Not long now-only a few days-before the great day of giving. You who are bent on giving useful gifts we invite to come in and look around at our holiday display. Here are a few hints of what you might wish to buy.

Umbrellas

Ladies' umbrellas, put up in the neatest possible fashion, the higher priced ones with silk cases, handles neat and new, best quality tops, special values at \$1.50, \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$5.00

Men's umbrellas with the most up-to-date handles, excellent quality tops, tight rollers, self openers and glosers, very special holiday values at \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.50, \$3.00 and

Rugs

30 x 60 Smyrna and Moquette rugs in an immense variety of designs, just received for the holiday trade, ver special value at

Thomas Stone &

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Shawls

Fine knitted shawls in white, black, pink, sky and cardinal, just the thing for house and evening wear, very spe cial values at \$1.00 and

Comforters

A most useful gift and appreciated above most. Comforters of all descriptions are here in the prettiest designs and best fillings, from the clean filled cotton comforter at \$1.35 clean filled cotton communication each to the elegant eider filled at \$7.50

RAZORS-Boker and other

SCISSORS—Best makes, 25c to

POCKET KNIVES-Including

STEEL TABLE KNIVES-

Including Rodgers fine steel 65c to

CARVING SETS—Rodgers and other guaranteed makes \$1.25 to \$6.

BUTCHER and BREAD KNI

VES-in great variety, 15c to \$1.25

makes, guaranteed, \$1 to \$2.

Rodgers Best 5c to \$1.25.

\$2.00.

\$1.25.

Handkerchiefs

We have always been recognized as the handkerchief house, and this year is no exception. An assortment is here for you which beggars descrip-tion, from the fancy lawn at 3c each to the real lace at

Dressing Sacques

A necessary winter garment for lady and an extra one is always acceptable, depecially if it is a pretty one, hence a good article to buy for a present.

Ladies' knitted dressing sacques in very pretty colors of pink and sky, neatly trimmed and well made, spe-

Other varieties made of cotton and wool eider, in a variety of colors, all sizes, special at \$1.50 to

Lace Curtains

We have made special preparations this season for those who wish to give Lace Curtains as a gift, and have made the prices very enticing. 3 yards and 31-2 yards long, very new and dainty designs in Notting-ham Lace and Cable Nets, in white and cream, very special values, at a pair \$1.98 to

\$6.00 Bonne Fenne Cartains for glass doors in the very newest frilled ef-fects, very neat, at \$1.00 and

SNAP BARGAINS

Cutlery

For the Holidays

1847 RODGERS

Guaranteed 12 oz. FORKS and SPOONS in all sizes. We can

WHITE METAL SPOONS-

in table desert and tea, 40c to \$1.50

WHITE METAL FORKS-ia 3 sizes, \$1.25 to \$2.00 per set.

SPRING SKATES-all sizes,

SKATE STRAPS-3 sizes, 5c,

soc to \$1.00

please you in style and price.

"THE ARK" IN

Prince Edward Island Local Government

worked.
The members elected so far are:
Conservatives—Mathieson, Prowse,
McKinnon, A. J. McDonald (acclamation), Leonard, Wood, McCourt,
Morson, John Kickham, Fraser,
Liberals—Godkin, Clarke, Simpson,
Smith, Read, Reid, Warburton,
Hughes, Irving, Hazzard, Richards
cockeration), McMarke, Powley Acc

(acclamation), McInnis, Bowlen, Ag-

West Lambton-F. F. Pardee, Lib-North Renfrew-Dr. M. McKay, Lib-Kingston-E. J. B. Pense, M.P.P.,

New Pleated Dress Goods at North-way's, colors cardinal, cream, sky, navy, old rose and brown, 42 in. wide, at 50c. a yard.

LOCAL LEGAL

That His Party Is Smirched, But Says He Will Forget.

Advises Ottawa Liberals to Smother Their Political Consciences, Regardless of the Great Law That What He Has Sown Me Will Undoubtedly Reapin Prince Edward Island.

PREMIER ROSS ADMITS

Ottawa, Dec. 8.—Hon. G. W. Ross, who dropped in to the Liberal nominating convention last night, announced that he had just come on a business trip and did not know he was to be privileged to speak at a Liberal gathering.

The men selected are G. J. Mac-

Dougall, barrister, who was the unanimous choice for the Catholic nominee, and G. S. May, merchant, who was elected on the second ballot for the Protestant candidate. "Can't You Forget,"

In commencing his address, which was brief, as he had to catch the train, to return to Toronto, the train, to return to Toronto, the Premier said, "I had no idea that I would be privileged to attend a Liberal gathering, met to select two candidates to represent Ottawa in the Ontario House. But you are at the right kind of work, at the right time, and not any too soon. I must not tell you secrets, but I may say that there will probably be a general election before many months, if not

"Whatever," he continued, "is written on the pages of past history that is not pleasant, we are going to forget, and take good care that no such writing shall appear on the pages of the future. The past is closed and sealed with seven seals. closed and scaled with seven scals. But we are not going to forget that the Conservatives have a record, too, and one with which we need not fear comparison. If I had my way I would begin now and ask what we are going to do in the future. We can't live in the past."

can't live in the past." The Premier had a conference with of the party later and discuss

PREMIER PETERS IN.

Halifax, N. S., Dec. 8.—The Prince Edward Island Government was returned yesterday by about the same majority as when it went to the country. Commissioner of Public Works Cummiskey was defeated and Premier Peters, who now has a majority of six, will likely lose his seat when the special votes are counted. Nathieson, the leader of the Opposition, was elected, with a good majority. Both Governments worked hard to defeat the Conservatives. Imported hay, which was obtained in large quantities, was freely distributed and every possible scheme was worked.

new, Gallant, Peters.

Doubtful-McNutt, J. F. H. Arsenault, McWilliams, McMillan, Doug-

las.
Full returns in close districts will not be known until the special votes are counted next week.

NOMINATIONS ON WEDNESDAY.

Ottawa-E. J. MacDougall, Libi

Ottawa-G. S. May, Liberal.

O'LEARY AND DOWNS VS. PERKINS Defendants appealed from judgment of Judge Bell in favor of plaintifis claiming that instead of the verdict being in favor of the plaintiffs that their action should have been dismissed and judgment in favor of de-

fendants entered for \$1,936.00. The appear was heard before the court in Toronto, on Wednesday, when after some minor changes Judge Bell's decision was upbeld and the plaintiffs get \$5,528.

John S. Fraser for plaintiffs; W. T. Hanna for defendants.

ELECTION DAY NEXT TUESDAY

Members of the Young Men's Association will then Ballot for their Officers.

Enthusiastic Nominating Conference Held Last Evening-Much Enthusiasm Evidenced

The new rooms of the Young Men's Liberal-Conservative Association, ov-er Gray's China Hall, were formally opened by the young men last even-

ng with a rousing rally. For over a month the young men both parties who favored a new, clean and progressive Government in Ontario have been enlisting, and the nucleus of the present association has been busy working. Membership buttons have sold like hot cakes and lots of genuine enthusiasm and activity have characterized the growth of the ssociation.

The meeting last evening for the

The meeting last evening for the purpose of nominating officers for the association was a spiendid one. The hall was crowded, even standing room being at a premium, and the appearance of the different popular workers was always the signal for an outbreak of hearty applause.

S. B. Arnold, the popular secretary of the County Association, was unanimously voted to the chair, and the business of the evening proceeded with. It was decided to set next Monday, the 12th inst., as election night, when a poll will take place among the various candidates named for the different offices. Arthur J. Dunn was appointed a returning officer and will name his poll clerk and sorutineers.

scrutineers. There was a flood of nominations, but it was decided that the younger men of the association only should be eligible for election to office, while a strong list of honorary patrons and officers were enthusiastically chosen, Regular ballot papers will be print-ed and the voting will take place

next Monday evening, commencing at the hour of eight o'clock. The following honorary officers were enthusiastically elected by ac-

clamation. clamation.

Honorary Patrons — James Clancy,
H. S. Clements, M. P., Manson Campbell, Wm. Ball, W. M. Drader, Dr.
A. W. Thorntón, Dr. W. R. Hall,
Chas. Austin and S. Stephenson.

Honorary President-ex-Mayor Election night-next Monday- will

be a memorable one. Addresses will be delivered by the honorary officers and the officers-elect, and the organization completed for the coming campaign,

MR. CLANCY WILL BE THERE.

It was the unanimous desire of the Young Men's Association to have their candidate, Mr. Clancy, present on election night to address them. It was learned this afternoon that Mr. Clancy would be unable to be present Monday night and it was consequently unanimously decided to postpone the election till TUESDAY NIGHT at eight o'clock, when Mr. Clancy and others will address the young men.

Humphry Mr. H. Bensen, Secretary, has been in his office for 17 consecutive years, and is certainly the right man into right place.

Bro. Wm. H. Bensen, Secretary, has been in his office for 18 years and of the circle of five hours was granted for the removal of the dead."

Stoessel's Last Reference.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 8. The news that the Japanese have mounted between the Sons of England and between the Japanese have mounted has created a seriously significant, and has created a deep depression at the war office. If the reports of the sinking of the Russian warships in MR. CLANCY WILL BE THERE.

THE ROSS GOVERNMENT AND

ents to have me there?"

could."-A. B. McCOIG, November, 19, 1904.

THE MAN WHO SUPPORTS IT

"Definitely and positively I will not be the candidate. I couldn't if I

"What use would it be to me to go down to the Legislature and sit in some back bench in opposition? And what use would it be to my_constitu-

"I think the Ross government is a goner. They've been there altogether too long and they've got too many heelers and hangers-on."

"The whole thing is corrupt and rotten, and I believe they should be

"No; I tell you selemnly and honestly, I wouldn't be their candidate if I

GOOD SOCIAL

The handkerchief social held last evening in Park Street Methodist S. half under the auspices of the S. S. haif under the auspices of the Junior League was a very enjoyable affair. The program was a bright one, provided by the children, with an address b, Rev. F. E. Mallott, which was very much appreciated. Those who took part were:—Miss Geraldine Wilson, vocal selection; instrumental duet, Norma Shillington and Grace Gammage; reading, Douglas Cobbledick; recitations, Jennie Morris, Dora Thornton, and Mildred ris, Dora Thornton, and Mildred Rouse. Music on the gramaphone was furnished by Mr. Percy Morley. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Cobbledick, acted as chairman in his usual pleasing manner. During the evening a number of handkerchiefs were dis-posed of by Misses Pearl White and Norma Shillington. Candy was also sold. About \$30 was realized, which will be devoted to League work.

OFFICERS ELECTED

At a well attended meeting of Typographical Union No. 460, held last evening, the following officers were elected:

President—Andrew R.ddell.
V.ce-President—W. D. Ingram.
Secretary-Treasurer—A. J. Owens.
Cor. Secretary—A. J. Carroll.
Sergeant at Arms—F. Miller.
Auditors—O. H. Blakely and W. E

WESTERN VISITOR

Frank Cummings, of Winnipeg, was n the city vesterday and to-day; oming here to attend the wedding have been at work. Recruits from of his brother. In conversation with

of his brother. In conversation with a Planet reporter he gave some very interesting facts about the growth of Winnipeg.

"Winnipeg has a great future," said he, "The building trade is carried on, on a very large scale. For the past year eleven millions worth of building permits were issued and the population has increased this year by nearly ten thousand. It is increasing every year at this rate. The city is making improvements as fast as it is possible, and the property holders realize that their property is increasing steadily and rapperty is increasing steadily and rap-

idly in value.

"The new subway was opened last week, and it is a credit to the contractor. The new C. P. R. hotel and station is well on in the course of construction and wiff be positively the finest in Canada. The new post office is also now under yay. "The West and the western towns is the place for all ambitious young

men who have the least sign of business ability."

Mr. Cummings leaves Chatham for Port Elgin, where he will spend Christmas with his parents, His father was one of the promoters of the Chatham Binder Twine Co.

ROBIN HOOD OFFICERS

Court Hope, No. 6244, A. O. F., held heir nominations and election last evening in the Workmen Hall, and the result is as follows:

P. C. R.—Bro. James Dyer. C. R.—Bro. Burville Oldershaw. C. R.—Bro. Burville Oldershaw.
S. C. R.—Bro. Wm. Palmer.
Treasurer—Bro. Edwin Oape.
S:cr:tary—Bro. Wm. H. Brns n.
S. W.—Bro. Robert McFauld.
J. W.—Bro. John Conibear.
S. B.—Bro. James Martin,
J. B.—Bro. Wm. Wood.
Organist—Bro. John Robertson.
Medical Officer—Bro. Dr. Geo.
McKeongh

Audito s-Bros. J. A. Wilson, Wm.

Conibear, John Head.
Trustees—Bros. Ed. Wanless, J. W.
Humphrey and Albert Knott.
Bro. Wm. H. Bensen, Secretary,
has held the office for 17 consecutive

JAPS SINK RUSS SHIPS

Three of Port Arthur Fleet Already Put Out of Business.

ne Hundred and Twenty-Nine Shells Struck and Did Terrible Execution-The Persylet, the Retvisan and the Metre Hill-Japs Gain New Heights.

London, Dec. 8.—A report from Tientsin states that the Japanese shell fire at Port Arthur also sank the Russian battleship Persviet, be sides the Retvizan and the Poltava The Bayan is aground. The Daily Telegraph correspondent before Port Arthur, cabling Dec. 7, says that the Russians ceased their attempts to recapture 203-Metre Hill on Dec

POLTAVA SUNK.

tetvizan Has Bad List and Bayan Is Aground—Effects of Jap Bombardment.

Tókio, Dec. 8.-It was officially announced yesterday that the Russ an battleshin Poltava had been sunk in the harbor of Port Arthur as a result of the Japanese bombardment and that the battleship Retvizan had been seriously damaged.

The Japanese troops occupied Akasaka Hill, fronting on Port Arthur, Cuesday, Dec. 6.
The Russian armored cruiser Bayan is reported to be aground

Rejvizan Has Bad List.

The commander of the Japanese naval guns in front of Port Arthur, telegraphing on Dec. 6, says: observation taken from 203 Metre Hill shows that the turret-ship Poltava is sunk, and that the battleship Retvizan is listing heavily

the results of the bombardment of Dec. 5. Are now taking observa-tions from a hill near Shuishiping. "Since Dec. 2 we have daily bo barded the enemy's fleet lying south of Paiyu Mountain. From that point only the masts and funnel tops of the battleships Pobleda, Retvizan, or the cruiser Pallada could be seen,

hills it was difficult exactly to iden-tify them.

Shells Which Struck,

The headquarters of the Japanese army in front of Port Arthur has reported, confirming the disabling of the Russian battleships Retvizan and Poltava, and stating that the cruiser Bayan is aground. The report goes

pied an entire fort at 1 p.m. Sub-sequently our forces, after dislodging

war Office. If the reports of the sinking of the Russian warships in the harbor of Port Arthur are con-firmed it destroys the last hope of a sortie, and when the end comes nothing remains but to sink those that remain in deep water to prevent them from falling into Japanese

Will Investigate Shooting.

Toronto, Dec. 8.—Game Warden Tinsley will take part in the enquiry into the death of Archibald Van Ness at Cloyne, shot in mistake for a deer. The season closed on Nov. 19, and if Cloyne is in an organized district, the offence is the more serious. This was the only misadventure of the kind in Ontario during the season.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Home Dec. 20.

Common sense is the faculty the enables us to understand what to of conduct other people should pu

Poltava Sunk, and Bayan Aground-Russians Cease Attempt to Re-take 203

to port.
"Observations taken Dec. 6 covered

but it was impossible to count the number of our shells taking effect.

'Or other ships explosions result-ing from our shells could be seen, but owing to their positions behind

"The total of our shells taking offect on the enemy's ships were as follows: On a vessel of the Pobleds type, 34; on the battleship Retvizas or the cruiser Pallada, 34; on the turretship Poltava, 11. Besides these,

turretship Poltava, 11. Besides these, 50 other shells struck, from which explosions followed.

"On Dec. 5 seven shells struck the battleship Pobieda, and about 3.30 p.m. a big explosion was observed south of Paiyu Mountain resulting from the effects of our shells, evidently on a powder magazine.

"The successful result of the bombardment on Dec. 5 is inspiring our men to still greater effort."

Report Is Confirmed.

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Bayan is aground. The report goes on to say as follows: "Owing to the plunging fire from 203-Metre Hill, the enemy had with-drawn to Akasaka Hill. "On December 6 our forces occu-

the enemy, occupied an eminence north of Suerh Kou and two emi-nences north of Sanlichiam, at 3 p.

Ottawa, Dec. 8.—Word was received in the city Wednesday that Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier will leave Monterey, California, on their re-turn trip, on Tuesday next, Dec. 12. After spending a few days at Los Angeles, they will leave there on the evening of the 15th, and will arrive in Ottawa on Dec. 20.



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Come early please and make your selections before the Christmas rush.

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CHRISTMAS CAKE

W. S. RICHARDS, KENT BAKERY.

THE COMING GOVERNMENT

The coming provincial elections will result in the appointment by the ople of a new, clean and progressive Government. This Government will be elected by a large majority.

DATE IN WEST KENT HAS HIMSELF STATED IT OPENLY WITH-IN THE PAST THREE WEEKS. Everyone with the good name of his Province at heart knows that there should be no other result—that there

Let West Kent then do its duty by itself and by the Province. For the first time KENT COUNTY HAS THE OPPORTUNITY TO BE REPRESENTED BY A CABINET MINISTER IN PARLIAMENT. Jas. Clancy, one of Kent's honest, capable and worthy sons, a man born and brought up in our own constituency, is slated for a prominent position in the new, clean and progressive Government. Kent will reap honor from his appointment and her people will prosper by his adminis

tration of the department.

LET US ALL DO OUR DUTY WELL. Tis true that the passing Premier Ross-the man of yesterday, who has destroyed his usefulness by association and intrigue with the Sullivans, the Strattons, the Vances and crew of the Minnie M .- has "insisted" on placing in the field on their behalf an unwilling though popu-

lar young Chathamite whose ante-nomination comments were sturdily denunciatory and invigorating. BUT THIS YOUNG MAN STANDS FOR A BAD CAUSE AND BETTER WAIT A WHILE. He has, we hope, a long life ahead of him and his true friends will vote to have him stand aside for a little and enter the public life of his country under a cleaner, worther and more creditable auspices-at a time when he will be able we trust to do something for his constituents, not simply to occupy some uninfluential back bench in the opposition. Ald. McCo'g's time will doubtless come later-and KENT CANNOT

AFFORD TO LOSE THIS GREAT OPPORTUNITY OF PLACING ONE OF HER OWN WORTHY SONS IN A CABINET MINISTER'S CHAIR.

The Young Men's Association devoted to the interests of a new clean and progressive Provincial Government is now well under way. The splendid spirit of enthusiasm that animates their ranks is a harbinger of what is coming. When the young manhood of the Province, irrespective of partisan affiliation or dictation, stands out sturdily and stalwartly for a clean and honorable conducting of its Government, there is a grand and inspiring outlook for the future. And when this consecrated phalanx becomes genuinely active the goal is assured.

The local Ross organ is back at the old tactics of the late Stephens campaign. Is it working again for the same result? Let it think once more of the words of advice and criticism that the late member for Kent handed it at the Liberal meeting after the last election. Whether The Planet can or cannot, in the coming journalistic campaign, defeat Ald, McCoig, it prefers to tackle the task unaided. There is little of the true fighting spirit in crossing swords with a sturdy young opponent if his treacherous friend is all the time applying the stiletto to his back.

One of the first things Kent's energetic and entergrising County Council should do at its January sessions-if the elections are only brought on before that time-is to memorialize the new, clean and progressive government, through their own member, who will then be Ontario's Minister of Agriculture, to crect the new large agricultural institution in the Garden of Canada. The coming government by its strong conference platform is definitely pledged to advanced legislation and education in the agricultural interests.

The building of at least another Agricultural College in the interests of farming is assured-and there is no better situation for it than right here in Kent County.

FORCE ENLARGED

Two Extra Policemen Added to the Chatham Staff for the Christmas Season.

The Police Commissioners met vesterday afternoon at 3.30 in the

terday afternoon at 3.30 in the County Clerk's Office, Harrison, Hall. There were present Judge Bell, Mag.'s-trate Houston, Mayor McKeough and City Clerk Megrit.

The members of the civic Property committee, Messrs, Edmand on, M.T. tin and Westman were present. Ald. Edmondson, as chairman, stated that the Counc. I had recommended the appointment of two extra men to the police force for night work during the holiday season. This would be about a month. He urged that the appointments be made at once.

Ald. Martin said that there was a strong feeling among the merchants that two permanent men

chants that two permanent men should be added.

should be added.
Judge Bell thought that the additional expense fell, not on the merchants, but the general ratepayers.
He asked if the men were to guard against burglaries, or inside peculations. The committee stated that appre-ension was felt chiefly from burg-

hension was felt chiefly from burglaries.

Ald. Westman suggested that the Chief take the day work, leaving the rest of the force free for night work. Magistrate Houston pointed out that a man was required during the day for the service of papers, and that the Chief should be always on hand where people could find him. He thought that appointments should be made on the recommendation of the Chief, and the Chief held responsible for the efficiency of the force, Good policemen were hard to get.

get.

After some further discussion, it was moved that two men be appointed for three weeks, beginning next Saturday night.

Mayor McKeough stated that applications had been received from Theodore Nelson, A. J. P. ke, P. Flanery, J. McGregor and R. J. Dunlers.

Mr. Houston thought that, as Chief Holmes had now arrived, the matter should be at once disposed of. He asked as to the wages.

Ald. Edmondson—During the remaind the extra men received \$2 per day.

day. Magistrate Houston thought this

Magistrate Houston thought this was not too much.

Chief Holmes, being called upon, recommended that Messrs. McGregor and Dunlop be appointed.

Mayor McKeough moved that on the recommendation of the Chief, Messrs. McGregor and Dunlop be appointed at a salary of \$42 each, to serve three weeks, beginning Saturday n'ght,—Carried.

for such clothes for the regular force as they were entitled to under the by-laws. The meeting then adjourned.

WHO WILL WIN

It is rather difficult to tell who of the present County Council will

these two will be returned by acclamation. Messra. McCoy, Sturgis, Reycraft and Vester are coming back with their eyes on the Warden's

NO SUBSTITUTE

has yet been found for cod liver oil. There are so-called extracts, wines and cordials of cod liver oil that are said to contain the active principles but not the oil itself. This is absurd on its face. You might as well extract the active principles of wheat and make bread with them. The best form of cod liver oil, that can be digested and assimilated most easily, is Scott's Emulsion.

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Like comfortable bridges, some peo

Local Briefs

furs just received—boas \$1.50 to \$6.00 each—Urban Store.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson, of Til-

bury, were visitors in the city yes-Barrister J. W. White was in

Guaranteed 25 years' perbet sewing—the handsome "White is King," Geo. Stephens & Co. Get your sleds and hoskey skates at son's hardware; first hardware

ast of the market. Mrs. R. J. Stephens, of Canyon City, Col., is the guest of Mrs. W. Frank Smith, Head street.

Mrs. Spencer, of Ridgetown, who has been visiting Mrs. Isaac Smith. Prince St., has returned home.

Rev. Mr. Tolmie will give a lecture in First Presbyterian Church, on his Ursuline Academy, Chatham, has

Frip to the Holy Land, Monday even-ing, Dec. 12th. Admission 15c. Mrs. Walter Oldershaw, Kirk street, received word from Wichita, Kas., of the dangerous illness of her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. W. Park. Mrs. Oldershaw leaves for Wichita at once.

Men's fur coats at special prices from now until the first of January at Patterson's hardware. First hard-ware east of the market.

ware east of the market.

When you want an artistic design, call up or visit Victoria Ave. Green Houses. Phone 181.

John Whittaker, of London, spent a couple of days in the city on Business, Mr. Whittaker is a slate roof contractor, and has the contract for the roofing on William Drader's new residence, and also on Jno. Smith's new residence.

The License Commissioners for West Kent will meet shortly to deal with two requests for transfers of licenses. Bruce Tyrell, of Bothwell, wants the license for the Park House transferred to himself from Mr. McQueen, and Oliver Brown is anxious to again have Mr. Macdonald's license at Mitchell's Bay in his own name.

THERMOMETERS.

The Bulbs, the Tubes and the Mark-

ing of the Degrees.

There are many different uses for thermometers and as many different styles as uses. They range from the tiny half inch tubes attached to Christ mas calendars to the enormous twelve foot instruments used in experimental work by meteorologists.

Perhaps the most difficult part of the manufacture of thermometers is that of fitting the tube with a bulb of exactly the right capacity. The size of the latter must have an exact relacion to that of the former. If it is too large for the bore the mercury or colored alcohol, whichever is used, will not rise high enough in the tube; if too small, it will rise too high. In the little clinical thermometer on whose story the physician depends so often for his decision the bore is so fine that a human hair can hardly be inserted. As these thermometers must be regulated to record minutely the tempera ture, the person on whose judgment tached must be a highly skilled work-

man. The men who do this part of the

work have to be highly paid.

The marking of the degrees on the hollow tube is the step next in importance in the making of the little curse and blessing. The process is so simple that one can prove the accuracy of a thermometer for one's self by the same method. The freezing point is secured by immersing the bulb in a box of melting ice and the boiling point by attaching it to a steam pipe or immersing it in boiling water. Scratches are made on the tube at the points reached by the mer-cury under these two tests, and the space between is then marked off into 100 spaces for a centigrade thermometer and 180 for a Fahrenheit instrument, the marking beginning in the first instance at zero and in the second at 32. This makes the boiling second at 32. This makes the boiling point in one case 100 and in the other 212 degrees. Thermometers are apt to deteriorate in value as they age, owing to a contraction of the giass of the bulb. The amount of the error can be determined by immersing the bulb in melting ice and making a mark for the new freezing point. To insure the accuracy of thermometers the manufacturers usually store them for a year. facturers usually store them for a year, testing them from time to time.

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THAMESVILLE

"A Little Outcast" to-night.

Office Boy Wanted—Ap, ly to Wilson, Pike & Gundy.

H. B. C i ford, of Thamesv 1.e, sp nt yesterdav in the Maple City.

Dollar Kid Gloves for 58c. a pair, on sale at Northway's to-morrow.

J. G'bson, of Petrolea, spont yesterday with his Chatham friends.

W. T. Cochrane, of St. Thomas, was in the city vesterday on business.

Mrs. Wm. C. Eberts and daughter, Detroit, are goests at Hotel Garner.

C. T. Ouellette, of Jeannette's Creek, was a Marie City visitor vesterday.

Two dozen more samples of cheap furs just received—boas \$1,50 to \$6,00

Do you realize that every organ in the human body is composed of tiny cells called tissue? If this tissue is healthy you need have no fear of dis-ease. Vito Tonic renews the tissue and builds up the system. Mess Gunn & Co., Chatham, keep it

TILBURY

Dec. 8.—Local Masons entertain themselves and friends at an At Home to-morrow evening in their temple here, for which a large num-Frank Smith, Head street.

Just the thing for a Christmas gift—a pair of those Dollar Kid Gloves Northway's are selling at 58c, a pair.

Mrs. Spencer. of Ridgetown, who ber of invitations have been

Levi Beno returned yesterday from Calgary.

Miss Jessie McVean, late of the Ursuline Academy, Chatham, has has been engaged to teach the Tudell school in Tilbury East, at \$375 salary, while Walter Bennie, of Dover, has been engaged to teach the Valetta school in the same section at \$400 salary.

at \$400 salary.

E. W. Holmes, of Tilbury West, returned home vesterday from Calgary where he spent the summer, and expects to return to the West shortly.

Nearly every disease originates from impaired tissue, that is why Vito Tonic rarely fails to effect a permanent cure; it acts as a food for the system. Patent medicines, on the other hand, produce only tempor-ary relief, Vito Tonic is composed of herbs, barks and fruit. Messrs. Gunn & Co., druggists, keep it in stock.

DRESDEN

Dec. 8.-Ernest Hales has accepted a position in E. N. Smith's store.

The change of time on the P. M.
R. R., by which the evening train
from Chatham is not due here till
8.29, is a great d.sadvantage and
source of annoyance of Dresden citi-8.29, is a great deadwantage and source of annoyance of Dresden citizens and to those students who are attending the C. C. I. Chatham. The new time table went into effect on Monday, Dec. 5th, and since then the Chatham mail and all that comes by way of Chatham has not been distributed at the post office until the morning after it reaches Dresden. Steps should be taken by the Council to represent the unfairness and disadvantage of the new rule to the officials of the railroad company, and in company with neighboring towns to urge the return to the old time table as soon as possible.

To-morrow night at the Grand Opera House Patten & Perry's vaudevile and comedy company is on the boards for the one night only. If you enjoy a good show take this one in, as it is one of the best on the road.

Capt. and Mrs. Ribble are moving into their new house on Sydenham

the road,
Capt. and Mrs. Ribble are moving
into their new house on Sydenham
street and Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hughes
are occupying the one vacated by the
Mayor, having purchased the property
from Mr. Burrows.

The moving potype entertainment

from Mr. Burrows.

The moving picture entertainment under the auspices of the Dresden Roman Catholic church on Tuesday night was, to say the least, a farce and a fizzle. Shortly after starting and a fizzle. Shortly after starting the machine went wrong in some way and for the balance of the evening the work done by it was very unsatisfactory, the pictures seldom coming in their natural sequence, and being very dim and indistinct. An unusually large audience were disappointed by the evening's performance. It is to be regretted that the first entertainment given here for the R. C. church should be such a dis pion'ment. However, no blame dis p.on'ment. However, no blame can attach itself to the church of-ficials, as the professional in charge ficials, as the professional in charge of the machine came highly recom-mended, and the blame should rest where it belongs, on him and his deficive stereocope.

S. S. NO. 8, CHATHAM. S. S. NO. 8, CHATHAM.
Following is the report of S. S.
No. 8, Chatham, for November. The
standing of pupils is based on attendance, punctuality, written examinations and class work. The
pupils whose names are marked *
were absent from one or more examinations:

tendance, punctuality, written examinations and class work. The pupils whose names are marked were absent from one or more examinations:

Class V.—H. Shaw 175, B. Stuart 172, H. Shaw 157.

Class IV., Sr.—O. Purdie 113, R. Morgan 111, J. Moir 93.

Class IV., Jr.—A. Shaw 174, W. Bresett 146, %I. Brown 101, %F. Clark 79, O. Noltie 53, %H. Campbell 46, %P. Moir 14.

Class III.—E. Shaw 208, C. Shaw 168, S. Turner 123, M. Noltie 105, %P. Turner 87, %L. Clark 53, %L. Brown 37.

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BUY YOUR WINTER COAT NOW. Hore's the way we are clearing up our stocks of Ladies' and Children's Coats during this December sale. Don't wait but come while the choicest garments can be had at little money. For instance:— LADIES' COATS AT \$9.68-

Very latest New York styles, in fine pure wool kerseys, frieze and new tweed mixtures, colors black.

Special Drives in Clothing for Men and Boys fawn, navy and brown, loose and belted backs, with or without capes, extra well tailored, fine l'nings, sizes 32 to 42, regular prices \$10.00, \$11.00, \$12.50 and \$13.50, December price

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Short, medium and long lengths smart up-to-date styles, in plain cloths and natty mixtures, prettily trimmed, loose and belted backs, sleeve, capes on shoulders, sizes 4 years to 14 years, splendid range of colors, regular \$4.75 to \$7.00 each, clearing at December price

In pure wool frieze, beavers and tweed mixtures, all this season's styles, loose backs, some belied, colors black, Oxford, navy and flaked effects, sizes 30 to 44 inches, regular \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.50 and \$8.00 coats, clearing at December mine. clearing at December pr

LADIES' \$8.50, \$9.00, \$9.50 AND \$10 COATS AT \$6.95-

30 to 36 inches long, loose or fitted backs, in kerseys, beavers, frieze and natty m'xtures, all sizes, regular up to \$10.00 each, December price

Men and Boys

MEN'S \$12.50 SUITS AT \$9.90-Fine black and navy English worsteds, serges and Scotch tweed suits, correct styles, extra well made and lined, sizes 34 to 44 in., regular \$12 and \$12.50 suits,

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MEN'S \$14.00 AND \$15.00 SUITS-In plain and fancy English worsteds and Scotch tweeds, superior clothing, regular \$14,00 and \$15.00

December Price 11.50

Pure wool tweeds in stylish pat-terns and colorings, single and dou-ble breasted, sizes 34 to 44 in., regu-lar up to \$10.00 a suit.

December Price 6.95 BOYS' NAVY SERGE KNICKERS AT

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to 75c a pair,

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MEN'S \$3 AND \$3.50 PANTS AT \$2.68 A PAIR— 34 pairs men's fine English worsted and tweed pants in stylish hairline and obeckline patterns, well tailor-ed, good range of sizes, regular \$3.00, \$3.25 and \$3.50 pants,

December Price 2.68
MEN'S \$10, \$11 AND \$12 OVERCOATS AT \$8.90—

Fine black kersey frieze and tweed mixtures, medium and long lengths, up-to-date styles, extra well failored, colors Oxford, black, navy and natty mixtures, sizes 34 to 44 inch, regular \$10, \$11 and \$12 coats,

December Price 8.90 ALL OUR MEN'S OVERCOATS— Sold regular at \$12.50 to \$13.50, ALL OUR MEN'S OVERCOATS—Sold regular at \$15.00 to \$16.50, clearing at

Deember Price 11,90

STORES The NORTHWAY CO'Y, Limited TWO

Moir 89, J. Moore 65, L. Buckingham 50, V. Brown 42, R. Tong 40. Jr. Part I.—M. Wightman 105, L. Morgan 103, G. Turner 92, M. Bre-sett 74, J. Hill 59, O. Clark 31, R. Kyle, 26. Aaverage attendance for November,

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THE COUNTY PARLIAMENT

Session Opened Tuesday Afternoon with Warden Sifton in the Chair

Reeve Purser, of Dover, Discusses the New Bridge and takes Straight Forward Stand

Cornelius Purser, the sturdy Reeve of Dover, gave another exhibition of his honesty and straightforwardness at the meeting of the County Council this afternoon. Mr. Purser appeared

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No Cure

COAL NOW

this afternoon. Mr. Turser appeared at the meeting of the County Council to report on the new Bear Creek bridge, one-third the cost of which the council pays.

Commissioner Ross, of Tilbury, endeavored to bother the Reeve with questions, but Mr. Purser was equal to the occasion. "Didn't you make the statement that the bridge was costing more than it should but that costing more than it should but that you didn't care because the county was paying a third of the cost?" queried Mr. Ross. "No sir, no sir," emphatically de-nied Mr. Purser, "I never did. Neither

did I stand around and oversee the building of the bridge but I took off my coat and was one of the working men. If Mr. Ross and the gentlemen men. If Mr. Ross and the gentlemen of the County Council want to find fault, they can just appoint a committee to go out and inspect the bridge and, if it isn't satisfactory, I'll pay for it."

Some of the councillors thought that a cement bridge should have been built. That would have cost \$100, but if the Dover township people of Dayer township were satisfied.

ple of Dover township were satisfied with a bridge that cost \$630 the county should be seeing that they were paying one-third of the cost.

Mr. Ross—I didn't find any fault with Mr. Purser, but he had heard that the council of Dover wasn't saturfied

isfied.
John Vester-The usual course for the commissioner from that division to inspect the bridge and report to the county council. I am satisfied

to the county council. I am satisfied that Mr. Purser did the work as cheaply as it could be done.

John Grant said that he hadn't seen the bridge, but he had asked Mr. Purser to appear and present the itemized bill. Had the council delegated him to inspect the bridge be would have done so. ne would have done so.

Mr. Purser said that in a matter

of fairness the council might send Mr.
Ross out to inspect the bridge. It
would bear the inspection.
Mr. French—The bridge was built high so that sugar beet scows could pass through. Wallaceburg ought to pay for the necessary extra grad-

ing that was required.

Mr. Somers-Wallaceburg will do Mr. Somers—walaceburg will do anything to make things go.

The County Council visited the Ho so of R foge yesterday and found everything in spleudid shape. H. J. French said that he had never seen the farm and buildings in better shape.

W. C. Sifton and J. C. Fleming W. C. Sifton and J. C. Fleming reported for the special committee that, as Elgin didn't give the County of Kent credit for any fees collected from Kent pupils, that Essex and Elgin be both notified to collect the usual fee of \$i per month. They also recommended that the accounts of Leamington high school, \$30, and Dutton high school \$9, be raid. The report was adouted.

James Ross reported that the control of Tilbury village were now entitled to the grant of \$50 made at the June session and he asked that

been a member of the House of Re-fuge committee last year. They had done the best they could but the committee this year had the house and surroundings in a better con-dition than they had ever been. The inmates looked well and were satis-

fied.

H. J. French wouldn't give the committee all the credit, but he was pleased to say that he had never seen the farm or buildings in better

shape.
James Ross had visited the House of Refuge four years ago and had visited it to-day. He saw a wonderful improvement. He advised a change of name. It was called the poor house and this made people ob-

change of name. It was called the poor house and this made people object to going there.

James Chiunick was glad to hear the remarks passed but he feared that the managers would get the big head and then affairs would not improve. He advised the rest to draw it mild.

Mr. Ross was satisfied with the appearance of everything.

Peter Haggart thought that the House was well regulated and the inmates a peared confortable. The councillors were learning how to manage the House of Refuge.

Commissioner French gave notice that he would move that the County Council should co-operate with the Cty Council of Chatham in calling attention to the unsatisfactory train service on the Pere Marquette.

It was moved by Mr. Robinson, seconded by Mr. Ross, that Jonas Gosnell and W. C. Sifton be members of the Children's Aid Society for the year 1905.

It was moved by Mr. Ross, second-

ous Chinese restaurant in Pell St., for the hop-fiends, a panoramic view of the battery at night, the great duel in the water off the Government it is not, let the county let it alone.
The Warden pounted out the dangerous condition of the bridge.
On motion of Mr. Chinaick's cond d Hornal, John Grant was im- | Pier and the thrilling rescue by the to examine the Bear Creek police in an electric launch "JERRY FROM KERRY."

It Was No Dream

Even Though Nearly Incredible.

'For twenty years I suffered with 'For twenty years I suffered with bles, sometimes being confined to my bed for days at a time. The relief received from doctors, both in the United States and Mexico, was temporary, and more frequently I received no relief; other medicines had no effect; it was a continual drag; I was fit for nothing. I finally tried Pyramid Pile Cure; first application was magical; I could not believe I was awake next morning. I experienced a relief I had not known-for twenty years.

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**** THE STAGE



ANNOUNCEMENTS.

A Little Outcast—Dec. 8. Erminie—Dec. 13-14. King Do-do—Dec. 17. Citizens' Band Course—Dec. 19. Al. H. Wilson in "The Watch on the Rhine,"—Dec. 20. Alice Neilson, "The Fortune Teller," —Dec. 27.

(Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)

"A LITTLE OUTCAST," "A Little Outcast," which comes to the Grand to-night, was written for men and women who realize the evil in the world and what this modern, complex civilization of ours loses by its insane worship of the gods as of "getting on." The story of wrong-doing, of false friends and fear of the doing, of false friends and fear of the world's censure, which is written around the lives of Paul Weston and George De Voe, might be the story of any two men in ordinary life. It is on the lines of human interest that motion of C its compeers. It is true and more sympathetic than anything which has the characters coming be reduced. yet appeared—the characters coming nearer to the general understanding. They are on a middle plane, while the majority of the others are up in the clouds or down in the mire.

Technically, the play is most artistic—each event so growing out of the

tic-each event so growing out of the other that there could not be a sitthe June session and he asked that it be raid.—Carried.

John Vester and Warden Sifton reported that Essex, Lambton and Middlesx had raid in full all they owed Kent County for bridges built or repaired on the county lines. The report was adopted.

John Grant asked the council to give an expression of opinion in regard to the House of Refuge this year. Mr. Somers said that he had been a member of the House of Reviews of a fashionable Fifth Avenue Mansion, with its white and gold drawing rooms and smart boudoirs: Cooper Union, Five Points, the fam-



Love is some-times a hard task-master. He drives women to tasks beyond their strength and lays heavy bur-dens on their shoulders. Love of husband, love of family, forces many a woman day by day to labor for the home when aching

day to labor for the home when aching back and throbbing head make her utterly unfit for household duties.

Women who suffer from headache, backache, bearing down pains and other consequences of womanly disease, can be completely cured by the use of Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It establishes regularity, dries weakening drains, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness.

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tion and cures female weakness.

"About two years ago I was taken sick and it seemed as if I had no nerves at all," writes Mrs. P. Woodbeck, of Delray, Mich. "Could not work an hour in the day without being tired out. I doctored first with one physician, then with another, but did not receive any benefit. One would say one thing and the next something else. I had almost given up when I thoughly your medicine might help me, so I wrote to you asking, what to do. You advised me to take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and Golden Mrd. and Get. better than I had in a long that work all day now and not feel tired and biscovery. I did so and could see a difference right away. I only took four bottless if all and feel. better than I had in a long that so work all day now and not feel tireds. I would not be took and think it is the only medicine."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure diz

This company of players will appear at the Opera House, Saturday, Dec. 10, matinee and night. This attraction is considered, by press and public to be the funniest show on the

pablic to be the funniest show on the road. There is not one dull minute. They will introduce here for the first time many new and novel features in farce Tomedy and vaudeville. They also carry their bwn superior concert band and orchestra. Prices will be reduced for matinee, which will commence at 2.30. Bring the children and let them have a good afternoon's pleasure. See the purade at noon and pleasure. See the parade at noon and hear the band concert at 2.15 and 7.30 in front of the Opera House.

Township Councils.

HARWICH COUNCIL

A meeting of the Municipal Council of Harwith was held in the Township Wall on Monday, Nov. 14th, at 10 a.m. Members all present.

Minutes of Oct. 10th and 17th read and adopted.

Following communications were re-

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ceived and read:

W. G. McGeorge, with reports of inspection of Howard, Duke, Lewis and Doyle, No. 1, drains, also with account for said inspection and other work.

Geo. A. McCubbin, with inspection of Mull, Lucas: extension and tiled portion of Morgan drains.

Silas Rumble : re costs McCoubrey settion for drainer.

petition for drainage.
Wilson & Co., re :Barfoot drain;
also Houston & Co., re Barfoot drain for appellants. Pere Marquette Railway, re road-

at Erican, and culvert at 18 and sideroad, W. C. R., and Scott R. L. Gosnell, for Wm. Thomson, re

accident on road across lot 3, 1, W. C. R., claiming \$50 damages therefor, Moved by Bentley and Huffman, that as D. Snobelen as informed the Council that the road along the Lake Shore leading to the home of John Alberts has become so narrow by the washing of the lake that it is unsafe washing of the lake that it is unsafe for travel, that the Reeve and Clerk be a Fommittee with power to take necessary, steps to orovide a road to said home.—Carried.

Moved by Campbell and Huffman, that the Clerk be instructed to notify A. Busteed and M. W. Grant to complete their portion of the Mc-Eachran D. & W.—Carried.

Moved by Clark and Campbell, that

Eachran D. & W.—Carried.

Moved by Clark and Campbell, that
having received no answer from the
M. C. R. to the former notice sent
to them re ditch along their roadway, from Centre Line to White
drain, that the Clerk write again.—
Carried

Carried.

Carried.
A number of accounts were ordered to be paid.
The Court of Revision on the Doyle (No. 2), Lewis and Extension, Raleigh, Barfoot and Rushton drains was held and the evidence of the appellants heard, and on motion the Court of Revision was adjourned until Friday, Nov. 18th. The Court of Revision on the Mo

The Court of Revision on the McSargon Drain was taken up, and on motion of Campbell and Huffman the following changes were made in the engineer's assessments:

N. pt s. pt. 24, 2, R. T., A. Everitt be reduced from \$27.50 to \$17.50.

N. hf s. hf 24, 3, R. T. assessed for at H. Stephens.

\$1, H. Stephens.

N. part 23, R. T. \$2, H. Stephens. Roads reduced from \$23 to \$15, and that the Court of Revision adjourn. The Reeve presented a pro-rata by-law on the Raleigh Plains drain served on him by the Reeve of Raleigh to raise the sum of \$255.74, to complete said drain. Meeting adjourned.

Special meeting was held Nov. 18, A special meeting was held on A special meeting was need on this date as per adjournment of 14th inst.

Members all present.

The Court of Revision on the Bar-

foot drain was taken up for tinal adjustment.

Moved by Huffman and Clark, that
the resolution of the Court of Revision on Sept. 19 re changes in assesments on said drain be resoluded and the following changes be made in

and the following changes be made in said assessments:

N w pt 19, 3, W. C. R., J. Coriett, be reduced from \$777.26 to \$62.26.

Lot 20, W. C. R., G. Hendsrson, be reduced from \$177.71 to \$142.71.

W hf n e hf n e hf 22, F. Drury, be reduced from \$29.69 to \$24.69.

N e hf n e hf 23, J. W. Munn, be reduced from \$77.35 to \$60.35.

E pt 25, 3 W. C. R., G. Wilson, be reduced from \$230.12 to \$210.12.

N w pt 24, W. C. R., S. Barloot, be raised from \$216.51 to \$260.51, and the deficiency of \$48 be spread prorata over the whole drain, and the Court of Revision do now close.—Carried.

Court of Revision do now close.—Carried.

The adjourned Court of Revision was taken up and the assessments adjusted.

Moved by Bentley and Clark, that after hearing the evidence of Walter Mattice, owner of n e hf n e hf lot 7, T. L. R., and also as agent for s e hf n e hf of said lot 7, the assessment on which lands had been raised at the last Court of Revision, and also on the evidence of E. B. Tole, drain viewer, in regard to same, that this Court rescind the resolution of Oct, 17 and that the assessments be changed as follows:

W qr 10, T. L. R., Goo. Vester, be

School.

Lot 9, T. L. R., Geo. Vester, be reduced from \$105 to \$100.

The assessment on the n e hf 10 be divided as follows:

S e hf n e hf, owned by James Cooper, \$49.

N e hf n e hf, owned by Mary Barton, \$49, and the Court of Revision do close.—Carried.

On motion of Huffman and Bentley, the assessments of the engineer on the Doyle Drain No. 2 were sustained and the Court of Revision on the Lewis Extension drain was taken up and the following changes made

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in the assessments of the engineer:
S hf 16, 4 W. C. R., M le Pardo, acreage reduced from 40 to 34 and the assessment from \$20 to \$17.
S hf 17, W. C. R., A. C. White, acreage raised from 20 to 36, and the assessment from \$15 to \$18, and the Court of Revision adjourn to Dec. 12 at 4 p. m.
The following drainage by-laws were faulty passed: Morgan, Mull,

The following drainage by-laws were finally passed: Morgan, Mull, Hartwick, McKinley, Rusatton and Doyle No. 2.

The pro rata by-law from Raleigh for raising \$255.74 by way of pro rata assessment on the lands tributary to the Raleigh Plains drain in Harwich was adopted and the Clerk instructed to prepare a by-law for the same.

The Reeve reported the Judge as having dismissed the appeal against the Cameron drain by W. R. McGregor against the appellant with Gregor against the appellant with

costs.

The Collector was instructed to accept S. Hartford's taxes less 75 cents, taxes on church property, Shrewsbury, he not having the same in his ossession. There were also a number of ac

Meeting adjourned until Dec. 12, GEO. M. BAIRD. Clerk.

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PROBABILITIES.

Torento, Dec. 8.—11 a. m.—High northwesterly winds, mostly fair and becoming much coider with light local snowfalls; temperature below zero to-night in Northern Ontario and in Quebec, Friday, northerly winds and very cold.

The following rigures were regis-tered to-day at seven a. m. at Turn-er's weather bureau: THERMOMETER.

Highest yesterday 35.
Lowest during night, 30.
This morning, 20.
Barometer, 28.99.
Direction of wind, northwest.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Only a few days left that we can Only a few days left that we can promise photographs for Christmas. Do you want them? Westlake Bros. The ice crusher, "Sarnia" came up the river at noon breaking the way for the schooner, "Spademan," which was fast in Lake St, Clair about a mile and a half from the mouth of the river. The schooner, which is carrying a load of wheat to the Canada Flour Mills here, reached Chatham shortly after the crusher.

James Oxend.ne was fined \$10 in

James Oxend.ne was fined \$10 in the police court yesterday morning on a charge of assault. Oxendine was drunk at the time. Andrew 'Harbert went his security. Oxendine works for Andrew, who says that he (Oxendine) is one of the best workmen he ever had when he is sober. "No matter how good a man is," quoth Chief Holmes, "whiskey will get him if he tampers with it." will get him if he tampers with it."

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McGarvin, of Pikeville, celebrated the 29th anniversary of their wedding last evening with a dance and banquet, to which relatives only were invited. There were about 109 guests and a most enjoyable time was spent. McMullen's orchestra furnished the music for the dancing.

Three cases have been entered for trial at the December sittings of the trial at the December sittings of the county court which upens before Judeg Bell next Tuesday, Dec. 13th. They are all jury cases, as follows: Johnson vs. Smith, John Reeve for plaintiff, H. D. Smith, contra. Susan E. Cook, vs. Johnson et al, H. D. Smith for plaintiff, G. G. Martin, Contra. W. G. Cook vs. Johnson, H. D. Smith for plaintiff, G. G. Martin, contra.

Bert Dungey, who was remanded the police court on a charge of police court on a charge of paid his fine this morning

WANTS PROTECTION

"When they are furnishing extra police," remarked Harry Jacques this morning, "they should patrol our corner. Four weeks ago some-body stole my cart, and I haven't been able to get any trace of it since. Night before last the thieves returned and all they could find was my sign. They took that. Now, if the police will only take this corner unsurveillance they will confer a fa-

THE MINSTREL SHOW

The Bugle Band Minstrels played in The Bugle Band Minstreis played in Wallaceburg last night to a crowded house. The show was almost the same as the one put on here, with the exception that Holly Shepherd's place on the end was taken by John Glassford. The substitution was a good

ford. The substitution was a good one.

A special train carrying the minstrels left Chatham about four o'clock yesterday afternoon and returned to the city, leaving Wallaceburg at one o'clock this morning.

The Wallaceburg people were very enthusiastic over the splendid production and it was pronounced the best attraction seen in Wallaceburg this season. No doubt if the Bugle Band were to go back with another attraction they would receive just as hearty support.

as hearty support. The whole production was under the musical direction of John R. Smith, the popular and accomplished Maple City pianist, who was the deserving recipient of many congratulatory eulogies.

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MURDEROUS ASSAULT.

the Head By Three Thuge-Life Hangs By Thread.

Winnipeg, Dec. 8.—Horribly beaten about the head, with a huge gash in his scalp and his right temkle, and his fa swollen to almost double the normal size, Michael Fryman, a Polander, about 24 years of age, now lies at the Winnipeg Gener-al Hospital, making a stubborn fight for his lile, which hangs by a slendfor his life, which hangs by a siender thread. Fryman was found lying in a woodshed in the rear of the house occupied by Edmund Pion, 819 Selkirk avenue. The murderous assault took place on a vacant lot, near Pion's residence. Marks of blood and trampled snow thereabouts indicated that a hard fight was made before he was finally overcome, and before he was finally overcome, and crawled into the shed. From tracks in the snow, not more than three participated in the assault: Fryman is too ill to give a connected account

Committed For Trial.

Port Colborne, Dec. 8.—Joseph Beammis, an Italian, was committed for trial yesterday by D. M. James on a charge of having attempted to use another man's bank book to draw funds from the P. O. Savings Department here. He will be tried at the fall assizes at Welland.

Melped Himself to Wheat. Wolseley, N.W.T., Dec. 8.—A sensation was created in town yesterday morning when it was stated that Ed. St. Cyr, a prominent farmer, had been caught red-handed at 4 o'clock in the morning helping himself to a

Toronto, Dec. 8.—Police Magistrate Samuel Harryett will be taken to Belleville to-day by one of Colonel Sherwood's officers. Yesterday Magistrate Denison, Crown Attorney Curry and Detective Forrest, visited St. Michael's and arraigned Harryett on the charge of conspiracy in connection with the bogus ballot box case. He did not elect or plead.

Burels Rallyaded.

St. Thomas, Dec. 8.—Some time during Tuesday night the office of the Still Manufacturing Company on the 7th concession, was burglarized and a safe blown open. One safe was blown open and badly damaged.

and evidently an attempt was made to blow up the other safe when for some cause unknown it was stopped. All the burglars secured was a bag of silver, not a very large amount.

KILLED AFTER 49 YEARS.

Richard Williamson of Hamilton Line of Duty.

Line of Duty.

Hamilton, Dec. 8.—After serving the Grand Trunk Railway for 49 years, moving about trains and engines all that time without ever receiving so much as a scratch, Richard Williamson, 486 North James street, a car cleaner, employed at the Stuart street station, was caught by a train last night about six o'clock, and instantly killed. His body was horribly mangled. A train body was horribly mangled. A train pulled into the station, and when Williamson tried to cross the track behind it, the train backed up, knocked him down and dragged him under the wheels. He was 69 years of age, and leaves a widow, two sons and a daughter. Coroner Balfe will open an inquest this morning.

Rat Poison Left About. London, Dec. 8.—Ina, the fifteen-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shoebotham of London township, died from accidental poisoning Tuesday afternoon. It appears that some pieces of rat poison had been left in one of the rooms in the house, and a caller going out left the door of this room open. The child entered the room unnoticed, and ate the

Two Children Badly Burned. Rat Portage, Dec. 8.—The little son of Mrs. Martin Nelson, aged ten, and baby sister were badly burned yesterday afternoon during the ab-sence of the mother. The boy en-deavored to light the fire with coal oil. The flames spread and ignited the clothing of the baby. The boy's clothes also caught fire, but he rush-ed to the street with the girl and rolled her in a snow bank. The girl

Tripoli, Dec. 8.—A boat from the Turkish corvette Mansura, manned by forty seamen, has sunk in the roadstead. Nineteen of the crew were

Thos. Beasley Henered.

Hamilton, Dec. 8.—Last evening the members and ex-members of the Board of Education presented Tho-mas Beasley with a handsome gold watch and an address in honor of the fact that he had completed his fif-tieth year as secretary of the Board.

Round the World in Log Canoo. London, Dec. 8.—John C. Voss, master of the Tilikum, who left Victoria, B.C.; in a "dugout" of two and one-half tons, has arrived here after sailing around the world, and is shortly to begin a lecturing tour through England.

Blew Out His Brains. Montreal, Dec. 8.—August Muerchi, an expert electrician, employed by the Montreal Light, Heat & Power Company, blew his brains out yesterday afternoon, leaving a letter addressed "To Whom it May Concern."

CLOSE SHAVES

Two Young Kaple City Athletes Break Through the River Ice Last Evening

Just at this time of the year, when the ice on the river is barely thick enough to support the weight of a juvenite skater, is the season for nar-row escapes from drowning.

Two or these har-breadth escapes happened last night, and through them the local lacrosse enthusiasis, had they been near, could have seen visions of a Tecumseh lacrosse team for next year Tading away in the dis frank Grace and Will Robinson,

two prominent members of last year's team, are also promising hockey players, and ever since the cold season started they have been anxious to get their skates on. Last night they decided to make a trial and, along with a proper other property. decided to make a trial and, along with a pariy of other popular young men, donned their skates at Roberts' boathouse and started up the river. There is a weak spot in the ice very near the Fifth street bridge, and Robinson, who was leading the party, struck it. The ice "scored" and Robbie was fet flown into a cold bath. ty, struck it. The ice "scored" and Robbie was let down into a cold bath. Grace called to him. "That's what you get for leaving the 'nets." This, however, is the third time in his career that Robbie has fallen through ice and so he knew how to act, and he succeeded in getting on top again. Although his body and clothes were saturated with water he continued his triu up the river and had his

morning when it was stated that Ed.

St. Cyr. a prominent farmer, had been caught red-handed at 4 o'clock in the morning helping himself to a load of wheat from a C.P.R. car. Murray McBean, employed by the C. P. R. Company here, did the detective work, and Frank Butcher, town constable, landed his man in Wolseley Jail. St. Cyr will probably brought before Justice Peace to-day.

Harryett Goes East.

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MAP. Tellway by the river and had his game of hockey.

Coming back at nine o'clock, Grace had his turn. Frank was in the act of making a splendid rush for the shore when his skate cut through the skate. Robbie yelled "foul," but the referee didn't see it. There was a being dragged out of the water. "Time up de asked one of the party. "No, but the water was," answered Frank. "Right up to my neck at that, too."

NEW SUBWAY IN NEW YORK ON MAP.

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St. Thomas, Dec. 8.—Alvin Gilroy, a married man, about 22 years of age, belonging to this city, was caught in the act of burglarizing Bert Day's store at Port Stanley at one o'clock yesterday morning. He was arraigned before County Magistrate Frank Hunt, here, yesterday morning, and pleaded guilty. He was sentenced to five years in Kingston Penitentiary.

St. Thomas, Dec. 8.—Some time during Tuesday night the Still Married Tuesday night the stil

Toronto, Dec. 8.—Found on the lake beach at Stanley Barracks yesterday morning by Corpl. George Tuft, and removed to the morgue, the body of a young woman was identified late in the afternoon as beidentified late in the afternoon as being that of Mrs. Arthur Patterson, of 16 Grove avenue, Parkdale. She was only 20 years of age. Her husband and his father went to the morgue and made the identification. Mrs. Patterson had been missing since Saturday night. The body was but little marked and the face retained its natural color.

tained its natural color.

According to the story told by her husband they went out together Saturday night. He went into a barber shop to get shaved and she went to visit friends on Spencer avenue. She did not return home on Saturday evening, but it was not until Monday that her disappearance was reported to the police at No. 6 station.

Her relatives do not give any reason why she should have committed. tained its natural color.

suicide.

The unfortunate woman was a Miss Annie Neeshaw of Lindsay and was married to Patterson just five months ago. Patterson is an employ of the R. Laidlaw Lumber Company, and is about the same age as his dead wife. They had been living with his father, who is senior foreman with the lumber company.

The body was taken to Craig's un-

dertaking establishment and Coroner Crawford will open an inquest to-night. The fact that the girl's dis-appearance was not reported to the authorities at once is something the coroner wants explained. The dead girl's friends give her a good reputa

Gives \$25,000 to Hospital. Montreal, Dec. 8.—James Ross has given \$25,000 to Alexandra Contag-ious Diseases Hospital.

Found \$875 in Bills.

Peterboro, Dec. 8.—Thomas Smith, a bell-boy at the Oriental Hotel, yesterday afternoon found a big roll of bills, \$875 in all, which he promptly returned to the owner, Mr. Smith of Pittsburg, and was handsomely rewarded for his honesty.

Dairy School Opens. Strathroy, Dec. 8.—The Western Dairy School opened here on Monday morning last under favorable cir-cumstances. The first supply of milk was received and the machinery in the creamery department was set in operation.

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The goods are from the best house in Canada and are Al. We will give you back 8 cts. on every dollars' worth of Lamps, China and Glassware, until the 1st day of January. 5 per cent off all Dinner, Tea and Chamber Sets. Come early and secure your choice. The goods must be sold.

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4 lbs. Special Mixed Candy...

3 lbs. Royal Mixed Candy...

3 lbs. new select Raisins

lbs new Currents

Phone 190

on business.

Please leave us your Christmas order. shall have our prompt attention.

John McConnell

PARK STREET.

Angus Wigle of Leamington, spent

esterday in the city.

W. A. McIntosh, of Comber, is a

as a Maple City guest yesterday.

Fred Corey, of Toronto caffed on

is many Chatham friends vesterday

Mrs. Lenover, of Irwin's, is spend-ing a couple of days in the Maple

Mantle day bargains every day at the Urban Store; all lengths, all

Geo. Parsons, of Sarnia, spent yes-erday with his many Chatham

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moorehouse

Frank Pells, of Harwich, this morn-

Heintzman & Oo's Planos

115-117-King Street Toronto

There are persons who will be pur-

chasing a plane during the heliday

25c. Per Bottle

C. H. GUNN & CO.,

It's the prices and quality th t inter

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DR. A. W. THORNTON

DENTIST,
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Chatham's Only Millinery Store We are offering bargins for Christma

Buyers.

It is a good time to visit this store and let us prove to you that beyond a doubt it's "The Store that saves you money.

All our great stock of Trimme d. Hats and Millinery Trimmings at the very low st price—Beaver Hats a speciality.

Laces, Ribbons and Fancy Velvets for

C. A. COOKSLEY, King St., Chatham.

aking Christmas presents.

DR. A. A. HICKS,

DENTIST. Office: 26 King St. East, over Turner's Drug Store. Phone 357 ***********

TO-NIGHT.

Court McGregor, No. 6, I. O. F., will Daughters of Rebekah, in their hall

"The Little Outcast," Grand Opera Iouse, at 8.15. Regular meeting of Wellington Chapter, No. 47, R. A. M., Masonio Hall, Fifth St., at 8.

HE LOCAL BUDGE

Urban and Fawns kid gloves, Urban

D. Gilbert, of Ridgetown, is spend G. J. Peace, whose life is despaired of, is no better to-day. City Clerk Merritt is getting ready

or the municipal elections.

Wm. Ingalls, of Thamesville, spend resterday in the Maple City.

John Coutts, of Thamesville, Maple City visitor yesterday,

James Hancock, of Merlin, was visitor in the city yesterday. Mrs. Joseph Martin has entered St Joseph's Hospital, seriously ifl. M. Wilson, K. C., will attend drainage court in Sarnia to-morrow.

Let us give you a tip to save money—buy your handkerchiefs—5c to \$1.00; beauties at 25c. Urban. A big marsh fire occurred on the Dover Plains last night, just north-west of the city.

Get your Kid Glove Supply now.
Northway's are selling dollar gloves
at 58c. a pair. See them.
Te Rent—Furnished rooms, with

bath and heating, within three min-utes' walk of the post office: Apply Box 3, Planet Office. Drainage Referee, J. B. Rankin leaves to-night for Sarnia. He will hear the drainage suit of McClure vs. Brooke to-morrow in the Tunnel

Mrs. W. G. Betts, whose life was despaired of, has recovered so that she is able to leave St. Joseph's Hos-pital, where she has been under medi-

Stoves and Stove Supplies

Let us name you a few of the supplies we mean. We never had such a complete stock before nor were our prices so low as they are now.

Stove Boards, 50c to \$1.50 Oilcloth Squares 70c.

to \$1.75 Oilcloth Binding 25c

to 35c.
Pipes, Elbows, Ash
Sifters, et c. Heating Stoves, \$2 to \$40; Cook Stoves and Ranges, \$10

J. C. Wanless

R. T. OF TEMPERANDE

The Royal Templars of Temperance held an At Home to their many sup-porters and friends, in their rooms, over the Bell Telephone Office, on Tuesday evening. A very pleasant time was spent by everyone. There were about sixty present. Refresh-ments were served and a good musiments were served and a good musi-cal program was rendered. Miss White sang a soio; Mr. Leak also sang; Miss Dell gave a recitation and Miss Morris gave a reading. Wil-son Taylor delivered a splendid ad-dress.

SUDDEN DEATH

Ella Emery ,wife of Nelson Emery of Stone's passed away Tuesday af-ternoon at 8.30 at her home on Pop-law street. Deceased has been ill for some time with a complication of diseases, but her recovery was hope-fully expected, so that her death came as a sudden shock to her rela-tives.

came as a sudden shock to her relatives.

Mrs. Emery was a daughter of the late Peter Mount and was a sister of the late John Mount, Charles and James Mount are brothers and Mrs. J. D. Lane and Mrs. D. M. Martin are sisters.

Besides the sorrowing husband, three children, two boys and one girl, are left to mourn her loss. The sons are Harold and Carlyle, who are attending college in Quebee, and the daughter, Miss Alga, at home. Both sons were nome at the time of her death. The family have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad bereavement. ad bereavement.

The funeral will take place to-

morrow morning at 10 o'clock from her late residence to St. Joseph's

HAPPY EVENT

The manse of Rev. A. H. MacGillia ray, of the First Presbyterian church, was the scene of a very ceautiful though quiet wedding, when Mr. Lorne A. Cummings, late of

when Mr. Lorne A. Cummings, late of Winnipeg, and M'ss E'la Grace Simpson, of 80 King St. East, were joined in holy matrimony.

The bride was beautifully robed in crepe de chene over pink tafetta, while the bridesmajd, Miss Lillian Kalbfliesh, of Port Elgin, cousin of the groom, was most becomingly at tired to match the continue of the bride. The groom was ably supported by his brother, Mr. Arthur Cummings, of Port Elgin.

ed by his brother, Mr. Arthur Cummings, of Port Elgin.

It being the wish of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simpson, that the ceremony be performed quietly, a very few guests were present. Mr. Frank Cummings, of Winnipeg, arrived in the city just in time to see the merry party entering a cab, drawn by a splendid team of greys, being handsomely decorated with white ribbon. Returning to the bride's home the happy couple were greeted by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lampman, brother and sister of the bride, Mr. J. Weaver and Mr. E. Hewitt. Hewitt.

By the numerous and most useful.

presents awaiting Mr. and Mrs. Cum-mings on their return, they have the assurance of the goodwill and esteem of all who know them.

The honeymoon will be spent at the home of the groom in the course of a few days.

LIBRARY BOARD

John S. Fraser, barrister, of Wal-aceburg, was in the city yesterday The Library Board held its last The Library Board Aerd to meeting for 1904 last evening in the Board Room of the Library, with Secretary Twohey, and Messrs. Thibodeau, Smith, Sheldrick, Stone, of Euphemia, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Mounteer, Eighth St. bodeau, Smith, Sheldrick, Stone, Humphrey and Charteris present. The T. Eaton Co., Toronto, wrote asking if the Library desired one of ing received a telegram to the effect that his son was lying unconscious in the St. Thomas Hospital, and was thought to be dying. their bound catalogues. This was met with a round of laughter and Andrew Carnegie presented the Library with a beautiful book "American Natural History," Received

erican Natural History," Received with thanks,
A offizen presented the Library with a Hiography of Kent County.
A vote of thanks was passed to the donor of this Seautifully bound book.
The Ruilding committee reported the following accounts.

chasing a plane during the holiday season, and to those we wish to say that they will be consulting their own interests by first getting prices and terms from the genuine old firm of Heintzman & Co. before deciding upon any make. Catalogues will be sent free upon application to any address or upon application to John Glassford, of Chatham, their local representative, P. O. Box 219. Mr. Glassford will call, if desired, by dropping him a card, and will go fully into the merits of the Heintzman plane. The Huilding committee reported the following accounts:
Lighting, \$15.26.
Wm. Drader, \$1.00.
Mr. Soutar, \$1.25,
I. L. Davis, 50c₄
W. J. Twohey, \$2.10.
Orders for renewals of subscriptions to periodicals were placed as follows:

tions to periodicals were placed as follows:
Powell & Davis, \$28.
Robert Cooper, \$26.90.
G. W. Sulman, \$30.00.
W. J. Kenny, \$27.25.
The Building Committee was given power to have the Library hours put on the doors with gold.
The secretary was instructed to draw on the city treasurer for \$125.
The Report of the Librarian was adopted as follows:
New borrowers 37.
Books given out 1971, 341 of which went to the Central School.
Cash received for fines \$4.32; for eards \$190.
Last year's magazines are ready for

Last year's magazines are ready for

Cough-Stop says to those suffering from the prevailing colds—with that wearing irritating cough.

It will give you relief when nothing else will

If it does not do you good ask for your money back. You will get it cheerfully.

Last year's magazines are ready for binding.

Can arrangements be made for holding books for persons?

In regard to the last question the secretary was instructed to write London and Hamilton to get an idea as to how they hold the books and the revenue from it.

The Central School asked for old pictorial magazines. They wished to bind them for the use of the children.

The request was granted.

The salaries were ordered paid and the reporters were given the usual grant.

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J. U. Thibodeau, representing the Separate School Board, Fred Stone the city, and Mr. Sheldrick the Public School Board, are the three whose time is up. They will all likely be reappointed and none said he would refuse.

The shadowing process doesn't require a detective to stand in his own light.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diste

SNOW IN TIME

Great December Clearing Sale

The Gordon Store

Buy Early and Avoid the Holiday Hub-bub. more time and will be better served with our December Bargains. Here are a few more sample items. READ, COME, SEE, BUY,

A Dress Goods Drive A Stir in Furs

Tweed Dress Patterns by th yard, former prices \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1 75 a yard, December Sale 900

Panama Vigero Suitings, beauti ful colors, brown, green, drab, grey navy, dollar weaves at 55c

2 pcs. Fine Fancy Mixed Twee Suitings, garnet and navy, \$1.25, Sale Price, 7oc

Tables of fine Wool Waistings choice styles, 50c. goods at 25c \$1 00 goods 50c

Crash in Silks

A mixed lot of Plain and Fancy Silks, suitable for Linings, Scarfs Yokes or Cushions, value 25c to 36c, on sale 121/2c.

Slash in Crash

3 pcs. Linen Rollering, oatmea weave, December Sale, 61/4c

Children's Hoods Tukes, Tams, Scarfs, etc.,

Decembe: Sale Prices

Fine wide Astrachan Stoles, 37 inches long, 6 tails, nicely lined worth \$8.50, sale price, \$4.98

Isabella Oppossum Scarfs, long fur lined, long tails, sale \$5.00 and \$5.50 values, for \$3.98

Astrachan Jackets, fine curl guaranteed \$32.00 and \$350 alues, December Sale \$25.

Cuts in Cloth Coats Our 6.75, 8.50 and \$9.00 Coats

December cut, \$5

to \$3.98

MISSES' JACKETS, colors Blue and White, Green and White, Black and White, heavy tweed, fancy cur's and sleeves, gun metal

buttons, December cut, from \$5 00

25 Heavy Frieze WALKING SKIRTS, Black and White and Grey, \$3 50 values cut to \$2.72

Winter Millinerv

It's fancy features, fads and fash ions, for the month at clearin

A Fig Shirt Tale

The Hudson Bay, big Winter Woollen Working Shirts, official Seal and Booklet Free. A big man's blessing, 85c and \$1.35

A Hosiery Hold-Up

60 Dozen Women's Black Cashmere Hose, 20c. value, stand and deliver, price 150 or 2 for

A Glove Give-Away

4 Dozen only, fine Black Cashmere Gloves, tight tops, 42c. goods at 1Cc a pair

Child's Comfort Girl's Combination Suits, me-

rino and Hygiean, from 6 to 12 years, on sale at Half-Price A Midnight Robery

Women's Flannelette Robes, Pink and Blue, sizes 54 and 56

yokes, nic ly trimmed with embroidery and hemstitching, specia! \$1 25, on sale 750

Housekeepers' Aprons

White Lawn and Muslic, 2 tucks wide, from price 36c and 42, December Sale, 25c

Pillow Cotton

Close cut, 3 pcs. 44 in. Pillow Casing, 16c. value, on sale at

Boys Sweaters

Boys' heavy Wool Sweaters, colors Black, Red and Navy, at

MEYNELL'S GREAT SUIT SALE

\$10, \$12, \$13.50 \$14 to \$15 Men's and Youths' Suits.

We must clear up the Remnants of this season's selling. See our Window. Any suit for

MEYNELL,

3 Doors West from Market King St., Chatham . . .

WEDDING STATIONERY -The lates in Wedding Stationery and Cake Boxes can be had at the PLANET Office.

The Chicago & North Western Ry. has issued a new publication entitled "California." It contains a beautiful colored map of the state, a list of hotels at California tourist resorts with their capacity and rates; and a most interesting series of pictures showing California's resources and at-tractions. The prospective visitor and settler should be in possession

of a copy of this profusely illustrated folder. Sent to any address one-receipt of two cents in stamps. Low rates from all points. B. H. Bennett. 2 East King St., Toronto, Ont.

Some women can pin their faith to a man much gasier if it is a diamond,

Ask for Minard's and take no other,

The Urban Store **BICHARDSON** PRIMEAU The Snappiest Ever

> The Urban Store Easy Christmas Gifts Buying

Dainty Handkerchiefs, 5, 6, 8, 15, 121/2, 15 and 25c. Dainty Silk and Chiffon Collars, 25, 50, 75, \$1 to

Dainty Lace Collars in cream, white, black and leather shades, the nicest for Christmas Presents, 75c, \$1.00;

\$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 to \$10 each. Daintest Belts in silk, velvet, elastic and beaded, 250 each to \$2.50 each.

Dainty Silk Shirtwaists, 2.50 to \$7.00 each.

Dainty Fur Neckwear not equalled.

THE URBAN STORE

By-Law No ----

Finally Passed

Jaquin, W. S. Marshall and others have applied to the Municipal Coun-cil of the City of Chatham, on behalf of the said Company, to grant aid for the promotion of such manufac-

way of a loan of \$20,000 to the said Mompaty, to be advanced upon the ment of the said factory, and forthwith after the beginning of operations therein to its capacity as hereinafter provided (to be repaid in fifteen equal annual consecutions therein to its capacity as hereinafter provided (to be repaid in fifteen equal annual consecutions therein to its capacity as hereinafter provided (to be repaid in fifteen equal annual consecutions therein to its capacity as hereinafter provided (to be repaid in fifteen equal annual consecutions therein to its capacity as hereinafter provided (to be repaid in fifteen equal annual consecutions therein to its capacity as hereinafter provided is \$1,862.27; AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable property of the City of Chatham, according to the last revised assessment roll thereof, and the existing debt and interest as hereinafter provided is \$1,862.27; AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable property of the city of Chatham, according to the last revised assessment roll thereof, and the city of Chatham, according to the last revised assessment roll thereof, and the city of Chatham, according to the last revised assessment roll thereof, and the city of Chatham, according to the city of Chatham, accor teen equal annual consecutive instal-ments of principal and interest which shall be computed at 3 per of principal and interest being so calsulated that the amount payable insuch year shall be as nearly as possible equal, with the privilege to the
said Company of paying off the whole
opincipal sum at any time, and a
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3. Each of the said debentures shall be signed by the Mayor of the said city of Chatham or by some other person authorized by by-law to sign the same, and by the Treasurer afactory and plant with suitable mathinery for the manufacture of bolts, muts, manure spreaders, gasoline and wind engines for farm and other purposes, and other lines of manufactured products.

Chatham.

3. Each of the said debentures shall be signed by the Mayor of the said City of Chatham shall at the City Clerk's Office at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to appoint persons to attend at the various point persons to attend at the city of chatham shall at the City of Chatham at the City of Chatham, or by some then at the City of Chatham at the City of Chatham at the City of Chatham, and the City of Chatham at the City of Chatham at the City of Chatham, or by some then at the City of Chatham, and the City of Chatham at the City of Chatham, and the City of Chatham at the City of Chatham, and the City of Chatham at the City of Chatham, and the City of Chatham at the City of Chatham, and the City of Chatham at the City of Cha

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WHEREAS, it is proposed by Geo.
H. Jaquin, W. S. Marshall and others anow seeking incorporation under Letters Patent under the name of The Defiame Iron Works Company, Limited, to build, equip and operate a factory in the said City of Chatham, for the manufacture of bolts, nuts, manufer spreaders, gasoline and wind lengines for farm and other purposes, and other lines of manufactured products.

AND WHEREAS the said George H. Jaquin, W. S. Marshall and others have applied to the Municipal Council of the City of Chatham, on behalf of the City of C

AND WHEREAS the total amount ure.

AND WHEREAS the said Council s desirous of granting aid for the

the existing debenture debt of the said Corporation is \$517,389.11 (exclusive of local improvement rates of special tax rates and assessments).

special tax rates and assessments! no part whereof is in arrear;
Therefore, the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Chatham enacts as follows:—

1. The Municipal Council of the said City shall grant aid for the promotion of the said manufacture of the nature and kind and upon the terms and conditions hereinbefore set forth, and the Mayor and Clerk of the said Corporation are hereby au-

YOU CAN EAT ALL YOU LIKE

what you like and when you like if you take Mun-yon's Dyspepsia Curethe most infallible cur ever compounded for Dyspepsia, indigestion and all other forms of stomach trouble. Indeed, eating will be the delight and pleasure it was intended pleasure it was intended to be if Munyon's Dyspep-sia Cure is depended upon to keep the stomach in or-der, for when the stomach is in order the blood, the lungs, the heart and usu-ally the entire human ma-chinery is working right and disease will be un-trown.

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People are frequently plarmed over the action of the heart when it is really the stomach that is at fau't. Over-eating and indigestion will sometimes set the heart to thumping wildly, when, as a mater of fact, that organ is simply making a fuss because it is crowded so by the stemach that it has o room to do its work. Munyon's Hart Cure rill control the heart and nake its action regular. It rili control the heart and nake its action regular. It trengthens the heart action and frequently saves serious heart trouble. If the heart is acting at all anusual take this heart ure. Like all of Munyon's Remedies it is absolutely agranges.

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for Constipation, Biliousness, Jaundice, Jull Complexion and Bilious Headache ake Munyon's Paw-Paw Laxative Pills.

Munyon's Witch Hazel Soap and other oilet preparations will improve any complexion. For sale everywhere.

ARCHIE VANESS KILLED

Rifle Shot Fired By His Father's Hand While Hunting.

Bullet First Passed Through James Parks, Another Young Member of the Party-On the Runway and the Lad's Father Mistock Son's Hat For the Tail of a Deer.

hunting tragedy occurred on Saturday at Beaver Creek, Kennebec Township, County of Frontenac, resulting in the death of Archie Vaness by righeath for the Vanes rifleshot fired by his father's wounding James Parks, another young member of the party. On that day Henry Vaness and his son day Henry Vaness and his son Archie, Peter Vaness, an uncle of Henry, Walter Parks and his son James went out to hunt deer.

Young Men Lett Cover. silent.

Motor Accident At London.

London, Dec. 7.-Tearing along at express train speed, an automobile belonging to Gerald Myles of this city crashed into a tree three miles east of London, and three persons were badly shaken up. Miss Edythe Trowbridge of Toronto, was hurled from the touring car and her ankle

The Young Men Had Left Their Cover

Kingston, Dec. 7 .- Another terrible nd, the bullet also dangerously

At a runway they divided, the two young men taking cover and the others retiring some distance. Un-fortunately the young men left their fortunately the young men left their cover and in the uncertain light Henry Vaness mistook his son's light colored soft hat for a tail of a deer. He fired and the shot followed deer. He fired and the shot blowds by a scream of agony. Hurrying to the spot he was aghast to find his son stone dead and James Parks writhing in the ground. The bullet after passing through James Parks, who was in front, pierced the heart of Archie Vaness who cried "Oh, my

three times and then was Tarrible Journey Mome The distracted father picked up his son's body, and taking James Parks by the hand trudged slowly home-

GUELPH WINTER FAIR. oce So Great That the Passages the Fair Building Are Crowded-Results of Dairy Tests.

Guelph, Dec. 7.—The Ontario Win-ter Fair which opened here on Mon-day, is now in full progress, with the largest attendance in the history of day, is now in full progress, with the largest attendance in the history of this great show. Since Saturday visitors and stockmen have continued their influx into the city, and already some of the hotels are completely filled up, though all have greatly increased their accommodation. Thousands of spectators passed through the doors into the immense building during the day, and last night so great was the attendance that it was with much difficulty that the people made their way through the passages. The judges are progressing rapidly with their work.

Prof. Graham of the O.A.C., and John Clark added a few points of interest in the discussion following this address. Prof. Graham addressed the meeting on winter egg productions.

Results of Dairy Tests. The following are the results of the dairy tests as announced last even

the meeting on winter egg produc

Shorthorn cows, 36 months and over

ing:
Shorthorn cows, 26 months and over—
James Brown, Nerval, Ontarloj, 120,22
points; J. W. Armstrong, Speedside, Ontarloj, 119,78 points; L. D. Currie, Hill:siburg, Ont., 115,90 points; H. J. Davis,
Woodstock, Ont., 160,04 points.
Shorthorn heifers, under 36 months—
James Brown, Norval, 70,68 points.
Holstein cows, 36 months and over—
James Rettie, Norval, Ont., 140,29 points;
James Rettie, Norval, Ont., 137,43 points;
G. W. Rice, Tillsonburg, 135,58 points;
G. W. Rice, Tillsonburg, 132,20 points;
W. S. Schell, Woodstock, Ont., 122,40
points; P. D. Ede, Oxford Centre, 120,39
points; O. A. C., Guelph, 108,92 points,
Holstein heifers, under 36 months—
James Rettie, Norval, 106,58 points; G.
W. Rice, Tillsonburg, 106,09 points; P.
D. Ede, Oxford Centre, 84,36 points,
Jersey cows, 36 months and over—S.
J. Lyons, Norval, 79,05 points; S. J.
Lyons, Norval, Ont., 74,92 points.
Jersey heifers, under 36 months—O.
A.C., Guelph, Ont., 52,40 points; O.A.C.,
Guelph, 38,14 points.
Grade cows, 36 months and over—P.
D. Ede, Oxford Centre, 140,64 points; H.
McDougall, Guelph, 124,88 points; O.A.
C., Guelph, 91,42 points; O.A.C., Guelph, 50,38 points.
Grade heifers, under 36 months—O.A.

Grade heifers, under 36 months-O.A. C., Guelph, 49.80 points.

The Woman's Institute.

The convention of the Women's In-The convention of the Women's Institute was continued yesterday afternoon in the assembly hall of the MacDonald Institute. An address was delivered by C. C. James, Deputy Minister of Agriculture for Ontario. Mrs. Bertha Dahl Laws, of Appleton, Minn., addressed the meeting on "Plain Food and Plain Living". In her opinion the most uning." In her opinion the most un-selfish thing to do is to care for your own health, so that it may not be necessary for others to care for you. A short address was given by Hon. John Dryden, eulogistic work of the women. Mrs. Hoodless of Hamilton, and the representatives of the various institutes gave five

reports. Lectures Commenced

The lectures in the building were commenced last evening with F. W. Hodson presiding. The subject of "A modern poultry house for the farm" was discussed by F. C. Elford. In the first place he maintained it should be built on dry land or on the slope of a hill facing the south and east, a good run should be provided on land that will give the fowls something to eat.

Wast More Money.

At the Experimental Union meet-

At the Experimental Union meet At the Experimental Union meeting in the morning, the treasurer's report was presented by Prof. Hutt. The total receipts were \$1,672, intotal receipts were \$1,672, ining the Government grant of \$1,-500; the expenditures amounted to \$232, and for experiments \$1,607. A balance of \$190 from last year left \$23 in the treasury. A motion was passed requesting an increase for experiments in the annual Government grant of \$1,500.

Farmers' Institutes. In the afternoon the Massey Hall was crowded with delegates to the was crowded with delegates to the Farmers' Institute convention. Dr. Clark's address in forestry was discussed at considerable length by Hon. John Dryden and others, Prof. Hutterported on his accountable was the convention of the contraction eported on his co-operative nts in small fruits during the pa

ments in small fruits during the past year. The shipment of fruit in cold storage was discussed by Prof. Reynolds of the O.A.C. Joseph E. Wing delivered the last address of the afternoon on "The Selection of Seed Corn." This address was followed by a spirited discussion.

The annual banquet of the students and ex-students of the Ontario Agricultural College was held last evening in the Convocation Hall. Assembled round the festive board were upwards of four hundred students and ex-students. The toast list was a lengthy one, and brought out dents and ex-statement. The constraint was a lengthy one, and brought out many bright and interesting speeches from President Creelman, Hon. John Dryden and others.

Presentation to Dr. Mills.

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Probably the most pleasing feature of the evening was a presentation by Messrs. Drury and Monteith, on behelf of the ex-students to Dr. James Mills, of a very beautiful cabinet of silver. Accompanying the gift was a very complimentary address. Dr. Mills made a pleasing response, expressing his great appreciation of his kindness and good-will of the exstudents and of the happy relations he had enjoyed with them.

he had enjoyed with them.

The meeting was closed with an The meeting was closed with an impressive ceremony in connection with the unveiling of two life-sized portraits in the Massey Hall, one of the late Prof. Panton, by the exstudents of the college through the union, and the other of ex-President Dr. James Mills, presented by 24 members of the O.A.C. graduating class of 1904.

Changes Her Hotel.

New York, Dec. 7.—Mrs. Chadwick left her apartments at the Holland House at 10 o'clock last might and took an quarters at the New Amsterdam Hotel, at Fourth avenue and 21st street. She was closely followed by two secreti service men. Her sor and maid accompanied her. Apparently she was in good health. Appar-

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Death's Sudden Call.

Toronto, Dec. 7 .- Mr. J. E. Berkeley Smith, for twenty-seven years the capable Bursar of the University of Toronto, and for fifty years a ser-vant of the university, died suddenly at his office desk yesterday morning at about 10.30. He had just arrived at his office in the university, and was going over his mail, when, without warning, he lurched forward in his chair, falling over his desk. His assistant, Mr. F. A. Moure, immediassistant, Mr. F. A. Moure, immediately ran to his side and sent for medical aid. Dr. Silverthorne, who happened to be in the buildings, arrived within ten minutes, but Mr. Smith was already dead. For some time he had suffered from angina pectoris. He was 70 years of age, and the news of his death was received with great regret by the officials and students of the university.

Sir Percy Girouard. London, Dec. 7.—Sir Edouard Percy Girouard has been gazetted lieuten-ant-colonel. He held the local rank lieutenant-colonel while commis of lieutenant-colonei while commis-sioner of railroads in the Transvaal and Orange River Colony, but lost it when he recently vacated the post. Col. Girouard's advancement is regarded as being a further recogni-tion by the home Government of his great services during the Boer war. He was born in Canada.

Alma to Get \$15,000. St. Thomas, Dec. 7.—At the Council meeting last night Treasurer Perry was authorized to pay to the Alma College management the \$15,000 granted by the ratepayers, as soon as the mortgage had been signed and the other terms fulfilled.

Reciprocity Not Mentioned. Washington, D.C., Dec. 7.—The President, in his annual message to Congress, makes no reference to the

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tariff nor to reciprocity. The message opens with a reference to nation's noteworthy prosperity. with a reference

Garibaldi Dying. Rome, Dec. 7.—General Ricciotti Garibaldi, the last surviving son of the Italian hero and his first wife, Anita, is dying from nephritis.

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FARMER TELLS OF A BAD TWO YEARS

Then Dodds Kidney Pills Drove Away All His Pains

Was Bent Over With Pain and Hardly Able to Work Till He Used The Great Canadian Kidney Remedy.

Consecon, Ont., Dec. 5.—(Special).—
Mr. David Rowe, a well-known and highly respected farmer, living about three mies from here, is telling his friends of his remarkable recovery from a long period of suffering by the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I had very severe name in my

the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I had very severe pains in my back more or less for unwards of two years,"Mr. Rowe says. "These pains seemed to concentrate their full force in the small of my back and the pain was almost unbearable. It made me go bent over and I could not straighten up to save my life.

"When I went to urinate it gave me great pain and you may magine I was not able to do much work. I consulted a doctor out his prescrip-

consulted a doctor but his prescription did me no good.

"Then I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills and I felt better by the time I had used the first box. Ten boxes cured me completely."



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Is a joy to every woman's heart and man is vain enough not to despise it. Beautiful complexion means pure blood, or in other words a healthy body. Tens of thousands of women take Ferrozone, because it's a splendid blood builder, keeps the system in perfect order and helps the convolving wenderfully. It considers with the convolving wenderfully. It considers with the convolving wenderfully. complexion wonderfully. "I consider complexion wanderfully. I consider Ferrozone the best remedy to give you a clear, ruddy complexion I know of," writes Miss Ada E. Bran-don, of Pembroke, "My skin used to be sallow but after taking a few boxes of Ferrozone a rosy tint was noticeable on my cheeks, I can re-commend Ferrozone as a tonic also? For good health and beauty use only rrozone. Price 50c. at druggists.

What It Contained. Analysis of the water of an artesian well bored in a southern state showed that it contained a large proportion of ammonia. Uncle Zeb, a colored resident of the town, spoke of the matter in this wise to a drummer whose grip he was "toting" from the station We's got er artillery well here, an' las' week dev done scandalized de watah an' foun' it plum full er bydro-

abobla." IF YOU HAVE A BAD COLD

If you are sneezing and suffering from a "stuffed-up" head and running eyes the best plan is to get fragrant, healing Catarrhozone, the quickest and surest cure for cold in the head, coughs and catarrh ever discovered. This great healing agent is carried by the air you heathe all is carried by the air you breathe all through the passages of the nose, throat, and lungs. It soothes the ir-ritated membranes, kills catarrhal ritated membranes, Kills catarrinal germs, instantly stops the cough and germs, instantly stops the cough and germs, instantly stops the cough and seemand; the grade to meet the approval of the carpenter, contractor or individul. Compared to others our stock is a little head in quality and a little behind in price. Favor us with your orders.

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> "Little" Japan Not So Small. Most of our maps of Asia are drawn to a small scale, and on such maps, re marks the World's Work, the Japanese archipelago fills little space. But she is larger than England and more populous. She has 6,000,000 more people than France. She sent six armies over sea within six months, every one of which was as big as either army that met at Waterloo. She has sent to Manchuria twice as many soldiers in six months as England sent to South Africa in two years.

COLD SETTLES IN THE BACK.

It hits people in a tender spot and makes it mighty hard to brace up. Nerviline will take that kink out of your spinal column in short order, it soothes, that's why relief comes so soon. Nerviline penetrates, that's why it cures. Five times stronger than ordinary remedies, Nerviline than ordinary remedies, Nerviline can't fail to cure lame back, lumbago, sciatica and neuralgia. Nerviline is king over all muscular pain, has no equal and costs 25c. per fottle.

The man who loses a leg or an arm can never boast that he won't Se stumped.

Sore and swollen joints, sharp, shooting pains, torturing muscles, no rest, no seep—that means rheumatism. It is a stubborn disease to fight, but Chamberlain's Pain Balm has conquered it thousands of times. One application gives relief, Try it. All Druggists sell it.

Somehow it seems to be the dryest, books that we have to wade through.

Cougns, coids, noarseness and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Cresolene Tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists.

CANADIAN STORE CATTLE.

Dublin Freeman's Journal Sees Loss to London, Dec. 7.-The Freeman's

Journal, quoting a correspondent, says that the importation of Canadian store cattle is about to assume importance. The Journal says that should the restriction be removed. the whole profit now secured by the wmall Irish farmers of from 20 to 40 acres, would be destroyed. Store cattle formed two-thirds of the Irish export, the profit on which would almost entirely disapear, while the rents of the middle-sized and mixed farmes would at one stroke be rendfarms would at one stroke be rend erect entirely unpayable, and the prices being paid for these farms would become impossible. The ex-clusion of foreign store cattle is the one absolute condition making possible to repay these advances To Be Wound Up.

The British Steamship Trading Agency Company will be compulsorily wound up.

Called Quite Groundless.

Speaking at Aberdeen, Prof. James Bryce, M.P., said he had just return-ed from Canada and could say the motion sedulously propagated Great Britain that Canada is in state of excitement and eager expectation over the preference proposal was quite groundless.

A meeting at which H. F. Wyatt read a paper on "The Navy and the Empire," was addressed by Hon. Thos. Brassey, who said that of all the colonics Canada was best able to contribute two or three million pounds towards the Imperial Navy, and had done nothing. The reason was that they objected to taxation without representation. He suggested as a remedy local legislatures for Great Britain's domestic affairs, with an Imperial House of Commons in London.

WATER FAMINE IN THOROLD. Many in a Desperate Way-Prayers Offer-

St. Catharines, Dec. 7 .- There is

and on Sunday prayers for rain were offered in some of the Thoroid churches. The water famine has opened new possibilities in trade. One man has obtained a street watering cart and peddles water which he gets from the canal, to families in Thorold. The situation among the farmers is grow-

ing worse. The country roads are almost unbearably dusty.

The farmers view with tremendous misgivings the prespect of winter setting in without rain falling. A great quantity will have to fall be-fore the farmers around here will be ready for winter. Most of the streams and ponds where they get their water for cattle have dried up

CANADA'S NEW GOVERNOR.

Ottawa, Dec. 7.—Hon. R. W. Scott received a telegram from the Allan Line people yesterday, stating that they expected the Parisian with Earl Grey on board will be late in arriving at Halifax. It will be nearly a day late in leaving Liverpool. The swearing in ceremony in that case may be deferred until Saturday.

Preparations For Swearing-in. The special train which leaves here this morning for Halifax will con-sist of two coaches for Earl Grey and party, two coaches for Cabinet Ministers and one coach for judges of the Supreme Court. Hon. R. W. Scott and Hon. William Paterson will go from here. Hon. Mr. Brodeur will go from here. Hon. Mr. Brodeur will proceed from Montreal, and Hon. Mr. Emmerson from Moncton. The Secretary of State will be accompan-ied by the Under Secretary, Mr. Jo-seph Pope, C.M.G., who will have charge of the Great Seal.

Mr. John For Dead.

Toronto, Dec. 7.—John Foy, president of the Niagara Navigation Company, died yesterday morning at his residence, 40 West Bloor street. Deceased was born in Toronto June 24, 1845, and was educated at St. Michael's College, in England, and at Annonay, France. A widow, who is a daughter of the late Sir Frank nith, two sons, Frank of the New York Central Railway, and Jack of the Niagara Navigation Company, and five daughters survive. J. J. Foy, K. C., M.P.P., and Augustine

Four New Cabinet Ministers.

Washington, Dec. 7.—A large batch of nominations were sent to the Senate by the President yesterday, many of them recess appointments, which included four Cabinet positions, as follows:

Attorney-general-William H. Moody of Massachusetts.
Postmaster-general—Rob. J. Wynne

Secretary of the navy-Paul Morton of Illinois. Secretary of commerce and labor-Victor B. Metcalf of California.

Short \$16,000.

East St. Louis, Ills., Dec. 7.— Charles Frost, confidential clerk and bookkeeper for two National Stock Yards firms, is under arrest on a warrant sworn cut by Tarleton, Company & Irons, charging him with being \$16,000 short in his ac-counts.

Roumania Is Ready.

Bucharest, Roumania, Dec. 7.—
Speaking in the Senate yesterday the
Foreign Minister announced that the
Government had received from the
United States, with much sympathy,
an invitation te partake in a second
Hague conference at The Hague.

A Change For The Better

The Way Physicians Now Treat Catarrh.

Physicians who formerly depended upon inhalers, sprays and local washes or ointments now use Stuart's Catarrh Tablets because, as one of the most prominent stated, these tablets contain, in pleasant, convenient form all of the really efficient and reliable starrh remedies, such as red our catarrh remedies, such as red gum, blood root and Hydrasin. They contain no cocaine or opiate (so common in liquid catarrh medi-

(so common in liquid catarrh medicines and cough syrups) and they are given to little children with entire safety and benefit.

Dr. J. J. Reitinger says: I suffered from catarrh in my head and throat every winter and it would hang on clear into summer, with stoppage of the nose and irritation in the throat affecting my voice so that I was continually clearing my throat before I could sneak plainly; it finally ex-

arienting my voice so that I was continually clearing my throat before I could speak plainly; it finally extended to the stomach causing catarrh of the stomach.

I bought a fifty cent box of Stuart Catarrh Tablets at my druggists, carried them in my pocket and used them regularly several times a day, and the way in which they cleared my head and throat and improved my hearing and general health I consider little short of remarkable. I had no catarrh last winter and spring and now I am entirely free from any catarrhal trouble whatever.

Mrs. Jerome Ellison, of Wheeling, writes: I suffered from catarrh nearly my whole life, and last winter my two children also suffered from catarrhal colds and sore throat so much so they were out of school a large part of last winter. My brother who was cured of catarrhal deafness by using Stuart's Catarrh

ther , who was cured of catarrhal deafness by using Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, urged me so much to try them that I sent to the drug store and bought a package and I am truly thankful for what they have and bought done for me and my children. I always keep a box of the tablets in the house and at the first appearance of a cold or sore throat one or two of the catarrh tablets nips it in the bud and catarrh is no longer a household affliction with us.

thing in the middle of a green pasture field, but when she practices gymnasties with her rear limbs at milking time she seems neither gentle nor picturesque.

The people who are saddest when they sing might find on investigation that their auditors are likewise.

ORDINARY CORN SALVES CON-

TAIN ACIDS.
But the old reliable Putnam's Corn Extractor is entirely vegetable in composition and does not eat or burn the flesh. It gradually lifts the corn, causes no pain, and cures permanently. Price 25c. at all druggists. Use only "Putnam's."

Bold Court Jesters.

"You are ready enough to point your satire at other people's faults," Queen Bess once said to Clod, one of the court jesters, 'but you never say a word about mine." "Ah," exclaimed Clod. "why should I waste time in reminding your majesty of your faults, seeing that they are in everybody's mouth?'

Patch, one of Henry VIII.'s fools, once sought permission to demand an egg from every husband who was dissatisfied with his wife. No sooner bad the king granted his request than Patch proceeded to demand the first egg from him, saying, "Your grace belongs to the class of husbands on whom I am entitled to make levy."

AN ATTACK OF PNEUMONIA WARDED OFF.

"Some time ago my daughter caught a severe cold. She complained of pains in her chest and had a bad cough. I gave her Chamberlain's Cough Remedy according to directions and in two days she was well and able to go to school. I have used this remedy in my family for the past seven years and have never known it to fail," says James Prendergast, merchant, Annato Bay, Ja-maica, West India Islands. The pain sin the chest indicated an approaching attack of pneumonia, which in this instance was undoubtedly warded off by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It counteracts any tendency of a cold toward pneumonia. For sale by All Druggists.

A lizy nver may be only a tired liver, or a starved liver. A stick is all right for the back of a lazy man. But it would be a savage as well as a stupid thing to beat a weary man a stupid thing to beat a weary man or a starying man because he lagged in his work. So in treating the lagging liver it is a great mistake to lash it with drastic drugs. In nine-ty-nine cases out of a hundred a torpid or sluggish liver is but a symptom of an ill-nourished body, whose organs are weary with overwork. Let your liver alone. Start work. Let your liver alone. Start with the stomach and its allied organs of digestion and nutrition. Put them in proper working order, and see how quickly your liver will be-come active and energetic. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has made many marvelous cures of "liver trouble" by its wonderful control of the organs of digestion and naof the organs of digestion and natrition. It restores the normal activity of the stomach, increases the secretions of the blood making glands, cleanses the system from poisonous accumulations, and so relieves the liver of the burdens imposed upon by the defection of other organs.

Most men like to show familiarity with the weak side of great persons No man cares to make even a con-fession to self on the follies of youth

Use Lever's Dry Scap (a powder) to wash woolens and flamels,—you'll like

THE MARKETS.

heat Higher in Liverpool But Declined in Chicago Live Stock Markets-The Latest Quetations.

Tuesday Evening, Dec. 6.
Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day 1/2/1 to 1/4/d higher than yesterday, and comutures 4/d higher.
At Chiesco December wheat closed 3/2/c ower than yesterday; December corn, 3/2/c ower and December oats 1/2/c lower. FOREIGN MARKETS.

EORERIGN MARKETS.

London, Dec. 6.—Close—Corn—Spot quoacioas, American mixed, nominal. Flour—
spot quotations, Minneapolis patent, nomnal. Wheat—Oir passage, firm but not active. Corn, on passage firm and hardly
uty demand.
Paris, Dec. 6.—Close—Wheat, tone firm;
December, 24f 25c; March and June, 25f
Oir. Flour, tone firm; December, 32f 15c;
March and June, 33f 39c.

LEADING WHEAT WARKETS.

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ORONTO ST. LAWRENCE MARKET Grain-
 Wheat, white, bush
 \$0.95

 Wheat, red, bush
 0.90

 Wheat, spring, bush
 1.00

 Wheat, goose, bush
 0.88

 Heäus, bush
 1.00

 Earley, bush
 0.48

 Oats, bush
 0.35

 Rye, bush
 0.80

 Peas, bush
 0.70

 Buckwheat, bush
 0.50

Liverpool, GRAIN AND TRANSLiverpool, Dec. 6.—Wheat—Spot, nomleal; futures, dull; Dec., 7s 2%d; March,
7s 4%d; May, 7s 4%d.
Corn—Spot, firm; American mixed, 4s 10d;
futures quiet.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, easy, 40s; long
clear middles, light, steady, 43s; long

Bacon—Cumberland cut, easy, 40s; long clear middles, light, steady, 43s; long clear middles, heavy, steady, 42s 6d. Lard—Prime western, in therces, quiet; 36s 3d; American refued, in palls, quiet, 36s 3d.

Turpentine spirits firm, 30s. NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET.

New York, Dec. 6.—Butter—Strong; re-ceipts, 9169; street price, extra creamery, 27c to 27½c; official prices, creamery, com-mon to extra, 17 to 27c; held, common to extra, 19c to 24c; state dairy, common to extra, 13c to 29c; renovated, common to extra, 13c to 29c; western factory, com-mon to choice, 13c to 17c; western imita-tion creamery, common to choice, 15½c to 20c.

tion creamery, common to choice, 15½c to 20c.

Cheese—Firm; reccipts, 2183; state, full cream, small, Sept., colored, fancy, 12c; do., late made, colored choice, 11; do., fair to good, 10c to 10½d; state full cream, small, September, white, fancy, 12c; do., late made, white, choice, 11c; do., fair to good, 10c to 10½c; do., poor, 8½c to 0½c; state, full cream, large, September, colored, fancy, 11½c; do., late made, colored, choice, 10¾c; state, full cream, large, September, colored, fancy, 11½c; do., late made, white, fancy, 11½c; do., late made, white, fair to gi d. Se to 9½c; do., poor, Sc to 8½c; skirk, 3½c to 9½c.

Eggs—Strong; receipts, 11,012; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, fancy selected, white extra 38c to 40c; do., choice, 25c to 37c; mixed extra fancy, 35c to 36c; western, fincst selected, 32c; do., average, best, 30c to 31c; southerns, 22c to 30c; refrigerators, 20c to 22½c.

scrupulous attention. CATTLE MARKETS.

Firmer-Hogs Active and London, Dec. 6.—Live cattle are quoted at 8%c per lb; sheep easier, at 10c to 12c per lb.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK

Receipts of live stock at the City Cattle Market were 67 carloads, composed of 694 cattle, 1300 hogs, 2062 sheep and lannis, with about 40 calves.

Trade was fair, all of good quality being picked up at fair prices. Common cattle sold slowly, at low prices.

Choice picked lots of butchers' sold at \$3.75 to \$4; medium cattle at \$3.25 to \$5.40; common at \$2.75 to \$3; rough and inferior at \$1.40 to \$2.25 per cwt.

Trade was inclined to be slow, with a lot of common stuff offering. Prices inneed as follows: Short-keeps, 1100 to 1000 lbs, at \$3.50 to \$4; feeders, 000 to 1000 lbs, each, at \$3 to \$3.25; stockers at \$1.50 to \$2.50, and \$2.75 per cwt.

About 25 milch cows sold from \$30 to \$62 cach, the bulk going at \$35 to \$45 cach.

Trices continue from at \$5.50 to \$5.50 per cwt. Choice veal calves are wanted.

The run of sheep and lambs was fairly large, over 2000. The demand was good and prices firmer, at \$3.75 to \$3.55 for sheep; lambs, \$4.40 to \$5, for the bulk. Choice picked iots of export ewe and wether lambs are worth 15c to 20c per cwt more money.

1 rices for hogs were unchanged at \$4.80.

nore money.

1'rices for hogs were unchanged at \$4.80 or selects, and \$4.55 for lights and fats.

EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET. East Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 6.—Cattle—Recipts 800 head; fairly active and steady; forme steers, \$5.50 to \$6; shipping, \$4.60 to 5.35; butchers, \$3.85 to \$5; helfers, \$2.75

lover; \$4 to \$8.

Hogs—Recelpts, 22,100 head; fairly active; 5c to 10c lower; heavy, \$4.55 to \$4.60, a few \$4.70; mixed, \$4.50 to \$4.55.

Vorkers, \$4.85 to \$4.45; pigs, \$4.25 to \$4.30; roughs, \$3.80 to \$4; stags, \$3 to \$4.50; head; active and higher; native lambs, \$4.50 to \$6.65; no Canadian lambs; yearlings, \$5 to \$5.50; weethers, \$4.75 to \$5.; ewes, \$4.50 to \$4.65; sheep, mixed, \$2.50 to \$4.65. NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

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New York, Dec. 6.—Beeves, receipts, 941; no trading; feeling steady. Exports to-day 810 cattle, 1550 sheep, and 8000 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 584; veals, steady. Grassers and westerns, slow and barely steady; veals sold at \$4 to \$8.75 per 100 pounds, and a few choice at \$9; grassers and yearlings at \$2.25 to \$2.75; fed calves at \$3 to \$4.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 401; sheep

at \$3 to \$4.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 401; sheep steady; lambs 10c to 15c higher, quality considered. Sheep sold at \$3.25 to \$4.75 per 100 lbs; culls at \$2.50; yearlings at \$5.50; lambs at \$6 to \$6.60; culls at \$4.

Hogs—Receipts, \$5.42. None on sale to CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Dec. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 9000, Including 1200 westerns; market steady; good to prime steers. \$6 to \$7.50; poor to medium, \$3.75 to \$5.90; stockers and feeders, \$2.25 to \$4.15; cows, \$1.50 to \$4.10; heifers, \$2 to \$5; canners, \$1.35 to \$4.10; heifers, \$2 to \$5; canners, \$1.50 to \$4.10; heifers, \$2 to \$5; canners, \$3.50 to \$7.10; wostern steers, \$3 to \$5.

Hogs—Receipts, 40,000; market 5c lower; mixed and butchers', \$4.35 to \$4.60; rough, heavy, \$4.35 to \$4.45; light, \$4.35 to \$4.45; bulk of sales, \$4.45; light, \$4.35 to \$4.45; bulk of sales, \$4.45 to \$4.52\forall_6.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 22,000; sheep steady; lambs strong; good to choice wethers, \$4.40 to \$5.15; fair to choice mixed, \$2.50 to \$4.35; mative, \$4.50 to \$6.25.

To Buy Gas Plant.

St. Thomas, Dec. 7.—City Solicitor Doherty was instructed by No. 1 Committee of the City Council Monday night to prepare a bylaw to provide for the purchase of the gas and electric light works, and to be submitted at the municipal elections. The price to be paid the gas company is \$205,897.85. Palpitation of the Heart-Ner-

vous Prostration—Cured by Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills.

They make weak hearts strong. They make shaky nerves firm.



Mr. Ray V. Cormier had a very trying experience while at College; but, thanks to Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, he has been restored to health. He tells his experience in the following letter to us — "Wellington Station, P.E.I., Dec. Srd, 1908. "Messrs. The T. Milburn Co., Limited, "Toronto, Ontario." Gentlemen,—Having been cured of a very troublesome disease, I find it my duty to write you a few lines. I was troubled with a very great papitation of the heart and nervous prostration. I was attacked with it at College, and could not follow up the games of the University without being overcome with fatigue. I could not descend the stairs without resting half-way. I have left College, and am working ha general store, where I found your famous pills, I used three boxes, and am now completely cured; I cannot thank you enough. You may use this letter for the purpose of henefiting anyone who is suffering as I did. My home is in Sackville, N.B., but at present I am on Prince Edward Island.

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Hogarth was fond of joke books and farces and enjoyed them immoderately. Mario, the great tenor, read anything he could obtain relating to sports or

"Papa Haydn liked stories, and he said, "The more love there is in them the better." George III., for many years of his life, read nothing but his Bible and

prayer book. Swift made a special study of the Latin satirists and imitated their style and language. Da Vinci read Pindar and thought

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A Thousand Dollar Guarantee goes with every bottle of Dr. Leonhardt's Hem-Roid-the only certain cure for every form of Piles. George Cook, St. Thomas, Ontario,

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The Chatham Loan and Savings Co. 46th Half-Yearly Dividend.

46th Hali-Yearly Dividend.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of six per cent, per annum upon the paid up capital stock of this Company has been declared this day for the current half year, ending December 31, 1904, payable at the Company's Office on and after Jan. 3rd, 1905.

The Transfer Books will be closed from 20th to 31st December, inclusive. By order of the Board. S. F. GARDINEL. Manager, Chatham, Nov. 28, 1904.



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GIRL WANTED—Highest wages paid: Apply at once. Mrs. John Waddell, Water street. TEACHER WANTED-For S. S. No.

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HOUSE FOR SALE—On Grant etreet, For particulars apply to Thomas Scullard, or at this office.

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FARM FOR SALE—North east half of lot 16, Front concession, Township of Harwich, 133 acres. Alticleared, clay loam, two good sized-frame houses. Large frame barmand cattle shed; stable and drive-barn combined; granary and interparts of the stable of the stable of the stable and drive-barn combined; granary and interparts of the stable and drive-barn combined; and cattle shed; stable and drive-barn combined; granary and ism-plement house. Buildings all in good repair; about five acres of orchard; artesian well, windmill and pump; three other wells. Price \$8,006.00, Apply on the pra-mises to Mrs. John J. Walrath, or to W. F. Smith, barrister and solicitor, Chatham, Ont.

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For Holiday Gifts, 25c. 50c, 60c, 75c, \$1 and \$1.50

We have just passed in o stock some of the daintiest Neckwear for Ladies we have yet shown. which make them ideal for gift-giving.

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We would like to impress upon you the necessity of early selection if you would choose the best possible assortments. You'll always find dainty neat designs in Hemstitched Embroidered Handkerehiefs and Handkerchiefs with Embroidered Edges, or Lace Trimmed, at this store. You can choose hand some handkerchiefs now at each from 5c to

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1500 FINE GERMAN CHINA BREAD AND BUTTER PLATES, with neat flower decoration, some are gold and others are gold splashed. They are the exact size and good goods. Always sold at \$1.00 to \$1.50 Dozen. We have too many, and will sell them at each 5c.

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TABLE TUMBLERS for Holiday Season-5oc to \$3 50 a Dozen WINE GLASSES and DECANTERS MOTEL GLASSES in all sizes and shapes

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THE COUNTY PARLIAMENT

Session Opened Tuesday Afternoon with Warden Sifton in the Chair

Reeve Purser, of Dover, Discusses the New Bridge and takes Straight Forward Stand

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THURSDAY MORNING.

George M. Baird wrote re the bylaw for closing part of the second concess on, that he had posted the notices and advertised the by-law as required by law.—Received.

James Chinnick for the Roads and

James Chinnick for the Roads and bridges committee reported that the tender of James Healey for painting the Tham swille bridge had been accepted at \$120 and the work was now finished. It had been found impossible to repair the old wooden stringers and steel ones had been put in. The tender for those of the Hamilton Bridge Co. had been accepted at \$950. The work was about completed now Bridge Co. had been accepted at \$950. The work was about completed now and the workmen were busy putting on the hand-rail. Since the June session \$411.67 had been paid for repairs to the bridge. There was a serious washout at the Moravian bridge. This had been filled in and a sewer p pe put in to prevent this occurring again. Since June \$297.32 had been spent in repairs. Bothwell bridge had also been repaired at a cost of \$77.85. The approaches to the Baptist Creek bridge had settled. This had been repaired.

On motion of Mr. Chinnick, seconded by Mr. Somers, the report was adopted.

James Ross asked That Essex's share of the Bapt'st Creek bridge be charged to that County. The Warden said that the committee had consulted the engineer and it was on his advice that the steel stringers had

been put in.

Mr. Sturg's asked that his motion
in regard to patitioning the Government to cut an outlet for flood
waters from the Thames across to
Lake Eric above Chatham be laid on

Lake Erie above Chatham be laid on the table till after dinner, as he expected a deputation in.

Mr. French moved, seconded by Mr. Sturg's, that the Warden and Mr. Haggart be a committee to draft a resolution to the Pere Marquette, pointing out the unsatisfactory train service under the new time table schedule, and if more power can be attached to the protest by co-omera-

schedule, and if more powers can be attached to the protest by co-operating with the City Council that they should do so.—Carried.

Joseph Hornal said that in 1903 the Treasurer of Orford had paid the orders for the Legislative school grants, P. S. Leaving accounts drawn on the County Treasurer. The amount was \$402.

Mr. Sifton said that the County Treasurer had first called attention to the fact that Highgate had never to the fact that H'ghgate had never called for the Government and County grants. He had investigated and found that the orders had been paid by m stake by the Township Treasurer. He was surprised, as Orford's Treasurer was one of the most particular men in the County.

Mr. Somers suggested that the township should rectify its own mistakes,

akes.
Mr. Sifton, who had asked Mr. Ross

to take the chair during the discussion, moved that the matter be laid over till the afternoon,—Carried.
Mr. Ross gave notice that he would move for a committee to be appointed to arrange for an ice-breaker for use in the River Thames.

Mr. Vester asked how far the county had got in the lawsuit with

Mr. Ross said that Mr. Vester could

probably be satisfied in committee.
Mr. Vester said that he understood
that a special committee had been
appointed and he would like to know hat had been done. He understoo

appointed and he would like to know what had been done. He understood that the writ had been issued,

Mr. Somers—The River Thames lies to the south of the Sydenham and it breaks up earlier than the northern river. I would ask that if the County of Kent invests any money in an ice boat that it be put at the use of the people along the Sydenham as soon as the ice on the Thames is broken. The two interests wouldn't conflict.

Mr. Sturgis brought up the matter of an indigent sent from Dresden. The keeper had made up the bill from the date of the committment papers instead of on the entry to the House of Refuge. There was a two-weeks' discrepancy between the two dates. The I. O. O. F. lodge of Dresden were raying for the man's keep. The lodge had paid the correct amount but appeared on the books as owing for 13 days.

Mr. Sturg's moved, seconded by Mr. French that the error be rectified.—Carried.

Ladies of Chatham

-Carried.

You are cordially invited to hear a lecture in the parlors of the Garner House Friday at three p. m. on the "Secret of Success," or "The Home we Live in," by C. Luther Wells. The method of presentation will be new to you and exceedingly interesting. You can't afford to miss it. Mrs. May Wright Sewell, of Indianapolis, leader of American Club Women, invited one hundred of the Elite of the city to hear the lecture given in her own parlor.

Rev. A. R. Thain, of Milwaukee, says in a letter to Dr. Corey, of Wakesha, Wis. The lecture was interesting and eminently sensible and is deserving of highest commendation.

The busy press agent seems always to have a pressing engagement.

<u></u> SATCHEL OF THE SATELLITE

Bheil Gaelic agad-Archie? There was somewhat of a hub-bult Blenheim to-day.

In any event E. E. Parrott will get few square feeds.

L'ke all auctioneers, Archie know great deal that a'n't so.

Imitation is the sweetest flattery. That Nickel Novel organitie is an awful flatterer.

And an Agricultural College for this rich County, too. I am surveying my farm already.

Anyway, it is the auctioneer's business to toot up any old thing the people want to get rid of.

I suggest that a public meeting of citizens be called to discuss the new market before it is too late. Up in Eastern Ontar'o I scarcely think that the Rossites will run the election with the cry "a full ballot

Is it now Demosthenes, Ceero, Gladstone and Archie McCo'g, or is it Archie, Demon, Cice and Glad-

McCo'g would better get his Governm n. sale fees in advance, as there will be a new pay-boss after the

There is a gaping chasm between the going, going, gone Archie Mc-Co'g and the Hon. James Clancy, Minister of Agriculture.

Parrott as fate third party candidate and Archie as the Ross repre-sentative will shortly be jangling over which had the most votes.

I am taking Gaelic lessons from my friend Ald, Martin, who is go-ing to spoke that tongue on the stump in the Scotch settlements.

As to correct English it is a moo question between Archie and John Dittmar with his-Ich habe nixkumerous inklish, but tryfel, ich kan the Sherman sprache like I vas some sugar beets. Do you forstay? Just

GRAND OPERA HOUSE Thursday, Dec. 8th

Geo. E. Gill & Co's

A LITTLE OUTCAST 25-People-25 Supporting

ANN & BLANCKE A Thrilling Story of New York Life in Four Acts and Seven Scenes Seats go on sale Tuesday Dec. 6.

Prices 25, 35, 50 and 75c. **********

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Saturday, Dec. 10th PATTEN and PERRY

Jerry from Kerry

A Roaring Mu ical Farce Comedy niest show since time began, with uniformed Concert Band and Orchestra. See Street Parade at noon, and Band Concert 7 30 front of Opera House.

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We lead-others followbut can't keep up.

your Candies for Christmas We have a choice selection Prices away down-quality away up.

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Two Thirds of the boys and girls going to school need strong, serviceable shoes. We had this

SCHOOL SHOE

event on our minds for some time and have prepared our stock for a big demand of shoes for school wear, the kind that costs little and wears long.

Boys' Box Calf, solid through-

Boys' extra heavy, double sole Bex Calf, Misses' Box Calf or Dongóla -

Kid, solid soles, all sizes from \$1 to 2, \$1.25 and Girl's Box Calf and Dongola Kid, sizes 8 to 195, for

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The following sale advertisement will be published on election day: For sale dirt cheap. A lot of rotten, diseased, played-out political hacks, as follows: Capt. Sull.van, he of long record. Jim Stratton—no pedigree—is now turned out to pasture. Vance and Jackson, two high steppers. Lott and Hareyett, sired by Trick ballot box, now stabled in gaol. The whole will be sold with a few dirty pots and pans in a job-lot. Archie McCoig, auctioneer. And Archie will yell out his bugle, "Last call, gentlemen, did I hear 30c. for the tout ensemble? Remember, gentlemen, this valuable lot includes the Ross Government. Again, last call! Going, going—Gone!!"

35 dozen Ladies' Fine, French Kid Gloves, latest styles, black, white, tans, browns and greys; sizes 53-4 to 71-2; a regular dollar glove; on sale at Northway's to-morrow, 58c.

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Geo. Stephens & Co.

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10 pieces Ladies' and Children's Coatings and Cloakings from \$1.00 to \$3.00 at

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During the sale we will clear the balance of our Splendid Millinery Stock at

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60 Special values in 8c, 10c, and 121-2c.

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Ladies' and Children's Underwear Ladies' Vests and Drawers, good value at 25c. Sale Price

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Ladies' Belts Black Silk Belts, assorted Buckles worth 350 to 50c. Sale Price

Extra Heavy Cotton Ribbed Hose, for those who can't wear wool, all sizes 51-2 to 10. Price

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