchen window, is pursued by the dog and is last seen trying to scale the back fence with the animal hanging to his coatails.

"The training of the dog was the main trouble, but I finally taught him to lay hold of anything red, and we sowed a big piece of flannel as a mark to the back of our tramp's coat. Red photographs black, so it couldn't be seen in the pictures, and after a good many rehearsals the dog learned to dash out at exactly the right moment and nail the mansever, whose cue was then to rush for the fence and consume the remaining time in making an apparently desperate effort to scramble over the top. At last we got everything all ready, gave the word and started the record machine to take the picture.

"Immediately the little comedy began. The tramp appeared, looked around stealthily, saw the pie, hooked it and was having a feast when out sprang the bulldog and seized him by the coatails. He thereupon sprinted to the fence and was about to carry out the rest of the programme when, to our consternation, the boards gave way, and he came down bang on top of the dog. The film had about ten seconds to run, and it was occupied in recording one of the liveliest scraps that ever happened. There was no hippodrome about it. Both parties were out for blood. When the fence fell, the bulldog had promptly transferred himself from the tramp's coattail to the tramp's calf, while that unfortunate person snatched up a broomstick and tried to pry him loose. They rolled over and put about 50 times as much action and animation in the last ten seconds as had been crowded into the preceding 40. We finally pulled them apart, and it was not until the negative was developed that we realized what a prize we had accidentally secured. That earnest and impromptu wind up has convulsed audiences all over Christendom and made fully as much of a hit in Europe as it did at home."

FLATFISHES' EYES.

A Migration Which Takes Place After the Creatures' Birth.

Flatfishes keep their white and blind side on the muddy or sandy bottom and pretend that the upper and speckled side is a part of that bottom. This they do to avoid observation, for in spite of their awkward shape they are swallowed at sight by pertinacious enemies, to the manifest discomfort of both. A greedy cormorant curling up and attempting to swallow a plaice, which tries to be as disobliging as possible, affords an object lesson not soon forgotten on the way not to behave at mealtimes. But the bird usually succeeds in its object, and the flatfish, in spite of persistent efforts to retain its natural flatness, at last disappears down the round, elastic throat of the cormorant. With a view to avoid unpleasantnesses of this kind, soles are wont to hide themselves in the sand, keeping only their eyes above the surface to act as sentinels.

In reality the dark surface of a sole, plaice or turbot is its side and not its back. It is true that both eyes are visible, which is not the case when a mackerel or a conger is laid on its side, but this is simply owing to the fact that one eye of a flatfish has since the creature's birth passed across what we may call the bridge of its nose to keep company with the other eye.

The wandering eye begins its migration at a very early age—so early, indeed, that it is a little difficult to detect it on its journey. A plaice a fifth of an inch in length and 5 days old carries one eye on each side of its nose. When three-fifths of an inch long and about 2 months old, the left eye has crossed over to the right side. Lemon soles when one inch long or 2 months old have the left eye on the edge of the head, but when double that size and 6 months old both eyes are found on the right side. A sole assumes its lopsided aspect by the time it has been hatched 2 months. When a turbot is half an inch in length, the right eye just begins to peep over the center arch of the bridge, at three-quarters of an inch it is half way across, and at an inch the passage is complete and the two eyes look out from the left side of the head.

AN ABANDONED FARM.

It Surely Was Hard and Stony Land, and No Exaggeration.

She was on the witness stand in her own behalf, being also defendant in the action. She was a sturdy widow, hard working, shrewd in a deal and garrulous. A landlord was suing for back rent on a little farm she had abandoned.

"You say that the land was hard and sour and sterile?" suggested the attorney for the plaintiff.

"That's what I said, only I wasn't so persnickety about it, and I'll say more." "Just a moment, please. We want evidence, not opinions. Did you raise anything on this land of ours?"

"Land of ours?" with a sniff. "You never owned a thimbleful of it. Yes, I did raise things on it. It took two hills to raise a bean and a whole row of corn to raise a nubbun. I raised a cabbage, a goat, but it starved to death, poor thing! That ground wouldn't raise dog fennel or even Canada thistles."

"Don't exaggerate, please. You say the soil was sour?"

"I couldn't exaggerate about that ground if I was a lawyer. In the morning when the dew was steaming off in the sunshine you'd think you was living next door to a pickle factory. I kept my sugar in an airtight jar."

"Pshaw! That's ridiculous. I suppose the ground was so hard you could not blast it?"

"Nothing of the kind. I'm here to tell the truth. But I'll tell you how hard that ground was. I had to crop my set onions out with a hatchet, and a big gander I bought broke his neck trying to pull a tuft of spear grass." The landlord did not recover.

Bedrooms and Breathing.

While no scientist, Dr. Reed will recommend less than seven cubic feet of air each minute for an adult. Dr. Reed gives ten as the smallest amount that will meet the wants of the body. All of this, of course, is not absolutely used, only needed that purity may be secured. The average room—12 by 10 and 8 feet high—even if the room is empty, will consume only 900 cubic feet, or enough to supply air for one person for about two hours. Now, when two or even four persons occupy such a room, the doors and windows closed to keep out the supposed "poisonous night air," it is not strange that the stench of vitiated air is overpowering to one who enters the room after breathing the pure air of heaven, such as the good Father intended for use. Weekly Bouquet.

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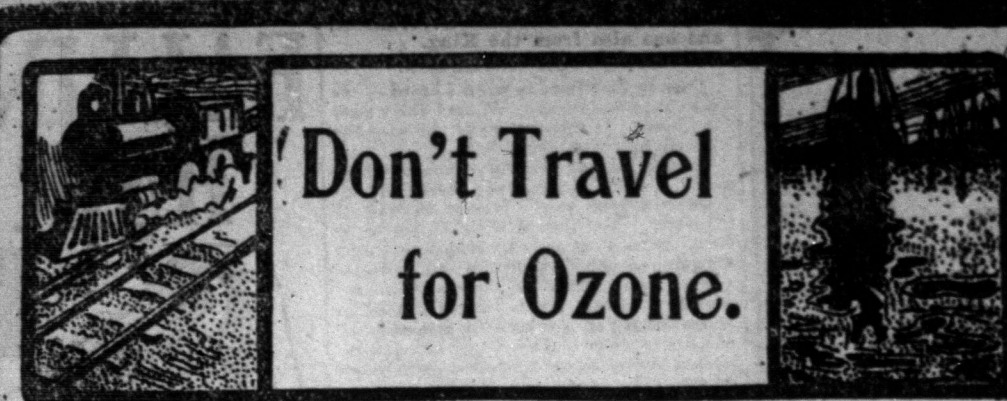
Elsie—Mamma, there's a funny old man in this Pickwick book that's always telling his son to beware of the widows. Why is that?
Mamma—Well, a widow is supposed to be skillful in catching a husband.
Elsie—Gracious! I wonder if I'll have to be a widow before I can get married.

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MEN AS THEY PASS.

Professor Langley has not given up the flying machine idea. He is looking for material wings to meet his airy theories. A private railway on his Eaton Hall estate enables the Duke of Westminster to make an easy tour of his grounds at any time.

Mr. David Francis, former secretary of the interior, is the head of the committee urging congressional aid for the St. Louis World's fair in 1903.

Alexander Graham Bell, the multimillionaire telephone inventor, has been filling a \$6 a day place in the census bureau tabulating the country's deaf mutes.

J. O. Armour, the chief heir of the fortune of the late P. D. Armour, is to retire from active business and try, it is said, to disassociate the family name from the pork packing business.

Thomas E. Sauls, who died recently in Webb City, Mo., was probably the oldest former volunteer soldier in the country. Born in 1803, he served in the Seminole, Mexican and civil wars.

Fred P. Ingalls, who celebrated his eighty-ninth birthday a few days ago, has been court officer of the Boston municipal criminal court for 47 consecutive years. His friends claim for him that he is easily the oldest court officer in New England.

Congressman Shattuck of Ohio has a weakness for bright colored waistcoats, although in other respects he dresses quietly. His seat in the house is in the front row on the Republican side, and he says he wears bright vesture to catch the speaker's eye.

Although when in this country Li Hung Chang declared he knew little English, his present negotiations with the representatives of the United States and Great Britain develop the fact that he speaks the language perfectly, and it is now recalled that General Grant had several private conversations with him without the aid of an interpreter.

General Catherines, the well known congressman from Mississippi, goes out of congress on March 4 after a service of 16 years in the house. "My congressional career has taken a big slice out of my life," he said recently. "I went into the house when I was 38, and now I am going to resume the practice of law and try to make some money."

Short as was the career of Charles A. Towne in the senate (six weeks), his term has been exceeded in brevity by a senator from Illinois. David J. Baker was appointed Nov. 12, 1890, to fill a vacancy in the senate, and his successor, John M. Robinson, took his seat 29 days later. H. A. W. Tabor of Colorado became a senator March 27, 1893, and went out of office March 3, 1895.

President Kruger, though able to speak German and English, has confined himself to his native tongue since leaving Africa, having declared his intention of speaking nothing but "taal." So literally does he keep this vow that when addressed by his granddaughter in German (she knows not a word of the language of the South African Republic) he invariably replies through an interpreter.

THE COOKBOOK.

Dip sliced onions in milk before frying. A very good addition to an ordinary hot cake is a cupful of seeded and chopped raisins.

To brown a baked custard sift lightly over the top a little powdered sugar as soon as the surface is cooked enough to bear it.

Sometimes the last of a cold boiled ham "goes begging." Try slicing the ham thinly and broiling it over a clear fire. Squeeze a few drops of lemon juice on it and serve hot.

To make noodles for soup beat one egg and add a pinch of salt and flour enough to make a stiff dough. Roll out into a thin, long sheet, sprinkle with flour, roll up tightly, and with a sharp knife shave from the end in thin slices. These noodles should cook in the soup 15 minutes.

For a luncheon dish bake large, regular shaped potatoes while they are hot, cut them in two lengthwise and remove the soft parts. Mash this; season with butter, cream, salt and a trace of paprika. Beat it very light and replace in the shells. Sprinkle with grated cheese and return to the oven to brown. Serve very hot.

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