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## RUSSIA AND TURKEY

That Secret Understanding Believed to be a Reality

NOTWITHSTANDING ALL DENIALS.

London, Jan. 25.-Although the Gov ernments here and in Berlin concur in denying all knowledge of an offensive and defensive alliance between Russia and Turkey, little confidence is placed in their professions of ignorance. Semi-official denials, in a case like this are to be expected, especially when the defeated diplomats wish to conceal the

feated diplomats wish to conceal the truth or prevent its being told. Within three weeks Parliament will truth or prevent its being told.

Within three weeks Parliament will assemble. Before that period has elapsed the evidence of the existence of a Russo-Turkish compact will probably become so complete, that further denies of the existence of a Russo-Turkish compact will probably become so complete, that further denies it is believed that Sir Philip Curlee, the British Ambassador to Turkey, will be recalled and that this agent is due to the fact that he has been in due to the fact that he has compact must have been in Lord Salison for two weeks.

The Speaker correspondent at Compact must have been in Lord Salisoury's possession for two weeks.

The Speaker correspondent at Constantinople, whose inside information gives his communication high responsibility, has written, under date of Jan. 18, that Russia is absolute master of the situation. The secret compact guarantees the integrity of the Ottoman Empire, Russia agreeing to assist in the restoration of order in Kurdistan and also to defend the Dardanelles. France has made her bargain with Russia, and will, consequently, give her assent to the compact.

Germany is currying favor with the Carr. Austria is hampered by her German connection and will maintain a pessimist neutrality and await her opportunity. This, the correspondent adds, is the end of the intervention of the powers. A triumph for Russia and Britain.

Notorious Crook Who Has Been Wanted for Some Time Past. Hamilton, Jan. 26.—Billy Black, the otorious crook, was arrested here yeserday afternoon by Detectives Couler and Bleakley. He has been in the manufacturer, and sent to any address, charges paid, and cerday afternoon by Detectives Coulter and Bleakley. He has been in the
city off and on for about two months,
and was wanted by Provincial Detective Murray for robbing a bank at
Clarksburg, Grey County, on Aug.
31, 1894. He was also wanted by the
Teronto police, as he was one of the
famous Rutledge gan, who committed
scores of robberles in Ontario and Quebec. About a year ago the Toronto
police located the gang at Streetsville,
and the conflict that was waged, during which numerous shots were exchanged, is fresh in everyone's mind.
On Saturday afternoon as the detectives were coming up Caroline-street,
they saw Black stan-ling at the corner
of King and Caroline-streets. When
he saw them coming he walked hurriedly up to George-street and then began fo run. The detectives Jumped
into Owen Holan's cutter and pursued
him, and when they reached him,
Black pulled a revolver and threatened to shoot Detective Bleakley. Detective Coulter told the latter to shoot
the crook, but the latter put his revolver in his pocket. He was taken into
custody and will be handed over to
Detective Murray. He is about 35 years
old, and was in Kingston Penitentiary
from 1884 till 1893.

"I MILLED THAT MAN."

Chicago, Jan. 25.—Phere was a sensational scene in the Criminal Court to-day when John Oram was called up say why sentence shoull not be imposed upon him for the murder of Joseph Conlan. As Oram arose, his wife sprang to her feet and cated, "I killed that man. My husband is not guilty. He shall not suffer for my crime." The court room was instantly in an uproar. When quiet was restored, the prisoner was sentenged to imprisonment for life. Mrs. Oram told the judge that she committed the murder, but that her husband's lawyers would not allow her to testify. The judge told her her testimony would be of no avail, as her previous contra-

no avail, as her previous cont tory testimony would not prove e then fainted away r peatedly. DAUPHIN ELECTION.

A Pessibility That the Opposition Candidate May Win the Sent.

Winnipeg, Jan. 26.—Returns from Dauphin are coming in slowly, but considering the small majority for Mr. Burrows, the Government candidate, in the polling livisions heard from, with majorities for the Opposition candidate at six places to hear from in the previous election, there is a probability that the full returns will show a majority for Glen Campbell, Conservative.

TORRAID MARKETS

Flour—The market is very strong, but sales not numerous. Straight rollers are quoted at \$3.50.

Bran—Cars of bran are firm at \$11 to \$11.50 west, and shorts at \$12.50 to \$13.50.

Wheat—The demand is good, and prices are higher. Sales of white were made outside to-day at 77c. and red is quoted at 76c. No. 2 fall offered east G.P.R. at 78c. No. 1 Manltoba hard sold at 77c to arrive North Bay, and No. 1 at 75c west, lake and rail. No. 1 grinding in transit is quoted at 78c. No. 2 hard offered at 74c. Toronto, with 72c bid, and No. 3 hard to arrive North Bay offered at 72c.

Barley—The market is dull, with No. 1

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Jan. 25.—Wheat, spring, 5s 7d, 0 5s 74d; red winter, 5s 7d to 5s 8d; No. California, 5s 8d; to 5s 84d; corn, 3s 13d; peas, 4s 93d; pork 53s 9d; lard, 20s 4; tallow, 21s; bacon, 27s to 28s; cheese,

doi.

London—Close—Wheat off coast nothing dolss, on passage firm and 3d to 6d higher. Hussian steam shipment, Feb. and March, 26s 6d. Maize off coast nothing doing, on passage firm; demasd improving Jan. and Peb. Flour weak at 160 50c for Jan. and

Ex-Ald. Robert Robson of Brantford Jumped from a moving train, and is suffering from concussion of the brain. By partaking of unwholesome food two families in Fort Rouge, Man, had to narrow eacape from dea h 'y potsoning.

William McClure of Ingersoll, charged with causing the death of Erwin Caldwell during a scuffe on New Year's Day, has been discharged by the Police Magistrate.

\*\*Total Robert Robson of Brantford Lambert Robson of Winnipeg, injured in a mill on Thursday, is dead.

Samuel Johnston was drowned the other day in a well near Addison.

George Edward Marshall, watchman on the transfer steamer Lansdowne at the slip.

Sixten Protestant ministers in Turkey have been shot since the troubles began for refusing Mohammedanism.

Stem to the Tune of Thousamas

Thronto, Jan. 25.

Almost without warning, the city
was overtaken by the fereest storm
since the memorable blizzard of 1893.
The storm struck the city in all its
fury shortly after? o'clock, and before
daylight most of the damage, which
will require many days' labor and the
expenditure of thousands of dollars
to repair, had been accomplished.
The wind was greatly aided in its
destructive march by the weight of toe
which had gathered on the trees, poles
and wires during the close of the raja
storm, which had immediately greceded its coming. So great was this accumulation that when the wind commaced to assert itself, the poles snapjed like pipesteris and the heavy wires
were brought to the ground.
Erock-avenue, probably, suffered
important thoroughfare there was
haidly a pole left standing, or an electric wire that was not a source of imminent danger to pedestrians and property.
On Teraulay-street the damage is
nearly as great, though the absence
of trolley wires served to render the
consequences of the storm less disastrous than that which accompanied
the Brock-avenue disasters. At the
intersection of Esther and Queenstreets, the telephone and telegraph
wires became tangled with those of the
trolley company and a woulu mix-up
resulted. The telephone poles at this
juncture were broken off and some littied damage to property occasioned.
Peter, Simoce and John-streets were
also blocked by fallen poles and tangled wires.

In the northern portion of the city,
the companies will be obliged to spend
a goodly sum of money to again place
their systems in good working order.
Hoor, Gerrard, Robert and Huronstreets and Hazelton and Brunswickavenue are demoralized with strewn
and dangling wires, broken poles and
uprooted trees.

It is a subject for congratulation
that no lives were sacrificed as a result
of the flying wires, Many persons were
more or less shocked by coming in
contact with liv- wires and a few sustained injuries from falling poles, but
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with one exception, none were seriously injured.
Completely disorganized are the only completely disorganized are the only words that can fitly describe the state of the telephone service.
One of the officials of the company estimates that its loss will fall not far short of \$45,000.

The Canadian Pacific Telegraph Company officials report that the storm has been more disastrous to their system than any they have ever experienced in Ontario. Early in the day they sent out special engines with men to

inas been more disastrous to their system than any they have ever experienced in Ontario. Early in the day they sent out special engines with men to locate exactly the sources of trouble. The only news the officials had received at a late hour, was that all their wires were down and they had no means of determining exactly when they will be able to resume business. Between Leeside Junction and Myrite on the C.P.R., a distance of 30 miles, 132 poles are broken down.

The officials of the Great Northwestern Telegraph Co. declined to attempt to estimate the damage to their service by the storm. Its area, as near as they could ascertain, covers the district bounded on the west by Guelph, on the north by Newmarket, and on the east by Port Hope.

The fire system is almost demoralized, most of the alarm boxes being burned out and the only telephones that can be used are those connecting the central hall with Wilton-avenue and Berkeley-street stations.

T. H. Chamberlain, an Eglinton milkman, was in Hazelton-avenue when a telegraph pole, with its griditor of wires fell upon him, burying him and his horse and sleigh. It took nearly half an hour to extricate the man, and he was carried into the house of Miss Harvey. S' Hazelton-avenue Chamberlain sustained serious injuries to his spine and was otherwise severely hurt. His injuries may prove fatal.

James Dyall was driving around the corner of Brock and Dundas when a telegraph pole snapped, part of it falling on his horse. The animal was killed by a shock from the live wires and 

THE BYE-ELECTIONS. The Returns From South Wentworth and
West Wetlington.
Hamilton, an. 24.—W. W. Buchanan,
the Prohibition candidate in South
Wentworth, was defeated in the byeelection for the Legislature to-day by
John Dickenson, the Government candidate.

The full leturns are : Totals..... 1442 Dickenson's majority, 812.

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West Wellington.

Guelph, Jan. 25.—The bye-election in West Wellington for the Ontario Legislature, made necessary by the unseating of Mr. George Tucker, Patron, took place yesterday and resulted in the election of Mr. James Tucker, the Patron candidate, over Mr. Patterson, Liberal. The result is a surprise to the Liberals, who carried on a vigorous campaign and had the assistance of Hon. G. W. Ross, and other Ontario Government leaders. There is one subdivision yet to hear from in Maryborough and one in Peel, which cannot overcome the majority of 228 reported for Mr. Tucker up to the present. The majorities so far reported are:

## NOT GOING TO QUEBEC

Vice-Royalty Will Not be Pres

OWING TO PRINCE HENRY'S DEATH

Ottawa, Jan. 26.-In consequ he death of Prince Henry of Batten-urg, the Governor-General and Counburg, the Governor-General and Countess of Aberdeen have given up their visit to Quebec, where arrangements bad been made for their presence at a grand ball and other events in connection with the winter carnival there. St. John, as a winter port. is booming Three trans-Atlantic lines have vescels regularly visiting the port and now it is announced that another line of steamshps is coming. The New Yirk and Porto Rico, Company will put vessels on the route between St. John and Halifax and Porto Rico. The first steamer, the Spero, will be at St. John: on Feb. 3, She will, after taking in cargo there, proceed to Halifax to in cargo there, proceed to Halifax to finish loading for three ports in Porto finish loading for three ports in Porto Rico, San Juan, Ponce and Mayaguez. The Spero is a steel steamer of 591 tons register, was built in 1891 and is under the Norwegian flag. Monthly trips will be made during the winter and spring. Sugar and molasses can be secured as return cargoes. This line should afford a good chance for ontario shippers, particularly millers, by which to send goods.

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Mr. Hazen, M.P., has received a despatch from St. John, stating that the Beever line has been able to get enough of cattle in Canada for a cargo without going to the States for them. It is, therefore, probable that the order in council which has been passed permitting the shipments to England of American cattle from St. John will not be utilized for the present. One provision of the order is that the American Cattle Trust do not come in contact with Canadian herds.

In two or three days time the question of the appointment of a successor to Col Powell as Adjutant-General of Militia will be settled. From all that your correspondent can learn, there does not seem to be the slightest possibility of either Col. Otter or Col Smith securing the position, despite the efforts which are being put forward on their behalf. If Col. Aylmer, whose qualifications for the post are of the highest order, fails to secure the office, it will, without doubt, go to Col. Maunsell of New Brunswick, by virtue of his long service, his thorough competency, and and the fact that he is the senior district officer in Canada.

The Cabinet had a two hours' session yesterday, when considerable routine business was transacted. It was expected that the report of the subcommitte on the Remedial Bill would be submitted to the council, but it was not quite ready, and therefore routine business was taken up. A Cabinet Minister is credited with the statement that the bill will be found to be moderate in its provisions and acceptable to Protestants and Catholics alike.

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putting forward, and these efforts, it is said, include the sending into the constituency of over \$40,000 with which to bribe the electorate, Sir Charles will have a majority of at least 500 on polling day. The Liberals are inclined to shout corruption whenever the Government wins an election, but there seems to be irrefutable evidence that in this perticular campaign the corruption is altogether on the other side.

The Government has taken steps, the Minister of Justice informed the House yeaterday, to have the reports of the Supreme Court published with less delay than in the past, 'and 'to ensure that when published they would contain the judgment of the court up to the time of publication. The following directions have been given to the court reporters: (1) Cases in which judgments are pronounced, should be immediately reported with, the written opinions of the judges, which are handed down at the time. No report is to be delayed by reason of any opinion not having been handed down at the time the judgment was pronounced. (2) When a case is in type the reporter should send to each judge, if so desired, a fair proof in galley of his opinion, but no delay exceeding eight days can be authorized for the perusal or correction of such proof by the judge. (3) When it is announced that no written opinion will be furnished by the court, or no particulars thereof, a synopsis of the case should be reported. (4) Cases already decided, but which stand unreported or awaiting the delivery of written opinions, should be immediately reported with the material available, unless within ten days the opinions are handed down, in which reported.

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On Friday and yesterday the Capital had the worst storm of the season, 15 inches of snow falling. It is a tribute to the street railway management, however, that cars ran without interrution during the two days. The four powerful sweepers were kept going continuously on Friday. Yesterday the principal streets were very lively, large gangs of men and horses being engaged in removing snow.

Boreas Strack Newfoundland.

St. John's, Nfld., Jan. 26.—The worst snow storm in 20 years was experienced here during the last four days, and some of the drifts in the streets are ten feet high. Business is at a stand-still and rallway lines blockaded. All the telegraph lines have been blown down and the colony was shut off from communication with the outside world for 48 hours.

War Sensation Played Out.
London, Jan. 25.—Unless some of the
jingo politicians invent a new scare, it
may be said that the sensation caused by the Venezuela boundary dispute is finally played out. All voices
here from the press and platform call
not only for peace, but for an increase
of amity with the United States.

Str Charles Tapper's Wenderful Wishitsy—His Neminaties Speech.

North Sidney, C.B., Jan. 28.—The first week has ended of the political campaign, which is the keenest and most exciting ever held in Cape Breton, and which is riveting the attention of all Canada. Its most prominent feature is the unprecedented entusiasm evoked by Sir Charles Tupper's candidature and the extraordinary vigor displayed by that statesman in his speeches and his ability to stand the fatigues of a hard winter campaign. During the past six days he has traveled 1000 miles, delivered 12 addresses, or two a day of an average length of one hour each, to audienoes immbering as high as 3500. This would be pretty good work for one in the prime of manhood. It is unique for a man of 75, yet at the end of the week the old war horse is as fresh, as vigorous and aggressive as he was when he left Ottawa. His health is in splendid condition, and with the exception of a little hearseness, he gives every premise of going through the campaign with the same energy that char-

years.

At Hamilton the death occurred of Mr. Edward Knott, the actor. Deceased was the husband of Agnes Roselle Knott, the actress.

present contracts,
The official St. Petersburg cholera
statistics for the week ending Jan. 19
show 24 new cases and 10 deaths.
It was announced that by the terms
of the treaty signed Jan. 18 the Island
of Madagascar is declared a French

Dr. Harley Smith of Toronto was elected president of the Young Men's Christian Associations of Ontario and Quebec at St. Catharines.

The testimonials published in behalf of Hood's Sarsaparilla. The, are that Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood, creates an appetite, strengthens the system and absolutely and permanently cures all diseases caused by im-

Hood's Pills for the liver and

Quebec at St. Catharines.
Captain John McCormick, Thomas
McCormack, James Fenton and Bert
Walters, the four Pelec Islanders who
were carried out into Laké Erie on a
cheet of floating ice and given up for
lost, have been resoued, after long
drifting about in the midst of the floaiing ice.

## Athens Reporter

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

### \_\_BY\_\_ B. LOVERIN

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The finest grades of anthracite coal make at least 10 per cent. of ashes, and bituminous coal fully 20 per cent. of

bituminous coal fully 20 per cent. of hahes. In this respect solidified petro-et m has an immense advantage as a fuel sufficient to render it far prefer-able to coal. In household use, on steamers or railroads and in manufac-turing the removal of ashes is an ex-

pt nsive item.

The new fuel is also far cheaper and far less bulky. A single ton of it, in blocks of whatever size may be wanted, represents at least thirty tons of coal, possibly nearer forty, and its cost to the consumer, as now figured out, will be only from \$5-to \$10 a ton. It has still one other admirable quality. It requires very little daught to. It has still one other admirable quality; it requires very little draught to burn it and very little trouble to set it ablaze. A cubic inch of it will produce a light blue flame many hundred times larger in volume and a flame which with a strong draught will travel a long distance. The experiments already made have proved that, after cxygen it supplies the greatest heat-obtainable.

the colossal steel factories that England and the United States. Ship designers are now greatly handicerped by the provision they are forced

coal.

Then, too, every war vessel must stop frequently for coaling. This has entailed enormous expense. England has very nearly the whole surface of the globe punctuated with coaling stations. The necessity of coal has stared her in the face at every step of her foreign policy.

The space saved could be devoted to extra machinery, guns, ammunition and men, and it would at once relieve the present cramped quarters in which

the present cramped quarters in which officers and others have to live on board of the ships of to-day. To the

tams of come are required to make a to1 of steel, and the cost of this is from \$12.50 to \$15. To get the same quantity of unvarying intense heat necessary to manufacture a ton of steel about 500 pounds of solidified pe-troleum would be necessary. This would cost about \$1.50, equal to ten per cent. of the present cost.

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of the present cost.
D'Humy estimates that the production of the petroleum is now more than
300 times in excess of the consumption, and that further supplies are
available. D'Humy has also made a
fuel out of coal tar and pitch. This
also is smokeless and cheap. Another
device of his is disintegrated wood
mixed with solid petroleum. Still another is a block of common oil for domestic use, a fuel that can be mixed
with ashes of earth and burned in any
ordnary kitchen range or grate. This with asnes or earth and burned in any ordnary kitchen range or grate. This fuel, it is understood, can be put on the market at a dollar a ton, a ton being equal in burning capacity to three tons of coal, which would cost in New York \$15. This too, is smokeless, without smell and leaves practically no-asnes at all.

tically no-ashes at all.

Perhaps the most interesting one of D'Humy's inventions is his "ready reference fire for soldiers on the march." Troops in bivouac often find it hard to gather sufficient wood for fires. I'Humy offers them a kind of soldified petroleum, to be cut into small cakes of an ounce or so each. These, he says, can be put into each soldier's kr apsack. Each little block will stand being mixed with 600 times its volume grapsack. Each little block will stand being mixed with 600 times its volume of common earth, and thus in a few minutes immense fires could be made to spring up all over a camp with practically no trouble at all.

Don't Let Strangers Kies the Baby.

"Your baby is the most lovely that

was ever born," writes Isabel A. Mallon in January Ladies' Home Journal,

"but do not let strangers, in their
desire to express their admiration of
it, kies the little lips that cannot object,
or clasp tightly in their arms the little
body that is as 'yet so tender. So
many little ones are injured by promiscuous kissing that the wise mother tells
the nurse that once she knows that
outsiders are permitted to kies the
baby her discharge without a reference
will promptly follow. Hardhearted?
No, indeed. 'Nurse must consider, first
of all, her charge, even if, to the rest
of the world, she is unwilling to display the baby entrusted to her care." Don't Let Strangers Kiss the Baby.

Ashes for Hens.

Coal ashes for Hens.

Coal ashes for dusting make the best material when run through an ash sieve, removing the larger clinkers, but leaving many small bits which the hens like, as well as gravel. Remove the ashes from the stove while warm and after spreading on the dusting floor or box scatter a small quantity of pyrethrum or infect powder-over it. Synd which has been wet with a weak solution of carbolic acid is also a valuable dusting material and will relieve positry of lice.

"Help!"
He clutched his throat until his wife came and tied his four-in-hand for him, after which he quietly finished tressing.—Detsoit Tribune.

## MATABELELAND GOLD

THE FORTUZE HUNTERS LA DER ADVERSE CONDITIO

And yet that element of uncertainty which makes the mining fever so near which makes the mining fever so near akin to the passion of gambling has allured many to this far-off corner of allured many to this far-off corper of the globe. The wealth is here, walting for man's hand to release it from earth's dark caverns, but the chances are that after a fruitless search the prospector will leave the diggings "dead broke." Such has and such, perforce, must be the tale of every spot where the search for gold is carried on. Fortune favors the few, and the many can only be suppliants for her bounty. There are no auriferous alluvial deposits, and the ledges, of which there are a great many, have in nearly every instance been worked by the ancients down to a depth from 20 to 100 feet. down to a depth from 20 to 100 feet. At present, however, the only signs of these old workings are the numberless

At present, however, the only signs of these old workings are the numberless depressions in the ground, only a few feet deep, the drifts having become almost filled in the lapse of years. Operations are now confined to these old workings, and before one can hope for any returns for his labors a shaft from 30 to 75 feet deep must be sunk. This, of course, requires a considerable outlay, and in a country where the prices for provisions and mining supplies of all kinds are as extortionate as here, the prospector's hole in the ground swallows from \$250 to \$300.

And here now comes in that element And here now comes in that element of uncertainty. When the bottom has

Holding and working a reef is almost beyond hope. The Carter Company claims and exacts an undivided one-half of the output of every mine, and transportation charges are so heavy that private parties lacking a large amount of capital are unable to bring in heavy machinery, which would en-able them to mine successfully. Consequently the situation so resolves it-self that individuals are forced to sell, often at a large loss, or starve. The

many syndicates here are engaged in procuring ledges at the lowest possible price, and then floating them on the London and Paris stock markets as boranzas. And so they are—for the syndicates. Many claims that have been disposed of in this way for thousands of pounds have never felt a blow of the pick nor had an ounce of gold washed from them, and many of them will doubtless prove failures.

Corporations, even in this new country, have made their influences parameunt. The mining laws all seem framed for their benefit. The Charter Company, which controls the situation,

require that sixty feet of sinking be require that sixty feet of sinking be done every year on every 1500 feet of reef. Since it furnishes none of the necessary capital and exacts one-half of the output these hard conditions tend to depreciate the value of the mines, force owners to sell at a loss, and in many cases will and have compelled the abandonment of many good locations. A strong effort is being made to bring about a change in the mining laws, and until this is accomplished Matabeleland will never be a paradise for gold diggers.

one man, which is administered to as well as adults, and the Lorper is administered to all bearing of the country and its climate, the former being all that could be desired and the latter almost perfection. Cool nights succeed balmy days, making life a pleasure and delight, and the wide expanses of veldiff in the a half sake a his is same theat if of period to grow. The seasons are most marked. The abis is same theat if of period to grow, and the normal sake a his is same theat if of period to grow, and the normal sake a his is same theat if of period to grow, and the same theat if the same the sam of the sun, and myriads of locusts darken the heavens, their presence always a menace to agriculture. This, however, is the healthy period, and the time when all the prospecting is

the time when all the prospecting is done.

The dry period is succeeded by the rainy season, extending from December to May. The change is almost instantaneous, as though nature had passed her fairy wand. over the landscape and covered it with a mantle of living green. The seeds, lying dormant in the dry ground are quickened into life by the first warm rains and scon an ocean of luvuriant grass waves over the erstwhile desert.

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This is the planting time for the farmer, and corn, the principle product, is extensively raised, and all kinds of vegetables thrive. The annual rainfall is not as large as might be expected, rarely exceeding forty inches. The country of the country.

all is not a state of the control of the country is wholly dependent upon the development of the mines and the consequent increase in population and widening market for the crops.

This is not a hunter's paradise, for game is scarce, and although one hears of a great abundance in certain localities upon investigation these reports will invariably be found false. At least this has been my experie nce and I have traveled over 2500 miles of this territory. Little or no credence can be pieced in reports, for the average African is given to romancing to an alarming degree, and rivals to Rider Hag-

can is given to romancing to an alarming degree, and rivals to Rider Haggard are met with daily.

The town of Buluwayo, the capital of Matabeland, is a maryel, when one considers all the necessary material, with the exception of bricks, for the erection of buildings, had to be hauled in ox wagons from Johannesburg, some 600 miles distant. The population is about 1800, drawn from all quarters of the globe.

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California is well represented by Charles Jefferson Clark, known in California mining circles, who occupies a very prominent position. He is consulting attorney for several large syndicates, drawing for his services a presidential salary.
The many other Californians are meeting with various degrees of success. At present many of them are turning their attention to Madagascar, and a number have already gone over there. Nothing has yet been heard from them, but should they find gold, the greater part of the American colony here will certainly move over.

the greater part of the American colony here will certainly move over.
The town has nothing in common
with a Western mining camp, and resembles more than anything else a
sleepy Kansas village.
Gambling is not allowed, the saloons
are compelled to close on Sunday, and
in fine, all those things dear to a
miner's heart, and in which he finds
pleasure and recreation, are illegal and
prohibited. Goodness, here, is a compulsory virtue. pulsory virtue. In a commerci cial way the town seems

to lack little. Some eighty stores stand ready to supply everything required to

strong deterrent to any extensive immigration.

To prospect on one's own account requires an actual cash capital of at least \$500, and now since almost all the old diggings have already been pegged, prospectors must turn their attention to virgin reefs, Taking it all in all. I can see little or nothing to warrant the ordinary individual setting his fact towards the goldfields of Matabeleland.—Buluwayo (Matabeleland) correspondence San Francisco Chronicle.

of uncertainty. When the bottom has been reached, and the ledge laid bare, the chances are ten to one that the reef will be a low grade ore, assaying orly a few pennyweights, or else suntirely out of the question.

That there are good-paying reefs here is beyond question. The thousands of ancient digrings offer the best of testimony to that effect, but there is untited labor expended for naught in resinking these old shafts. Another discouraging feature is that, even when a good-paying reef is struck, little can be realized from its sale, as the buyers who are representatives of the English syndicates, make purchases reluctantly, the supply of fairly good properties far exceeding the demand, and a few thousand dollars is an excellent price.

Holding and working a reef is almost beyond hope. The Carter Company claims and exacts an undivided one-Rome to Washington received the peer-less aureole, the prince's purple. After having been the representative of Rome in Washington, Mgr. Satolli will be on his return to the vatican the represen-tative of Washington in Rome. It is one of the grand characteristics of the munclo's office that it makes of a diplomatic or religious envoy the de-fensor at Rome itself of the higher in-trests of the nation to which he was once accredited. Mgr. Satolij deserves the crown of honor, after having wou the crown of honor, after having we the crown of thorns. "Satollism," which has been abused so long and so pas-sionately, is officially consecrated. Not sometry, is outcomed as a fugitive nor as beaten, but as a conqueror will he return by the Via-Fleminia and the triumphal Porta del Porolo, and it is but right.—Innom-

Fast Corn Husking

A few weeks ago the Daily Gazette contained an account of four corn huskers, employed by 'Squire John Brown of North Union township, who Brown of North Union township, who accomplished the seemingly miraculous task of husking 411 bushels of corn, and then hauling the corn to a boat a quarter of a mile distant. One man, by a wonderful effort, succeeded in stripping the ribbons from 127 bush-



"Surely you remember Mr. Twaddles, who preached the Gospel to your tribe "Oh, yes! I remember him very well. He was delicioua."

The Answer

"You ask."——
The stern parent grew sterner.
"The hand of my daughter."——
They stood in the hall and the door

"The y stood in the half and the door was open.
"In marriage?"
The fond lover grew pale, but he nod-ded a yes.
"Then"—
The fond lover shot out thorugh the docrway propelled by the foot of the stern parent and landed on the pavement with a sharp, healthy thud.
"Bed the answer in the starm"—

"Read the answer in the stars."-Pick-Me-Up. Defeated, But Not Dismayed.

Defeated, But Not Dismayed.

"Is there any hope?"

The sufferer's wife knew what her answer meant to them both, but she could not deceive him.

"None." She took his hand and gently stroked it. "The doctor says you haven't the least sign of appendicitis!"

Flinging aside the hot-house grapes with an anguished moan the aspirant for social recognition rushed down town and left his measure for a corduroy vest.—From Puck.

Not So Bad After All.

Pstsy Grogan was having his wounds dreased. He had lost the ends from each of the fingers of his right hand by accidental contact with a buss-saw. by acoldental contact with a buse-saw. He looked wan and weary, and it was a struggle to keep off the faintness. When the operation was finished the doctor asked him how he felt. "O'm all roight, Ol giss," said Patsy, in a small voice, while a weak little smile ran over his features. "Ot l'ink it will be a good t'ing, fer Ol'il never hov t' clane me finger nails agin."

Forgot His Part. Bacon—I see Barnstormer, the actor, came down to breakfast, this morning, with his hair not combed."

Egbert—Oh, its nothing new for him

An artism by are whethed wall beauty would indeed be a newesty. The common second core refers a present. The buildings, built effect the buildings, built effect the buildings, built effect the buildings where their natural color may have been, at the time of erection such soon sinks its individuality. In the great clouds of dust which daily envelopes the place, and becomes but an unnoticed part of the duil, gray, sombre scene. The real estate agent and about speculator has claimed even this distant land for his own. Land values are excessively high and a corner lot in buildings in the cantral of the town sind ready burchases at sides ratisfier from 1906 to 1800. That these figures can be realized speaks volumes for the faith residents here have in the tuture of a country wholly dependent upon the mines, and in this condition on a first the region will advance and in time develop into one of the world's great sold producting countries. I have in the region will advance and in time develop into one of the world's great sold producting countries. I have listed doubt, but it will not be so until the oppressive mining laws are greatly modified protection granted to capital outside of the Charter Company, and an until this condition of affairs is brought about, Matabeleland is hardly the place for a man who has muscle as his only eye the sold of the Charter Company, and the sold of the Charter Company and the sold of the Charter Company

take medicine, and who must of course, see what they are doing. There is absolutely no danger in its use, since the fluid is quite harmless, and the absence of the danger of fire alone has done much to make this little apparatus very popular.—New York Mail and Express.

### RELIGION OF THE ARMENIANS.

Armenians claim that their ances first century of our era. But their history points back to Gregory the Illuminator, a prince of the royal line of Armenian kings, as the founder o neir national church. He was born A. D. 257, and after many persecutions was consecrated in 302 as the head of

D. 257, and after many persecutions was consecrated in 302 as the head of the Armenian Church. His successors took the title of patriarch, later of catholicos, and are elected by the Bishops. The Bible was translated into Armenian about 431 A. D. The Armenian about 431 A. D. The Armenian about 431 A. D. The Armenian Church was part of the Greek Church till the year 491, when its catholicos solemnly annulled in full synod the decrees of the Council of Chelcedon. Since that time it has been a church by itself, which fact has done much to perpetuate the nationality, in spite of its people having been absorbed into other nations. In doctrine it differs but little from the Greek and Roman churches. It has a liturgy, of its own, which includes the Nicene creed and prayers of the fathers used in the Roman Catholic and Episcopal churches. It offers prayers for the dead, but does not believe in purgatory nor allow indulgences. It has several orders of clergy, Bishops, priests and deacons, besides minor officers. Priests must marry before they can be ordained, but not after. The priesthood is hereditary, the son assuming it on the death of his father. Baptism, which is by trine immersion, is administered to infants as well as adults, and the Lord's supper is administered to all baptized persons.

was found at the Sorbonne and car-ried to the Tuilleries. Jean Ziska, the celebrated chief of the Hussites, gave orders that after his death his skin celebrated chief of the Hussites, gave orders that after his death his skin should be tanned and made into a drum so that the noise made by the skin would freighten his enemies and put them to flight. It was, however, during the French revolution that this kind of tanning had its greatest development. A person one day presented himself at the bar of the convention and informed the assembly that he had discovered a simple and original method of obtaining leather in abundance. The committee of public salvation gave him the use of the chateau of Meudon, where he installed himself and worked very mysteriously. In exchange for this concession he gave to the members of the committee boots made of human skin. This Meudon tannery soon acquired considerable notoriety. A large number of volumes were bound with this leather and Philip Egality, duc d'Oleans, encouraged the industry by wearing at a Paris royal ball a pair of breeches made of human skin.

Human skin is tanned in the same manner as the hides of horses and cattle, and like them, can either be made tle, and like them, can either be made into parchment or leather. It has a

"SMOKING HORSES." trange Way in Which Some Indian

Obtain Their Mounts. A curious method of obtaining horses is practised by some of the indian tribes. It is called on the plains "smok-ing horses." If a tribe decides to send out a war party, the first thing to be thought of is whether there are enough thought of is whether there are enough-horses at hand to mount the warriors. If, as is often the case, the horses of the tribe have been stolen by other In-dians, they decide to "smoke" enough horres for the present needs and to steal a supply from their enemies at

steal a supply from their enemies at the first opportunity.

When this decision is reached, a runner is dispatched to the nearest friendly tribe with the message that on a certain day they will be visited by a number of young men, forming a war party from his tribe, who require horses. On the appointed day the warriors appear, stripped to the waist. They march silently to the village of their friends, seat themselves in a circle, light their pipes, and begin to smoke, at the same time making their wishes known in a sort of a droning chant. in which to work.

chant.

Presently there is seen, for on the plain, a band of horsemen riding gayly caparisoned steeds fully equipped for war. These horsemen dash up to the village and wheel about the band of bergars siting on the ground, in circles, which constantly grow smaller, well have they are as they as they are they are they are they as they cles, which constantly grow smaller, until, at last, they are as close as they

the heavy raw-hide whip, until blood is seen to trickle down. If of the smokers should flinch under blows he would not get his horse,

would be sent home on foot and in disgrace.

At last, when the horsemen think their friends have been made to pay enough in suffering for their ponies, such dismounts, places the bridal in the hand of the smoker he has selected and at the same time hands him the whip, saying:

"Here, beggar, is a pony for you to ride, for which I have left my mark."

After all the ponies have been presented the "beggars" are invited to a grand feast, during which they are treated with every consideration by their hosts, who also load them with food sufficient for their homeward journey. The braves depart with full st machs and smarting backs, but happy in the possession of their ponles, sy machs and smarting backs, but happy in the possession of their ponies and in anticipation of the time when their friends shall be in distress and shall come to smoke horses with them.

—Fhiladelphia Times.

### TRAINING A HAWK.

The Process Is Slow and Gradual—Knack and Practice Necessary.

A good deal of knack and practice is necessary in hooding, especially in the case of freshly caught hawks, and any increase the difficulty of training—while a falconer who is quick and neat at hooding is saved much time and trouble in bringing his charges into order. markets in the streets, especially on Saturday nights. Billinsgate even is the lure. This article, which has given a word to to the English-language of such a general and well-accepted use that gmany perhaps may not be aware of its original maning, is made roughly in the shape of a bird by tying pigeon or other wings together, and is used to feed the hawk from, so that, always associating to the sight of it with food, she will return to it from a distance or high in the air, when it is swung around the faiconer's head at the end of a long line or thrown up into the air. It is should be too heavy for the hawk to be able to carry.

Bells are fastened to the feet of hawks to show their whereabouts when perhaps out of sight. In the case of goshawks, however, the bell is fastened to the center feathers of the tail instead, as this hawk, when put in after an unsuccessful flight into a tree or bush, is in the habit of shaking its tail. Jesses are short leathern thongs fastened to the feet of hawks and control to the center feathers of the tail instead, as this hawk, when put in after an unsuccessful flight into a tree or bush, is in the habit of shaking its tail. Jesses are short leathern thongs fastened to the feet of hawks and control to the center feathers of the tail instead. The training is a very slow and the section of the center feathers of the tail instead in the feet of hawks and control to the center feathers of the tail instead in the feet of hawks and control to the feet of hawks and con

fastened to the feet of hawks and con-nected to the lash by mans of a swivel. The training is a very slow and gradual process, carried out step by step, great care being taken not to attempt too much and that the hawk be not discouraged by fallures which result in loss of ground. After being be degrees broken to the hood, and result in loss of ground. After being be degrees broken to the hood, and conserming to be handled and fed from the lure, she must b flown at first from a short distance, increased by degrees to the dead lure and after that to the live lure. This is generally a live pigeon. As soon as the hawk can take a good blue rock in a fair flight with a proper start she is fit to be enwith a proper start she is fit to be en tered at her proper quarry.—Good Words.

Customer (in restaurant)-I've for gotten what I wanted to order, and I had it right on the tip of my tongue. Waiter-What did you say about a tip, sir?-Philadelphia Record.

"It's my ambition to be a million-aire," said Fakely. "I've made the one and now I'm after the zeroes." "Well, go on in your own way," retorted Cynicus. "You'll make 'em."—Harper's Bazar.

"Have you seen that portrait of Miss Dawkins by Marulous Boran? It looks just like an old master." "Do you just like an old master." "Do you thtink so? I thought it looked more like an old maid."-Harlem Life, He-When you are asked to sing and

don't wish to, you always have such a convenient cold. Where do you get them? She—Oh, they're kept on draught all over town.-Harlem Life. Poeticus—Have you read Shakes-peare's "Love's Labor Lost?" Cynicus -No; but I've taken a girl to the theatre, and had her talk to the man next her all through the show.-New

"Doctor, I want a tooth pulled. I'm a great coward when it comes to en-during pain, and yet I'm afraid of

He (who has been trying to get rid of her maiden aunt for the last hour)

-Your aunt reminds me of the Defender. She-Defender, why? He-Because she is a single sticker.—Brook-lyn Life.

May—They tell me your engaement with Charley Gumpleigh is broken. How did it happen? Carrie—It is no great mystery. The fact is, he was too fresh to keep; that's all.—Boston Transcript.

"But you surely owe something to your felolw man," said the genial citizen to the person who sneers at holidays. "I know it," was the reply. "But I won't be able to tell just how much till the bills for my wife's Christmas shopping come in."—Washington Star.

Dealer—This violin, madam, is a Stradivarius. It is nearly 200 years old. Mrs. Newrich—You don't suppose I would take that? I can afford the latest style, let me tell you.—Philadel<sup>®</sup> phia Record.

"Remember that politeness always pays, my boy," said the benevolent old gentleman to the bootblack. "Mebbe," replied the practical boy, "but I'd rather have a nickel than a 'thank yo' for blacking shoes."—Pittsburg Chronicle—

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Golfers is the latest name applied to the impressionist school in art, be-cause they try to do their work with the fewest number of strokes. Norway was visited by 27,139 tour-lists last summer, 10,869 of them Britists last summer, 10,869 of them British and 1,876 American; 1,592 foreign

ers visited the North Cape.

An Albino 'possum, pure white in color with the exception of its ears, which were jet black, was caught near Tonganoxie, Kan., a few days ago.

New London, Conn., will celebrate
next May the 250th anniversary of the founding of the settlement, and pre-parations are already making for

oig time.
Oxford University has 3,358 under graduates this fall, an increase of 122 over last year. Christ Church has 280, New College 269, Keble 234, Balliol 224, and there are 241 non-collegiate stu-

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Australia.
Two Akka girls from Central Africa were brought to Europe some years ago by Dr. Stuhlmann to be civilized. They were sent back, and recently a German lady who came across them found that they had reverted to their savage state. She could attract them to her for a short time, only by bribing them though they remembered the to her for a short time, only by bribing them, though they remembered the things they had seen in Europe. Cardinal Bonaparte's death leaves only seven Cardinals of Pius IX's creation in the sacred college. Three are Cardinal Bishops, Monaco la Valletta, Oreglia di Santo Stefano, Parocchi; three Cardinal priests, Von Hohenlohe, Ledochowski and Di Cardinal deacon. Urban VIII. is the only Pope so far who survived all the men who elected him.

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The Duc d'Aumale has completed his "History of the Princes of Conde," the first volume of which was published this "History of the Princes of Conde," the first volume of which was published the property of the family diminishes them. He century, as the historical imp rtance of the family diminishes them. He thus avoids having to tell the tragical stories of the Duc d'Enghten and of the last Prince of the house, who was found hanging in his room.

Bad luck seems to attend the French 11,000-ton battle ship Brenn, st. At her first trials in the summe of 1894 ft was found that she was toj heavy, and 500 tons had to be taken fron her upper portion by taking out one of the fighting masts and reducing the thickness of part of the armor. She has just been tried again, making 18.2 knots with ninety-two revolutions of the screw, but the force of the water drove her deck in at the bows.

Bismarck's statue for the Rudelsberg representing him in student costume, is now ready. While the sculptor was modelling the figure receatly the Iron Chancellor said to him: "All artists have painted my portrait without the lower lip; that is wrong. My lower lip is very pronounced; not too much, for that would indicate obstimancy, and I was never obstinate when I found views that were better than my own. But a well-developed lower lip signifies constancy." When the model was fin-

views that were better than my own. But a well-developed lower lip signifies constancy." When the model was finished he marked the letters v. B. on the clay himself.

Russian Ambassadors are paid about twice as much as American. The Ambassadors to Berlin, Vienna, Constantinople, London and Paris receive 50,000 roubles or \$37,500; the Ambassador at Rome 40,000 roubles; those at Washington, Tokio, Madrid and Pekin, 39,000; at Teheran, 25,000; at Athens, Brussels, The Hague, Copenhagen, Mexico, Munish and Stockholm, 20,000. The Ministers at Bucharest, Belgrade, Rio de Janeiro, Lisbon and Stuttgart, get 18,000 roubles; the Envoy to the Vatican 12,000, those to Dresden and Cettinje 10,000, and to Welmar and Darmstadt, 8,000.

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The campaign in Chitral showed England that, in spite of its carrying power, the new Lee-Mitford magazine rifle was not effective in checking the conset of an attacking force, as the wounds inflicted by the projectiles in many cases did not disable the men even temporarily. The battalion sent to Ashantee, though trained to use the Lee-Mitford gun, has been equipped with the Martini-Henry rifle, which is now believed to be the better at short range, and will have to learn how to use it as though it were a new weapon. Another innovation is borrowed from the French Madagascar expedition. Inthe French Madagascar expedition. Instead of sending out one or more the regular battalions of the army, composite battalion has been formed made up of small detachments of vol-unteers or of drafted men from sev eral regiments. Another lesson has been learned from Madagascar, as no fewer than twenay-two doctors have accompanied the small force.



Many Australian women are burned to death through building a fire either in the backyard or in the paddock on a windy washing day. Remedy-trou-sers. No one has ever heard of a man coto being thus burned to death.—Syd-ney Bulletin.

An Additional Appellation Mrs. Woolberton (impatiently)—Get outen dis house, yo' good fo' nufflin', lazy nigger! Yo oughter be 'shamed ob yo'self, sittin' dar all de day long watchin' yo' po' wife make de libbin' fo' de fambly.

Mr. Woolberton (with a whine)—Yo' didn't uster talk to me dat way afo'. didn't uster talk to me dat way afo' we was dun married. Yo' uster call

me sugar den.

Mrs. Woolberton-Yes, an' I calls yo'
sugar now-loaf sugar. Dat's w'at yo'
is-loaf sugar!

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Have a good stock of genuine all-wool Yarn and Cloth will be prepared to sell the same at moderate prices, and will at all times be prepared to pay the highest market price for wool in cash or trade.

R. WALKER LYN Ap - 17 94

Editor Reporter. DEAR SIR, - Permit me through the columns of your paper to say a few words to my brother farmers re-pect-ing our bread and butter, which we

toil so hard to obtain.

I noticed an item in last week's Re-I noticed an item in last week's theporter in reference to a no-ement
being made throughout Eastern One
tario to dispose of our cheese in a more
profitable manner than it has been in
the past, by sending salesmen to the
old country, thereby getting nearer to
the consumer. Such steps, if properly
taken, will, I believe, shut out a numing of these overfield under worked per of these over-fed, under worked middle men that are devouring the fruits of our labor and giving us nothing in return, and it behooves

every farmer to encourage and assist the new movement.

In the parliamentary notes of last week Dr. Mantague has given notice of a bill respecting the making and a bill respecting the making and branding of cheese. Should the measure become law, cheese will be branded with a government stamp, branded with a government stamp, which I firmly believe is the first step that should be taken towards holding the good reputation of Canadian cheese the good reputation of Canada and getting the price according therefor. Dr. Montague should be encouraged by every farmer in the land, and I will endeavor to show you the reason why. Canadian cheese in the old country stands A. No. 1—the best in the market—where I saw it retail-ing at an average of 20 cts. per pound, the last man getting five cents. Cana-

dian and States cheese are all of the one shape, size and color, and without any mark to distinguish one from the other. Under the present mode of handling, when the prices are very low, as in the past season, let our factories hold their cheese, and what is the result? They cannot raise the market one iota, as orders for Canadian cheese can be filled with cheese from the United States. But, brand your cheese and that will put a bridle on cheese and that will put a bridle on such business. Then, if the price don't suit you, hold and the d-mand will worthies went to Ottawa to confer with the Government on the subject in behalf of the poor tarmer (?). There was also a strong protest from the British cheese men who attempted to show how much harder it would be on the Canadian farmer if the bill was HIS WIFE WAS A FEARFUL SUFFER this section, Mr. Thos. Eyre, who assed, but in reality it was only their own ax they wanted ground with the farmer at the crank. Even our Hon. Dairy Commissioner, Prof. Robertson, was accredited with opposing the passing of the bill, stating that there was such a strong prejudice against July cheese in Britain that it would be lifficult to dispose of it. But, gentlemen, what becomes of the July cheese? According to reports, the cheese mongers buy it from us at a July price and sell it over there for a September atticle, and of cours derive the benefit at our expense. Prof. Robertson also stated that it was the greatest compliment that could be paid to the Canadian cheese industry if, through a Canadian cheese industry if, through a Canadian cheese were sold for mistake. July cheese were sold for mistake. July cheese were sold for modern medicated that most marvellous of modern medicated that may be modern medicated that most marvellous of modern medicated that may be marked that a purpose that shall there.

The stated friends here last week.

Capt. Lloyd, S. A., has returned to capt. Loyd, S. A., "Barracks" will be built here.

We are absolutely disgusted with shall rebuke many people; and they shall be marked that a stated that a stated that a stated that a shall rebuke many people; and they shall be marked that a shall rebuke many people; and they shall be marke According to reports, the cheese mon-gers buy it from us at a July price and September and not detected. But I that most marvenous of motern flour notice in the Brockville Times of January 17, that at the Eastern Ontario Dairyman's convention at Campbellford last week, Prof. Robertson plied that emphatically he had not if January 17, that at the Eastern On-tario Dairyman's convention at Camprow, brother farmers, is the time to aid and assist Dr. Montague by standing shoulder to shoulder and putting on /a determined front in defence of our lights, and not allow ourselves to be

oodwinked any longer.

Any factory desiring to take a hand the new movement should pl themselves in correspondence with Mr. Herbert Horton of Sand Bay. E. C. BULFORD.

Athens, Jan. 28, 1896. PRIEST AND PARISHIONER.

Miss Maggie Melody, of Hamilton, Used Dr. Agnew's Celebrated Catarrhal Powder, on Recommendation of Rev. Father Hinchey, and Found it a Grand Remedy for Influenza.

Having himself been benefited by the use of Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder, Rev. Father Hinchey, of St. Joseph's Church, Hamilton, Ont., followed the counsel of the good book and carried the good news to others. One of his parishioners, Miss Maggie Melody, had been a sufferer from in-Father Hinchey knew how much good this remedy had done in case of cold in the head with himself, and recommended it to Miss Melody

position as salesman for the Wrought Iron Range Coy. "Billie" is a good talker and should succeed in his new

suffering is borne by those who are troubled with Kidney disease. The suffering is borne by those who are troubled with Kidney disease. The distress at times is keen. But in South American Kidney Cure, medicine that is a specific and nothing more though nothing less, a sure, safe, and speedy remedy is to be found. Relief is sure in less than six hours. Sold by J.P. Lamb.

around every box.

An exchange truthfully remarks that an editor may write a thousand columns that please his readers and columns that please his readers and they never open their lips to praise, but let one little word slip in which displeases and they are on his neck in an instant,

dent of the Rear of Leeds & Lansdowne Agl. Society, always taking a hearty interest in the welfare of agriculture. For a number of years he was a member of the municipal council, always beling the largest vote.

We understand that he was insured for \$1000 each in the O. M. B. A. & C. O. C. F.



### St. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, TOLEDO

The Fifth Anniversary of This Church Held on Monday Evening, 27th inst.—A Large Crowd, Good Entertainment, and an Enjoyable Time.

The formation of St. Andrew's tasteful manner. By throwing open Presbyterian church, Toledo, dates the folding doors between the audi Preabyterian church, Toledo, dates back nearly half a century, and it is therefore one of the oldest church organizations in the County. In the year 1844 therefore one connection with the Church of Scotland, and Jas. Edgar, John Hunter and James Bell were the first trustees and elders. Since that time the congregation has grown steadily and to-day its membership is one of the largest in the district. The spiritual needs of the congregation were ministere. To by the Rev's Anderson, McLean, White, Evans, and Porteous, in succession. Until the year 1891 the congregation met in the well, (Methodist) of Frankville. On Monday evening a literary entertainderson, McLean, White, Evans, and Porteous, in succession. Until the year 1891 the congregation met in the little rough cast building first erected. This becoming too small and behind the age in church edifices, the Rev. David Fleming, then pastor, prevailed on the congregation to undertake the long the pastor. The provided on the congregation to the congregation cheese and that will put a bridle on such business. Then, if the price don't suit you, hold and the d-mand will seek the supply at the factory door at a fair living price, as it did years ago, before the cheese business became so corrupt. No doubt there will be a strong protest against this bill by the middlemen, as was the case last spring when a number of our over-fed worthies went to Ottawa to confer

A Light Keeper's Story.

ER FROM RHEUMATISM.

Mr. Hugh Moraron, and to his on Wednesday at 1 p.m. known men in this section, and to his on Wednesday at 1 p.m. yigilance in the first performance of his duties is due the safty of the many his duties is due the safty of the St. SATURDAY, Jan. 25.—Mrs. Jonah Whipple of Spiritwood, North Dakota, visited friends here last week.



ed rheumatism, and for a con time was a helpless invalid. Her joints were swollen and distorted; her nights were sleepless and her appetite poor and very fickle. During those years she experienced excruciating tortures, the pain never ceasing day or night. She had the benefit of skilled medical advice but the treatment af forded no relief, and we began to fear that her trouble had gone beyond hu that her trouble had gone beyond hu-man aid. On a number of occasions I had read in the papers of cases of rheumatism being cured by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and this at last determined us to give them a trial. for her case, who, over her own signature, has written: "I have used She had used some three boxes before Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder for influenza and found it a grand remedy
In fact it gave me relief almost at once
I can with pleasure highly recommend
it to all who are suffering four this

fail, and that they deserve to rank as the greatest discovery of modern medical science. The public should always be CONTINUOUS SUFFEEING UNNEGESSAET.

One or Two Doses of South American
Etidney Cure will Give Eeller in the
Most Distressing Cases of Etidney
Trouble.

It is a fallacy to argue one's self into
the belief that suffering when it comes
upon us must be patiently endured.

Usually suffering can be removed, if
one knows the means and way. Much
suffering is borne by those who are
selfered to the deceased and described
his walk through life as that of one
who realized his christian privileges
and responsibility and lived in accordance therewith.

Pills and the genuine always have the
full trade mark, Dr. Williams' Pink
Pills for Pale People' on the wrapper
suffering is borne by those who are
around every box.

CHANTRY.

Monday, Jan. 20.—Death has again visited this neighborhood, and thi passed away this afternoon, at the age of ninety-three. The old gentleman has been confined to his bed since Her Joints Were Swollen and Distorted.

Her Nights Almost Sleepless and Her Appetite Gene-Suffered for Several Years Sefore Relief was Found.

Mr. Hugh Mclaren, light house keeper on Wolfe Island, is one of the best known men in this section, and to his vigilance in the first performance of the many.

Mr. Almost Sleepless and Her for his views on Wednesday at 1 p.m.

SATURDAY, Jan. 25.—Mrs. Jonah Whitesle of Surrivand. North Dakota,

SEELEY'S BAY

SATURDAY, Jan, 25 .- The dancing Hast week, Froi. Robertson and the claimed that in one case

He claimed that in one case any other sufferer. He said: "A Friday evening in the Select Knights" cheese. He claimed that in one case any other sufferer. He said: "A Friday evening in the Select Knights' alone the inspector of cheese at Montreel had saved one firm \$800. But

Mrs. A. Neddo is very ill and small opes are entertained of her recovery Mr. S. E. Gorsline was the recipien of a very handsome present from his better half last Wednesday morning. It was a little daughter.

last Thursday. Mr. Joel Spicer is bead sawyer.

Jackson Bros. are doing a fair busiess with their provender mill. Friday's sleet and snow storm will

make excellent sleighing.

The committee engaged on the Select Knights' concert, which will take place on Feb. 5th, in the Select Knights' hall, are sparing no pains to Knights' hall, are sparing no pains to the select Knights' hall, are sparing no pains to the select Knights' hall, are sparing no pains to make the select with joy, and counted it pleasure to waste and destroy. ake excellent sleighing.

part.
Miss B. Roadhouse is visiting

LYNDHURST, Jan. 25th, 1896.

A gloom was cast over our whole community when on Wednesday last the news was quickly passed from mouth to mouth that one of our old and most respected residents, Mr. In fact it gave me relief almost at once I can with pleasure highly recommend it to all who are suffering from this malady."

One short puff of the breath through the Blower, supplied with each bottle of Dr. Agnew's Catarrhirl Powder, diffuses this Powder over the surface of the nasal passages. Painless and delightful to use, it relievs in ten minutes and permanently cures catarrh, lay fever, colds, headache, sore throat, tonsilitis and deafness. 60c. Sold by J. P. Lamb.

W.G. Ferguson, who has been engyred in various journalistic enterprises of late, the latest being the department of the dilly Partizan has accepted a position as salesman for the Wrought Iron Range Coy. "Billie" is a good laker and should succeed in his new

benefit some other sufferer."

Mr. McLaren's strong testimony proves the claim that Dr. Williams'
Pink Pills cure when other medicines

read by the clergyman and the Lyndhurst Citizens' B. B., where the beautiful service of the Church was read by the rector, the Rev. W. Moore, and the rector of the Rev. W. Moore, and the Rev. W.

party. He was several times President of the Rear of Leeds & Lansdowne

THAT AWFUL WRINKLE.

HARD ISLAND. NDAY, Jan. 27.—The sne

was very acceptable to our farmers, and now the silent dells of the forest are again awakened by the cheerful, ringing sound of the woodman's are. The boarse baying of hounds, as they follow up the fox trails, often continues until darkness sets in.

While dark and darker grows the war-cloud which now hangs low with its threatening, gloomy aspect over the nations, the mure brightly gloome the precious principles of peace, so long promulgated by the Society of Friends, a few of whom we have with us, who despite the keenness of the midsummer sun, endeavor faithfully to assemble as oft as returns the welcome Sabbath morn for the purpose of divine worship and establishment of the principles of peace which they deem inseparably joined together, believing, as they do, that war results from and encourages the evil passions of the human mind; that it conflicts with and is a violation of the principles, precepts, and injunctions of the gospel, which breathes peace on earth and good will towards men; and that it is entirely incompatible with the commands of our holy Redeemer, "I say unto you that ye resist not evil." "Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that thate you, and pray for them of a zekuma sha zelectione Sabbath morn for the giprose of drivin wornhip and establishment of the principles of peace which they deem a inseparably joined together, believing, as they do, that war results from and encourage the evil passions of the human mind; that it conflicts with and is a violation of the principles, precepts, and in justice of the principles of the princip

will carry on and perfect his blessed cause of peace and righteousness in the earth, according as the Prophet Isaiah, in the openings of heavenly light, fore-

saw the coming and government of the Prince of Peace and emphatically des-cribes its peaceable effects in these words: "The wolf also shall dwell with the lamb and the leopard shall lie down with the kid; and the calf and the young lion and the fatling together; and a little child shall lead them. They shall not hurt nor destroy in sll

against nation, neither shall the against nation, neither shall they learn war any more." Correspondent with these predictions, the birth of the Messiah was announced by the heaven-ly anthem, "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace and good will towards men.'

"The spirit of war—ob, I shrink at the name' Though sounded with pride through the trum' pet of fame;
Though ages have watched with delight its career,
I view the destroyer with horror and fear. "How much has been said of the splendor of

arms—
The triumphs that filled the whole world with alarms:

"Speak not of the heathen, ferocious and blind Who pour on their altars the blood of thei kind; ot of the watches 'neath Juggernau

"Remember-the victims thy hand hath laid low, wever proud man thou may'st boast of it now, Though their bodies decay 'neath the main or the clod, meet them again in the presen

"Oh then will thy laurels unfading remain, And thy honor appear without blemish or stain? When the blood thou hast shed is required at thy hand, Oh, say, caust thou silence that fearful de-mant?

Pause awhile, and reflect, unless defined deed or madmen—ye will not, ye cannot proceed."

Death Seemed Preferable to the Agen



Workwoman-I'm sorry fer you! but boss ain't here, an' men ain't allowed in the wife?-Truth.

Girls Value Purity in M-n.

A young man writes to Edward W.
Bok, inquiring why so many girls seem to prefer the company of young fellows of slightly blotted character—men who have seen the world—and in many cases marry them, in face of the fact that their past lives are known to them. In the January issue of the Ladies' Home Journal Mr. Bok, its editor, makes this reply: "Girls, that is, the right kind of girls, do not prefer the company of young men of this sort. Doubtless, you have come across instances where this rule has been otherwise; so have I. But it is all in the seeming, and not in the reality. Depend upon one thing; girls have as high an estimate of purity in man as men have of purity in woman. There are, of course, cases to the contrary. but these are few. Where girls marry men who are known to have led what is called a 'worldly life' it is more generally due to a misunderstanding of facts or to ignorance than people imagine. There is a type of girl who finds a peculiar satisfaction in the conquest of a man who has 'seen the world,' and then comes to her as the one groman of all her sex who can make him happy. This sometimes pleases her vanity and love of conquest, but has is not many years older before she discovers that she has satisfied those feelings a a very high cost. There is a month of girl who rather fancies a man who is what is called 'fast.' But that sort of girl who rather fancies a man who is that is called 'fast.' But that sort of girl who rather fancies a man who is the thing to change the adjective to very apt to change the adjective to very apt to change the adjective to very apt to change the adjective to remiser.' And as she matures she finds Girls Value Purity in Men.

meant by that word as applied to a man. If she were not she would be very apt to change the adjective to 'vulgar.' And as she matures she finds this out. It is only young men of upright lives who can hope to win the favor and love of girls with the favor of girls with the girls with the favor of girls wit

What Man Most Needs. "What is man's greatest need?" asked Principal David E. Gaddis of Grammar School No. 54, of several aundred hove and girls, ranging from

hundred boys and girls, ranging from seven to twelve years, a few days since.

Up went many little hands in all parts of the room, but to a little girl in one of the front rows of seats, who seemed particularly eager to answer, Principal Gaddis said: "Well, little girl, what do you think is man's great-set need?"

"Soap and water," was 'the proud and confident reply. Even Principal Gaddis could not re-frain from indulging in a hearty laugh, which spread all over the school room, so contagious was it. Not a Popular Man

THE POLAR NIGHT.

Appreciate Its Terrors.

Constantin Nossiloff, reporting his scientific researches in Nova Zembia, furnishes an interesting description of his sensations and experiences during the long arctic night; which began in November and ended January 20. September was pretty comfortable he says. Then suddenly snow covered the mountains. The Samoyedes, his only companions, put on their winter clothing, the fishing boats set sall for Archangel, the ground froze, the sun lost its warmth and heavy snows fell. Winter had come in earnest. On the day when the sun showed itself for the last time all hands went out of doors to old it farewell. It remained in sight for half an hour only. For a few days longer there was a morning twilight. Constantin Nossiloff, reporting his half an hour only. For a few days longer there was a morning twilight, Then this faded and gave place to black night. The stars shone the whole 24 hours. The huts of the colony were buried under the snow, of which thick whirlwinds filled the air. The wind shook the huts to their foundations. Sometimes for days together the inmetes of different huts could hold no communication with each other, though the huts were side by side. If any one went out he was seized by the wind, and had to be dragged back by means of ropes.

of ropes.

In this darkness and desolation the aurora borealis did much to entertain and cheer them. It lasted sometimes for five days in succession, with splan-

hole in the move, sheltered from the wind.

"I have neves each anything more terrible than a temper during a pole night," mays Mr. Nouslioff. "Mish feels himself overwhelmed in immensity." When there came a lull in the storm the men wentured out to breathe the air and purge their lungs of the exhalations of the smoking lamps sed with seal oil.

Twitisht appeared again in the middle of January, and on the inch the mur rose above the horizon, while the members of the little colony stood in sine facing, it and fired a malue. No one had died or been seriously ill, but all had the look of corpses and were as feeble as convalescents after a long sickness. Health returned with the appearance of the sun.—La Tour du Monde:

between the representatives of China and Japan at the Bank of England, by way of paying the piper at the late war, must be curiosities in their way. As valuable slips of paper, they beat the best the bank used to be able to show as completely as the Japs beat the Chinese. In the gloomy vaults of the great building of Threadneedie street it is the practice to stow away all drafts cashed at the counters above for five years, when they are taken off to a furnace and burned. But they used to have, and, for aught we know, they have now, one of these precious alips reserved from the general quinquennial destruction and framed and glazed upon the wall. It is, or it was, an old banknote representing a million of money. Of course it was not printed for everyday use. A special plate had been engraved, and a few impressions struck off in order to facilitate some financial operation of the chancellor of the exchequer of the day, and this single impression had been reserved as a curiosity. By comparison with the slips of paper with a facial value of from five to eight millions that are said to have been handed round for the payments on account of Japan's little bill, this old framed and glazed note for a mere million cuts rather a puny figure.—London Daily News.

Split a Rock.

split asunder as by the hammer of Thor—the noble tree was scarcely dis-terted by the struggle, protected from destructive storms by its conquered enemy.—Boston Transcript.

A Memorable Occasion The Shah of Persia—Let's see, whe Chief Secretary (reproachfully)—I shouldn't think you would forget that,

The Shah—Why not?
Secretary—It was at that time your
Majesty was forced to take a bath.—

Waiter—What will you have, sir, rabbit stew or squirrel ple? Guest—I'm not fond of game. Bring me domestic sausages. I like to know what I'm eating.

INTERESTED IN EGGS.

The Fact That They Were Scarce Gave

The man with the fur-lined coat topped before the principal grocery n an interior town and casually in-united:

lined coat.

"Small supply," answered the grocer.
"The hens seem to be taking things easy in this vicinity just now."

The man with the fur-lined coat nodded his head, as if he approved of the action of the hens and then asked:

"Any bad ones?" exclaimed the grocer.
"Yes. Any of the ancient, odorous variety that we sell know so well."

"Not much I don't," interjected Willedown."
"Ah, perhaps you'd like to be an autocrat, like the Czar of Russia," suggested the caller.
"Not "returned Willie emphatically."

variety that we all know so well."
"No, sir! not in this shop," returned the grocer emphatically.
"Sure?"
"Sure! Of course I'm sure."

"Do you suppose there are any in own?" asked the man with the furtown?" asked the man with the furlined coat anxiously.
"No, sir. We pride ourselves on our
fresh eggs up in this neck of the
woods, and it wouldn't be safe for any
one to keep bad ones."
"I'm glad to hear it." said the man
with the fur-lined coat, with evident
relief, as he continued his stroll down
the street.
The grocer looked after him for a
minute and then a great light suddenly
came upon him.
"Say" he yelled.
"Well?" came back the answer.
"Did you mean eating eggs or theatre
eggs?"

"Did you mean eating eggs or theatre eggs?"

"Theatre eggs!" exclaimed the man with the fur-lined coat, stopping short in his walk.

"Yes. The farmers never bring in their theatre eggs until this afternoon before the show. I was thinking of eating eggs all the time, but ff it's theatre eggs you want there'll be eight or ten crates of them on sale in about an hour."

Then he went back in his store and

an hour."

Then he went back in his store and told his assistant that any jay actor who tried to pump him was bound to get the wrost of it every time.—Chicago Evening Post.

THE NEWS AT A GLANCE

Doings of the Wide World Tersely Told.

THE HAPPENINGS OF A WEEK

Newspaper in Two Colunens for Rusy

The Dominion notes outstanding in December were \$22,413,463, a reduction during the month of \$464,887. The bar of London entertained Chief Justice Meredith at a banquet in hon-or of his elevation to the bench.

Justice Meredith at a banquet in honor of his elevation to the bench.
The official return of theyote in West
Huror gives Mr. M. C. Cameron a
majority of one hundred and ninety.
The deposits in the Dominion Government savings banks during December were \$272,008, and withdrawals
\$258,600.
Mr. E. F. Farquhar of Toronto, has
received the contract for the completion of the Ottawa and Parry Sound
Railway.
Mr. Butus Stevenson and of Mr.

Mr. Rufus Stevenson, son of Mr. James Stevenson, M.P., has been appointed Collector of Customs at Peterborough. The salary is \$1200. borough. The salary is \$1200.

Mr. John Bryson, M.P., of Pontiac, died on Sunday morning at his residence, Fort Coulonge. The deceased was forty-seven years of age.

John Seaton, of Strathroy, Ont., is in the county pail under the charge of conspiring to set fire to his own property. Seaton is 75 years of age, and totally blind.

and totally blind.

Mr. McNeill has given notice of a resolution in Parliament expressing the loyalty of Canada to Great Britain and the willingness of the people to stand by the empire in any storm that

may arise.

Joseph Freeman of St. Thomas, died at Melbourne, where he was viaking, aged 67. He had resided in the vicinity of St. Thomas for fifty-seven years, and was one of the first Orangemen in the district.

The Rev. Dr. Wm. Reid. cierk of the General Assembly and financial agent of the Presbyterian Church in Canada (western section), died at his residence in Toronto. The deceased was in his 80th year.

Mr. Keefer, one of the Canadian Deep Waterways Commission, says the Americans would never concept to have New York side-tracked by constructive the waterways of the structure of the structure.

triough Canadian territory.

Mr. J. C. Humphries, one of the oldest residents of Asphodel, Ont., stumbled down stairs in his son's house on Saturday and received injuries which in a short time proved fatal. The deceased was aged seventy-seven. A writ has been issued for an elec-tion in Northumberland, N.B., to fill the vacancy caused by the calling of Mr. Miobael Adams to the Senate. No-mination takes place on January 28th and polling on February 4th. At the annual meeting of the Halton Reform Association at Milton on Sat-urday it was decided to call a con-vention on Wednesday, February 12th, for the purpose of nominating a candi-date for the House of Commons. wate for the House of Commons.

William Patterson of Buffalo, who recently hired Elenora Benner, a young domestic from Canada as an artist's model, and took such advantage of her as caused her to bring an action for criminal assault, settled the case by marrying the girl.

The Rev. E. J. Fessandar

criminal assault, settled the case by marrying the girl.

The Rev. E. J. Fessenden, rector of the Anglican church at Ancaster, Ont., died very suddenly on Saturday morning. Paralysis was the cause of death, He was a strong supporter of parochlaj schools, believing that there should be increased religious education.

As Thomag Cowan, of Paris, Ont., was cutting wood on Friday night, his six-year-old son slipped and fell under the descending axe, which struck him on the head, making a deep wound, cutting through the skull and injuring the membrane of the brain. The lad may possibly, recover.

At the opening of the United States House of Representatives Mr. Couden, the blind chaplain, prayed fervently for struggling Cuba, and the success of her battle for independence. The sentiments he expressed were greeted with a round of applause.

In the United States House of Representatives Mr. Grow (Rep. Pa.) drew attention to the pamphlet issued by the New York Chamber of Compresentatives Mr. Grow (Rep., 174.), drew attention to the pamphlet issued by the New York Chamber of Commerce, pointing out the fact that while Great Britain promptly paid the Alabama award, the United States has not yet settled the Behring Sea claim.

The Wide World Over.

The great ship strike of the Belfast and Clyde men continues.

The Swedish Rikedag was opened on y by King Os He Wanted to Know.



Johnny-Did they hurt you much at the lodge Saturdsy night, papa? Papa-No, Johnny; why do you ask? Johnny-Cause I heard Mr. Johnson say you were about half shot.-Truth.

He Wanted Power. "I suppose you expect to be president ome day. Willie?" said the caller pleas some day, Willier said the value yearnaly.

"Not much!" replied Willie, promptly.

"What?" exclaimed the visitor in astronishment. "Think what a great man the president is, and how great his

autocrat, like the Czar of Russia," sug-gested the caller.
"Nix," returned Willie emphatically "He has heard about the trouble that the Czar has in keeping out of the way of bombs," said his mother. "Well, there are always some draw. backs to positions of great power, Wil lie," explained the caller pleasantly. Willie shook his head. "When it comes to bein' a big man," he said, "an' havin' people knuckle down to you an' all that, I'd ruther be janiter of this flat building than be Czar of ten Russias."
"I told you that Willie liked abso lute power," said his mother quietly.-Chicago Evening Post.

The Obliging Man Young Wife-Mother says she wants me to be cremated.
Young Husband—Tell her if she'll get on her things I'll take her there this morning.

Fine Taste in Twinklers.
" she exclaimed, as they stood e balcony, "don't you love the on the balcony, "don't you love the stars, Edgar?"
"Yes," said Edgar, absent-mindedly, "but the soubrettes are very nice, soo."

Binkerton-Oil and water will not Pilgarlic-Oh, Pshaw! The directors of the Standard Oll Company know better than that .- Truth.

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—JOHN CAWLEY, Athens, Ont.

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boy: "Dr. H. O. Batss and Dr. Laura
Cowgill Bates, of 278 Marshfeld avtenue, Chicago, celebrated the twentyfifth anniversary of their marriage fifth anniversary of their marriage yesterday. Many of their old friends were present, and the occasion was an enjoyable one." The Reporter con-gratulates.

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The well known contractor and builder, N. W. Holbrook, who is now at Schenectady, N.Y., writes the Reporter, when renewing his subscription, that he will be on deck at Athens as soon as building operations commence in the spring.

Owing to the storm on Friday evening, it was impossible to play the bookey match arranged between a couple of weeks ago, waereby from \$25,000 to \$30,000 went up in smoke, should be taken as a warning by the people of Athens, and spur them up to provide for a water supply that will give the town a better feeling of security than at present. The town as invested nearly \$50 in a fire engine, hose, hooks, &c., but, with the exception of two tanks put down by private enterprise, there is no visible water supply to make the engine available in case of fire. The fire that destroyed Hickey's blacksmith shop and Slack's bakery last fall clearly demonstrated the fact that if there had been a good supply of water within reach, the bakery at least might have been saved. Our village council should at once take steps to have a supply of cedar for tank covering got

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of \$600 in two and expend one half appropriation for streets and sidewalks of \$600 in two and expend one half next year in putting down tanks.
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The chief of the fire department has repeatedly urged both publicly and privately the necessity of this being done, but so far the only persons who have paid any attention to his requests are I. C. Alguire, who put spout in his well at rear of meat market; one at the Armstrong well in front of hotel; and one in B. Loverin's present but the bidding was slow. The Armstrong House was struck off to Nathan D. McVeigh, liveryman, for Nathan D. McVeigh, liveryman, for the sum of \$3,650, and Cedar Park Hotel, at Charleston lake, brought \$2, lation of ten years ago. At the end of his letter Mr. Taylor challenges Mr. Bain M.P., to discuss the question at Delta before a committee and suggests Bain M.P., to discuss the question at Delta before a committee and suggests for Leeds, has a hen which he brought twenty inches above the covering, with

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A tothel sat of the men's meetings in connection with the Hunter and Crosley as services in the Tabernacle, Guelph, both of the evangelists spoke—the former upon temperance and the latter upon social purity. Mr. Hunter is reported in the "Mercury" as saying his text was not in the Bible nor in the almanac, but it was to be found in some of their cellars, it was XXX.

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ONE PRICE BARGAIN CASH SHOE HOUSE KING ST., BROCKVILLE

We have several thousand dollars too much Stock and must sell it before the 1st of March to make room for Spring Shoes. We don't keep goods until they get out of date, and this is the way we take to clear them out. Women's Croquet Rubbers for ......\$ .25
Worth 40 cents. Men's Fine Lace and Congress Boots reduced to . . . . . 1.50 Begular prices 2.00, 2.50, and \$3.00

Space will not permit us giving prices for any more lines.

## D.W. DOWNEY

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Farmers who got left through neglecting to roll the ground at seed time last spring, should read the advertisement of the Lyn Agricultural Works, to be found in another column.

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There is likely to be a considerable rise in grain prices at Winnipeg, 41 cents being offered for No. 1 hard, and where there has been a run on the market, as high as 47 cents has been derived the changed hands yesterday on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange at prices of 59 1-2 to 86 cents.

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The Queen of the Belgians is serious

For Sale or To Let A good dwelling on Church street, nincopins, with summer kitchen and wood-shed good cellar, barn, and good orchard. Terms easy, Apply to Mrs. WM. McLEAN, or the A. JAMES, Insurance Agent, Athens.

Notice. The undersigned having bought out the interest of Jas. Leeder in the Boot and Shoe shop carried on by them in the Dowsley Block, Athens, will continue the business as formerly, under his own name and measures.

Found On the 21st of Jan., a medium sized, black and white Hound. Owner can have same by paying expenses. Athens, Ján, 25th, 1898.

Notice to Creditors.

In the matter of the Estate of Thomas Joseph Rodgers, deceased.

Pursuant to R.S.O. chapter 110 and amending Acts, notice is hereby given that all creditors having claims against the Estate of Thomas Joseph Company of the Company o



THE AMERICAN

Parties keeping stock for Milk or Butter should use this Feed, as it increases the flow of milk, makes with all butter coloring.

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Is free from injurious coloring. The more you use of it the better you like it.

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NOTICE Any person wanting board or rooms can obtain same by applying to Mrs. Cook, opposite

House For Sale. The subscriber, having decided to remove from Athens, offers for sale his two-storey frame house with 3-5 acre of land attached, near the B. & W. station. The house has mansard roof, this covered, is well finished. There is a small barn and a good well on the premises. Terms to suit purchasers.

CHAS. F. KERR.

Athens, Dec. 23rd, 1895.

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The farm known as the Armstrong farm, just below the Village of Athens, being a part of the rear part of iot 13 in the 8th con. of Yonge, bounded on the north by the incorporated Village of Athens, containing forty acres more or less. There is a good frame barn on the property. This farm is well watered—the very best of land for hay, grain and pasture.

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prospering under the able management of Mr. Herb Sharman, this being his take a course as trained nurse. S. Y. Bullis has a large gang of men and teams hauling wood and logs from

> village. The first good sleighing of the season drew out a large number of the citizens who had or could procure rigs on Sunday last.

Gordon A. McClary left last week for a three months's trip in the Otta-wa district in the interests of J. P. Lamb & Son's proprietary medicines. -At the next meeting of the village council a petition praying for the enactment of a by-law compelling owners of village lots to keep the snow cleared from the sidewalks will be presented.

Rev. T. C. Brown, a former well known pastor of the Methodist church, business h.z been very dull in this section, but the heavy fall of the beaumon in the Methodist church on Sunday, Feb. 9th, and lecture on the fol-lowing Monday evening.

X The movement to establish a library for the benefit of the inmates of the Industrial Home is being actively put into shape by some of our charitably disposed citizens. The idea is a good one and we trust gentlemen having the matter in charge may be as successful as they wish to be.

Byron W. Loverin of Greenbush planted \$2 worth of Mammoth Early Flint corn, purchased from C. Stowell of Addison, last spring. He harvested over 50 bushels of shelled corn, besides having an immense crop of stalks for silo purposes. He will take orders for seed from this variety to be delivered during the month of march, while the

Cordingly as each case was called a couple of witnesses would be sworn at ways. Is there another municipality in the district that can make a like showing to the portions of the village that have equally good claims to be considered, but as these portions are mostly composed of isolated dwellings and principally new, the danger of a general conflagration would be greatly lessened by good protection in the localities of the village that have equally good claims to be considered, but as these portions are mostly composed of isolated dwellings and principally new, the danger of a general conflagration would be greatly lessened by good protection in the localities.

Our wood yard is now ready for the perpletion of our yearly supply. Those who purpose bringing in wood on actions account should do so at once.

On account of funds accumulating fickly, will lend money on real estate the very lowest rate—\$12,000 on dad now. Mortgages also purebased.

—JOHN CAMEY, Athens, Ont.

Several new and second-hand cutters of latest styles for sale at a bargain, or will exclision, for hard maple cord or will exclision, for hard maple cord or will exclision, for his growe wood. Apply to WILLIAMD ASSIETINE, Win. Laying's old Athens.

CASH—\$8000.00 worth of crockery chima and plassware at Bankrupt prices Sale continues for a short time only—T. W. Dennis, Tas Store and Chima Hall, Brockville, Ont., nearly opposite the Revere house.

The Opularity Editor.

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Mr. A Patterson of the firm of Lewis

Mr. W. Kerfoot and Miss Ida Kerfoot of Smith's Falls spent Sunday in Athens, guests of Mr. and Mrs. S.

The tenders for the stock and book debts of Mott & Robison were opened on Wednesday last, Mr. R. J. Seymour getting the stock and Weldon Mott of Lyn the book debts.

the sacrament and love feast following the morning service, which will com-mence at 10 o'clock. the Official nence at 10 o'clock, the Official Board will meet on the following Monday evening

that he will be on deck at Athens as soon as building operations commence

In the afternoon the Brockville team put in an appearance, but by night it was apparent to all that play would be part of the council to cut the annual

Parties having thoroughbred stock for sale should advertise in the Reporter, as we have the largest variety of stock cuts in the county and if we have none to suit the description of the animal can make one at short notice. Parties having thoroughbred stock none to suit the description of the animal can make one at short notice. Nothing adds more to the attractive-ness of an adv't than a good descriptive cut at the head. See the stock ads in

—On Saturday last we noticed in the village Mr. Charles Murphy who lately suffered severely from several hemor-hages caused by the extraction of one of his teeth. Charlie looks pretty well bleached out from loss of blood. How-ever he thinks he has the plug in for good this time, and he may reasonably hope to be as well as ever in a short

that the host had to take it in town and the properties in Athens and Charleston, be methodist church on Friday, 24th. Hope the host had one. The funeral was held in the Methodist church on Friday, 24th. Rev. Mr. Poyser delivered an able discourse from Job, 3rd chaper, 17th verse. The remains were taken to the vault to await interment.

A most beautiful snow-storm struck this place on the 24th. Hope it will stay a few days.

On Wednesday evening, 22nd inst., Mr. Harris McDougall and Miss Victoria Corr were united in the holy bonds of matrimony, Mr. Henry

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Money to loan by H. Rowsom, Elgin st Athens, Ont.

Miss N. Wiltse of Brockville is in Athens this week the guest of Mrs. R. S. Clow.

—Mr. N.C. Williams, of Gouverneur, N. Y., has been visiting Athens during the past week.

—It is said that a new livery business is to be established in Athens in the near future.

The Chicago Times Herald of Jan. 19th contained the following para graph, concerning a former well and favorably known Leeds County. Oby: "Dr. H. O. Bates and Dr. Laura Cowgill Bates, of 278 Marshfield avenue, Chicago, celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their did friends were present, and the occasion was an enjoyable one." The Reporter congratulates.

—Property owners in this village should remember that as yet there are only two water tanks built for protection against fire. Last week a large portion of the town of Newcastle was burned, and though Athens has been for many years exceptionally fortunate in avoiding losses by fire, its people should consider that in winter time extra fires debts of Mott & Robison were opened on Wednesday last, Mr. R. J. Seymour getting the stock and Weldon Mott of Lyn the book debts.

Quarterly services will be held in the Methodist church on Sabbath next, the sacrament and love feeth following.

Fire Protection.

The disastrous fire at West Win-chester a couple of weeks ago, whereby from \$25,000 to \$30,000 went up in smoke, should be taken as a warning License Inspector, was in Athens viewing the crowd of bidders assembled at the auction sale at the Armstrong House. On Friday afternoon Mr. Phillips returned to his home at Caintown after having these constitutions. town after having been cordially welcomed by his many friends in Athens.

The well known contractor and builder, N. W. Holbrook, who is now at Schenectady, N. Y., writes the Reporter, when renewing his subscription destroyed Hickey's blacksmith shop and Slack's bakery last fall clearly demonstrated the fact that if there had been a good supply of water within reach, the bakery at least might have -Owing to the storm on Friday evening, it was impossible to play the hockey match arranged between a Brockville club and the Athens club. appropriation for streets and sidewalks of \$600 in two and expend one half the balance would put down, say, five tanks in the most exposed places. Then, if an order were passed that every person having a surface water well should put in a spout for convenience in getting the hose into the well without the delay of tearing up the covering, it would render the gine of some use in case of a fire. If a fire should occur to-morrow, how many wells could be got into without from ten to fifteen minutes work removing the ice and covering to allow the sec-

tion hose to be dropped into the water The chief of the fire department has repeatedly urged both publicly and privately the necessity of this being done, but so far the only persons who

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	Worth 75 cents.	
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10	Worth \$1.50.	
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	Infant's Slippers and Moccasins reduced to	.25
	Regular prices 40c, 50c and 65c.	
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	Regular prices 2.00, 2.50 and \$3.00	2.00
	Ladies' Lace and Button Boots reduced to	2.00
	Regular prices 3.00, 3.50 and \$4.00	.79
	Ladies' Kid Button Boots reduced to	.10
	Worth \$1.25.	.75
	Ladies' Felt Gaiter Boots reduced to	.,,
	Ladies' Felt Slippers reduced to	.40
	Worth 60 cents.	
	Ladies' Tweed Slippers, 2 pair for	.25
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Space will not permit us giving prices for any more lines. Come and see what we are doing.

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Notice.

The undersigned having bought out the interest of Jas. Leeder in the Boot and Shoc shop carried on by them in the Dowstey Block Athens, will continue the business as formerly under his own name and management. Athens, Jan. 27, 1896.

Found

On the 21st of Jan., a medium sized, black and white Hound. Owner can have same by paying expenses. ALBERT KAVANAGH.

Notice to Creditors.

In the matter of the Estate of Thomas Joseph Rodgers, deceased.
Pursuant to R.S.O. chapter 110 and amending Acts, notice is hereby given that all creditors having claims against the Estate of Thomas Joseph Rodgers-late of the Township of Bastard in the County of Leeds, Ycoman, deceased, are required on or before the 20th day of Febuary, A.D. 1886, to send by post prepaid to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executor a statument in writing containing their names addresses and occupations with full particulars of their claims verified by Statutory Declaration and the nature of the security (if any) held by



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