WHOLE NO. 11,222.

What Is Going On In The Leading Churches Of The City.

ALL SAINTS' CHAPEL, HAMILTON road—Services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Rev. J. W. Ten Eyck will preach and will administer the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

ASKIN ST. METHODIST CHURCH-The regular Quarterly Communion Services, conducted by the pastor. Love Feast, 10 a.m. Preaching, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Morning subject, "The Spirit of Christ." Evening subject, "The Christian Crucified." The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at close of morning and evening services. Suitable music under the direction of

CENTENNIAL METHODIST CHURCH -Rev. W. J. Ford, pastor. Morning, "Bearing One Another's Burdens"; evening, "Zaceheus the Publican."

CHALMERS PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. Walter Moffat, pastor. 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Bible Class and Sabbath School, 3 p.m. Visitors wel-

CHRISTIAN CHURCH, CORNER OF Dundas and Elizabeth streets-Rev. C. Sinclair, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

COLBORNE STREET METHODIST-Rev. G. Jackson, pastor. Services as usual. Quarterly Love Feast at 9:45, before morning service. Sacrament after the evening service.

DUNDAS CENTER METHODIST Church—The pastor, Rev. Dr. Saunders, will preach. Evening subject, "The Only Remedy." Sacrament at close of morning service. Morning quartet, "Come Unto Me, Ye Weary" (Lessen); solo, "Just for Today" (Jordan). Evening—Quartet, "Now the Day Is Over" (J. Christopher Marks); solo, "A Song of Trust" Whyte).

DUNDAS CENTER SUNDAY SCHOOL extends a cordial welcome to summer visitors and others. Musical service, 2:30; opening service, 2:45. Come.

EMPRESS AVENUE METHODIST Church-10 a.m., classes. Morning, J. Irwin; evening, Rev. J. H. Orme.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST (Scientist), corner Richmond street and Princess and Park avenues (formerly St. James' Presbyterian Church building-Sunday services: Morning, 11 o'clock; evening, 7 o'clock. Subject, "Mind." Testimonial meeting on Wednesday evening, 8 o'clock. Sunday School immediately after morning service. All welcome. D. S. Robb, C.S.B., first teader; Mrs. Edna Robb, C.S., second reader. Residence, 293 Princess avenue. Christian Science Reading Room open daily from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL-REV. J. W. Pedley. Morning, "Religion and Life." Evening, "Hands Off." All welcome.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH-

Rev. Dr. Smith, pastor.

Rev. Prof. R. I. Warner, M.A., B.D. of Alma College, St. Thomas, will preach both morning and evening. Morning-Quartet, "Rock of Ages" (Buck); solo, "The Penitent" (Van-

dewater). Evening-Quartet, "Evening Hymn" (Concone); solo, "Dream of Paradise" (Gray).

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH-Rev. W. J. Clark, pastor. Sabbath School, 10 a.m. Public worship, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by Rev.

W. J. Clark, of Brampton. HAMILTON ROAD METHODIST Church—Rev. J. G. Fallis, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School at 3 p.m.

INTERESTING SUBJECTS IN THE Tent, opposite the C. P. R. depot, Sunday, at 4 p.m., and in the even-

STREET PRESBYTERIAN Church-Rev. Thomas Wilson, pastor. Services as usual.

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, South London-Rev. J. G. Stuart, B. A., pastor. Subjects-Morning, "The Last Days of Joseph." Evening, "Come, Let Us Reason Together."

REV. E. PHILLIPS, OF SARNIA Township, will preach at the Adelaide Street Baptist Church both morning and evening. All are welcome.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN

CHURCH.

Rev. Robert Johnston, D.D., pastor. The pastor will preach at both ser-3 p.m.-Sabbath School.

Wednesday-Prayer meeting. JAMES PRESBYTERIAN Church-Rev. A. J. McGillivray, M.A., pastor. Services at 11 a.m. in Mission Church, and 7 p.m. at Collegiate Institute, conducted by Rev. A. McWilliams, B.A., of Hamilton. Sunday

School at 3 p.m., in Collegiate Insti-

ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL-MORN. ING, "Venite" (Higgs), "Te Deum" (Sippi), "Benedictus" (Sippi). Preacher, the Dean. Evening-"Magnificat" (Stainer); "Nunc Dimittis" (Stainer); anthem, "In Thee, O Lord." Preach-

er, Rev. Canon Dann, B.A. SOUTHERN CONGREGATIONAL Church-Rev. A. Margrett, of Forest, will preach morning and evening.

FALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH -Rev. A. T. Sowerby, D.D., of Roger Williams University, Nashville, Tenn., will preach morning and evening. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

WELLINGTON STREET METHODIST Church—Rev. J. Edge, pastor. Services, 11 and 7, Sunday school, 2:30. Morning—Anthem, "Like as a Father Pitieth His Own Children" (Hatton); solo, "King David's Lament (by request), Swift. Evening—Anthem, "Gloria" (Mozart's 12th Mass); Solo, "The Last Man" (Calcott).

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******** Births, Marriages, Deaths

MARRIED.

HARDING-HARRIS-At the home of the bride's father, E. W. Harding, barrister, St. Marys, Ont , on Thursday, August 10, by the Rev. A. G. Harris, father of the groom, assisted by the Rev. G. W. Henderson, of St. Marys, Nina May Harding, B. A., teacher in the Welland High School, to Percy Dewart Harris, B. A., Principal of the Virden, Man., Public School.

DIED. PASSMORE-At the residence of her son, F. W. Passmore, Montreal, on Friday, Aug. 11, Jane Elizabeth Poole, relict of the late C. W. Passmore, in the 77th year of her age. Interment at Hamilton.

THOMPSON-At Friend, Neb., Saturday, Aug. 12, 1899, Francis Richard Thompson second son of Richard Thompson, city.

Religious Services

THE RETREAT FOR THE CHILDREN OF I Mary at the Sacred Heart Convent will begin on Wednesday, Aug. 16, at 4 p.m., and will end on Sunday, Aug. 20. Anyone desiring to follow the exercises may do so by applying for a card at the Sacred Heart Convent. The exercises will be as follows: Mass at 8:30 a.m., followed by instruction. Instruction at 3 p.m., and 7:30 p.m., latter is followed by benediction.

Amusements and Lectures

TONIGHT — TECUMSEH PARK — LAST chance to see the wonderful Biograph.

Music by the Harpers. Admission, half price.
Exhibition, 8:15 sharp. Bring the children, b HALF PRICE TO SEE THE WONDER-FUL Biograph at Tecumseh Park, to-night; also hear the Harpers. Prices—Gate: Adults, 10c; children, 5c. Grand stand: Adults, 10c; children, 5c. North open stands free to all. Your last chance. Do not miss it.

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SAULT STE. MARIE EXCURSION, SATURDAY, Aug. 19, from Port Huron and
Detroit via boat. Stops at seven stopping
places. Berths can be retained at the Soo
while in port. Fare round trip \$18, including
meals and berth from London. F. B. Clarke,
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RACING MEN WILL REPORT FOR training at Teoumseh Park, Monday evening, 7 o'clock. Jas. McCormick, Sec. b MOONLIGHT TRIP TO CLEVELAND—
Beresford Lodge, S. O. E., will run an excursion to Cleveland and return for \$1, August
19. For full particulars see hangers.

LAST OF THE SEASON-COURT MAG-NOLIA'S excursion Niagara Falls via Grand Trunk Railway, Civic Holiday, good for two days. Fare \$1.75. 22k tywt THORUS SINGERS WANTED - GOOD Voices and readers of all parts to assist in the "Redemption," to be given in November, under J. T. Wolcott. Send address to 5 Pros-

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-Apply Mrs. Wm. D. Mills, 181 St.

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WANTED-AN EXPERIENCED HOUSE-MAID-Apply 510 Wellington street. 18tf

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WANTED-TWO EXPERIENCED salesladies for fancy drygoods. Apply Whiskard's, 228 Dundas street, London, Ont.

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LOST - ON THURSDAY LAST - LADY'S silver watch and Indian worked chain. Reward at this office. I OST-SMALL YELLOW DOG WEARING nickel and brass collar, black nose, answers to Pip. Reward at 161½ Central avenue.

LOST - DOG - LEMON AND WHITE setter pup, on Friday. Inquire Brock's 22u I OST-SMALL PUG DOG-YELLOW RIB-The Box on neck. Any person retaining after this date will be prosecuted. Please return to Mrs. W. Belton, 385 Waterloo street. 21u

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GLADSTONE-PRICE \$35. Apply W. Cater, 145 Fullartou street.

WHY DO YOU BUY HAMS AT 13c and 14c lb, when you can get first-class sugar-cured shoulder at 9½c lb, nearly as good for boiling as hams? Picnic hams, 9c lb; best sugar-cured hams, 13c; large hams, 11c lb; best English-cured breakfast bacon, 12c lb. Two or three tons of honey wanted to purchase at once. Fauld's Provision Store, 8 Market Lane.

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Queen's avenue; 3 frame houses, Nos. 229, 231 and 233 Queen's avenue; brick dwelling, No. 432 Park avenue; brick cottage, No. 350 Burwell street; 2 frame houses, Nos. 197 and 199 Mill street, and frame house, No. 1072 Dundas street, together with lands thereto belonging. Also a number of good building lots on Charlotte and Dorinda streets. For particulars inquire at Abbott's Carriage Factory. 20tftyw FOR SALE-DESIRABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE—DESIRABLE PROPERTY, on Peter street (between Queen's and Dufferin avenues and Maitland and William streets): best residential locality in the city; lot 88x150; brick cottage, 8 rooms and summer kitchen; convenient to churches, stores and cars. Splendid chance for persons looking for a home in a good locality. Must be sold at once. Apply M. H. Rowland, 420 Richmond street, or 486 Queen's avenue.

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EARLY IN THE SKASON WE PREDICTED that the real estate market in city realty would be extremely active, and the many transactions on the local mark t prove that our prognostication was well founded. Even through our office alone over \$100,000 worth of real estate has been sold. The tendency among buyers is still towards further investments. The extremely low rates now being paid on savings bank deposits will have a tendency also of increasing investments in real estate. To meet this looked-for demand we have secured a number of very eligible properties. We can only mention a few in this list, but if you will call at our office we will be pleased to give you full particulars of any property you think might be suitable for your requirements. We mention a few:

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Advertiser.1 London, Aug. 12.-Bright warm weather still prevails throughout England, the wells and springs are beginning to run dry, and a serious state of things is expected unless it rains soon.

IMMENSE HOLIDAY TRAFFIC. Doubtless owing to the fine weather, the holiday traffic continues to be the largest known. The railroads to the north were specially crowded during the last few days, with those who were

bound to the grouse moors. The Prince of Wales started for Marinbad Thursday, to which place a large number of Americans and English are THE LONGEST AND BROADEST already following.

THE KAISER AS A PAINTER. by himself, for the decoration for Queen Victoria's new yacht, which is nearimperial works, which include representations of great British naval vic-

MAY DON A FEZ. His fellow-commoners have started a story that Sir Ellis Ashmead-Bartlett contemplates residing in Turkey, and donning a fez. Probably the story originated from the fact that he has just obtained concessions. for an electric traction road from Smyrna to Salonica. It is understood that some Americans will be interested in these concessions. Commenting on the subject, the Constantinople palace organ, Ikdam, says Mr. Bartlett has been one of the most distinguished well-wishers of the Osmanlis for 20 years, and that all his speeches have testified to his sound, impartial judgment and friendship for them.

NEW CLASS OF BRITISH WAR-SHIPS At the moment Emperor William was telling Congressman Foss that the

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those of the Bulwark, now building She will be

WARSHIP ever laid down in a government dock-Emperor William has expressed a de- yard, while her draft will be shallow sire to furnish three seascapes, painted He breadth is designed to attain the maximum steadiness under fire, and from her new stearing gear very excellent results are certain. Forward ing completion. His majesty's enthusiasm as a painter of marine subject is well known. The imperial yacht Hohenzollern is adorned with a series of caliber for the present must be kept secret. Six torpedo tubes will complete her equipment. Her protection of Har-veyized steel will be less than on the ships now building. The Spanish-American war directed our attention to coal capacity, and nothing will be wanted in that respect. Her displace-ment will be 13,000 tons. The new vessel, which will be laid down in November at Devonport, immediately after the Bulwark is off the slips, should be ready within a year. She will be the nearest approach yet attained to a perfect combination of the fighting ca-pacity of a battleship with the mobility of a cruiser of that type advocated by one of the highest naval authorities in the world, Capt. Mahan."

THE FINAL SCENE

In Parliament-Mr. Foster Censures the Government-His Motion Lost.

Ottawa, Aug. 12 .- Just before prorobest peace conference is a strong navy, gation yesterday Mr. Foster made an plans had just passed the British ad- attack on the government all along miralty for an entirely new class of the line. He asked if there ever was warship. Great interest is taken in the a parliament called together and that was so hard and long at work that had accomplished as little as this parliament. (Cries of "Whose fault?") The government, he said, lacked the business ability to conduct the affairs of parliament. They started with two principal measures, and where were tnese two principal measures now? One was a redistribution of seats which would have violated the constitution and introduced a dangerous innovation, making each parliament a machine for far beyond anything attempted in this readjusting the constituencies for party purposes. Their other measure was a crusade against the senate, which had been withdrawn. Another measure they had got through after two or three years, but they had revised it

and had to acknowledge that they had saved \$2,000,000 in this way. saved \$2,000,000 in this way.

He asked where was the fast Allantic service. Where were the greater markets we were to secure? Where was there a single market anywhere that had been opened by the present government? The people of this country would have to be appealed to, and, although the government had a majority in the house, the people would say that they would not tolerate a government that had promised one thing and in every case had done di-rectly the opposite, had repudiated

their every promise the moment they got into office. Mr. Foster concluded by moving set of resolutions condemning the government for failing to carry out its pledges, and stating that its extravagance, lack of principle and incapacity calls for censure by the house and the

to 12. Then it was arranged that Mr. Fielding should reply at 3 o'clock, and he was still speaking when the Black Rod pounded three times in accordance with the fundamental principles of the British constitution. Mr. Fielding abruptly closed his peroration. IN THE DIME MUSEUM.

The motion was lost by a vote of 29

"Anything new?" asked the monkey. coming as near the cage of the big snake as his own limitations would permit "Well," said the snake, in an injured tone, "I don't see where your eyes are. I shed my old skin yesterday."

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SENSATIONAL ARRESTS IN PARIS

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A Number of His Collegues Share the Same Fate.

Charged With a Conspiracy Against the Government-One of the Party Resist Arrest.

Paris, Aug. 12.-M. Paul Deroulede, sounder of the League of Patriots, and a member of the Chamber of Deputies for the Angouleme division of Charente, was arrested at four o'clock this morning at his estate at Croissy, near Paris. A number of members of the anti-Semite and patriotic leagues, were also

arrested this morning. A semi-official note issued this morn-

ing reads as follows: A certain number of arrests were made this morning as the result of a magisterial inquiry, and by virtue of article 89 of the penal code, regarding a conspiracy organized for the purpose of accomplishing a change in the form of government. The persons implicated belong to the group of the royalist youth, and the patriotic anti-Semite leagues. At the trial of the Neuilly barrack affair, facts relating to that incident alone were used as the basis of this average. of this prosecution, but searches were then made, and documents seized, which led to the discovery of an organization, dating back to July, 1898, and of a PLOT TO SEIZE THE GOVERN-

MENT by force. The documents leave no room for doubt, either in regard to the existence of the plot, or as to chief actors After a very close watch, proof was obtained that the same groups were preparing for a fresh attempt at an early date, the proof being such as to enable the disturbances to be averted by immediate measures. The investigation of the affair is entrusted to M. Fabre, examining magis-

RESISTED ARREST.

When an attempt was made to ar-rest M. Guerin, president of the anti-Semite league, he refused to surrender, and barricaded himself in his house. He says he is prepared to hold out for three weeks, having a good stock of firearms. The doors and windows of his residence are barricaded, and M. Guerin announces he will blow up his house before he surrenders.

M. Deroulede was taken into custody by four gendarmes, and was driven to Paris. On his arrival here he was in-carcerated in the Concergerie prison. The arrest of M. Marcel-Habert is ex-

PATRIOTIC LEAGUE OFFICES .CLOSED.

The police have closed the offices of the Patriotic League, which are now

guarded by gendarmes. On the application of M. Fabre, fresh searches of various houses were made this morning, including the headquarters of the patriots, where only unimportant papers were seized. A numer of additional arrests of unknown rsons have been made in connection with the conspiracy.

HAPPENINGS OF THE HOUR \$

During July 4,156 immigrants arrivd in Winnipeg.

Hon. Edward Blake arrived yesterday at Quebec, from England.

The Government of New Zealand has decided to restrict Asiatic immigration. Miss May Reeves, of Hamilton, was drowned by being upset out of a boat. Mr. J. M. Campbell. representing John McDougall & Co., of Montreal,

has been appointed provisional liquida-tor of the Ville Marie Bank. Sir Richard Cartwright, the minister of trade and commerce, has consented to address a meeting in Toronto on the evening of Thursday, Aug. 24.

Major Charles E. Kilbourne, pay-master of the United States army, has been appointed to duty as treasurer of the Philippine Islands and the Island

The Hamilton civic investigation committee will recommend the reduction of a number of salaries and several changes in the regulations governing civic officials.

Wheat-cutting has commenced at Greina, Pilot Mount, Morden, Stockton, and other Manitoba points, and if the weather is favorable will be general in about a week.

The divorce court at Ann Arbor, Mich., is keeping pace with the boom. Since June 1 there have been 27 chan-cery cases started, of which rineteen

The M. C. R. ran an excursion on Thursday from Oil Springs and Brig-den to Tashmoo Park, near Courtright. The train consisted of eight coaches, with 528 passengers on board.

The skimming station on the farm of Mrs. Arthur Peers, East Oxford, was destroyed by fire on Thursday morning. There is understood to be an insurance of \$700 on the contents.

On Wednesday night thieves broke into the liquor store of D. Donaldson, Saria, and ransacked the premises. The cash register was depleted of all the coin it contained, being some small silver and a number of coppers.

The Hamburg-American Line steamer Venetia (Capt. Schule), from Hamburg, via Grimsby, July 27, for West Indies and New Orleans, has been spoken. She had fire in her cargo in the third hold, but declined assistance. William Brown McLean, a graduate of McGill University, has been awarded the 1851 exhibition of £150 a year for two years. W. G. Smeaton, of Ib-

ronto University, and E. H. Archibald, of Dalhousie University, Hallfax, will hold the scholarship for a second year. Miss Addie L. Phillips, of Swampocott, Mass., the 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren W. Phillips. and heiress to several millions, has just startled society by eloping with her uncle's coachman, Benjamin B. Kenne-

dy. Kennedy is a Roman Catholic and the girl a Methodist.

No one need fear cholera or any summer complaint if they have a bottle of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial ready for use. It corrects all looseness of the bowels promptly, and causes a healthy and natural action. This is a medicine adapted for the young and old, rich and poor, and is rapidly becoming the most popular medicine for cholera, dysentery, etc.,

THE RETRIAL OF CAPT. DREYFUS

Founder of the League of Patriots Public Session of Court Martial

Opening Proceedings Attended by a Sensational Incident.

Rennes, Aug. 12.-The second public session of the second court-martial of Captain Alfred Dreyfus, in the Lycee here, Monday, opened at 6:30 this morning. The prisoner, as generally known, is charged with committing to the agents of a foreign power, documents connected with the national defense. The sessions of the court Tuesday, Wed-

nesday, Thursday and Friday, were behind closed doers, in order that the case could be examined without publicity being given to matters connected with the defense of France, and also so as to avoid the publication of matters touching upon the relations of France

with foreign powers.

On alighting at the entrance of the Lycee, Gen. Mercier looked very anxious, but immediately afterwards assumed a smiling demeanor. He spoke a few words to the officers at the gate, and laughed, but his laugh sounded false, and his face was fixed on the half-dozen steps, and as he disappeared into the Lycee, again took on an expression of anxiety. M. Casimir-Perier, formerly president of France, arrived on foot, and was saluted by the crowd in waiting. Then came Col. Picquart, of the secret intelligence bureau of the general staff, who has done so much to bring about a revision of the Dreyfus case. He was greeted with shouts of "Vive Picquart," which he smilingly

acknowledged. The session of the court today opened at 6:30, with precisely the same for-

malities. SENSATIONAL INCIDENT.

Dreyfus entered the hall with the same quick, jerky step; his features were pale and rigid, and he took a seat upon the platform. The reading of Dr. Ransom's report, relative to the finding of a document in the lining of Dreyfus' waistcoat, was then begun. The opening proceedings were attended by a

sensational incident. On Dreyfus being shown, by Jouanst, the document found in the lining of his waistcoat, by a penitentiary official, the prisoner admitted keeping it as a souvenir copy of the bordereau. He admitted this calmly, and without trembling of the voice. Then he listened quietly to the reading of Dr. Ransom's report by Major Carriere, the representative of the gov-

De La Roche-Vernet, one of the secretaries of the French embassy at Berlin, testified regarding the translation of the Panizzardi dispatch.

STIRRING SCENES AT THE CLOSE. A stirring scene closed today's session. Gen. Mercier had spoken for nearly four hours in ruthless denuncia-tion of Dreyfus, who had listened unmoved, until Mercier concluded by saying that if he had not been convinced of the guilt of Dreyfus, and if the latter's conviction had not been fortified since 1894, he would admit he had been

though the words had galvanized him into life, and shouted in a voice which resounded through the hall like a

trumpet note: YOU HAVE LIED, SCOUNDREL!" The audience burst into a wild cheer, whereupon the ushers called for silence. But when Mercier replied that he would admit Dreyfus was innocent if there was any doubt, the prisoner shouted again: "Why don't you, then?"

At this there was another outburst of

some of his statements. HISSED AND CURSED MERCIER. Col. Jouanst ordered the court to be adjourned until Monday at 6:30 a.m. for the confrontation, and as Mercier turned to leave the court the audience rose en masse and hissed and cursed him, those at the back of the court standing on chairs and benches in order to better

how! him down. The gendarmes placed themselves hetween the general and the audience, who showed a strong disposition to maltreat the former minister of war. Gen. Mercier hurried out of the court

room through a side door, with his ears tingling from the fierce denunciations of the audience. On emerging from the court the crowd cheered him and shout-ed "Vice l'armee!"

"Ah," cried a spectator of the scene in court, "if they had heard the inhuman monster speak they would not cheer him now.

THE ODDFELLOWS

Close of the Grand Lodge Sessions-Application of Port Arthur Lodge for Leave to Secede Refused.

Toronto, Aug. 12.-The Grand Lodge of Ontario, I. O. O. F., concluded its sessions last evening.

A resolution for the formation of a central fund for the payment of sick relief of long duration, and for the payment of widows' benefits was voted

Grand Master McLurg made the following appointments: Grand marshal, Representative McComb, of Toronto; grand conductor, J. Gallagher, Ottawa; grand herald, J. Jennings; grand guard, Bro. Gennon. Galt; grand chaplain,

Rev. J. Leggott, Claremont. The lodge at Port Arthur asked to be allowed to separate from the Ontario Grand Lodge and join the Manitoba body. The privilege was refused on the report of a special committee, a dewhich the representatives from Port Arthur said they would loyally ac-

Representatives to the Sovereign Grand Lodge were instructed to support the matter of reducing the age of admission to 18, when it comes before the latter body.

The installation of Grand Master Dr. McLurg, of Woodstock, closed the proceeding of the grand lodge.

A DINNER PILL. - Many persons suffer excruciating agony after par-taking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken of is like a ball of lead upon the stomach, and instead of being a healing nutriment, it becomes a poison to the system. Dr. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are wonderful correctives of such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions and convey the food partaken of into healthy nutriment. They are just the medicine to take if troubled with indigestion. A coquette always has more fools

men on her string.

Western Fair Entries Keep Pouring In.

Exhibits to More Than Fill the Mammoth Buildings.

Many Improvements During the Year -A Great List of Special Attractions-The Races.

It seems difficult to gauge the popularity of the Western Fair. Notwithstanding the annual increase in the size of the various exhibition buildings, space in the main building, and, in fact, all of the departments, will be at a prebatch of documents connected with the mium for the fair of 1899. More space had been provided in the machinery hall, yet it is all taken up, and it is the same with the carriage building. "We have applications to fill a building twice the size of the machinery hall," said Secretary J. A. Nelles this morning. The applications in the live stock classes are also larger than ever before, and the association will be lucky if they succeed in providing comfortable accommodation for all the stock. One of the reasons for the increased interest on the part of exhibitors generally this year is the fact that the prize list has been made more attractive by a wise distribution of an additional \$1,500 throughout the list. The amalgamation and enlargement of the horticultural, agricultural and dairy building; the improvement in the several other buildings; the building of new and larger open stands; the doubling in size of the platform in the ring, and the general improvement to the grounds, will astonish and please old-time visitors to the fair.

The object in doubling the size of the ring platform is to furnish lall on the stands a good view of the ring attractions, and also to be able to have two performances running at the same time, if necessary. The special attractions this year are all new, and a special feature of the evening perform-ances will be the use of calcium and colored lights, instead of the searchlight, as formerly used. Such famous combinations as Cook's Royal Roman Hippodrome and Equine Paradox; the Carl Dammann troupe of European acrobats; the Imperial Japanese troupe; the Dunham family; the Six Sennetts, and many others, will all be

The speeding contests will each be for a purse of \$100, divided into \$50, \$30 and \$20, and the programme is as follows:

Saturday, Sept. 9-Trotting, 2:50 class. mile heats, best 3 in 5; pacing, 2:50 class, mile heats, 3 in 5. Monday, Sept. 11-Trotting and pac

ing, 2:30 class, mile heats, best 3 in 5; running, %-mile heats, best 2 in 3. Tuesday, Sept. 12-Pacing, 2:30 class mile heats, best 3 in 5; running, %-mile heats, best 2 in 3.

Wednesday, Sept. 13-Farmers' trotting and pacing for horses that never won public money, owned by resident farmers, best 3 in 5. Wednesday, Sept. 13 - Gentlemen's

single road horse trot or pace, open for horses that have been used exclusively Dreyfus then jumped to his feet as for that purpose for at least two months' previous to the date of race; driven by owners to four-wheel wagons, ½ mile heats, 3 in 5.

Thursday, Sept. 14—Running, open to

province-breds, 1/2-mile, best 2 in 3; trotting and pacing, open, for teams, regardless of ownership. Friday, Sept. 15-Running, open, 1/2mile heats, best 2 in 3; trotting and

pacing, for 2:35 pacers and 2:30 trotters, mile heats, best 3 in 5.

M. Casimir-Perier then rose and dramatically demanded to be confronted with Gen, Mercier, in order to deny some of his statements. MEAR-BY PLACES

Glencoe's rate is two mills on the dollar, an advance of two mills.

Mr. Charles Hobbs, of Denfield, has purchased from Mr. Joseph Hughes one

of the finest farms in London township, comprising 60 acres, lot 10, con. 11.
Dr. Alex. D. Stewart, an old Lobo township boy, has been appointed to a position on the staff of house surgeons of the Toronto General Hospital. Rev. Mr. Quance left Belmont on Wednesday for two weeks' holidays at the farm of his sons, near Lambeth. W. T. Nugent, Belmont, has torn down his barn, and contemplates re-placing the house destroyed by fire a year or so ago.

BIRR.

Birr, Aug. 11.—The Sunday school of Trinity Church, Birr, held their picnic yesterday on the lawn of Mr. D. M. Hobbs. The children had a happy time. Games and sports of many kinds were arranged for their amusement, and all these were entered into with energy so that good sport and fun resulted. The following is a list of the winners of the events:

Hurdle race, boys—A. Harris 1, T. Johnston 2, Roy Reeves 3.
Little girls' race—Lizzie Elliott 1, A. Reeve 2, J. O'Nell 3. Little boys' race-A. Wilkins 1, W.

Ryan 2, W. Hodgins 3, H. Wilkins 4. Egg race, girls—M. Wilkins 1, E. Ashworth 2, E. Hobbs 3. Sack race, boys—J. O'Neil 1, L. Burr

2, W. Harris 3. Threading needle, girls—L. Hodgins 1, C. Wilkins 2, O. Waldran 3, A. Scott 4. Boot and shoe race, boys—O. Parrot, W. Wood 2, G. Lamborn 3. Boys' race-E. Hodgins 1, W. Wil-

kins 2. fatigue race-J. Lamborn 1, F. Wil-Little girls' race—J. Johnson 1, H. Bradley 2, A. Elliott 3. kins 2.

Girls' race-G. Burr 1, A. Bradley 2, Waldron 3. Hunting for knife-Eva Hobbs 1. Pie-eating contest-W. Harris 1, W.

Young ladies' race-Miss Vic Goulding, 1; booby prize, Miss Elliott. Young men's race-O. Hobbs 1, O'Neil

2. R. Burr 3. The Lucan Grays, the team that can't lose a game, came down and played the Ilderton team. The match was enlivened by the presence of some Lucan friends, who by their chatty manner and occasional rooting, cheered on their brethren to victory. The umpire, being from Lucan, did his duties in an Irish manner, and was accordingly the center of an admiring group after

Batteries — McNames, McFalis and Cole; Hobbs, Gibson, Green and Cook. Umpire, Smith, of Lucan.

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the Foresters at Trinity Church, Birr, on Sunday next, Aug. 13, at 3 o'clock.

PETROLIA.

Petrolia, Aug. 10.—Messrs. T. A. Fiddes and C. H. Fraser left on Wednesday for New York and other places for a two weeks' holiday.

Mr. W. Dunlop, tailor, left on Wednesday for New York, where he will take a course in the cutting school. He expects to be gone

weeks. The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Gamble, James street, was the scene of a quiet wedding on Tuesday after-noon, when their daughter, Olive Gertrude, was united in marriage to Mr. Joseph Davey, of St. Thomas. Rev. W. Craig, rector of Christ Church, performed the ceremony, after which a wedding breakfast was partaken of. Mr. and Mrs. Davey left on the evening train for Detroit and other places before settling in their new home. The bride is well and favorably known in Petrolia, and has many friends, who

will wish her every happiness. Elizabeth Jackson, daughter of John and Jane Jackson, died at the residence of her brother-in-law, Albert Duncan, on Wednesday, Aug. 9. The funeral took place on Friday afternoon at 1 Sarnia Township Baptist o.m., to Church, where services were held. Miss Jackson suffered a long and lingering illness, which extended over three years. R. and J. A. Jackson contractors, were brothers of deceased.

W. H. O'Sullivan, of the Petrolia Business College, is in town after an absence of two weeks in Montreal. Mr. Blaquier, of Blaquier & Jones, Wyoming, was in town Thursday. Saturday, Aug. 12, will be the last day of Stewart & Co.'s sale, as the sale will close for good on that day. Miss Collom, who recently graduated from the Petrolia Business College, has accepted a position as bookkeeper in M. E. Marshall's butcher shop.

LAMBETH.

Lambeth, Aug. 12.-Miss A. Chapman, public school teacher, of East Saginaw, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Robert Mickleborough, for the last week, left for home today, Mr. and Mrs. Mickleborough accompanying her as far as Bothwell, where they will all spend Sunday with relatives. While here Miss Chapman made many warm friends, who will look forward with pleasure to her visit again at Christmas.

The Lambeth Bicycle Club and their

friends, to the number of about 35, were highly entertained on Wednesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mickleborough in honor of their guest, Miss Chapman.
Mrs. Wm. H. Vail and daughter Em-

ma, of Cleveland, who have been visiting friends in St. Thomas for the last two weeks, will arrive here tomorrow to be the guest of her nephew, Mr. A. K. Sadler, until after the Western Fair.

While returning from London last Saturday, and when near home Mr. Harry Bole's horse became unmanageable and he was unceremoniously thrown out over the dashboard. Mr. James Shopland was also thrown out, but luckily neither was much hurt.
Mr. D. Bogue also thinks this world is full of ups and downs. The other evening while about his chores and carrying a pail of hot water from the the woodshed, he tripped and fell. In the mix-up of hot water and bruises he received a bad scratch on the knee, but is able to navigate all right now.

STREET CAR IN THE RIVER. Merrill, Wis., Aug. 12.—A street car ran off the Prairie street bridge yester-day, dropping into the river, twenty feet below. The car was completely wrecked. Five of the passengers were injured, but none fatally.

and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleas-ant, sure and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to pro-

Township Councils.

LONDON.

London Township Council met Aug. 7. All the members present. The minutes of previous meetings were read and signed. A communication from Mrs. McKenzie, re placarding her house for a case of scarlet fever was to Mr. Needham. One from Mr. McKee asking for pay for a room for magistrate's use, was read and filed; one from A. Fraser, asking pay for gravel put on the west town line, was read and referred to Mr. Gough, with power. Orders for the following amounts were issued: E. McNab, \$8 50, for bolts for bridge; E. Barrell, \$60 35 for D. B. Campbell on account for building bridge opposite lot 19, con. 6,; W. H. Winnett, \$22 11, for plank and posts for two culverts, Dorchester to refund one-half; S. H. Craig, \$9 84, for lumber; C. Williams, \$2 50, for hauling lumber and repairing bridge; J. B. Ingermills, \$1 for repairing bridge; R. Parsons, \$1 38 for spikes; W. J. Anthistle, \$10 48, half-cost of tile for two culverts: J. A. Sutherland, \$2 41 for lumber for bridge; T. G. Guest, \$1 50 repairing bridge; R. Garlick; \$6, half-cost for hauling tile and putting in two culverts; G. Garlick, \$6, for hauling plank and repairing bridge; W. Jones, \$5, for opening ditch and putting in gully hole; G. H. Belton, \$3, for posts and plank for guards for bridge opposite lot 19, con. 6; Kernohan & Ferguson, \$6 48, for plank for culvert, 78 cents for plank, and \$9 18 for plank for iron bridge; F. W. Hodgins, \$2, for tightening rods on bridge; J. Weir, \$5 65, half cost of 30 rods of ditch, etc.; C. Harrison, \$17 76, for lumber for bridge; W. Elliott, \$14 25, for finding material and building bridge; E. Dann, \$2, for attendance with engineer on Langford ditch; Kernohan & Ferguson, \$9 18, for plank to repair iron bridge; H. Needham, \$11, for repairing culvert; R. T. Jackson, \$2 40, for gravel; G. Wood, \$80, balance in con. 10, and filling approach;; T. W. Farncomb. \$25, costs of Attack; T. W. full for building bridge, lots 4 and Farncomb, \$25, costs of Attwood's and Langford's awards; L. L. Shipley, \$2 41, for gravel; D. B. Campbell, \$19, on account for building bridge; R. Judd, \$20, for damage to horse; T. J. Clatworthy, \$6 98, for lumber; D. B. Campbell, \$5, on account for bulding bridge; T. Henry, \$40, on account, for grading and graveling, and \$5 for repairing Adelaide street bridge; C. Needham, \$4, for two days' attendance with township engineer at Jones' drain. clerk was instructed to notify Messrs.

J. H. Sifton and C. Rowell to remove
their fences off the public highway.

Council adjourned till the first Mon-day in September. J. Grant, clerk, NORTH DORCHESTER.

The township council of North Dorchester met July 31. Members all present, George Neely, reeve, in the chair.
Minutes of previous meeting read and signed. The clerk is to notify D. Collins to remove obstructions from Rey-nold's creek drain. Council accepted Mr. Coleridge's offer to pay half the engineer's expense to establish the base line across con. 5, and the reeve will make arrangements with the engineer to do the same. A grant of \$40 was made to assist in purchasing plank for sidewalk in the village of Dorchester, and the mover empowered to order payment. A grant of \$125 was made to grade and gravel side road between lots 6 and 7, con. 2. A grant of \$75 was made to grade and gravel con. 2, opposite lot 9. H. Rath was empowered to get trees and brush cut on base line, con. B. A grant of \$100 was made to gravel con. 4, opposite lot 3. The following accounts are to be paid: J. Mc-Nichol, tile, \$10 50; J. McNichol, tile, \$94 01; Strachan Bros., printing voters' lists, \$25; Municipal World, voters' list wrecked. Five of the passengers were njured, but none fatally.

Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother that the state of the passengers were book, 50 cents; Isaac Kilborn, gravel, \$6 30; I. Kilborn, gravel, \$10 05; John Marsh, 68 loads gravel, \$3 15; A. Cornish, gravel, \$5 50; George Smith, gravel \$2 10; W. Willits, damage to hargare \$2 10; W. Willits, damage \$2 10; W. Willi ness and wagon, \$3 90; Wm. Banks, road work, 25 cents, and freight on road grader blade, 45 cents; W. P. Dundass, gravel, \$2 62; R. Wallis, sharpening road

grader blade, \$1; W. Edwards, shoveling snow, \$1; E. Spring, shoveling snow, \$2 25. Council adjourned to last Monday in August. W. B. Lane, clerk. At a special meeting held on Aug. 4 it was vated that the bridge over it was voted that the bridge over Doty's creek on con. 1 be repaired, by putting in new cords, needle-beams and trusses, all to be of cedar, 8 by 10 inches. T. McFarlan is to let and oversee the same and order payment when

due. It is always better to astonish a man than it is to bore him. A girl says her engagement ring is one continuous round of pleasure.

GRANDMOTHER

Used Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry.

Mrs. Thos. Sherlock, Arnprior, Ont., Tells How This Famous Remedy Has Been a Family Friend for Several Generations.



Grandmother always gave the little ones Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry when they suffered from cramps, colic, diarhea, dysentery, or bowel com-

plaint. The little ones grew up—had children of their own—gave them Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry when necessary.

These grandchildren, now with children prattling at their side, can find nothing better than the old reliable Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry that grandmother, in her wisdom, always kept in the house during the

summer season. Mrs. Thomas Sherlock, of Arnprior, Ont., illustrates this in the following letter which she recently wrote: "My little girl, 3 years of age, was taken very bad with diarrhea, and we thought we were going to lose her, when I remembered that my grandmother always used Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, and often said that it saved her life. I got a bottle of it and gave it to my child, and after the third dose she began to get better and slept well that night. She improved right along, and was soon completely cured."

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At Hartford-

At Providence (second game)-

WESTERN LEAGUE-FRIDAY.

DETROIT BEAT HAMILTON.

Hamilton, Aug. 12.—The Detroit Western Leaguers played here yester-day after the game with Woodstock, and won from the Hamilton Canadian

Leaguers because the latter got an attack of stage fright in the first part of

the game. After the second inning the Hamiltons fielded better and hit hard-

er than the Detroits, and played a good uphill game. Gaston was hit free-ly through the seven innings he pitch-

ed. Friske pitched two innings, and not a hit was made off him, though he was wild. McCann pitched a good game

for Hamilton. Score: R. H. E. Detroit3 5 2 0 0 2 0 1 *-13 9 5 Hamilton0 1 1 4 0 0 5 0 0-11 13 9 Batteries—Friske, Gaston and Bue-

AQUATIC.

DEFENDER BEATS COLUMBIA.

Vineyard Haven, Aug. 12.-The old

yacht champion Defender won a race against Columbia Thursday, if time al-

iowance was given. The margin between the famous sloops was 1 minute and 4 seconds in a 37-mile run, in miser-

TURF

WINDSOR RACES.

Windsor Race Track, Ont., Aug. 12 .-

First race, % mile, selling—Violent 1, Tony Honing 2, Percita 3. Time, 1:29. Second race, % mile, selling—Brown Veil 1, Hapsburg 2, Bridal Tour 3. Time,

1:15. Third race, 1 mtle-Kunja 1, Guilder

2, Allie Belle 3. Time, :41%.
Fourth race, % mile, selling—Mamie
Callan 1, Odd Genius 2, Lela B. 3.

Fifth race, 1½ miles, selling — Vanessa 1, Victorine 2, Bellamy 3. Time, 1:55%.

Sixth race, 1½ miles, selling — Lady of the West 1, Can I See 'Em 2, Sallie Lamar 3. Time, 1:48.

WINNERS ON OTHER TRACKS.

Saratoga, N. Y.—Decimal, Dan Rice, Jinks, Donald Bain and Premier. For

delaying the start in the first, Slack

was set down for a week, Clawson and

Phelan for two days each, and Spencer fined \$50. Ryan got six days on the

ground for fouling Filon d'Or. Hawthorne, Chicago—Nellie Searcy, Monteagle, Mizpah, Marieto, San Secil-

CRICKET.

AUSTRALIANS VS. KENT.

representing Kent, the latter, in their

first inning today were all out for 185

Australians were all out for 227 runs.

The Australians in their second inning

BELMONT VS. TORONTO.

Rosedale Grounds, Toronto, Aug. 12 .-

The cricket match between the Bel-mont team and picked players from the

Parkdales and St. Albans, of Toronto,

began yesterday at the Rosedale grounds. Capt. Ledger, of the Torontos,

lost the toss, and the Americans went

to bat. J. B. King and W. S. Hinch-

man, of this year's American international team, were first up, facing F. S.

Chambers, of Parkdale, and James Ed-

wards, of the St. Albans team. The ground was in good condition. Five of

the Belmont team have represented the American international team here in

former years. They are playing six

Belmont team had made 152 runs for

six wickets. The largest scores were: Cregar, 43; Hinchman, 40; Wood, 30.

WHEEL.

THE WORLD'S MEET.

Montreal, Aug. 12. - There was a

good attendance at the Queen's Park

track yesterday to witness the third

day's racing for the world's bicycle

championship. The five-mile amateur

handicap was won by Ben Goodson,

of Australia, with John Caldow, of Scotland, a close second. The one-

third mile amateur was won by John

Caldow, with Boisvert, of Montreal, second, and Ben Goodson third. Sum-

Five-mile amateur handicap-Ben

Goodson, Australia (scratch), 1; John

Caldow, Scotland (scratch), 2; Alfred

Sherritt, Brantford, Ont. (75 yards),

3; C. P. Boisvert, Montreal (150 yards),

One-third mile, amateur - John Cal-

There were two new world's records

made yesterday, Nat Butler, in the first

heat of the five-miles professional han-

dicap, making a world's record by do-

ing the five miles in 10 minutes, 44%

James Drury, of Montreal, paced by a

motor-cycle, lowered the Canadian amateur record for a mile by doing

During the third trial heats for the

five-milte amateur handicap, Louis Large, of Charlottetown, P. E. I., was

thrown from his wheel and badly in-

jured, and George Riddle, of Winnipeg,

and E. H. Cousins, of Manchester, N.

FISTIC AFFAIRS.

TACKLED TWO.

Coy fought five rounds each with Tom

Dugan, of Australia, and Jack Gra-

ham, of Pittsburg, before a thousand

people at Saengerfest Hall, Thursday

night. Dugan quit in the second round

and Graham in the fourth. Both were

badly overmatched, and the affair was

farcical. Tommy Ryan was present,

and was challenged by McCoy by name,

but would not respond, though called for by the audience.

Davenport, Iowa, Aug. 12.-Kid Mc-

the distance in 1 minute, 45% seconds.

dow, Scotland, 1; C. P. Boisvert, Montreal, 2; Ben Goodson, Australia, 3.

4. Time, 17 minutes, 331/2 seconds.

mary of yesterday's events:

Time, 42% seconds.

H., were also thrown.

balls to the over. Up to lunch hour

runs. In their first inning today the

a wighting Anstralians and

today were all out for 94 runs.

low; McCann and Conwell.

able weather.

Yesterday's results:

At Providence (first game)-

Chapman's Saturday Night Fair.

To keep the interest in our Saturday \$ night bargain-giving at white heat, we have selected the following snaps for tonight. Ask for and see that you get anything in the list.

25 pieces Colored Crepon, all wool, has been selling for 25c, 35c and 50c per yard, your choice for ... 15c 10 pieces Summer Dress Goods,

worth 121c and 15c, per yard.. 10 pieces Fancy Striped Flannel-ette, 32 inches wide, worth 7c for.....

Circular Pillow Cotton, 44 inches wide, worth 16c, for 121c Men's Colored Shirts, worth \$1

Men's Soft Felt Hats, brown and black, worth 75c and \$1, choice for 55c

Trimmed Hats, ranging from \$2 50 to \$5, tonight, each, only \$100 Untrimmed Hats, worth 50c and

75c, for..... 15c Mercerised Sateen Skirts, dark and light colors, \$2 50 each,

Parasols, ranging from \$1 75 to

2nd Floor--- Cloak Section.

All Wash Suits, worth from \$5 to \$6 50 for \$2 25. Your choice Wash Skirt in stock at Half Price.

N. B.—These prices prevail only on Saturday night from 6 to 10 o'clock.

They Keep Winning

Cockneys Take Another Game ! From Guelph

Hamilton Won From the Woodstock Aggregation.

Louisville, Springfield and Philadelphia All Shut Out.

Two New World's Wheeling Record Made at the Montreal Meet Yesterday.

Opening of the International Cricket Match at Toronto-Many Other Sporting Matters.

BASEBALL. Canadian League Standing. Won. Lost. Per. Ct.
 London
 32
 20

 Woodstock
 24
 26

 Hamilton
 25
 28

 Guelph
 43
 25

The Londons, aided by Manager Black, defeated eight of the latter's players at Tecumseh Park yesterday afternoon. At the end of six innings. the eight Leafs looked like winners. The score stood 2 to 1 in their favor, and in running it up a close contest had taken place. Then the Leafs' manager became a factor in the game, and the tables were turned. The home players may have purposely avoided httting to the right field until such a move seemed necessary, as a last resource, and they may not have realized that the door was open there. It doesn't matter which. At any rate, it was in the seventh inning that the sphere was first sent Blackward, and the manner in which the talkative George "fell down," marked him as a busy man for the rest of the game. Two sensational muffs were placed to his credit in the eighth, and victory for the

Londons was cinched. Cooper was responsible for Guelph's first run. He threw wild to Schwartz at first. Otherwise his work was excellent. He caught Damoth asleep on first in the third inning. The visitors' second run was made by Sechrist's single and steal, and a clean hit by Damoth. Siever and Kostal did the umpiring. Popkay watched the game from the stand. A 15-minute shower interrupted the third inning. Score:

LUNDON. A.B. R. B.H. P.O. A. ... 4 3 1 6 3 sabolt, s.s.....schwartz, 1b......

A.B. R. B.H. P.O.
Francis, s.s. 4 1 1 3
Carey, 1b 3 0 0 11
Lafleur, c. 4 0 2 4
Wagner, 1.f. 4 0 9 1
Miles, 2b 4 0 0 3
Sechrist, c.f. 3 1 2 2
Tibald, 3b 3 0 1 0
Damoth, p. 2 0 1 0
 Wagner, I.f.
 4
 0
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 Miles, 2b.
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 Sechrist, c.f.
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 Tibald, 3b.
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 Damoth, p.
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 Black, r.f.
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 30 2 7 24 15

HAMILTON WON FROM WOOD-STOCK.

Hamilton, Ont., Aug. 12.—Hamilton and Woodstock played a league game here yesterday. Bradford pitched good ball for Hamilton, and it was a good contest for six innings. Then Hamilton hammered Crystal, and Woodstock's errors aided in the run-getting, piling up six runs. Score:

HAMILTON.

WOODSTOCK.

34 3 7 24 15 Two-base hits-Elton, Reid, Crystal.

NATIONAL LEAGUE-FRIDAY.

 At Brooklyn—
 R. H. E.

 Louisville
 0 3 3

 Brooklyn
 1 5 1

 Kennedy and Farrel.

At Philadelphia-Pittsburg 5 8 0
Philadelphia 0 7 0
Batteries—Lever and Schriver; Platt and Douglass. EASTERN LEAGUE-FRIDAY.

41 10 12 27 12 2 Jacklitz; Conn and Smink.

Union-Made

McLeod, Nolan & Co., Manufacturers.

A.B. R. B.H. P.O. A. E. ... 4 2 1 4 5 0 ... 2 1 1 1 4 1

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Two-base hits—Eiton, Reid, Crystal.
Sacrifice hits—Schrall.
Stolen base—Schrall.
First on balls—By Bradford 2, by Crystal 5.
Struck out—By Bradford 3, by Crystal 4.
Double plays—Richardson to Hagarty to Elton, Crystal to Busse to Eddy to Handiboe,
UBrien to Eddy.
Umpire—McKeever.

Batteries-Cunningham and Zimmer;

At Rochester-R. H. E. Batteries-Souders, Duggleby and

> QUOITING. WOODSTOCK TOURNAMENT CLOSED.

Woodstock, Ont., Aug. 12. — The quoiting tournament at Woodstock was brought to a close yesterday. The special features were a game between Callander, of Toronto, and Errington, of Glanworth, Callander winning by a small margin, and a game between Lawson, the veteran pitcher, of Brampton, and Frank Clans, of Belleville. W. R. Henderson, of Chesterfield, and Andrew Matheson, of Ayr, two brawny

Scotchmen, fought to a finish for third and fourth place in the first series, Hen-derson winning by a good margin.

Third draw, first series, for first four places—Errington 41, Matheson 25, Callander 41, Wm. Henderson 35. Fourth draw, first series, for first and second places—Errington 55, Callander 61. For third and fourth places—Wm. Batteries—Sechrist and Urquhart; Lampe and Yeager.

Henderson 41, Matheson 30. Summary of first series—First prize, Callander, Toronto; second prize, Errington, Glanworth; third prize, W. R. Henderson, Chesterfield; fourth prize, A. Matheson, Ayr.

Batteries—Pappalau and Phelps; Dunkle and Leahy. Third draw, second series—Lawson, Clans and Farrell fought for last three places, Lawson drawing the bye, Clans and Farrell playing first. The game proved a big surprise to Farrell's friends, as he played a magnificent game, and was defeated by only four Batteries-Corridan and Leahy; Baker shots by Mr. Clans, the veteran pitcher of Eastern Ontario. The score is as fol-At Buffalo-Indianapolis 2, Buffalo 2. Called at the end of 11th.

At St. Paul—Kansas City 5, St.Paul 4.

At Minneapolis—Minneapolis 7, Millows: Clans 41, Farrell 37; Clans 33, Lawson 41. Summary of second series— First, J. Lawson, Brampton; second, F.

Clans, Belleville; third, W. Farrell, of Woodstock; fourth, J. Coutts, Ayr.
Consolation series—First, W. Scott, Ayr; second, J. Forbes, Woodstock; fourth, T. Henderson, Ayr; fifth, R. Hamilton, Woodstock; sixth, C. Heath, Woodstock; seventh H. Rowe, Man. Woodstock; seventh, H. Rowe, Man-

R. Callander, of Toronto, the winner of the first prize, deposited with the treasurer of the Woodstock quoit club \$75 or \$100, challenging any player in the province, especially James Bell, of London, the holder of the Dominion medal. R. H. Errington and J. Lawson, whose combined age is 113 years, will play any other two players in the play any other two players in the world for \$500 a side. The above challenge games to be played on the grounds of the Woodstock club, or on the grounds of the Dominion club.

PROROGATION

The Ceremonies Shorter Than Usual-The Governor-General's Speech.

Ottawa, Aug. 12.-The military display at the prorogation ceremonies yesterday was more than usually impos-An innovation which enhanced the effect of the military pageant was the trim guard of the Royal Canadian Regiment of infantry, formed up on either side of the vestibule leading from the main door to the senate entrance Lord Minto was visibly pleased with the soldierlike mariner in which these Canadian regulars performed the sa-

lute as he passed along.

Next to his excellency in the vice-regal procession towards the red chamber, Lady Minto walked, regally costumed in a gown of silver-gray, trim-med with glittering passementeric Lady Minto occupied a seat in the first row to the right of the throne, and beside her sat the premier's comely wife. Lady Laurier wore a rich dress of mauve silk with rare old lace. Pretty street costumes in the prevailing summer tints graced the "floor," compensating in effect for the paucity of attendance of ladies, due no doubt to the uncertainty which prevailed almost to the last hour as to the exact time of proroga-

The ceremonies were somewhat shortia and Jolly Roger.
St. Louis, Mo.—Sam Lazarus, Silent
Friend, Osric II., Necklace and Recomer than usual by reason of the small numbers of measures requiring to be read, the bulk of the bills passed during the session having previously received the royal consent. These prelim-inaries over, his excellency delivered Canterbury, Aug. 11.-In the game of the brief speech from the throne. Lord Minto said: cricket begun here yesterday between

> Gentlemen of the House of Commons:

"In relieving you of your duties during this protracted session, I desire to thank you for the diligent attention you have given to the many important measures which have been submitter for your consideration. I am glad to observe that the action of Canada in deciding to unite with the mother country and Australian colonies in the construction of a Pacific cable has met with general approval. I congratulate you on the evidence of continued prosperity that prevails in all parts of the Dominion, and which has stimulated the formation of so many companies, having for their object the development of enterprises that must tend to increase the wealth

of the country. "Gentlemen of the House of Commons:
"I thank you in her Majesty's name for the supplies you have granted for

the public service. 'Honorable Gentlemen of the Senate, Gentlemen of the House of Com-

"In bidding you farewell, I desire to express the hope that Canada may long continue to enjoy the prosperity that at present prevails.

WORLD'S COPPER

Rockefellers Want to Corner It-All the Mines To Be Bought Up.

New York, Aug. 12.—A copper trust that will control the output of the world is the latest scheme of the Rockefellers and their associates in the Standard Oil Company. Wall street heard of it yesterday, and it may not be long before the public will feel it in the in-creased price of copper, the only metal in the world whose supply cannot meet

The plans of the millionaires in the deal include the absorption of several rich companies that have heretofore held out against the formation of the trust. During the last month several mines have been quietly bought up by common interests represented by the Amalgamated Copper Company. When all these mines are secured the great concern will reach out abroad to gobble up all the mines of the world. Once these mines have come under one control, the price of copper will be sharply

NEAR BEING EATEN

Count Festetics' Adventure With Cannibel Models in the Solomon Islands.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 12.-Count Festetics, of Austria, who, with his countess, has been cruising in the Southern Sea, in the yacht Toina, narrowly escaped death recently at the hands of savages. The Toina had been visiting the

larger of the Solomon Islands, the count taking many chances to secure photographs of head-hunting battles and cannibal feasts, when the savage

DR. A. W. CHASE'S 250.

is sent direct to the diseased parts by the Improved Blower. Heals the ulcers, clears the air

The Scottish-Canadian

Mining and Development Company of British Columbia, Limited. . . .

Capital-\$1.500,000 (£300,000) in 1,500,000 Shares of \$1.00 (4s) Each, Fully Paid Up and NON-ASSESSABLE.

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PROPERTIES—Rob Roy and Highland Chief.

Covering over one hundred acres of valuable mineral lands, at the Head of the North Fork of the Lardeau. This is a fine tunneling proposition, and can thus be worked cheaply and efficiently. Immense water power on the Rob Roy. A tunnel is being vigorously driven, and it is the intention of the management to prosecute the work all winter.

The directors, in order to give the company stability and the shareholders the first chance to sell stock on the rise, have absolutely pooled all promoters' stock.

VALUES—Assays made at the Government Laborator; here have shown values in Gold, Silver and Lead, ranging from \$74.83 tq \$92 53 (certs. of assay can be seen at office), while average values actually run fr. m \$60 to \$125. The company's treasurer has just returned from a visit to the mines and reports most favorably. Copies of prospectus and his report may be had on application at the London office.

PRICE OF STOCK-The balance of the 5-cent stock has been recalled and a small block is now offered for sale up to 1st October at 10 cents for immediate development expenses. This is subject, however, to be recalled at any time.

Applications for stock received after the issue has been with-drawn will be filled at the price of the next issue, or canceled at the option of the applicant. Address all communications to the company's office, 169 Dundas

Sept. 7 to 16,

street, London, Canada.

Applications and entries coming in rapidly. Space being

allotted as entries are made. All departments will be complete and better than ever,

No one should miss seeing this year's

Superior Special Attractions

Cook's Great Hippodrome and Equine Paradox, Imperial Japs, World's Champion Swordsman, Equestrienne and her horse "Mikado," the Six Sennet's Great Comic Pantomime, Hermanetti Bros., and Acrobats and Aerialists of the very best.

Four Nights' Brilliant Fireworks Display.

Including "the British and Americans Before Samoa," assisted by all attractions.

Sale of Booths and Privileges on the grounds, Aug. 23, at 2 p.m. Prize Lists and Programmes free.

Lieut.-Col. W. M. Gartshore,

J. A. Nelles,

models developed sudden and flerce hostility. The count and his party be-came suspicious of them just in time, and, returning to the yacht, were for tunate in getting a favorable wind. As it was, the canoes of the cannibals pursued them for many miles.

Monday next will be Sarnia's Civic Clinton's tax rate will be 23 mills

on the dollar. Mayor McKinlay, of Ridgetown, has been appointed division court clerk. The Windsor Horticultural Society has decided to have a show of fruit and vegetables Oct. 11 and 12.

Osmond Post, 10 years old, of Walker-ville, had his leg broken yesterday by being struck by a falling telephone pole. Mrs. Fanny Waddell, of Yarmouth tunate young man's leg had to be am-Heights, is accused of stealing a watch from Nelson Ryan, of St. Thomas, and has been arrested. The legality of the vote by which

Aldboro township granted a bonus to the L. E. and D. R. R. is being investigated by the courts. Thomas Guilfoyle, a Windsor boy,

who was with the United States army in Cuba last year, has left for Chicago where he will join a regiment going to there a few days ago to look after him. the Philippines.

The Berlin Record is authorized to announce that the call from St. Andrew's Church to Rev. A. B. Winchester, of British Columbia. has been formally and finally declined. Clarence Davis, 10 years old, of Mercer street, fell in the river near the

foot of Ouellette avenue, Windsor, yesterday afternoon, and was rescued by one of the men on the Juno. George, the 7-year-old son of John Garrod, St. Thomas, was painfully hurt Wednesday afternoon. He was playing

with a dog, and in falling to the ground

he had his collar-bone broken. The corner-stone of the new St John's Church, Tilsonburg, will be laid with Masonic ceremonies on Friday, Aug. 18. Grand Master Malone and other grand officers and prominent

Freemasons will be present. A quoiting club has been organized at Thamesville, and the following offi-cers elected: President, E. H. Moran; vice-president, John Stewart; secretary-treasurer, W. C. Armstrong; executive committee, George Dixon, D. Young

and John Hardy. Another case of anthrax has developed at Listowel. The existing cases, the doctors think, are due to the cattle drinking the polluted water below the Listowel tannery and woolen mills. The cattle suffering from the disease have

Miss Annie Pelan, St. Thomas, met with a painful accident on Wednesday. She was riding on her bicycle, and was

ing to ascertain the extent of her injuries.

George W. Baby, of Windsor, died at midnight Wednesday. He had been ill for two or three months. He was a member of the firm of Baby & Hanra-han, commission merchants. He was a prominent member of the C. M. B. A., and the Catholic Order of Foresters.

Secretary.

The cause of death was catarrh of the stomach. Messrs. Fenton, Wagner & Co. are busy getting things in shape for the manufacture of plug tobacco at Leamington. The firm will employ fifteen or twenty hands on the start; many of these will be girls. Mr. Fenton, the manager, has a record and a popularity on Pelee Island for his sterling busi-

ness qualities. Slight hopes are entertained for the recovery of William Wocker, who had his foot crushed at the new G. T. R. round house at the tunnel, Sarnia, last Wednesday. Everything possible was done to save the limb, but blood poison-ing set in, and on Tuesday the unforputated just below the thigh.

Hamilton Herald: Eddie Marris, son of Sergt. Marris, caretaker of the armory, died Wednesday night at Sarnia from typhoid fever. Young Marris, who was for some time employed by the Imperial Oll Company, went as purser on the Myles last spring. Being taken ill with typhoid fever, he was put off at Sarnia. His father went

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a twenty-five cent bottle of Dr. Wills' English Pills, if, after using three-fourths of con-tents of bottle, they do not relieve Constipation and Headache. We also war-rant that four bottles will permanently cure the most obstinate case of Constipation. Satisfaction or no pay when Wills' English Pills are used. J. Callard, chemist, 390 Richmond

street, London, Ont. B. A. Mitchell, Chemist, Gothic Hall, London, Ont.

W. T. Strong & Co., Chemists, 184 Dundas street, London, Ont. E. W. Boyle, Druggist, 652 Dundas street, London, Ont.

J. G. Shuff, Chemist, 540 Dundas street, London, Ont. H. J. Childs, Druggist, 632 Dundas street, London, Ont.

C. McCallum, Druggist, London, Ont. N. W. Emerson, druggist, 120 Dundast street, London Ont. N. I. McDermid, Druggist, corner Dundas and Wellington streets, Lon-

don, Ont. W. S. B. Barkwell, Chemist, corner Dundas and Wellington streets, London, Ont. Anderson & Nelles, Druggists, 240

Dundas street, London, Ont. 74bb t Green apples are said to be an exrun into by a man on a wheel. The young lady was hurled to the pavement and badly bruised. The man who collided with her rode off without waitLondon, Saturday, Aug. 12, 1899.

The Summer Holidays.

Londoners going away on vacation may have their favorite paper—The Advertiser—sent to their temporary re-sidence, without extra charge. Leave your address in the business

The Strike Situation.

It is nearly three months since the strike against the London Street Railway Company began. Mr. Everett, in his wisdom, decided that the way to treat the matter was to decline all concession and to refuse full and fair arbitration, on the ground that there was nothing to arbitrate; but to run his cars, whether full or empty. During the three months there have not been enough bona fide passengers to pay for the grease on the wheels; and of bona fide passengers there are no more carried today than when the strike began. The extraordinary spectacle of a company determined to conquer the public, and of the great mass out of 40,000 people determined not to ride, and not to be conquered, is something as unique in its way as is our Western Fair. London is seldom commonplace, at any rate.

The Company complain of the public boycotting their cars. But they should remember that they began the boycotting, when they undertook to discriminate against the more capable and independent-minded of their employes for the crime of believing that they were likely to be less certain of fair treatment as isolated units. The Company invented the boycott, and the invention returned to plague them. Although in one sense, all competitive business and social life is a boycott of some sort, or of somebody or other. from start to finish, The Advertiser most strenuously declines to believe that boycotts of any kind are the most Christian method of settling disputes such as that which in London has now lasted three months. A full and fair arbitration all round would have been more Christian-like, and much cheaper to boot. Not for a moment since the strike began has The Advertiser desired that it should be settled in any manner that would not be fair to all parties. Full and fair arbitration what The Advertiser contended from the first; and though our opinions were derided then, today there is not a person in London who does not see that we were right. That there has not been a resort to compulsory arbitration in this London case, is due to defective laws, which do not allow the state, as in New Zealand, to intervene at a certain stage in behalf of the public interests. If the stubbornness of the Cleveland millionaire inflicts a continuance of the present state of affairs until the meeting of the Legislature, we venture to predict that meeting will see the beginning of the end of his greed, and his disregard of the rights of the British subjects who are the final owners of London's public streets. In that case, London will have had the honor, though at no small cost, of leading a legislative enactment shown to be absolutely necessary in the interest of the general public.

The Movement of British Trade.

We hear a great deal about the invasion of the British market by Germany, but nothing about the invasion of the German market by Great Britain. Those who have been led to believe that Great Britain is being plastered over with the "made-in-Germany" legend may be surprised by the trade statistics. In 1898 German exports to Great Britain were about \$142,660,000, while Germany bought in return British goods to the value of \$166,660,000. In fact, each of these great commercial rivals is the other's best customer. This explodes the narrow idea that the progress of the one country is necessarily injurious to another country. The comparison is wholly favorable to Great Britain, since her markets are free, while British goods are obstructed by a heavy tariff at the German frontier.

British imports last year were \$1,855,000,000, of which the United States supplied \$630,310,000 worth, chiefly in foodstuffs. How would the United States fare without the British market? Great Britain also bought last year \$256,895,000 worth from France, mostly in foodstuffs, too. Yet both France and the United States try to shut out British goods. Australasia and Holland sell to Great Britain about as much as does Germany. Imports from British India were \$137,350,-000. from Belgium, \$107,670,000; from Canada, \$103,775,000; from Russia, \$97,-445.000; from Spain, \$65,940,000; Denmark, \$58,515,000; Sweden, \$48,685,000;

Egypt, \$44,280,000; and China. 970,000.

Of British exports, which aggregated \$1,020,000,000 last year, Germany, as was next, with \$151,815,000; the United States third, with \$142,670,000; Australia fourth, with \$117,150,000; and France fifth, with \$102,570,000. Russia, Belgium, South Africa and Holland took \$270,155,000 among them; Canada, \$37,-705,000; China, \$37,235,000, and Spain, \$17,530,000.

British exports in the five years from 1894 to 1898 inclusive, increased 61/2 per cent, and the imports increased 14 per cent. In that period the exports to the colonies rose from \$393,000,000 to \$450,000,000-a gratifying sign-and the colonial imports rose from \$470,000,000 to \$497,500,000. The year 1899 will show a marked advance in export trade.

Notwithstanding the excess of imports over exports, amounting to several billions of dollars in the five years, Great Britain imported \$140,000,000 more gold than she exported.

A Friendly Voice.

It is pleasant to hear a sane, friendly note above the cacophony in which our dear neighbors are indulging over Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the Dominion. The Chicago Times-Herald, the most influential Republican organ in the West, has been among the few United States newspapers which have treated the Alaskan boundary question judicially and with deference to Canadian claims. Most of the American journals content themselves with abusing and deriding Canada and Canadian statesmen and reminding us how insignificant we are in the eyes of the great republic. When Sir Wilfrid Laurier spoke of the alternatives of war or arbitration, and scouted the former idea as criminal and impossible, his words were maliciously distorted and he was accused of hinting at war with the United States. Sir Wilfrid's remarks were entirely calm and friendly, but he was laughed to scorn as a gasconading Lilliput challenging the giant Uncle Sam. Similarly he has been lampooned because a ludicrous interviewer from Washington represented him as saying that he might be insulted by the American people if he visited Chicago this fall. The Times-Herald thus refers to the episode:

"The newspapers that rushed precipitately into editorial censure of Sir Wilfrid Laurier on the strength of a yellow interview, which represented him in invitation to attend the Fall Festival in Chicago, are now put in a humiliating light by the comrepudiation of the interview, which, it will be remembered, was promptly discredited by the Times-

Herald at the time. The Canadian Premier had intended to maintain a dignified silence in regard to the interview, depending upon his reputation in this country as a gentleman of good breeding as a sufficient repudiation of the sentiments attributed to him by Mr. Fitzpatrick. Being forced to make some statement in regard to it, however, in answer to the question of an opposition member of parliament, the premier declared with much force and vigor that Mr. Fitzpatrick had put words in mouth for which he did not hold himself responsible, and that he had received no invitation from Chicago to take part in the demonstration proposed to be held in Chicago. . . . The affront to decency and good taste on the part of the one who was responsible for the interview is particularly censurable because of the fact that Sir Wilfrid Laurier, more than all his predecessors, has stood valiantly for a policy that means closer trade relations between the United States and

Canada. "Chicago and the West believe the Alaskan boundary dispute is a question for arbitration, and that it must be settled ultimately as the Venezuelan boundary question is now being settled by a court of arbitration sitting in

It will be seen that the Times-Herald's attitude toward the boundary question is identical with Canada's. It is a pity there are not more like the Times-Herald on the other side.

Manual Training Must Soon Come.

Mr. John Miller, M.A., the Deputy Minister of Education for Ontario, has been studying the system of technical education in massachusetts, the most advanced state of the union in educational methods. Manual training is obligatory there, in every city of over 20,000. In Boston alone there are 27 manual training schools, and 22 schools in which sewing and cooking are taught. These schools correspond to the high schools and collegiate institutes in this Province. Mr. Miller was highly impressed with the system, and goes so far as to recommend that "in all our cities and large towns the public school boards should provide instruction in sewing, cooking and manual training of an elementary character." Technical education, the corollary of manual training, may, in Mr. Miller's opinion, be carried on in the high schools, but it can be better done in separate buildings. This he also

We may expect soon to have an official pronouncement from the Department of Education on the subject of manual training and technical education. The local school board, too, may as well understand that domestic science, which it treated so contempt-

uously, is the complement of manual training, and that both of these courses must, sooner or later, be included in the curriculum. Preparatory to the instated, took the largest share; India novation the trustees should begin to tinker up a few progressive ideas. Other cities, without waiting for or-

> The West Indies seem to be the classic islands of the sugar cane and the hurricane.

The latest assessment returns show London's continued growth and prosperity, which were never more in evidence than now. The season has been marked by unusual activity in the building line.

The Free Press continues to reproduce with much pleasure every paragraph disparaging to London, that it can lay hands on. Our contemporary has tried hard to blacken the character of the city by exaggerating and coloring certain features of the street railway trou-

The Ottawa Citizen is quite ferocious over the railway grants, and thinks many of the subsidized railways will give the Government no services in return. Well, if the Government doesn't exact services from all the subsidized railways, then the Government is to blame.

The city of Montreal is about to issue debentures to the value of \$222,000 of \$50 each, and to any one who will purchase them at par. The rate of interest will be 31/2 per cent. "People who want the bonds," says a Montreal paper, "will have to write to the city treasurer saying how many shares they would like. Those who want small lots will be given the preference over those who want large lots. These letters will be opened on Sept. 15, when the loan will be divided up as per requests for it."

The immigration into Canada from Europe are largely a transitory population. Many of them soon get tired of the inhospitable climate, or are unable to find employment, for they cross the border and come to the United States. -Louisville Courier-Journal.

The Courier-Journal has been asleep for three years. Canada is now getting so many permanent European immigrants that some small-Canadians are growling. Not only that, but the Americans are pouring into the Northwest and making their homes there. By so doing they get into a better country and a better climate. Canada is above the blizzard line.

What Others Say.

An Important Issue. [Windsor Record.]

We are going to stick to that boundary line if only to save the reputation of our new two-cent "vaster empire"

The Corporation First. [Brantford Expositor.]

It is no secret to say that the conduct of the London city council in connection with the car drivers' strike has afforded unlimited profane laughter all over Ontario. The peace and good order of the community and the interests of the citizens seems to be of the very least importance so long as the street railway corporation is not hurt in its feelngs.

An Active Old Man. [Dundas Banner.]

Sir Charles Tupper is a pretty active old fellow, considering his age., He is

By warm shampoos with CUTICURA SOAP, followed by light dressings with CUTICURA, purest of emollient skin cures. This treatment will clear the cures. ment will clear the scalp and hair of crusts, scales, and dandruff, allay itching, scothe irritation, heal cruptions, stimulate the hair follicles, and supply the roots with nourishment and energy, thus producing a clean, wholesome scalp, with luxuriant, lustrous hair. lustrous hair.

Hair Came Out Freely. I had the typhoid fever after which my hair came out freely. My mother suggested that I use CUTICURA remedies. I did so, meeting with untold success. My hair grew in thicker than at first, after use of CUTICUPA SOAP and

CUTICURA (cintment). H. J. PATTERSON, 1905 W St., N. W., Washington, D. C. Bad Scalp Humor Cured. I had a bad scalp humor, and thought I would go frantic with itching. I lost considerable of my hair (of which I had an abundance, and was very proud). I tried several remedies but they all proved a failure. I tried CUTICUEA SOAP, found immediate relief, and the itching is all goae.
MRS. M. JUDAN, 246 Halliday St., Jersey City.

Bad Dandruff Cured. Dandruff made my hair fall out so bad I got discouraged. I rubbed CUTICUEA (ointment) well into the scalp twice a week, and shamwell into the scarp twice a week, and shampooed with warm water and a good lather of CUTICULA SOAP once a week. My hair is growing out thick once more, and free from dandruff. Miss ADA JAYES, Chelsen, Mass. Bold throughout the world. Porrus D. and C. Conr., Preps., Bosten. "How to Have Luxuriant Hair," free. SAVE YOUR SKIN Hands and Hair by Controlled Boars.

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RUNIANS, GRAY, CARRIE CO. 208, 210, 210½ and 212 DUNDAS STREET.

ders, have already introduced the elements of technical instruction in their Store News for Saturday & Monday public schools.

In addition to our Semi-Annual Discount Sale we submit a special list for Saturday and Monday. The sale discounts will remain the same for another week, while the Extra Specials are for the above two days only. The Basement Bargains, as usual, are attractive, also the Clothing and Shoe Lists. In fact, every department is in good shape for Saturday and Monday either with special discounts or special bargains.

Smallwares, Laces, Etc.

One lot White and Cream Lace, 1 to 6 inches wide, including Valenciennes, Torchon, Oriental, etc., regular 5c to 25c a yard, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF. One lot of Colored and Black Veiling, spots and plain, regular 15e, 20c and

25c a yard, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF. 25c a yard, assorted lot of Ladies' Handkerchiefs, plain and fancy edge, regular 10c, 15c, 20c, 30c, and 40c each, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-

QUARTER OFF. One lot of Shirt Waist Sets and Belt Buckles, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF.

Staple Department

Prints, Muslins, Ginghams, Etc. Scotch and Fancy Ginghams, in plaids and stripes, regular prices, 8c, 10c, 12%c and 15c, SPECIAL DISCOUNT

SALE ONE-EIGHTH OFF. Fine Scotch Ginghams and Zephyrs, 20c, 25c, 30c and 35c yard, SPE-CIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF.

Fancy Dress Muslins, including all the finest French Organdies, at 8c, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25e, 35c and 45c a yard, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF. 1,000 yards Fancy Ginghams, regular

price 121/2e a yard, during the sale, 200 White Honeycomb Quilts, regular price \$1 25 each, special 79c

White Honeycomb Quilts, extra size, regular price \$1 50, during the sale, each, 95c. pieces 62-inch Unbleached Table Linen, pure flax, our regular price 45c a yard, DISCOUNT SALE ONE-EIGHTH OFF.

pieces only, Bleached Table Linen, 64 inches wide, regular price 69c a yard, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-EIGHTH OFF. pieces only, Bleached Table Linen, 68 inches wide, regular price \$1 25 &

yard, during the sale 98c. Bleached Table Cloths, sizes 8x4, reg. ular price \$1, \$1 25, \$1 60 and \$2 each, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF. All Ends of Bleached and Unbleached Table Linens at reduced prices dur-

ing the special sale. Ladies' Skirts and Suits

Crash and Pique Skirts, one-quarter only Brown Covert Suit, lined

with silk, regular price \$35; sale price, one-half off\$17 50

1 only Covert Suit, lined with sateen, regular price, \$25; sale price, one-third off, Saturday and Monday\$13 33

1 only Navy Covert Suit, jacket linearly with block or in regular price.

with black satin, regular price, \$30; sale price, one-third off....\$20 00 1 only Navy Cloth Suit, jacket lined with cardinal satin, regular price, \$30; one-third off; sale price\$20 00

Hosiery and Glove Department

Very Special-Ladies' 4-Button White Chamois Driving Gloves, colored stitching, regular price, \$1. SPECIAL

Clasp Black, Tan and Terra Cotta Kid Gloves, regular 89c a pair, all sizes, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE, ONE-QUARTER OFF. Jammet's Celebrated 3-Clasp Kid Gloves, in cream, white and pearl-

gray, price \$1. DISCOUNT SALE, ONE-EIGHTH OFF. All Children's and Ladies' Fancy Cotton, Lisle and Cashmere Hoslery, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE, ONE-

Carpet Department

20 pieces Yard Wide Union Carpet, prices, 25c, 32c, 39c and 50c a yard, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-EIGHTH OFF.

pieces All-Wool Yard Wide Carpet prices, 65c, 75c and \$1 a yard, SPE-CIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE -OUARTER OFF. 70 pieces Tapestry Carpet at 40c, 50c,

60c, and 75c a yard, DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF. pieces only, Best English Brussels Carpet, \$1 and \$1 15 a yard, DIS-COUNT SALE ONE - QUARTER

75 pairs Lace Curtains, from \$1 50 to \$3 50 a pair, DISCOUNT SALE ONE-EIGHTH OFF. 125 pairs Fine Nottingham and Swiss

Lace Curtains, from \$5 to \$18 a pair DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER

Trimmed Roller Blinds and Cords, Loops, etc. ONE-QUARTER OFF.

Discount Sale of Silk

ONE-QUARTER OFF-This lot includes Colored & and Black Bengaline, at 75c and \$1 per yard.

Fancy Blouse Silk, at 69c, \$1, \$1 45 and \$1 65 a yard. DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF.

Special Bargains in Highclass SILKS during this

Clothing and Furnishing Department

Men's Linen Coats and Vests, regular price \$2 50 and \$3, one-quarter sizes, regular \$10 and \$12 each, sale price, one-quarter off .. \$7 50 and \$9 Boys' Two-Piece Suits, regular price \$2 50, sale price\$1 50 Men's Regatta Shirts, regular price \$1 and \$1 25, sale price59c Men's and Boys' Linen and Straw

Hats, from 25c to \$1, one-quarter Children's Print and Linen Blouses and Suits, discount sale, one-quarter off.

Children's Sailor Hats and Tams., from 25c to 75c each, sale price onequarter off.

Saturday and Monday in Basement

We sell no granulated sugar but REDPATH'S-21 pounds for\$1 00 2 bars of our special 3-pound bar Soap for 22c pound of our Cook's Delight Baking Powder, equal to any sold at 2 pounds Raisins for 15c DISCOUNT SALE, ONE-QUARTER |2 pounds Currants for 15c pound Lemon Peel for 15c packages Corn Starch for 25c 5 pounds Washing Starch for 250 Extracts in all flavors.

6 only Banquet Lamps, regular \$5 each; one-half off\$2 50 25 only Vase Lamps, assorted patterns and designs, \$2; one-half per Shakers, 10c each; one-half off 5c 50 dozen 6-inch White Plates, regu-

Whitewear and Corset Department

Only Ladies' White Muslin Gowns, trimmed with insertion and embroidery, regular \$1.75 each, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER

2 Only Ladies' White Muslin Gowns, trimmed with insertion and embroidery, regular price \$1 45 each, SPE-CIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF.

5 Only Ladies' Fine Muslin Gowns, trimmed with fine lace and embroidery, \$2 each, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF. Each Fine New York Gowns, trim-

med with embroidery, lace and insertion, our prices, \$6 50, \$4 50 and \$4, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF. Only Fine Muslin Skirts, embroidery

trimmed, regular price \$3 each, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF.
Only Fine Muslin Skirt, trimmed with Torchon lace, price \$2 50, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-

QUARTER OFF. Only Fine Muslin Skirt, trimmed

with Torchon lace and insertion, price \$3.75, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF. Only Fine Muslin Skirt, trimmed with insertion and embroidery, price \$2 75, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF.

1 Only Fine Muslin Skirt, trimmed with Valenciennes lace, price \$5, SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE ONE-QUARTER OFF.

Boot and Shoe Department

36 pairs Women's Chocolate Vict Kid, turn and welt soles, regular price, \$3 a pair; one-quarter off; Boots, regular \$3 per pair.....\$1 95 25 pairs Misses' Dongola M.S., patent tip, button boots, sizes 11 to 2,

regular price \$1 25 a pair, for 940 A few pairs We ien's and Misses' White Oxford Shoes, regular \$1 to to \$1 50 a pair; Saturday and Mon-boots, regular \$3 a pair, for \$1 70 Assorted lot of Men's Oxford Shoes, ..

all sizes, regular \$1 25 to \$2 50 a pair; Saturday and Monday75c to \$1 50

Dress Goods Department 10 pieces Figured Lustre and Satin

Cloth, 42 inches, black only; regular price 25c a yard, one-eighth

lar price 75c, 85c and \$1 a yard, one-quarter off56e, 64c and 75c pieces 42-inch Black Serge, heavy twill, regular 25c, one-eighth off.. 22c 25 Dress Lengths, 5½ to 7½ yards each, fancy blacks and black crepons, from \$1 to \$3 a yard, one-quarter off.

pieces Black Grenadine Dress Goods, regular 75c a yard; sale of Colored Dress Goods, Saturday and Monday, one-eighth, onequarter and one-half off See Our New Plaids, per yard 750 New Serges, black and colored, per yard, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c and 90c.

******* See Tables in Center of Store for Bargains in Blouses and Para-

sols during this sale.

The Runians, Gray, Carrie Co.

lar 50c a dozen; one-half off 25c

in his 79th year, but that has not deterred him from making another flying trip to the old country, whence he expects to return in six weeks. Not many ordinary men would care to make a trip across the Atlantic at the age of 79, but Sir Charles is far from being an ordinary man; indeed, he is an extraordinary man, and crosses the Atlantic with as little concern as most men feel about attending the annual township fair. His worst fault is his habit of exaggerating everything. But he is too old now to get over that

A Hint to Uncle Sam. [London Times.]

The Venezuelan arbitration now going on in Paris is a conspicuous affirmation of the principle of the United States, who in pressing us to arbitrate on a matter with which they had no direct concern have carried the principle perhaps further than is sanctioned by the general consent of nations. With that record behind them the United States can hardly refuse, nor can we believe that they will dream of refusing, to submit to arbitration a dispute which involves no question of national honor, and which turns entirely upon the interpretation of a treaty and the adjustment of purely

HELPING HIM ALONG. Author-So you decline to produce

Manager—Yes. It would be useless.
Author—Isn't the plot a good one? Isn't the dialogue bright? Manager—Oh, yes, but it's decent. Why don't you take a look around? See what plays are drawing the crowds. Then write another and I

may be able to use it. Chance gives us relations, but we

Light and Shade.

Patience-Don't you think Will has musical laugh? Patrice-Indeed, I do. I notice he always laughs when you try to sing .-Yonkers Statesman.

There's the horseless cab and the And the wireless telegraph shp; But no one as yet has shown the zeal To invent the trunkless trip. -Washington Star.

"Is getting caught unhealthy, mamma?" asked the little fish. 'Not always, my son. I've known sev eral of our tribe who increased 50 per cent in weight after they had been caught-Harlem Life.

"It makes me very weary," said the mosquito with a sigh, "to see the manner in which the American public allows itself to be carried away by a fad. Any old thing which comes along under a new name can create a furore. 'You talk as if you had a personal

grievance," said the moth. "I have. I have for years been stinging people so that their faces swelled up, but nobody puts my picture in the paper and calls me a 'kissing bug.' Washington Star.

A Good Test.

If you have backache and there are brick dust deposits found in the urine after it stands for 24 hours you can be sure the kidneys are deranged. To effect a prompt and positive cure and prevent Bright's disease, suffering and death, use Dr. A. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, the world's greatest kidney

AMERICAN INTEREST IN SHAKE

SPERE. The last report of the Shakespere Memorial Association of Stratford-on-Avon will be very interesting to Americans. It shows that of the 13,000 visitors to the memorial building last year one-quarter came from this country. Notwithstanding this flood of pilgrims to the shrine of Englishspeaking pilgrims, the American window in Trinity Church, Shakespere's burial-place, remains unfinished, and is in the same condition as when Mr. Bayard unveiled it several years ago. It is pathetically stated in a placard in the church that if every American visitor will give one dollar, the window will be completed in a short time. It is not a very great window, the opportunity for an important work not being presented by the space available in the transept. The Englishman who gave the window in the choir was abie to do much better by Shakespere's burial place than the Americans can possibly do. Still, the window is worthy example of modern glass, and it ought to be completed. Contributions, however, lag, as contributions for like purposes always will after the first outburst of enthusiasm is spent. Perhaps it would be best not to wait for the contributions of visiting Americans. They too often arrive at Stratford in the night, and leave by the noon train of the next day, seeing what they can through the windows of a cab.-Harper's Weekly.

THOSE LOVING GIRLS. Tody-Jennie tells me young Woodby proposed to her last night.

Viola—I don't think I know him. Is he well off?

Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it has done it will do again.

Tody-He certainly is. She refused

HAMILTON'S SEED STORE IS THE PLACE TO BUY BINDER TWINE.

Morrison Brandon & Golden Winnipeg

William Control of the Control of th Local Market.

London, Saturday, Aug 12. For Saturday, the offerings this morning were light. Many regular visitors say this summer's attendance has been comparatively small; in fact, much smaller than last year. Fruit was fairly active this morning, the prices being: Apples, 40c to 60c; black currants, slow, at 50c to 60c per basket; peaches, 40c to 75c per basket; plums, 70c to 85c per basket; huckleberries, 75c to 80c per basket, and tomatoes, 30c to 40c per basket. Butter is still on the incline, the wholesale price being up to 22 cents. Meat and poultry unchanged.

A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT. London, Saturday, Aug. 12.

Wheat, new, per bu66c to 66c
Wheat, white, per bu68c to 69c
Wheat, red, per bu67c to 69
Wheat, spring, per bu69c to 70
Oats, per bu
Peas, per bu
Corn, per bu391/4c to 403/4
Barley 381/2c to 40
Rye, per bu56c to 56
Beans, per bu
Grain deliveries were much bette
today. New wheat sold at \$1 10 to
\$1 12 and old at \$1 13 to \$1 15

Old black oats brought \$1 and white 98c; new oats sold at 90c to 92c. New barley sold at 80c to 82c.

Dressed and live hogs both advanced 50c per 100 pounds; \$5 was paid for live and \$6 50 for dressed. Young pigs were hard to sell; \$3 to \$4 was asked. Hay sold at \$7 50 to \$8, mostly the

latter. Quotations:			
GRAIN.		•	
Wheat, new. per 100 lbs 1	05	@	1 10
Wheat red fall per 100 lbs 1	13	60	1 15
Wheat, spring, per 100 los 1	15		1 18
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Out of the tree too too the tree to	90	0	1 00
Corn per 100 lbs	75	@	75
Corn per 100 lbs	80	@	82
Rye per 100 lbs	00 ·	@	1 00
Beans, per bu. PROVISIONS. Cheese, per lb. Eggs, single dozen. Eggs, fresh, basket, dozen	75	9	80
Cheese, per lb	10	@	12-
Eggs, single dozen	121/2	Q,	14
Eggs, fresh, basket, dozen	12	@	13
Eggs, fresh, store lots, doz Butter, pound rolls, baskets	12	@	22
Butter, lb. large rolls or crocks	19	a	20
Butter, lb, large rolls or crocks Butter, per lb, retail	22	(4)	23
Lard, per lb	9	0	10
VEGETABLES.	70	a	1 00
Potatoes, new, per bu	25	0	30
Turnips, new, per doz Vegetable Marrow, per dez	60	@	75
Green Corn, per doz	6	(4)	10
Green peas, per quart	10 25	0	30
Cabbage per dos	25	Q	50
Cauliflowers, per doz	75	0	1 00
Celery, per dozen	40	0	50
Cucumbers, per doa	15	0	25
Radishes, per doz. bunches Lettuce, per doz. bunches Onions, per doz bunches	15	@	20
Onions, per doz bunches	15	a	20
Beets, ber doz bunches	15	0	20
LIVE STOCK.	2	0	4
Hoga light per 100 lpg 5	00	0	5 00
Beef, per 1b. Hogs, light, per 100 lbs. Hogs, heavy, per 100 lbs. 2	50	0	4 50
Tikes, Journa, Dos Delli,	40	4	4 00
SOWS. DET 100 108	40	@	3 50
Spring Jucks, per pair	90	6	1 00
Ducks, per pair	40	6	65
Hens, per pair Hay AND SEED Hay per ton	40	@	55
HAY AND SEED	S.	_	0.00
Hay, per ton	00	8	8 00
Hay, per ton	TC	47	3 00
			61/2
Mutton, quarters, per lb	5	0	6
Veal, quarters, per lb	4		5
Mutton, quarters, per lb Veal, quarters, per lb Lamb, quarter	50	@	-6 50
Dressed bogs 100 lbs, heavy	6 00	0	6 00
Dressed hogs 100 lbs, heavy . 6 Hides, No. 1, per lb	. 7	0	7
Hides, No. 2, per lb	6	0	6
Hides, No. 3, per lb	8	6	8
Shoon Poits	15	9	15
Lambskins	20	0	25
Wool, washed, per lb. Wool, unwashed, per lb.	141		15
Wool, unwashed, per lb	8	(0)	9
Turkeys, per in	9	0	10
Geese, per lb		4	••

Oil Markets. PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 12.—Oil opened and osed today at \$1 27.
PETROLIA. Aug. 12.—Oil opened and ted at \$1 45.

English Markets.

ling prices for the past four market days-following table shows the quotations per al at Liverpool for the three previous ket days. In the case of wheat highest

es are green		ug.		ug.		ug.	1	
WHEAT-	-	_		-		-		
Red Winter	5	734	5	7	5	7	5	7
No. 1 Nor. Spring	5	11	5	11	.5	n		11%
Ne. 1 Cal	6	2	6	2	6	2	6	2
Aug	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	874
Sept	5	81/	5	814	5	848	5	9
Nov	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	101/2
Dec	5	914	5	97/3	5	1034	0	0
CORN-	1					200		
New	3	334	3	31/4	3	334	3	31/2
Old	1	414		4%	3		3	1
July		0	0	0	0	0	0	ō
Sept			3	- 11/6	3	416	3	356
Dept	2	1	3	11/2	3	412	2	
October	17	9	17	9	17	9	17	9%
Flour			5				1	9
Peas	5		50	9	30	9	10	
Pork	30	0					20	
Lard	38	0	28	0	28		48	
Tallow	23	0	33	6	33		13	
Bacon, light	30	6	31	6	30		31	. 0
Cheese, white,	45	6	45	6	145		15	6
Cheese, colored	46	0	146	6	146		116	6
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Wheat-Spot, st	00	de	20	ot ?	-	1 (Cal	60

to 6s 1d; No. 2 red western, winter, firm, 5s 71/d; No. 1 red northern spring, firm, 6s; spot ... 1 red northern, Duluth, steady, 5s 10d. Coon—Spot. American mixed new, steady, 2s 31/d; do, old, quiet, 3s 4d; futures, quiet, Sept., 3s 31/d; Oct. 3s 41/d; Dec., 5s 101/d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, dull, 7s 6d.
Peas—Western, 5s 101/d. Canadian, 5s 9d.
Beef—Steady; prime mess, 5ss; extra India mess, steady, 60s.
Pork—Firm; prime mess, fine western, 50s; do, medium, western, 42s 6d.
Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., firm, 53s 6d.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 2s to 30 lbs., firm, 35s; short ribs, 13 to 20 ibs, firm, 31s 6d; long clear middles, light, 30 to 35 lbs, firm, 31s; long clear middles, heavy, 25 to 40 lbs, strong, 30s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, firm 2s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 33s 6d.
Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 29s.
Lard—American refined in pails, steady, 28s 3d; prime western, in tierces, steady, 27s 6d.
Cheese—American finest white, firm, 46s; colored, firm, 47s; do, old, firm, 46s 6d; ordinary, new, 43s 6d.
Butter—Finest American, 90s; good, 63s.
Tallow—Prime city, firm, 23s 6d; Australian, London, steady, 25s 3d.
Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, nominal.
Hops—At London (Pacific coast), nominal, 24 6s to £4 15s.
Turpentiae spirits—Strong, 37s.
Rosin—Common, steady, 4s.

Turpentine spirits—Strong, 37s.
Rosin—Common, steady, 4s.
Petroleum—Refined, 6½d. Linseed oil-22s 9d.

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St. Thomas, Aug. 9.—Wheat (old), per bu; 70c; wheat, new, 65c; oats, new, 30c; oats, old, 32c to 35c; peas, 50c to 60c; barley, 35c to 40c; rye, 50c; corn, 45c to 50c; beans, 70c; flaxseed, per cwt, \$2 45 American Markets.

CHICAGO, Aug. 11—Opening—Wheat, Sept.; 69%c to 69%; Dec. 71%c to 72c; May, 75c to 75%c. Corn Sept., 30%c to 30%c; Dec., 28%c to 28%c; May, 29%c. Oats, May, 21%c to 21%c; Sept., 19%c; Dec., 19%c to 195%c. Pork, Sept., 88 22%. Oct., \$8 27%. Lard. Oct., \$5 25. Ribs, Oct., \$5 02%; Sept., \$4 97%.

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.-Wheat got well above the 70c mark today, closing strong at an advance of 1%c. The bullish government crop report was the main factor in the smamble for cover which took place, and which at one time advanced the price 21/4c. Corn, oats and provisions were all pulled out of a hole by the strength of wheat, corn and oats closing a shade higher, and provisions 2½c to 7½c higher. Wheat started with an advance of % to %c for September, opening trades in that option being made at 69%c to 69%c. Bull news for the first time in weeks was of in the government figures on the condition of spring wheat. They showed a decline of 8.1 points in the condition, suggesting a crop of 235,000,000 bushels. This would indicate a decrease of 60,000,000 bushels-a shortage too great to be overlooked even in the present apathetic condition of trading. To add to the strength of the situation, reports from the Northwest told of serious and widespread damage by yesterday's hailstorm in the Dakotas and Minnesota, and Northwest receipts showed a marked falling off. Cables. however, were rather disappointing. The opening advance was looked upon by a majority of the older traders as sufficient, considering the news, and considerable selling followed, under which September slowly declined to 691/4c. Offerings were all absorbed so quickly, in fact, that although a period of dullness followed the decline to 691/4c. some of the early sellers attempted to cover shortly after noon. Then it developed that the market was heavily oversold. Offerings were scarce, and

apparently the attitude of the whole trade element changed within a few minutes. In the next half-hour the buying developed into a regular scramble among shorts to cover, and the ra-pidity with which prices shot up caught many heavily. Northwest receipts were 115 cars, against 305 last week, and 99 a year ago. Chicago receipts were 53 cars, 14 of contract grade. Total receipts were 476,000 bushels, against 436,-000 bushels last year. Atlantic port clearances amounted to 320,000 bushels. There was a better cash demand for all grades of wheat, and 60,000 bushels were reported worked here.

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The leading future: closed as follows: Wheat CNo. 2. Sept., 70½c; Dec., 73½c; May, 76½c. 2 orn—No. 2. Sept., 30½c to 30½c; Dec., 28½c to 18½c; May, 29½c to 29½c. Oats—No. 2 Sept., 9½c to 19½c; Dec., 19½c; May, 21½c to 21½c. Pork—Sept., \$8 25; Oct., \$8 30. Lard—Sept., \$5 25; Oct., \$5 27½. Short ribs—Sept., \$5 02½; Oct., \$5 05. Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, dull; No. 3 spring wheat, 68c to 69½c; No. 2 red. 70½c to 71½c; No. 2 corn, 31½c to 31½c; No. 2 yellow corn. 31½c to 32c; No. 2 oats, 20½c to 21½c; No. 3 white, 22½c to 24½c; No. 2 rye, 53½c; No. 2 barley, 34c to 35½c; No. 1 flax-seed, 32 45 to \$2 47½; mess pork, \$7 50 to \$8 25; lard. \$5 05 to \$5 25; short rib sides, loose, \$4 80 to \$5 10; dry salted shoulders, boxed, 5½c to 5½c; short clear sides, boxed. \$5 30 to \$5 35; sugars, cut loaf. \$6 02; granulated. \$5 50; clover, contract grade, \$6 30 to \$6 35; eggs, steady, fresh, 12½c to 12½c.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 10.000 bbls; wheat, 46.000

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RECEIPTS—Flour, 10,000 bbls; wheat, 46,000 bushels; corn, 300,000 bushels; oats, 400,000 bushels els: rye, 9,000 bushels; barley, 8,000 bushels.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 13,000 bbls; wheat, 34,000 bushels; corn, 620,000 bushels; oats, 398,000 bushels; barley, 54,000 bushels. The Dairy Markets.

MONTREAL, Aug. 11.-Cheese, 91/20 to 10½c. Butter—Townships, 19c to 21c; western, 14c to 16c. WINCHESTER, Ont., Aug. 11.—The price of cheese reached the top notch here this forenoon, when the board was cleared at 101/4c; there were 545 boxes registered, 395 colored and 150 white;

farmers are in jubilant spirits. PERTH, Ont., Aug. 11.—There were 1,750 boxes of white cheese on the market today of July make, and all sold

for 101/4c. NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—Butter firm; western creamery, 16c to 19½c; factory, 13c to 15c; imitation creamery, 13c to 15c; state dairy, 13½c to 17½c; do, creamery, 16c to 19½c. Cheese quiet, large white and colored, 94c to 91/2c; small white, 91/4c to 91/2c; small colored

CHICAGO, Aug. 11 .- Butter firm: creameries, 131/2c to 181/2c; dairies, 12c to 16c. Cheese firm, at 91/4c to 10c. KEMPTVILLE, Ont., Aug. 11.-Eight hundred cheese offered on the board to-day; all sold at 10%c to the usual buy-

BRANTFORD, Ont., Aug. 11.-At the cheese market today 2,120 boxes were offered, of which 1,470 were sold, viz.: 155 at 9%c, 300 at 9 15-16c, 1,015 at 10c. IROQUOIS, Ont., Aug. 11.-At the cheese board today 774 cheese were boarded, 66 being white; the price offered was 101/se; looking for 101/se; 212 cheese sold on the board at 101/se, the balance being unsold at the close, but will probably be sold on the street,

OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 11.-Cheese sold here at 10%c for white and 10%c for colored; this is the highest price ever obtained here for cheese; there were 1,389 white and 401 colored boarded; all sold; the Imperial Produce Company, of Toronto, bought here for the first time: there was a deadlock for nearly an hour between buyers and sellers, the factories holding out for 101/2c.

SOUTH FINCH, Ont., Aug. 11.-Regular meeting of South Finch cheese board; number of cheese boarded, 1,283 -868 white, balance colored; price offered on board, 10%c; none sold; fac-torymen looking for more.

Live Stock Markets. TORONTO, Aug. 11.—A slight stir at the opening of the western cattle mar-ket this morning promised that the

closing day of the week would prove more satisfactory, than the first days, but although prices remained steady, with a trifling inclination to rise, by noon the market fell back, the best stock having been selected, poorer grades not being in demand. Export cattle—The demand is for choice stock; poorer grades can be said at much repoorer grades can be sold at much reduced prices, but the amounts paid for extra selections have been, on the whole, satisfactory. Shippers are not pressed in supplying the outside marset, and therefore overlook, to a certain extent, the medium grades that at other times receive more attention. The average price for choice lots was about \$4 75 per cwt, but in several instances better prices were paid. The inclination was raise. There is a demand for good big feeders weighing about 1,000 to 1,100 lbs. The market shows a scarcity in this line, and a number of buyers are looking for such. Butchers' cattle—There was a fair demand for the very best stock, but the medium and poorer specimens were not wonted. One or two sales were made at about 4c, or probably a fraction better per lb, but such prices were rare. Sheep and lambs—Market steady, prices about same, sales at \$3 50 to \$3 90 per cwt; spring lambs were firm, at \$4 to \$4 50 each. Bucks are not in good demand. Hogs, fairly good seed run; prices the same for many lightweight hogs on market. A better sale can be effected with stock averaging over 160 lbs a head; there were on the market 57 loads, made up of 900 cattle, 800 sheep and lambs, 1,300 hogs and 60 calves. Crawford & Co. bought a load of 1,500-lb exporters for \$4 25 per cwt, and paid \$4 75 per cwt for one lot of 1,230 lbs of the same class. They sold some heavy butchers' cows, averaging 1,050 lbs each, for \$3.70 per cwt. and several loads of stockers at about \$2 75, and for choice selections \$3 25 per cwt. The same company sold a lot of 1,200-lb export cattle for \$4 25 per cwt. A. Maybee paid \$4 75 for a load of export cattle weighing 1,200 lbs each. He bought a lot from R. Cassack, of St. Thomas, paying \$4 35 per cwt, the load averaging 1,223 lbs each. He bought from J. Brunt, of Hanover, some 1,200-lb shippers at \$4 55 per cwt, and 21 cattle averaging 1,185 lbs each, for \$4 25. Crawford and Me-Lellan paid \$4 20 per cwt for an extra choice lot of 1,100-1b butchers' cattle. Mr. Ventzon got a load of butchers' cattle, good weight, for \$3 20 per cwt. They weighed nearly as much as the ones that brought \$1 per cwt more. H. Dean paid as high as \$5 10 per cwt for two loads of extra choice 1,275 lb export cattle. He bought another lot 25 lbs lighter for \$4 87½ per cwt, and a lot 25 lbs lighter than the second for plentiful, but all else was lost sight \$4.60 per cwt. The same buyer bought a of in the government figures on the medium load for \$4 per cwt. James Rowantree bought from J. Ellworthy, of Collingwood, a load of 950-lb butchers' cattle at \$3 60 per cwt. W. Levock paid \$5 per cwt less \$20 back on the total, for a choice lot of 1,300-lb exporters.

EAST BUFFALO, Aug. 11.—Cattle— The offerings were one load, which sold in bunches at steady unchanged prices. Calves were in moderate supply, fair demand, and steady; choice to extra were quotable at \$6 to \$6 25; good to choice, \$5 75 to \$6. Sheep and lambs— There was a fair general demand for sheep and lambs—20 loads, and prices ruled steady at the quoted figures; spring lambs, choice to extra, \$6 to \$6 25; good to choice, \$5 75 to \$6; common to fair, \$4 75 to \$5; sheep, choice to extra, \$4 75 to \$5; good to choice, \$4 50 to \$7 50. Hogs—The total offerings were 35 loads; the market opened steady on good corn-fed light hogs, but weak and lower on the grassers of all kinds; corn Yorkers of 140 to 160 lbs average sold at \$4 95; mixed medium, 170 to 220 lbs, \$4 90; heavy hogs, \$4 70, and very slow, packers not want-\$3 90 to \$4; stags, \$3 40 to \$3 50; Michigan grass Yorkers, \$4 70 to \$4 80; grass medium, \$4 55 to \$4 65; heavy grassers. \$4 50, and not wanted; grass pigs, \$4 65 to \$4 75.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.-Beeves-Receipts, 2,670; 28 cars on sale; active and firm; steers and fat cows, 10c higher; firm; steers and fat cows, 10c higher; all sold; steers, \$5.25 to \$5.90; oxen, \$3.50 to \$4.25; bulls, \$2.95 to \$3.50; cows, \$2.20 to \$4.40; cables firm. Exports, 574 cattle, 100 sheep and 4,040 quarters of beef; tomorrow, 850 cattle and 4,929 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 35; firm and higher; good veals, \$7.50; culls, \$4.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,172; 1944 cars on sale; sheep steady; good 19½ cars on sale; sheep steady; good lambs steady; others slow; about all sold; sheep, \$3 to \$4 75; lambs, \$5 35 to \$7; culls, \$4 35 to \$4 50; no choice lambs Performed by Wireless Telehere. Hogs-Receipts, 1,900; one deck on sale; steady; Michigan pigs, grassers, \$485.

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—There was a better run of cattle today than is usual on Friday, but the demand was good, and only commoner grades showed any weakness; good to fancy cattle sold at \$5.60 to \$6.20; commoner grades bringing \$4 50 to \$5 55; stockers and feeders sold \$4 50 to \$5 56; stockers and feeders sold at \$4 35 to \$4 85; bulls, cows and heifers, \$2 to \$5 35; Texas steers, \$3 75 to \$5 80; calves, \$4 to \$7 15. The market for hogs was weak, and not especially active; heavy hogs, \$3 90 to \$4 62½; mixed, \$4 20 to \$4 55; light, \$4 45 to \$4 80; pigs, \$3 50 to \$4 60; culls, \$2 to \$3. The demand for sheep and lambs was rather animated, and prices were steady for all grades; sheep sold at \$2 to \$3 for culls, up to \$4 50 to \$4 75 for choice native; lambs ranged from \$4 to \$5 65 for ordinary grades, up to \$6 to \$650 for the best. Receipts—Cattle, 3,000; hogs, 15,000; sheep, \$7,000.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, Aug 11.—American and Canadian steers are firm today in the London and Liverpool markets.

CONFIRMED BY MR. TUTTLE.

A Brantford Man Testifies That Dodd's Kidney Pills Will Cure Permanently.

Brantford, Aug. 7.-R. S. Tuttle, proprietor of the American Hotel here, re-ceived a letter lately from a Toronto gentleman, asking whether his cure of Bright's Disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills had been permanent or not. It seems the writer is especially interested in Kidney Diseases, and their cure, and was anxious to ascertain if Dodd's Kidney Pills cured these complaints permanently.

Mr. Tuttle's reply read as follows: Brantford, May 31, 1899. Dear Sir,—Yours of the 25th received and in reply would say that Dodd's Kidney Pills have done me any amount of good. The cure has been entirely satisfactory. Yours truly,

R. S. TUTTLE.

Mr. Tuttle had Bright's Disease for ix years, and used five boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

A bird in the bush is worth two in the hand-from the bird's point of view. If all flesh is grass, cannibals must be vegetarians.

LIFE SAVED .- Mr. James Bryson LIFE SAVED.—Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs and was given up by physicians, A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trou'de with the best results. Acting on this advice I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me: I certainly believe it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me good

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As usual after a big season's trade in Whitwear, we find in stock a number of pieces slightly soiled handling-otherwise perfect goods. These we have decided to clear at greatly reduced prices. Among the lot are Ladies' Gowns, Skirts, Corset, Covers and Drawers, Children's Dresses, Pinafores and Infants' Robes. It will open your eyes to read the following list.

Children's Pinafores at Half Price.

Five were 25c each, now 12 1-2c; four were 35c each, now 17c; seven were 50c each, now 25c; fourteen were 75c each, now 37 1.2c. Don't think of missing these bargains.

Children's Dresses at Half Price.

Eight were 60c each, now 30c; fourteen were 95c each, now 47c; six were \$1 each, now 50c; seventeen were \$1 10 each, now 55c; three were \$1 25 each, now 62c; thirteen were \$2 25 each, now \$1 12 1-2c; two were \$2 50 each, now \$1 25. Remember, only the quantities given will be sold at these prices.

Infants' Robes at Half Price.

One was \$2, now \$1; four were \$3 50 each, now \$1 75; one was \$5, now \$2 50; of each, now \$1 75; was \$3 95, now \$1 97. There are more people in London wanting these garments than we can supply at these prices. Be early.

Ladies' Gowns.

Four were 75c and 85c, now 5oc each; sixteen were \$1.25 and \$1.35, now 89c each; nine were \$1.75 to \$2.00, now \$1.25 each; one was \$2.75, now \$1.37; three were \$1.00 each, now 75c; seven were \$2.50 to \$3.00, now \$1.50 each; one was \$4.50, now \$1.95.

Drawers.

Two were 85c, now 45c each; two were \$1.00, now 50c each; two were \$1.35, now 67c each; two were \$1.25, now 69c each.

Corset Covers.

MOSTLY LARGE SIZES.

Two were 50c, now 20c each; two were 45c and 50c, now 25c; five were 65c, now 32c each; four were 75c each, now 37 1/2c; eight were 65c to \$1.00, now 50c each; two were \$1.25, now 69c each.

Skirts.

Twelve were \$1.50 to \$2.00, now \$1.19 each; four were \$1.35, now 89c each; five were \$2.75, now \$1.69 each. Also a few others equally as cheap but not mentioned in the list.

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STRANGE DEEDS

graphy in England.

M. Marconi's Experiments on a British Warship.

The Rev. J. M. Bacon and Messrs. J. N. and N. Maskelyne, the well-known wizard of the Egyptian Hall, London, England, have recently carried out a series of interesting experiments in wireless telegraphy with a balloon. As is well known the safety of the navi-gator and his vessel frequently depend upon the warnings conveyed from time to time by sound. It has been found at sea that there appears to be something irrational in connection with the signals which are heard. Fog signals and sirens seem to behave in the most unaccountable manner. Zones of silence are experienced in which the warning signals cannot be heard, al-though the vessel may be close upon the rocks, the presence of which the warning is intended to indicate. kinds of abnormal deviations in the apparent direction from which a sound emanates are noticed. In short, the mariner is brought face to face with all the peculiarities of atmospheric acous-

Recent experiments were devised with the object of ascertaining precisely what is the nature of these pe-culiarities, and what are the conditions under which they are observed. When these results have been secured scientists will be in a position to provide a remedy for the errors alluded to. The balloon ascent was made from Newbury at 6 in the evening. It rose rapidly, drifted away in the di-rection of Reading, and was quickly lost to sight in the clouds, from which it did not emerge for some minutes, when it appeared as a speck in the distance. In the meantime Mr. N. Maskelyne transmitted several messages to the occupants of the balloon, who gave signals that they had been received. The first message sent was, "Come back; you have my stop-watch," rapidly followed by another, "Beg pardon, Maunder has it. Oh, these astronomers!" Heavy guncotton cartal ridges suspended below the car of the balloon were fired from the electric station on the ground when the balloon was some miles distant, and there were similar discharges from the electric station which shook the ground.

Another experiment was the firing of a powder magazine electrically from a distant point without contact, the firing point being the transmitting station, between which and the balloon communication was maintained when the ascent took place. The object of this experiment was to give practical demonstration of the possibility of utilizing the principle of etheric communication in time of war to explode mines and similar destructive contrivances, the only connection neces-sary being through the medium of the all-pervading ether. The advantage of obtaining further light on the value this system are that there would be no of wireless telegraphy for scouting

connecting wires to be cut by an connecting wires to be cut by an enemy, nothing which could fall into French P. D. Corsets. their hands, while nothing which could prevent the communication from being established at the right moment. The initial experiment proved a per-fect success. Mrs. Mackarness, wife of the Recorder of Newbury, touched a button attached to the powerful in-strument in the electric station, with the result that at a distance of 400 yards from the magazine the structure was instantly blown into atoms. Mr. Maskeiyne explained that a similar result could have been obtained with the same instruments at a distance of ten miles. Messages were afterward transmitted from the electric station to the receiving station with entire

Among naval officers there seems to be a tendency to believe that the pos-sible benefits of the new system have been much exaggerated, but all admit that if one speedy cruiser, twenty miles distant from the rest of her division, can signal the enemies' approach, an enormous advantage will have been obtained. Neither flags nor sema-phores can be relied upon at this long range, and when the weather is foggy the steam siren cannot generally be trusted over one or two miles. So far the experiments have been

very satisfactory, but not yet to such an extent that the displacement of the old methods can be said to be in sight. But when the maneuvers are over it is expected that sufficient evidence will have been collected whereon to base a fairly accurate estimate of the exent to which wireless telegraphy, in present state of development, can be profitably employed in time of war. Important experiments are also being carried on on board the war ves-sels forming the fleets in the present naval maneuvers. Signor Marconi is on board the Juno, in Milford Haven Bay, busy at work with Capt Jackwho has long studied the subject of wireless telegraphy in the navy. But great secrecy is maintained as to his doings. It is a tradition of the British navy that no information can be given regarding even the most innocent experiments until full information has been laid before the admiralty. Unlike most guests on her Majesty's

vessels. Mr. Marconi does not take his meals in the wardroom, but in the captain's cabin. He passes most of the day in work, and does not speak on business matters to any one except the commander, who understands the new system in every detail. At first the receiving instrument was fixed in the chart room on the Juno, but in order to secure greater comfort and privacy for the famous inventor it has been transformed to his private apartment. Still, a good deal of information is obtainable. The two extreme vessels of the fleet lying in Milford Haven are in satisfactory communication by means of wireless telegraphy. distance covered is less than five miles. The message as received on the tape is exceedingly clear and legible, where-as an error, which may lead to endless difficulty, is a risk on which one must

always count when the medium employed is neerly a string of flags. It is now desired to extend the range of action, especially for the purpose of obtaining further light on the value



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O, gentle poet, you who sing Your sweet songs day by day, How oft your hopeful caroling Has driven care away! And yet why should a gleeful note Pervade your every song, Since you must lay aside your coat And toil the whole day long?

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Yesterday's				
Ulose.	Open.	High.	Low. S	p.m.
Atcheson 205%	20%	21	201/8	21
Atcheson Pfd 63%	6314	64%	63	64
N. Y. Gas 1564	179%	181	1791/2	181
Brooklyn Tran 114%	114%	115	11334	1143/4
Canada Pacific	/4			
C., B. & Q 1361/	136 %	137 %	1351/2	137 %
C., B. & Q136½ C. & N W Chicago Gas,120¾	.00,6			
Chicago Gas 12034	120%	1205%	119%	120%
Gen. Electric	/-	/.		
Jersey Central118	11734	1131/	1171/2	11814
K. & T., Pfd 381/2	381/	38%	38	385
L & N 75	741/2	751/8	743%	75
Manhattan117%	1171/8	1181/9	1171/8	117%
Metropolitan St. 2085?	209	2091/4	209	209
Mo. P 481/2	481/4	48%	48	483/
N. Y. Central139	13854	139%	1381/2	139
Northern Pacific 7714	7778	771/8	771/8	174
Ont & Western. 2614	2636	2614	261/3	261
P. M 47	46%	4736	46%	473
B. I	11834	119%	11814	1195
Reading 61	6034	61 1/2	6034	611
St. Paul 131 1/4	1315/8	13234	131	1324
Southern Ry, Pfd 53%	521/4	52%	51%	623
T. C. I 8244	83	86	821/4	86
U. Pacific 77%	7734	775%	771/2	175
W. U 90	90	904	90	901
TRUSTS:				
Lead 331/4	323/4	33	321/4	33
Leather 74%	74%	75	741/2	747
Sugar1631/8	162%	163 7/8	162	1635
Federal Steel 5934	601/4	601/2	601/4	703
Rubber				
Rubber	6114	62	601/4	62
Tobacco 11514	115%	117	1151/8	1165
Continental 46	46	4634	15%	463

Toronto Produce Market.

Toronto, Aug. 12.-Very little business done in wheat; prices unchanged. New oats selling at 28c to 29½c. Flour is firmer; straight roller, \$3 per bbl, or \$2 65 to \$2 80 in bags for export. Corn and peas nominal. Eggs easy, at 12c to 12½c. Potatoes—Canadian, 40c per bu. Butter—Steady and good demand; dairy tubs, choice, 14c to 15c; small dairy prints, 15c to 16c; creamery tubs boxes, 181/2c to 19c.

American Markets.

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—Opening—Wheat, Sept., 70½c to 70½c; Dec., 72½c to 72½c; May, 75½c to 76c. Corn, Sept., 36½c to 36½c; May. 29½c to 28½c; Dec., 25½c to 28½c. Oats, May, 21½c; Sept., 19½c; Pork, Jan., \$9 20; Oct., \$8 32½. Lard. Oct., \$5 30; Dec., \$5 35; Jan., \$6 42½. Ribs, Oct., \$5 05.

\$6 42%. Ribs, Oct., \$5 05.

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—Closing—Wheat, Sept., 70%c; Bec., 73%c; May, 76%c. Corn. Aug., 31%c; Sept., 39%c; to 30%c; Dec., 28%c; May, 29%c to 29%c. Oats. Aug., 20%c; Sept., 19%c to 19%c; Dec., 19%c to 19%c; May, 21%c. Pork. Aug., \$8 25; Sept., \$8 30; Oct., \$3 37%; Dec., \$8 40; Jan., \$9 45. Lard—Aug., \$5 22%; Sept., \$5 25; Oct., \$5 30; Dec., \$5 37%; June, \$5 45. Ribs—Aug., \$5 02%; Sept., \$5 25; Oct., \$5 30; Dec., \$5 30; Dec., \$5 30; June, \$5 45. Ribs—Aug., \$5 02%; Sept., \$5 05; Oct., \$5 07%; Jan., \$4 90.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Flour—Receipts, 31,602; sales, 2,500; state and western quiet but firm; Rye flour steady; good to fair, \$2 90 to \$3 10; choice to fancy, \$3 15 to \$3 30. Wheat—Receipts, sales, 1,300,000; options opened steady, rallied sharply on a sudden scare of shorts; May, 80%c to 81%c; Sept., 75%c to 76½c; Dec., 78c to 78%c. Rye firm; state, 55½c; No. 2 western, ceipts, 127,725; sales, 150,000; options opened easy with wheat, but subsequently improved on big weekly clearances and covering. Butter-Receipts, 4.332; Cheese-Receipts, 2,795; quiet, but firm: large white, small white, and large colored, 9%c to 9%c; small colored, 9%c to 9%c. Eggs—Receipts, 4,-852; firm. Sugar firm; fair refining, 4c; refined quiet and steady. Coffee dull. Hops steady. Lead quiet; bullion price, \$3.45; exchange, \$4.60 to \$4.62½. Potatoes

BUFFALO, Aug. 12.-Spring wheat-No. 1 northern, 771/4c. Winter wheat— No. 2 red, nominally 72c. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 371/4c; No. 3 yellow, 37c; No. 2 corn, 36%c. Oats—No. 2 white, 25c to 25%c; No 3 white. 24c to 24%c; No. 2

DETROIT, Aug. 12.-Wheat-No. 1 white, cash, 72c; No. 2 red, cash, 72c; Sept., 734c; Dec., 76c.

TOLEDO, Aug. 12.—Wheat—Cash and Aug., 71c; Sept., 72%c; Dec., 75%c; Corn—Sept., 33%c. Oats—Sept., 20%c. MILWAUKEE, Aug. 12.-Wheat-Cash, 72%0.

Chicago Exchange.

Board of Trad broker, Masonic				
	Open	High.	Low	Close.
Wheat-Sept	703/	711/8	701/	707%
Dec	725%	731/2	72%	733%
Corn-Sept	BU5/8	30 74	305%	30%
Dec	291/2	285%	281/8	281/2
Oats - Sept	195%	1914	1914	195
/ Dec	195%	19%	195%	195/8
Pork-Sept 8		8 32	8 20	8 30
Oct 8		8 40	8 27	8 37
Lard-Sept 5		5 27	5 20	5 25
Oct 5		5 50	5 25	5 30
Ribs-Sept 5		5 05	4 97	5 02
Oct 5		5 07	5 02	5 07

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THE COAL SUPPLY. Of the 650,000,000 tons of coal which constitute the entire world's supply, one-third is taken from the coal mines of the United States. The British Isles produce 218,000,000 tons, Germany 124,-000,000, and the other European nations make up, a few million tons each, the rest. Spain contributes but 20,000 .-000 to the sum total, which is not sufficient for even home consumption. China, though rich in natural deposits, mines but little of her coal because of

at least 25 per cent. Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

her use of primitive methods. It is

prophesied that the introduction of

fields will send up her coal supply

British mechanical appliances in Chin-

Latest Probabilities

Toronto, Aug. 12-10 a.m.-Probabilities for the lower lakes region for the next 24 hours. Fresh to strong winds, shifting to

west and northwest; decidedly warm today, with some local showers or thunderstorms, turning cooler tonight. Sunday, fair and cooler.

-The street railway company gave another incomplete service last night. -Mrs. J. Hutton, who was visiting friends in Kincardine, has returned

-Miss Ethel Burns, of Craig street, is at Woodbine Cottage, Grand Bend, the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Jones.

-Mrs. Fred Wheeler, city, acoms panied by her two children, left today on a two weeks' visit to Leamington. -Mrs. Mara, accompanied by Miss Mary Mara, are in St. Marys, attend-ing the marriage of her niece, daughter of Barrister Harding.

-Mr. and Mrs. T. P. McCormick have returned from their wedding trip to the Pacific coast. They will reside at 294 Wolfe street.

-The L. E. and D. R. R. will run another of their popular excursions to Port Burwell Monday, Aug. 14, St. Thomas civic holiday.

ronto, and Miss Nellie Oldreive, of St. Thomas, are the guests of Mrs. Jos. Gibbens, Colborne street. -The employes of the Bennet Manu-

-Mrs. Mary Gibbens and son of To-

facturing Company are picnicking at Dorchester today. The fast express stopped at Dorchester to accommodate -Mr. Will Douglas, of the London Street Railway office staff, left for

Montreal this afternoon to take a posi-

tion in the Montreal Street Railway -Mr. Frank Morrison, of Washington, D. C., secretary of the American Federation of Labor, was in the city today. He has been visiting his par-

ents at Walkerton, Ont. -An endeavor was being made today to obtain signatures to a document, pledging all who could be got to sign, to ride on the street cars. The lists are being circulated in the interest of the street railway company.

-Miss L. Blanche Abbott, of the teaching staff of this city, left this morning for Hamilton, to take the water trip via steamer Persia, and will go to Ottawa for the opening of the fall term at the Normal School

-The Bobcaygeon Independent says: Among the many tourists who camped on Jacob's Island, on the Kawartha Lakes, are Messrs. W. W. Kerr, Lon-don; A. Parsons, W. Davidson, To-ronto; W. Ingram, Sacramento, Cal., H. Mulligan, Jas. Sherwood, E. Dancey,

—A general rally of all the city Christian Endeavor Societies will be held in the Talbot Street Baptist Church on Aug. 28, under the auspices of the London Local Union. Rev. Canon Richardson will give an ad-dress on the recent Detroit international convention.

-Relief Inspector Bell issued railway passes to take Fred and Rupurt Savage, aged 10 and 12 years, to To-ronto this morning. The boys said their father left them two years ago, and that their mother went to Toronto recently. They had been living with an aunt since their mother went away. THE STRIKERS PAID.

All the street railway strikers were paid their full week's allowance last night. The executive has inaugurated the system of keeping a week's funds in advance in the treasury. The men are receiving hearty financial support, and say the outlook in that respect is most promising. President Mahon yesterday sent a check for \$100 to the local

A CLEVER LONDON BOY.

Mr. Arthur J. Stringer, son of Mr. H. A. Stringer, South London, leaves for New York today, after spending two or three restful weeks at Port Stanley. Mr. Stringer has earned well-deserved success in literary work in New York. For one so young he has achieved a high standing. He is a regular contributor of prose and poetry to several of the leading magazines, and is steadily climbing up the slope. His London friends note his success with great pleasure.

CHARGED WITH HIGHWAY ROB-BERY.

Wm. Smith and James Alliday, two South End youths, were charged at the police court this morning with having robbed Mr. J. J. Wright of \$7. It is alleged that the two prisoners met the complainant on Bathurst street at about 3 o'clock this morning, and while one held him the other took the money from his pocket. The prisoners were remanded until Friday. P. C. McDonald arrested the youths.

A drunk was allowed to go.

BREAKFAST DELAYED. The men employed by Contractor Grant to remove the waterworks dam started work two hours late yesterday morning because of a misunderstanding the cook had with Mr. Grant. The latter being unaware of certain arrangements made by the foreman with the cook regarding the supply of provisions and some things, on the strength of which the cook decided to leave. This occurred before breakfast and a tie-up resulted. The men had to eat before they would go to work, and it was a couple of hours before the misunderstanding with the cook was set right.

A HEAVY BLOW

Severe Loss on the 'Pinos.

Manila, Aug. 11. - General MacArthur's troops remained last night at Galulet. The rebels had evidently fied far beyond rifle range, for the American outposts were not disturbed and not a shot was fired during the night. Everything indicates that the rebels

have scattered for miles in every direc-The insurgents lost heavily in the fighting around Galulet. It is believed that 100 were killed and 300 or 400 wounded. The Iowa regiment killed 30 in one place, and one company of the Seventeenth suddenly encountered party of rebeis in a trench and killed 12. The American loss was 5 killed and

31 wounded, including 3 officers. INSURGENTS SURPRISED. The attack was a complete surprise to the insurgents. A majority of the Filipinos were asleep when the attack was made. Men with large bells were heard running among the shacks arous-ing the soldiers.

THE HORSE BECAME UNRULY

Frightened by a Belt Line Car and Ran Away.

Rig With Five People in It Upset-Mrs. J. D. Hull Seriously Injured.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hull, who reside four miles west of Byron, drove to the city this morning, bringing with them their guests, Messrs. W. C. Elsasser, of Indianapolis, and W. Landon, and James Wiltshire, of Cincinnati. At the corner of the Pipe Line and the Wharncliffe roads their horse was frightened by a street car, and, becoming unruly, upset the party. Mrs. Hull sustained a fracture of the left wrist, and a bad wound over the left eye. As she is well advanced in years, her condition is regarded as serious. Huron Essex witnessed the accident, and wheeled to Dr. J. M. Piper's office for medical assistance. There he found Dr. John McLeay, of Indianapolis, a former Londoner, now on a visit to relatives in the city, and Dr. McLeay atoccupants of the rig were more or less shaken up. Mr. Elsasser says that had the car, at which the horse shied, been stopped, no accident would have occurred.

A CHANCE FOR INVESTORS

The Scottish-Canadian Mining Com pany Offer a Block of Stock-A Promising Property.

In another column in this issue the Scottish-Canadian Mining and Development Company offer a tempting inducement to investors. A block of stock is offered for sale, the proceeds of which are to be devoted exclusively to development work, which the company intend to push vigorously during the coming winter. In the windows of the R. S. Williams establishment will be seen samples of the galena ore which the treasurer of the company, Mr. A. E. Welch, himself took from the Rob Roy mine. The ore is exceedingly rich in silver and lead, with good gold values. The personnel of the company is a guarantee of fair and honorable dealing. The stock now offered to the public is not private stock; in justice to the shareholders all the promoters' stock has been pooled. The present offer (subject to recall) is open until Oct. 1, when the price of stock will be advanced. The company are confident that they have an exceptionally rich property, and the cost of developing will be greatly reduced by the proximity of water power and the admirable situation. They are paying the highest wages to their miners, in order to get the most experienced services.

RUNNING AMUCK!

Malay Father and Son Enter on a Terrible Career of Murder on Board Ship-Five Killed.

Vancouver, Aug. 12.-The R. M. S. Miowera, from Sydney, N. S. W., Bris-bane, Suva, Fiji and Honolulu, brings news that an outrage occurred recent-ly on board the Eastern steamer S. R. T. Pontianak. The vessel was approaching Singapore on her voyage from Pontianak, when two Malays. father and son, ran amuck on board ship. How the amuck began is not clearly made out, but one account alludes to irritation on the part of the elder fanatic at the noises made by the crew in the working of the ship. The irritation started the elder man on a career of murder with his knife (Malay dagger) among the unprotected bodies of the hapless people sleep-ing or resting all around. Before the captain's revolver could interrupt him five persons were killed on the spot, all Chinese, three men, one woman, one child; thirteen people were wounded, including the son of the "amuck." several Chinamen, two women and four children. Of these it is possible that two or three will not recover. The fanatic was shot dead by the captain.

TITLE OF "SCAB"

Caused a Bloody Affray in Cleveland.

Cleveland, Aug. 12.-Wm. T. Caple, a non-union motorman, employed by the Big Consolidated Company, fired two shots at Wm. Little, a teamster,

both bullets taking effect. In return, Little picked up a hatchet lying in his wagon, and threw it at Caple, striking the motorman in the head and making a frightful wound. Caple claims Little called him a "scab," and is in jail on a charge of shooting to kill. Little is in the hospital. Neither is fatally injured.

SECTION HANDS OUT. Plymouth, Mich., Aug. 12.-The Flint and Pere Marquette section hands at this place have joined the section hands from Flint to Toledo and Detroit, to strike for an increase in wages, from \$1 10 to \$1 25 a day.

MEXICAN METHODS

Gen. Torres Had 40 Indian Prisoners Shot When He Learned That His Nephew Had Been Killed by Yaquis.

Chicago, Aug. 12.—A special from El Paso, Texas, says: There is news today from Montezuma that when Gen. Torres learned that his nephew had been killed by the Yaquis, he promptly ordered that 40 prisoner who had fallen into his hands during the engagement of three weeks ago, be put to death, and they were accordingly taken out and shot. Only 20 Indians were killed in the battle, but the official returns give it as 60. accounting for the 40 prisoners as

killed in battle.

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The only covering of the

The only covering of the river's bed is a sheet of water.

STRUCK BY A TROLLEY

Badly Injured

At the Corner of Rectory street and the Hamilton Road-The Effect

A serious accident occurred this afternoon at the corner of Rectory street and the Hamilton road.

Col. Leys and Mr. Chittlek were driving to Dorchester, and stopped at a fountain on the corner of Rectory street and the Hamilton road. Street car 79 (Conductor Calawell and Motorman Taylor) had "Y'd" on Rectory street, and bore down on the buggy, part of which was standing on the track. The occupants did not have timto clear the track, and the car smashed into the rear of the vehicle, smashing it badly. The horse dashed off, but had gone only a few yards when the vehicle overturned, throwing Col. Leys tended to Mrs. Hull's injuries. All the and Mr. Chittick viol-nily on the pavement. Mr. Chittick's injuries were very severe, and included a dislocated shoulder. Col. Leys' head was cut open, and his system sustained a severe shock. Both were carried into Andrew's grocery store, and Drs. Piper and Belton were summoned. The ambulance arrived, but was not needed. Both gentlemen were driven home in It is incomprehensible how the motorman ran into the buggy, which was stationary at the time.

FIVE SHIPS FOUNDERED

Hurricane Off the Australian Coast More Than a Hundred Lives Lost in the Gale.

Chicago, Aug. 12.—A special from Vancouver, B. C., says: Terrible havoc occurred during a recent hurricane off the Australian coast, according to advices received here by the Miowera today. Five ships foundered at sea or were wrecked, and over 100 lives were

The City of New York, an iron ship, of 1,170 tons, went ashore off Rottnest Island, and is a total wreck. Eleven lives were lost.

The wreck of the Carlisle City, was the most frightful that occurred on the coast for two years. Thirty-three persons from among passengers are missing, and while many were drowned, many more were eaten by sharks. The Augsburg was carrying a cargo of horses along the coast. The stalls were torn down by the great masses of water that came in over the deck, and a large number of the animals were drowned.

Two other unknown ships were wrecked during the storm and a large Sumber of passengers were lost.

Another dispatch says: All on board were drowned, including Capt. Lindsay, Chief Officer House, Sailmaker A. Guzzan, Apprentice John Todd, A. B. Jexley, Robert Wilson, Oscar Anderson, Thomas McLean, Thomas McMa-hon, G. F. Stocks and Robert Jenkins. The total loss of the Carlisle City means the destruction of her valuable cargo, which, according to her manifest, is valued at \$25,800.

WHEEL. TRAINING AT TECUMSEH PARK. Training will be resumed every evening next week at Tecumseh Park, in preparation for the big meet on Civic Holiday, the greatest event of the season, from a local standpoint. The city championship will be competed for on that date. There will also be several other races, as well as novelty and trick riding by clever artists. Arrangements are under way to have a high contest, to be competed for by the "has-beens" of 1883 to 1888. The race will be paced by a high wheel tan-dem, supposed to be the only one in the world. In all probability the races will be followed by a championship ball game, London vs. Hamilton.

REPORTER DROWNED.

Fort Hope, Ont., Aug. 12.-Wm. H. McMullen, a reporter for the Toronto World, son of Ald. J. McMullen, of this town, was drowned here yesterday. Young McMullen was out on the breakwater west of the harbor, and told his companion, Edward Pilling. that he would swim ashore. only part of the way to shore McMullen was seized with cramps in his legs. Pilling hurried to his assistance, but the drowning man gripped him, so that they both sank twice, when they became separated. Getting a fresh hold, Pilling managed to keep McMullen afloat for a short period, during which McMullen cautioned him to take it easy Presently they both sank, and Pilling could do no more.

In the great emptiness of night I bow, And sob aloud for one returning touch now.

I need so much!

Chicago has a servant girl famine. Positions are said to be open for 5,000 able bodied servant girls willing to do general housework. By general housework is meant cooking, scrubbing, laundry work and the other kinds of work which the old-fashioned servant girl used to do.

About 2,000 people attended the farmers' picnic at Newark school house, Metamora. Mich, Friday afternoon. During a heavy windstorm which prevailed, two large trees were uprooted, and about 100 persons narrowly escaped being crushed to death.

The Delhi House, at Delhi, Ont., was burned today. Loss on building and contents, \$3,500. Dr. J. H. Graham, of Richmond, Que.,

an old and well-known Mason, has died at Hartford, Conn.

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AMERICAN TOBACCO

A. O. K., 5c.

Statistics of the Amount Used Last Year-Less Chewing Tobacco.

[New York Sun.] The government report just issued

shows that during the fiscal year of 1898-99 this country manufactured for home consumption 4,529,872,304 cigars. This is an apparent decrease of 12,144,266 from the year before. It should be stated that in April and May, 1898, when it was known that the tax was to be increased, there was a rush to get goods shipped out of the factories to escape the new tax, and it is estimated that about 120,000,000 cigars were thus made in excess of the normal product. These cigars really belong to the fiscal year just ended, and so it may be said that

there was an actual increase instead of

a decrease in production. The tax amounted to \$16,307,108 for 1898-99, against \$13,626,049 in 1897-98, an increase of \$2,681,058. It is also interesting to note that with the renewal of prosperity, the product of what are generally regarded as the cheap cigar districts no longer shows the great increases of a few years ago. The stogic districts of Pennsylvania show a decrease of 20,000,000 for the year, while the higher grade Philadelphia goods show an increase of nearly 12,000,000; the cheap goods of Ohio fell off 19,000,-000, but the Virginia cheroots and stogies show a gain of 10,000,000. The districts manufacturing fine Havana eigars from imported Havana tobacco show increases, Key West and Tampa gaining 2,500,000 and New York gaining 14,-

000.000. In cigarettes there is a crisis. For the past ten or twelve years this product steadily grew, increasing from 2,151,515,steadily grew, increasing from 25, pass-360 in 1889 to 4,063,169,093 in 1897, passcame the anti-cigarette agitation, and the tax was advanced from 50 cents a thousand to \$1 50. The effect is seen in the fact that this year the total production amounted to 3,735,698,906 only That there is apparently little crease in the world's demand for cigarettes is shown by the fact that the exports of American-made cigarettes continue to increase despite the num. bers of European firms with American machinery and American methods which have recently begun business. For the eleven months closing May 31 the total exports of cigarettes was 1, 064,517,000, as against 899,317,000 for 1897-98, or an increase of 105,200,000. The tax collected on paper cigarettes in 1898-99 was \$4,203,735, as against \$3,593,011 in 1897-98, an increase of \$610,-742. On all-tobacco cigarettes the tax collected was \$547,415 in 1898-99, as against \$405,676 in 1897-98, an increase of \$141.738.

In manufactured tobacco (which in cludes chewing and smoking varieties) there is the greatest change. heavy decrease in the chewing districts shows apparently that at last the habit is well under way to extinction. The stronghold of the chewing industry, Missouri, shows a decrease of 5,000,000 pounds last year, the Fifth Kentucky district shows a decrease of 4,500,000 pounds, New Jersey shows a decrease of nearly 5,000,000 pounds, and the New York district, making the fine cut chewing tobacco, has a decrease of 1,-000,000 pounds. The decrease of 57,-155,231 pounds in manufactured tobacco from a gross product in 1897-98 of 294. 287,941 pounds would seem to be in chewing tobaccos rather than in smok-Of the dear hands that, heaven having ing tobacco, although there appears little doubt that while the production of the cheaper kinds of smoking tobac-cos has largely increased, the highpriced grades selling at \$1 a pound and upward, have greatly decreased in popularity. Once again the exports tell a different story. Last year there was exported 783,471 pounds of plug tobacco, as against 709,648 pounds in 1897-98, an increase of 73,823 pounds for

the year.
Of snuff there is little to be said. It shows a total product for the year of 14,627,106 pounds, this being a decrease of 904.045 pounds from last year's record; but this proves nothing, snuff being a product which is aged before sale, and the last two years combined show a gain of pretty large propor-

TRIBUTE FROM AN ADMIRER. "J'ever hear him play de accor-

"No; but I heard him play on a comb and a piece of paper. Say! but he can make a comb and a piece of paper talk!"

A LUCRATIVE PROFESSION. Visitor (in prison)—I presume you found the business of counterfeiting very profitable? Counterfeiter—Oh, yes! I made all kinds of money while I was engaged in

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114 Dundas Street. THE FUTURE OF THE AUTOMO-

BILE. There was a time when bicycles cost \$150 each. Then every manufacturer whose plant was divertible to the manufacture of bicycles made bicycles. Now, after six or seven years of very active bicycle-building, any one can buy a first-class bicycle anywhere for \$40, and superior buyers can probably supply themselves for about half that

What automobiles cost at present is best known to persons affluent enough to purchase and play with those machines, but, reasoning by analogy, they will soon cost very much less, for every factory that can seems to te making them. Carriage factories and bicycle factories especially, all over the country, are taking orders for them. This year they are the toys of the wellto-do. By another sesson they will be so spread abroad that their value as play-things may have lessened; but that is of small consequence compared with the immense field that seems to be opening for them as vehicles for cheap and rapid transportation. That they will ever be brought "within the means of all" is not to be expected, but there seems to be a good prospect that they will soon be brought within the means of most persons who can afford at present to keep horses .- E. S. Martin, in Harper's Weekly.

HIS DEFINITION. "My cousin from Iowa arrived yes-He never saw a wateringplace 'before'

"How did it strike him?" "He says it seems to be a place wher some people bathe and others we bathing suits."

EVIDENCE IN HIS FAVOR. "Yes," she sighed, "my husbar prides himself on his horse sense.' "Well," said her neighbor, "it seem to make you sad to think of it. Don' you believe he really has it?"
"Oh, I guess he has it all right. Any way, he's nearly always kicking."-Chi-

THE TENT.

cago Times-Herald.

When my bier is borne to the grave, And its burden is laid in the ground, Think not that Rumi is there, Nor cry, like the mourners around, "He is gone-All is over-Farewell!" But go on your ways again, And forgetting your own petty loss, Remember his infinite gain.

For know that this world is a tent, And life but a dream in the night, Till death plucks the curtains apart

And awakens the sleeper with light!

—R. H. Stoddard

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A Transient

"Well, I'm blessed!" ejaculated Parker, as he perceived a half-sovereign in his palm. "Those are queer custom-

"But there was the license all correct, I couldn't have refused to perform the ceremony?" said Mark anxiously, as he stuck his envelope the his pocket.
"No, sir, it was all correct: I don't see as we had a choice." said Parker as he turned the church key in the thirteen, which clasped the puppy. lock, while the brothers went back to

"I say, Mark, you'll hear of this again, I'll bet. Very queer customers indeed. That chap was no more 21 than I am, and I don't believe the bride

was grown up. "Don't you think so?" said Mark, nervously; "the man was a gentleman; I did not notice the woman.'

"Oh, her voice was ladylike, though emotional," said George. "Certainly, they all had unfortunately high-falutin' names for people engaged in some secret villainy."

"This is what I don't like," said Mark, opening his envelope and showing a £5 note. "Surely people don't fee a strange parson at this rate." "Matrimony would come expensive

If they did," said George. "I should think the Gretna Green blacksmith used to get well-paid, though."
"I shall send it back," said Mark, "to the address he put in the register.

If there was anything queer, I won't profit by it." "Right you are," said George; "you are still uncorrupted by your profession; I thought perhaps you'd put it in

Your tongue runs away with you," said Mark, professionally enough, while George made a face and went on with

his breakfast. He spent the morning with a Greek play before his eyes, and this strange incident before his mind. It wove itself into a story, verses of a wild balbegan to ring in his mental ears.

"And the saint's eyes shed On the Death's Head fierce red."

Swinburne—Southey—Rudyard Kipling
—Grey fog—grey veil—desolation and
fury. Demons—and innocent victim.

" 'Love'-'Above'-'Hate'-'Fate.' "

"By Jove! I'll make something of it— If Coleridge did the 'Ancient Mariner' in a morning's walk, why shouldn't I do—the—The · Scourging Fire'—good title. I'll soon see what it means. I'll go and skate. What, Mark, writing you an owl's nest or two, Norman, not your first sermon? Oh, I say, invoke the spirit of our ancestor the Prophet I don of Wardale who preached on a tub. Do him.' it ex tempore."

George returned after dark, with the "Scourging Fire" still unfinished, and with a big bump on his shoulder, acquired in vainly endeavoring to do a unpack, and as he heard Mrs. Fleming figure of eight backwards.

"I say, Mark," he said, "I believe obduction of an heiress, or the marriage of infants or something in that line. I came back by train from Potterton to Slingford, and at Potterton there was Mr. Norman Gerard Wentworth, as sure as you're alive, by him-self in the train. Never a sign of Hel-ena Winifred. I'd know him anywhere -a good-looking chap, with a long nose and if he's 21 I'll eat him. He may be in the sixth, at his school." "Well, I can't help it," said Mark,

savagely. His unusual discomfort was not appeased when the five-pound note with his dignified letter of refusal came back from the dead letter office with "not known here" scrawled across the ad

'It would make a farce as well as ballad," said George, with interest.

George Gladwyn had not been giving entire satisfaction at his public school, and had therefore been taken away by mother-his father, a clergyman who had held a good living and a canonry, was dead-and had been sent to read with a tutor for a scholarship at Cambridge.

There was no harm in him, the headmaster said, as he was extremely able, so much so as to keep a high place, but he was desultory and unpunctual -in fact, odd. Not only was his proper work neglected, while he pottered over some study not in the school curriculum, but what was even more difficult to deal with, he had forgotten an important cricket match, through going off to hunt for some Druidical remains some 20 miles off. Besides, he had too many friends, and was always being asked out. He would be better in a family than at

Three autumn months in Mr. Fleming's family in Longhurst Rectory had made him quite at home, and when he returned after the Christmas holidays, Fanny, 'the little daughter of the house, ran merrily out to meet him. "Come in, George," she cried, "come into the

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drawing room and have some tea.

Mother's at the Mothers' meeting, and daddy has taken the new pupil for a

walk. "New pupil! Is there a new fellow?" said George, following her into the drawing room, where incredibly shabby carpets and curtains and wicker arm chairs somewhat harmonized delightfully with the inlaid tables, old china,

and abundant books.
"Yes, and a new puppy," said Fanny; "Yes, and a new puppy," said Fanny;
"he's such a lamb! Here he is."
"The pupil! Ch, the puppy," said
George, receiving into his arms a hairy
ball, and sitting down on the fender
stool. "It's a black lamb," he said.
"Hope the pupil isn's another. What's
his name?"

proper, and I am getting big."

"Oh, I say," said George, "that's result bosh. Am I to call you Miss Flem-least. ing?

'No. I don't think I am big enough for that," said Fanny, bringing a paintmovements, and the prettiest little commercial diplor hands ever possessed by a damsel of early next week.

Then she began to exchange news with George, and to tell him first of the great fact, that she was presently going to school, and then of Christmas festivities at Longhurst. There had been a dance at the park, and she had

enjoyed it immensely.
"Plenty of partners?" said George. "Oh, yes," said Fanny. "I had to divide up the last dance into three.'

"Really?" George's shaggy brown eyebrows lifted, and his grey eyes rounded into a dreamy stare. He gazed at Fanny as if he was meditating on her statement, and yet as if he was quite indif-ferent to her presence. She was a very pretty girl, with brown hair curling softly at the ends, blue eyes, and a rose leaf complexion. "George," she said, offering him the tea cake, "you are

"I beg your pardon, Fanny. I was only wondering why."
"Oh, I don't know why," said Fanny,

with the absence of reverence usually with the absence of reverence usually. displayed by the friends of incipient

"There have never been real poems about anything else," said George; "but I have written a ballad, Fanny. It's very fine. It's called 'The Scourging Fire, It begins:

The fire of love burns below, shines above, It falls in dark corners.

"Hark!" interrupted Fanny, "they're coming in. You don't want the new one to begin by hearing you spout!" George stopped with perfect cheerfulness and stood up, as a gray-haired kindly faced clergyman came in followed by a slim youth.

"Ha, George, here you are," said Mr. to say a mare's nest once in a while. I don't know what else you'll get from

The lads shook hands, and Norman remarked pleasantly that Longhurst was an awfully pretty place; then they all separated to dress. George went to come in, rushed down stairs to greet her, and to inquire loudly and eagerly, he been to church on Christmas Day? "No, but he brought Fanny some

holly for the decorations."
"Ah, beginning on the human side, that's good, I've been working up the arguments for him, I think-"My dear George, you're not ready

George was used, apparently, to be snuffed out when in full career, he tore upstairs again, and if his new companion heard the colloquy through the half-open door of the pupil's sitting-room, he made no sign. The dinner produced George, dressed and beaming, and ready to examine young Norman critically in the lamplight. [To be continued.]

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Below will be found the names of the successful candidates in the examinations of Forms I, and II. The results ed milking stool, and setting a cup of tions of Forms I, and II. The results tea and some cake on it by George's of the examinations of Forms III. and side. She had very deft and gentle IV., and for commercial specialists and movements, and the prettiest little commercial diplomas, will be published

thirteen, which clasped the puppy with tender skill, as she lifted him away from George and held him as if he had been a baby.

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ON THE LAKE.

Mrs. Higgins had taken Maggie and Georgie and Minnie and Willie and Arthur and Jessie and Tom and the baby out on the Sunday school excursion on the boat, and now they were

coming home.

The lake had been quiet enough on the way out in the morning, but it was very different now. Large waves as-except on salt water-can only be seen on the great Canadian lakes, took the boat and tossed it up towards the sky. Then they let her fall, fall, fall, till you felt as if you were leaving your stomach behind you. On all sides the effect of this was manifest. Men, women and children were lying round the deck in various positions, pale-faced and utterly

But strange to say Maggie and Georgie and Minnie and Willie and Arthur and Jessie and Tom and the baby and Mrs. Higgins herself were quite well. It was remarkable; not one of the fam-

ily had turned a hair.

The lady in the deck chair with her hair coming down observed it. was too sick to talk much. She watched them, however, between the attacks of nausea which seized her spasmodi-

Finally, when Mrs. Higgins came over to untargle Arthur from the rungs of a folding chair, she spoke. "How is it that you and your children can stand this fearful rocking," asked she faintly.
Mrs. Higgins smiled.

"It's very simple," she said. "I gave them each a Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablet and took one myself. Dodd's Dyspep-Watford—Part I.—W. G. Anderson, L. sia Tablets are the greatest prevent-carroll, B. Cameron, N. Catt, M. G. ive against sea-sickness in the world."

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of 93 teachers were saved from pos-sible destruction by 14-year-old Manley Beaver yesterday. As a reward for his presence of mind a free course of instruction in the state normal school at Madison has been tendered him.

The teachers had been attending the state convention at Hot Springs, and boarded an excursion train bound for Spearfish Canyon. Just as the train was about to enter the canyon it was flagged by young Beaver, who notified the trainmen that the track was obstructed by a horse, that had fallen through the ties of a nearby trestle and could not be released. The boy could not be released. had seen the accident, and his first thought was to flag the passenger train. Had it not been stopped there would undoubtedly have been a terrible

accident. When the facts were learned by the excursionists, the boy was Monized, President Brown, of the State Teachers' Association, made a fitting speech, much to the embarrassment of the boy, after which he was presented with \$10, which he at first refused to accept. Then Mr. Daniels presented him with a course of education in the normal. The boy will start for Madison as soon as he can get ready.

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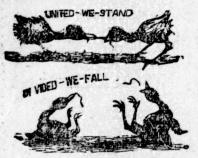
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Electric Turkish Beths. O. A. Beaupre, M.D., Madison, Ill.; H. G. Moffatt, of St. Louis, Mo.; Mr. Burdick, Port Huron, Mich, and Mrs. J. Susan Nichols, of Toronto, were taking the vapor baths and massage at 328 Dundas street, and leave their names in appreciation of the baths. ywt

20 Young People Wanted. The demand for first-class stenographers is so great that Mr. W. C. Coo, principal of the Western Ontario Shorthand and Business Academy, 76 Dundas street, is advertising for wenty well educated young people to join his classes at once and qualify for positions. He guarantees a thorough positions. He guarantees a thorough and practical education, and to place every graduate in a situation. Miss Brock has accepted the position of stenographer for Mrs. Thornley, and Miss Wright with Fried, Wright &

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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Aug. 11 .- 8 p.m.-The area of low pressure which has been in the Northwest has now reached Lake Superior. A rapid recovery in pressure has occurred in the Territories and Manitoba, and owing to the weather still remaining cloudy and showery, there are very low night temperatures. Showers and thunderstorms have been again fairly general in the lake region. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 46-66; Kamloops, 56-68; Calgary, 50-56; Prince Albert, 48-58; Winnipeg, 56-66; Port Arthur, 54-68; Parry Sound, 58-84; Toronto, 50-80; Ottawa, 56-74; Montreal, 62-72; Quebec, 54-70. Local temperatures: The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Friday, Aug. 11, were: Highest, 90.5°; lowest, 60° Today sun rises 5:18; sets 7:26; moon rises 11:33 a.m., sets 9:47 p.m.

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-Miss Ida Ryckman, Burwell street, s holidaying at Wardsville. -Rev. Joseph Edge, Mrs. Edge and children are holidaying at Dungannon.

Misses Mary and Maggie Burgess

leave on Tuesday for a trip to Mon--Mr. John T. Sloan, of Cleveland, a former Londoner, was in the city yes-

-Mrs. F. Murphy, of Wardsville, is the guest of Mrs. George Stacey, of

-Court Magnolia has made arrangements for an excursion to Sarnia on civic holiday.

St. Thomas.

-Mrs. J. T. Stephenson and daughter, left today on a month's visit to Toronto friends.

-Judge Elliot yesterday further remanded Willie Armstrong, the youth charged with stealing. -Mr. J. A. Graves, of Tilsonburg, will undergo a course of treatment at the hospital here.

-Rev. R. J. Drysdale, of Forest, will preach in the Southern Congregational Church, here, tomorrow. -Beresford Lodge, S. O. E., are mak-

ing extensive arrangements for a moonlight excursion to Cleveland and return on Aug. 19. -Mrs. Arthur Jackson and Miss Gertrude B. Jackson, of Ludlow, Ky., are spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Morgan, city.

-The choir of Dundas Center Methodist Church are taking a few weeks' vacation. The singing at to-morrow's services will be led by a quartet.

-Mrs. Richard J. Kelly and three children, of Chicago, Ill., are the guests of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Thomas E. Hevey, 20 Empress avenue, West Lon-

-Master Eugene Lockhart, the little -Master Lugene Lockhart, the little singer and dancer, is engaged to take part in the Scotch celebrations at Ridgetown, Chatham and Rondeau, and leaves next Monday.

-Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sippi, Miss -Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sippi, Miss

Cameron and Mrs. A. E. Cowley, of this city, and Mr. Tom Houghton, of Columbus, Ohio, are recuperating for a week at Cedar Point. -The Canadian Order of Woodmen of

the World will attend service at St. John's Church next Sunday morning, and afterward unveil the monument erected to the memory of the late W. H. Cary.

-Mrs. J. H. Anderson and little daughter, who has been spending the past two months at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Lawrence, Arva, left for her home, Orangeville, this morning.

-Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Graham, formerly of London South, this city, now residing in St. John, N.B., who have been on a pleasure trip to Manitoba, and spent a week with friends in this city, leave today for their

-Mr. J. Prior, of Delaware, has gone for a trip to England. He has been in poor health for some months, and the doctors advised him to go to England for a change. He will be absent for six weeks or two months, and his many friends hope he will enjoy his voyage and come home greatly bene-

-On Tuesday next the following delegates will leave Guelph to attend the meeting of the presbytery in this city, when the call of Rev. Mr. Ross, of Glencoe, to Knox Church, Guelph, will be acted upon: For the congregation—Messrs. John I. Hobson. A. W. Alexander and J. A. Lamprey. For the session—Rev. Dr. Wardrope and J. A. McCrae. For the presbytery—Rev. Dr. Torrance and Rev. Dr. Horne, Elora.

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Trunk Railway Company as a foreman carpenter for many years, he having lived in Hamilton about 45 years, passed away at noon today. His death was due to paralysis, he having had the third stroke last Saturday night. He was 73 years of age, and left a widow, four sons, Patrick, Charles (of London), James (Buffalo), and Ed-/ward (Toronto), and two daughters, Mrs. Vint (Sarnia), and Miss Brennen,

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-The Biograph scored another success at Tecumseh Park last evening. The audience was the largest since the opening. The last exhibition will be given tonight. The harpers will also be present. The management, in order to place the exhibition within the reach of everybody, will put on to-night's clesing exhibition at half price. —Mrs. Ernest Altman and son and Miss Robinson of West London, have gone to Listowel and Owen Sound for a two weeks' vacation.

-Mr. Charles H. Haystead has written to a member of The Advertiser staff stating that his wife (Josie Mills), has gone to Las Vegas, New Mexico, and will spend the winter at that place. She will not play this season. Many friends will learn with regret of Mrs. Hay-stead's illness, which has forced this retirement, and will look forward for her complete recovery by this lengthy rest. Mr. Haystead opens the season with the "Remember the Maine" Company, owned by Lincoln J. Carter, at Peoria, Ill., on Aug. 27. They will tour the south and west.

A SUCCESSFUL ADLET. Mr. E. Jarmain, 74 King street, advertised for a pair of spectacles, lost in Victoria Park. Yesterday Mr. H. N. Fleming, 474 Pall Mall street, called on The Advertiser and handed over the spectacles, stating that he had read the advertisement in this paper. ON THE ASYLUM FARM.

The Ashman Brothers report: "We have just finished threshing the oats on the Asylum farm, which measured 2,700 bushels, the product of 44 acres, or 61 bushels to the acre, weighing 36 pounds to the bushel, perfectly free from foreign seeds. They are of the Sunshine variety." TROLLEY AND BICYCLE COLLIDE.

While riding his bicycle on the Dundas street hill last night, about opposite the county jail, a lad named Spettique, residing on Garfield street, was struck by a street car. The car-fender struck the wheel, throwing the rider, and severely bruising one of his arms, forehead and side. No bones were broken. The wheel was not damaged.

THE HOSPITAL TRUST.

A regular meeting of the hospital trust was held yesterday afternoon at the hospital. Margretta Wilson, city, and Ethel Walker, Glencoe, made application to be placed on the nursing staff. Their names will be placed on the list. Several applications were received for the position of engineer at the new hospital; filed for reference. The superintendent reported 51 patients admitted and 51 discharged since last meeting. There are 42 patients now under treatment. Boiler Inspector G. C. Robb reported the boilers in use at the hospital in good order. Accounts to the amount of \$627 04 were passed, and ordered to be paid. The superintendent was instructed to advertise for

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tenders for next year's supplies. R Lewis (chairman), Jas. Gilmour, M.P., Thomas McCormick, T. H. Purdom and Supt. J. D. Balfour were present. BOARD OF TRADE.

The board of trade met last night and **\$** decided upon a canvass of the members to wipe out a deficit of about \$400. An invitation to visit the Maritime Provinces was declined with thanks. The board was asked to name delegates to the World's Congress of Commerce, to be held in London, England, next year. Laid over. The receipts from the Detroit excursion were \$23 30 less than the guarantee given by the board to the G. T. R. Company. This, the president said, was due to the tickets being ten days late in coming from Montreal. A protest was entered. President Mattinson, Secretary Nelles, and Messrs. D. W. Blackwell, A. D. McDonald, R. Inglis, P. W. D. Brodrick, T. R. Par-ker, John Campbell, W. C. Allen and Robert Reid, jun., were present.

A private meeting of members of the board had been held in the forenoon, the attendance being chiefly wholesalers. Officials connected with the London street railway were also

NO. I WARD'S **ASSESSMENT**

Realty Figures on the Increase-Uncontrollable Loss on Personal Property-Natural Gain \$160,419.

The assessment of No. 1 ward has been completed, and the total figures, as compared with those for the year past, are as follows: Realty, '99, \$3,-428,410; '98, \$3,386,515; machinery, '99, \$145,700; '98, ---; personal, '99, \$831,350; '98, \$1,062,486; income, '99, \$274,308; '98, \$339,948; grand total, '99, \$4,679,768; '98,

\$4,788,949. The real estate shows an increase of \$41,895; the personal property and ma-chinery combined show a decrease of personal property of \$85,436. The machinery in every case is personal property, but separated from personal property only to gain information. The income shows a decrease of \$65,640. On the whole, the assessment is a good showing of the prosperity of the ward, as the sum of \$182,400 on loan companies' inceme last year was only trial assessment, and the revenue bill of this year was the means of a loss of \$87,200 on personal property, by deducting these amounts, which are entirely uncontrollable, from the sum total, \$4,788,949, leaves \$4,519.349, being a natural gain of \$160,419.

Matrimonial.

HARRIS-HARDING. Beverley," the home of Mr. E. W. Harding, barrister, St. Marys, was the scene on Thursday last of a quiet wedding, when his second daughter, Nina May Harding, B.A., teacher of modern languages in the Welland High School, was united in marriage to Percy Dewart Harris, B.A., principal of the Virden, Man., public school. The ceremony was performed by the father of the groom, Rev. A. G. Harris, pastor of the Empress Avenue Methodist Church, of this city, assisted by Rev. G. W. Henderson, of the St. Marys Methodist Church. The bride was charmingly attired in a navy blue traveling suit, as was also the bridesmaid, her sister, Miss Florence Harding. Both carried shower bouquets of cream roses and maiden-hair ferns. The groom was assisted by his cousin, Louis Merton Harris, Toronto. Only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom were present. After the ceremony the company sat down to a very recherche wedding breakfast. The young couple left on the afternoon train for Toronto, where they will spend a few days, after which they will sail from Owen Sound on the steamer Manitoba, en route to their new home in Virden, Man. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and costly presents.

SINCLAIR-MORROW. The home of Mr. R. J. Stevens, 411 Bathurst street, was the scene of a happy event on Monday, Aug. 7, the occasion being the marriage of their daughter, Mrs. Charlotte Morrow, to Mr. Lorne Sinclair, of Belmont, Ont. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. W. Knowles, of Tupperville. The bride was charmingly dressed in a beautiful suit of English whipcord, and the ceremony was performed in the presence of the immediate relatives of both parties. After the guests had partaken of an excellent repast, the happy couple left by the Michigan Central Railway for the west, where they will spend their honeymoon, and followed by the well wishes of all.

NOTHING INDISCRIMINATE. Manager (Uncle Tom's Cabin troupe)

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TOM BROWN'S SCHOOL DAYS

Something About the Genial Author. Judge Thomas Hughes.

There are a number of books written primarily for boy readers that their fathers or mothers or grandparents can and do read with as much relish can and do read with as much relish as the young folks. There is, for instance, Kingsley's "Westward, Ho!" Mark Twain's "Tom Sawyer," and Thomas Hughes' "Tom Brown's School Days at Rugby." No matter if we read them many years ago, when the blood of youth leaped in our veins, we shall peruse them again with as

keen delight as we did at first.

Of the three above mentioned the last is the first by reason of its date of publication. Hughes was an English publicist and writer: "Tom Brown" was but one of a score of books from his pen, but it is better known than all the rest put together. It was published in 1857, and its sale, which became very large in a brief period, soon ex-tended to every English-speaking country in the world. The reason for this is not hard to find. Rugby is an educational institution of great antiquity, having been founded in 1567. Thus for a dozen generations it had drawn its constituency from the best families of England. "Tom Brown" told of the school as it was in the days when its author was there-say about 1840. Not only is the book a truthful record of the school days of a lad who played and studied there, but it also contains, interwoven with the text in an admirable manner, many moral lessons which it is good for a boy to read,

and in no way a disadvantage for an older person to recall. Mr. Hughes was born in 1823, and died March 23, 1896. His education, at Rugby, was under Dr. Arnold, a famous headmaster, whose name is still a byword in English homes. Young Hughes, after this preliminary schooling at Rugby, "finished off" at Oriel College, Oxford, where he took his degree in 1845. In 1848 he was called to the bar. His literary work began with "Tom Brown," and ended with "The Manliness of Christ," published in 1895. The success "Tom Brown" attained caused him to follow it four years later with "Tom Brown at Oxford," also most interesting, but not equaling in circulation the first. Mr. Hughes visited the United States in 1870. One result of this was "Gone to Texas," published in 1885. Another

ing of the colony of Rugby, Tenn., in This article is in no way intended as a review of "Tom Brown," but the reprinting of one paragraph will remind those who have read the book of its many interesting scenes, and will indicate to those who have not scanned its pages the truths that are scat-

and a better known one was the found-

tered through them:
"And now, Tom, my boy," said the Squire, "remember that you are going at your own earnest request, to be chucked into this great school like a young bear, with all your troubles before you—earlier than we should have sent you, perhaps. If schools are what they were in my time, you'll see a great many cruel, blackguard things done, and hear a deal of foul. bad talk. But never fear. You tell the truth, keep a brave and kind heart, and never listen to or say anything you wouldn't have your mother hear,

<----and you'll never feel ashamed to come home, or we to see you."

Tom was greeted on his arrival at Rugby by an insouciant youth, who had been bidden to look out for him. With the extreme candor of boys he ex-

plained the situation:
"You see," said his friend, "a great
deal depends on how a fellow cuts up
at first. If he's got nothing odd about him, and answers straightforward, and holds his head up, he gets on. Now, you'll do very well as to rig, all but that cap. You see, I'm doing the hand-some thing to you, because my father knows yours; besides, I want to please the old lady. She gave me half a sov. this half, and perhaps'il double it next,

on June 24 a statue of Thomas Hughes was unveiled at Rugby. The occasion was graced with such prominent men, all graduates of the inent men, all graduates of the famous school, as the Archbishop of Canterbury, Bishop of Hereford, First Lord of the Admiralty Goschen, the Dean of Westminster, Lord Cross, Lord Lingen and others. The memorial, which is of marble, is by Thomas Brook, B. A. and the addition Brock, R.A., and in addition to the customary inscriptions regarding Mr. Hughes' life and work, bears the words: "Watch ye, stand fast in the faith, quit ye like men, be strong," The unveiling speech was made by the Archbishop of Canterbury.

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Canadians at Johannesburg Gratified by the Dominion's Sympathy.

Good Showing Made in the G. T. R's Half-Yearly Report.

The Dreyfus Court Martial Watched With Deep Interest-Proofs of Colonel Henry's Guilt.

London, Aug. 12.-The Carpe Town correspondent of the Daily Mail says: I learn from a prominent ex-reformer that the Transvaal Government has prepared warrants for the arrest of prominent reformers, whenever the condition of affairs at Johannesburg provides an excuse. The presumption is that President Kruger means to secure the leading uitlanders as hostages the moment trouble arises.

PRAYING FOR PEACE.

Sunday, Aug. 20, has been set apart by the Dutch churches at Cape Town as a special day of prayer for peace. A special dispatch from Johannesburg says a meeting of Canadians there has passed resolutions expressing satisfaction and gratitude to the Canadian Parliament for its resolution of sympathy, and announcement that, if necessary, practical aid will be furnished to the imperial government in behalf of the uitlanders.

The German and French consuls say they will protest to their respective governments if their subjects are called on for compulsory service or forced to pay war taxes.

GREAT UNEASINESS.

The greatest uneasiness prevails regarding the outcome of Transvaal affairs. The general belief is that Mr. Chamberlain means to adopt an uncomprising attitude, which will prob-FORCE ON WAR,

The only chance that a clearsighted observer can see for peace is that Kruger's answer will not be an absolute refusal to accede to a joint inquiry, but rather a qualified tone.

A Bombay telegram says: Preparations are about completed for the dispatch of 12,000 troops to South Africa. A number of transports are in readiness in Indian waters, and in the event of war troops will be embarked simultaneously here, at Kararichee and at Calcutta.

The Paris Matin, in an article, in which it declares that President Kruger must yield to Great Britain, says that he wishes to give way, but wants to put it off until the very latest date. ON TRIAL.

Johannesburg, Aug. 12.-The three policemen who recently cruelly mai-treated Mr. Turnbull, the colored blacksmith, an American citizen, who had protested against their abusive language when demanding that he show his pass, were charged with assault before the landrost. Their counsel de-manded the arrest of Dr. Matthews, to whom the Anterican consul and Mr. Turnbull went for medical treatment, and who subsequently harangued the people outside the exchange, appealing for justice, and accusing Field Cornet Lombard of being concerned. A similar demand was made by counsel for the arrest of a local editor, on the ground that he had been guilty of contempt of court in his newspaper references to the affair. The hearing of the case was

GRAND TRUNK DOING WELL.

London, Aug. 12.—The half-yearly re-ort of the G. T. R. Company announces that a surplus of £135,400 has been added to the balance of £4,200 carried forward from 1898, making available a payment of a full dividend of 4 per cent on guaranteed stock, and 1 per cent on first preference for the full year, leaving a balance of £2,000 to carry forward.

WHERE THE GUILT LIES. Rennes, Aug. 12.-The London Times statement yesterday morning of the late Col. Henry's treason caused much excitement here, and was much discussed among the newspaper men and all others interested in the trial. The affirmation of Col. Henry that Esterhazy was his accomplice is only a con-firmation of what has already been many times stated. But what was regarded as important is the fact that the Times announced it in such categorical terms, demonstrating, accord-ing to the views of the friends of Dreyfus here, that the Times people have actually seen documents, submitted to them by more than one foreign mili-tary attache, presenting the strongest proof of Henry's guilt, and, moreover, that this announcement can only pre-clude the publication by the Times of the actual documents.

The correspondent here of the Associated Press spoke to Major Forxinette, who was governor of the Cherche-Midi prison during Dreyfus' incarceration there, and who was cashiered on ac-count of his declarations favorable to Dreyfus' attitude while in prison. For-xinette said: "The Times' statement confirms my own view. I was convinced of Henry's complicity from the very first, and always regarded him as the real culprit." Regarding the court-martial he said: "Saturday will undoubtedly be the most important day of the whole proceedings, as Gen. Mercier and M. Casimir-Perier (former president of France), if time admits, will be confronted, and a scene is in-

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Frevails Regarding Affairs in evitable, as their declarations in certain matters differ on essential points."

THE KAISER AND THE CANAL. Berlin, Aug. 12.-Emperor William yesterday attended the opening of the Dortmund-Ems Canal. Replying to an address of the burgomaster, his majesty said he regarded the canal as a work to form part of a greater whole, which he himself and the government had inflexibly determined to further, and he hoped the nation's representatives would place him in the position to do so before the end of the year.

CARNEGIE'S NEW PLAID.

London, Aug. 12.—A deputation of members of the Scottish Arboricultural Society, visiting Skibo Castle, Mr. Andrew Carnegie's country seat in Scotland, were much amused to find floating over the castle a flag com-bining the characteristics of the Union Jack and the Stars and Stripes, the invention of Mr. Carnegie. While the visitors were taking tea a piper, wearing a brand new Carnegie tartan, played a number of tunes.

CABLE NOTES. Lady Randolph Churchill denies the report that she is engaged to be mar-ried to Lieut. Cornwallis-West. The Prince of Wales has left London for Marienbad. The Duke of York was at the station to see him off, and the prince kissed him at parting. Two hundred Czech students from Prague arrived at Cilli, in Styria, Thursday, intending to participate in the inauguration of a monument to the Slav savant, Oblak. The students were met by the German pupulation of the town, who hissed them, and fin-ally attacked them with stones. There were repeated conflicts between the students and the residents of the town throughout the day. The students used their revolvers freely,, and sever-

TRADE ADVICES SATISFACTORY

al persons were injured on both sides.

Good Business Outlook in the Dominion,

The Situation Over the Line-Weekly Review by the Commercial Agencies.

Bradstreet's Weekly Review says: Canadian trade advices are very satisfactory. Montreal reports that the financial situation has quieted down, and business is of very good volume, with orders booked ahead of last year. Further advances of Canadian iron and tin plates are reported, and collections are generally good.

Toronto reports an unusually large

trade for August, that Canadian woolen and cotton mills are behind in or-ders, cotton mills having been busy on Chinese orders, and that trade is particularly satisfactory in the North-west, where a large wheat crop, active railway and mining developments altogether make for good business. In British Columbia business

healthy, and fall trade prospects are encouraging Business failures for the week number 27, against 26 last week and 33 in this week a year ago.

R. J. Dun & Co.: Canadian dispatches this week indicate scarcely any change in the condition of business, which is, on the whole, fairly prosperous. St. John reports that the lumber business continues good, although shipments have declined, owing to higher freights.

The hardware trade is quite fair, especially builders' material. Halifax reports business prospects unchanged, and at Quebec trade generally is very satisfactory, with a favorable outlook for at least an aver-

age harvest.
At Toronto business is active in drygoods, groceries, metals, provisions, dairy products, and remittances are satisfactory. General improvement contines at Hamilton in manufacturing lines, and retail trade is fair for the

Trade at Winnipeg is well sustained, and the outlook for the fall is promising, with collections fair. Wholesale trade at Vancouver is especially good in staples for the season, but is less active at retail, and collections are fair. At Vancouver wholesale trade is only fair in some lines, and in volume is below that of last year.

BANK CLEARINGS. New York, Aug. 11.-Bank clearings at the principal United States cities for the week ended Aug. 11 show total clearances of \$1,576,441,102-an increase of 24.3 per cent, as compared with the corresponding period last year. Outside of New York city the clearances

were \$605,962,254-increase 33.8 per cent. The clearances for the Dominion of Canada were as follows: Montreal, \$11,-528,646-decrease 12.6 per cent; Toronto, \$8,090,395—increase 21.3 per cent; Winnipeg, \$1,931,996—increase 61.5 per cent; Halifax, \$1,573,457-increase 16.0 per cent; Hamilton, \$759,832—increase 26.2 per cent; St. John, N. B., \$727,469; Vancouver, \$1,104,377; Victoria, \$741,037.

OVER THE BORDER. Bradstreet's review: Crop reports and probabilities have constituted an important contribution to the general trade and business advices this week Among the unquestionably favorable have been the reports regarding the corn crop, government estimates pointing to a yield of probably 2,200,000,000 bushels—a heavy increase over last year and almost within touch of the record total of 1896. Despite this prospect of an immense yield, however, prices have been fairly well held, and cash corn has been export demand. Spring wheat indications apparently bear out earlier trade advices in showing a decrease in condition during July. The reduction of 25,000,000 bushels in the probable outcome estimated, however, still allows of a total wheat crop of 535,000,000 bushels—considerably smaller, it is true, than last year's, but with the exception of 1898 and of 1891, the heaviest recorded.

With the exception of wheat the other grain crops, and particularly oats, barley and buckwheat, made fair progress during July, and the condition of these and of potatoes and hay is better than a year ago at this date. Hides, leather, boot and shoes are sympathetically strong. The shoe manufacturers at Philadelphia have reached a practical agreement to advance prices of the fin-ished product. Wool is firm on steady manufacturing demand. Lumber is firm, as is also sugar. The outlook in majority of advertised remedies; it is ures for the week number 156, as com- miserable.

pared with 156 last week, 157 in this week a year ago, 214 in 1897, 258 in 1896, and 195 in 1895.

R. G. Dun & Co.: After great expansion business hesitates. The possibility of week and the control of the control of

bility of gold exports troubles some minds, but now the question is only whether gold imports will soon be ne-Short crops were and are reported yet; but farmers are more in-

AGRICULTURAL INTERESTS

Dealt With by the Ontario Bureau of Industry.

Regarding Bees, Pastures and Live Stock, Labor and Wages.

The report of the crops of Ontario, compiled by the Ontario Bureau of Industries, up to Aug. 1, have been summarized and published in The Advertiser columns, so far as it related to grain, hay, vegetables, and fruit. The full report deals also with other agricultural interests, as follows: THE APIARY.

Reports vary considerably regarding bees. Some correspondents regard swarming as being satisfactory, while others state that there was very little increase in the number of colonies, and that the winter was a trying one. Clover blossoms were not abundant, and in some sections basswood was injured by caterpillars. A few correspondents report as high as 75 pounds surplus honey per hive, but a number go as low as 10, and even 5 pounds per hive. The average will be about 25 pounds. The buckwheat crop will, in many instances decide whether the bees will have to be "fed back" or not.

PASTURES AND LIVE STOCK. Reports as to the condition of pastures and the effect upon the supply of fodder and dairy produce vary greatly according to locality. In the Lake Erie and Lake Ontario counties and some other parts the pastures are generally dried up and bare, resulting in a considerable falling off in the supply of milk and a shortage in dairy produce, with discouraging prospects for the keep of cattle during fall and winter. The latter difficulty, however, has been largely met by the more general planting of corn and the storing of ensilage, so that no scarcity is apprehended unless in exceptional cases. In the northern and eastern parts of the province, where more rain has fallen, the pasturage has remained good, with abundant supplies of milk for dairying purposes, and prospects of a plentiful supply of feed for stock. In addition to drouth another cause which has resulted in a decrease of the milk supply is that more calves are being raised than usual in some parts. stock as a rule are in good condition, with a marked absence of anything like serious disease, the principal drawback being the prevalence of the horse-fly, which has been very trouble-some in many cases.

LABOR AND WAGES. The demand for farm labor is still decreasing, owing to the now frequent practice of doing all the ordinary farm work without other assistance than that furnished by the family, or the exchange of work among neighbors.

The falling off in the extent to which the hiring system has been adopted renders the supply of help in most localities the temporary pressure of the harvest. Complaints of scarcity come from many quarters, owing to the laborers leaving for Manitoba and the Northwest, or entering upon other employments in the province. Great difficulty has consequently been experienced in obtaining extra men for the harvest season in some neighborhoods. The variation in the rate of wages paid is so great, even within the limits of the same county, that it is difficult to indicate average figures that will not be either misleading or present so wide a margin that will be of lit-tle utility. As a general thing wages appear to be somewhat higher in the west than in the east, with a slightly upward tendency. About \$1 or \$1.25 per day, with board, seems to be about the standard or average wages for harvest hands, though as low as 60 or 70 cents is quoted as the figure in some cases; while on the other hand the scarcity of help in some neighborhoods has raised the figure to \$150 and even \$2. The rate for monthy engagements with board usually ranges between \$15 and \$20, anything over this limit being for a short engagement covering the summer season, while ar-

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> Dozens Have Died From Sourvy and Exposure.

> Victoria, B. C., Aug. 11. - Osborne Reid and his brother, of Calgary, N. W. T., who started for Dawson over the Edmonton trail 18 months ago, have reached here from Glenora. They say about a dozen men were lying at Glenora in various stages of scurvy, and sickness brought on by exposure and insufficient food. Some were badly frostbitten.

> They heard of several deaths at difpoints on the trail. A man named Webb, of Kansas City, died of scurvy at Frances Lake a few weeks ago. Another man named Ford, from somewhere in Eastern Canada, died near Dease Lake about the first week in July. In April they heard of the death of a German named Waldemar Wendelour. He had started for the coast over the ice, broke down, and died all alone in a shack beside the trail where his body was found. One man, whose name they did not learn, was drowned in Frances River in June by the capsizing of his canoe in Middle Canyon. Another unknown man was drowned while going up Dease Lake on the ice.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 12. - A report from Dawson says advices from the mouth of the Yukon express anxiety regarding the small steamer Indianapolis, which sailed from Nulati for Cape Nome with 28 passengers. Among the passengers were Dr. Jennings and W. D. Meyers, both of Indianapolis, Ind. The steamer is reported to have passed out of the Yu-kon into Bering Sea in the midst of a

HEARTRENDING STORIES. The steamer Strathcona is reported to have reached Fort Wrangel with 30 survivors of the Edmonton trail. They are all western men, except C. Jefferson, of Asbury Park, N. J.; M. Veley, of Ohio; J. McGilvary and O. Reed, Canada; J. Levin and J. Hackney, Ottawa; M. Tall and R. H. Tall, Canada. The unfortunates tell heartrending stories of hardships endured and comrades lost and abandoned.

Most of the men are sickly looking, with unkempt hair and greasy clothesphysical and financial wrecks. Several have grown gray and bear marks of scurvy. A few have just enough money to reach Seattle or Victoria, but the most are without funds.

Several starvation cases are reported. About twenty miles above Devil's Portage two unknown men were found frozen to death last winter. A man bearing the name of Johnson, from New York, was found dead in a tent near the source of the Mud River last This poor fellow had as covering only half of a blanket, and a diary, still open in his hand, in which were these words opposite the date of Feb. 15, 1897: "I died of hunger."

> THE DAHLIA'S HISTORY. [From the London Globe.]

More than one hundred years ago Baron Humboldt discovered the dahlia a small, single flower, in Mexico. Could some prophetic vision have re-vealed to him the dahlia of today in its dazzling abs, nave varied forms be that discovery than of all his other scientific achievements. It was sent by him to the Botanical Gardens, Madrid. where it received the name of dahlia in honor of the botanist, Prof. Andrew Dahl. The same year it was introduced into England, where it was cultivated under glass. For a few years it was lost to cultivation, then reintroduced inton England. Cultivation soon developed the double form and every color except blue. For many years the ideal dahlia of the cultivators was a perfectly double, ball-shaped flower. Those who remember the compact flowers of thirty or forty years ago know how nearly that ideal was realized, and remember the deserved popularity of the dahlia of that day. But people soon tired of the regularity of that type, and for a few years it was neglected. Florists were giving time, labor and thought to the development of the rose, carnation, chrysanthemum and other popular flowers. At last some far-seeing cultivator recognized the possibilities of the dahlia and in a new, improved and more beautiful shade of colors it resumes its sway, and today greets us in so many varied and attractive forms that every taste may be suited.

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of today were Queen Anne in front and Mary Ann in the back." To give the figure symmetrical lines the belt is should be fastened a triffe higher in the back than the actual waist-line, and drawn firmly down a full inch lower in the front. If a soft ribbon is used it may be extended even lower, into a sharp-pointed effect. Considerable space this seems to devote to so apparently unimportant an article of dress. But, believe me, the belt is essentially important an article of dress. But, believe me, the belt is essentially important, and has the power to mar the portant, and has the power to mar the

In the Chicago Chronicle we find this brief characterization of the coming queen of England:

Alexandra of Denmark is a woman who will set the crown of England upon her brow and glory that it is there. Unlike Victoria, who dislikes to wear a crown, she will keep it upon her head and look prettiest in it.

An intimate friends of the Princess of Wales, for only an intimate friend can be pardoned in so describing her, says that she is "sweet, small, pretty, anappy, arrogant and disagreeable." temper is quick, disagreeable and uncertain. Yet, withal, this friend adds is carried twice around the neck and she is "just the most lovable woman

Queen Victoria, during her 62 years' reign, has shown herself to be more a man than a woman. Her conduct in time of trouble has been calm and serene, and in time of peace she has dis-played the stolidity so admired by Eng-

Alexandra, on the other hand, is excitable, fervent, pathetic variable-alwoman.

The strongest feature displayed by the coming queen of England is her clique. No one ever knew the queen of England to have any intimate friends. Even Mme. Albani was kept at length, but the Princess of Wales nas her friends and falls out with them in a

woman's way.
At one time she loved Lady Brooke, but her love cooled; at another sne and Lady Randolph Churchill were inseparable—one never shopped without the other-but at a later date she took Lady Craven instead, and insisted that she become one of her adies of honor. Just now Consuelo is her fad, and the two are often seen together. An Eng-lish paragrapher remarked upon the great similarity of the two women, and the Princess of Wales, though Con-suelo is young enough to be her granddaughter, was so girlishly delighted that she insisted upon driving in Rotten Row side by side with the youthful

American beauty.

The Princess of Wales is noted for her taste in dress—a distinction which does not belong to Queen Victoria.

In admirable characteristics Alexandra is not wanting. She is the only one of Queen Victoria's royal daughters-inlaw who have been able to get along with her; even her daughters have found little sympathy in the cool rigidness of the throne. But Alexandra began by determining to like her mothin-law, and she has kept it up for 35 years.

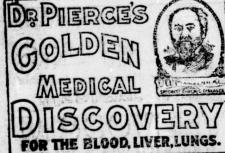
Queen Victoria declares today that she likes the Princess of Wales better than any one of her own family, except Beatrice, and that she would sooner see her than any other on the throne.

Serving Summer Dishes.

"Especial daintiness is called for in the setting forth of what we call light food for summer diet," said the rosycheeked cook in the white mobcap, 'for, while a large joint is handsome enough of itself and needs little to set it off, a ragout, a fricandeau, a compote-even a simple poached egg-all depend much for their attractiveness on the manner of their being presented at the table. to a cutlet, a border to a mince, a garnish to cold meat, may not add to its intrinsic value, perhaps, but it alters that in turn controls the gastric juices that affect digestion-hence we demonstrate again the effect of mind over matter. A well-made sauce will make the homeliest dish handsome. Mark the improvement that a cream sauce makes to a plainly boiled vegetable and to fish, the added piquancy that parmesan and cayenne give to the sauce itself when it covers a white cauliflower, and the capital effect that a mayonnaise makes in disguising those cold cooked beans and potatoes. A cultivated taste finds in light diet ample scope for development.

A Woman's Model Day.

At a recent club meeting in a suburban town a member presented the "Value of System in Work," and gave a model day in which every minute from breakfast to bedtime was filled with active effort. When she had finished a woman in the audience arose, and pointed out that one important occupation of the day had been omitted. This was "dawdling," and the speaker said while indorsing the value of system she must put in an eloquent plea



origin in the derangement or disease of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. The stomach is the receptacle in which food is received and the laboratory in which it is prepared to nourish the different parts of the body. It prepares brain nourishment in one nerve nourishment in another, muscle nourishment in another. When the stomach is "out of order" these various forms of nourishment are only partly or imperfectly prepared, and nerve, muscle, or brain, as the case may be, is only partly fed, and the result is pain, which is Nature's protest and warning. The pain may be in the head or in the heart, but you must reach it through the stomach or you can't cure it. That is the philosophy on which Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is prepared. It has absolute control of the stomach and digestive and nutritive system. It cures diseases in head, heart, liver, lungs and other organs by curing the diseased condition of the stomach which prevents the proper nourishment of the various organs and corrupts them by its own diseased condition, in the partial nourishment it provides. In like manner "Golden Medical Discovery purifies the blood, by purifying the stomach and other blood-making organs.

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day of every woman of at least a half-hour's absolute rest—not the rest of a fresh occupation, but the rest of complete and entire relaxation, mental and physical. The nervous, active, overzealous woman of the present day scarcely knows how to rest. "If you scarcely knows how to rest. "If you have found a day to be idle," says some one, "be idle for a day." This is a motto that many women will do well to fasten up on their dressing tables.

White Ribbons.

The rather broad white ribbon is much seen with outing skirt waits. It terminates in a big, loose knot with ends in front. All colors are worn, and to keep ribbon high and stiff round the throat there come foundations of crinoline and other stiff ma-

+++ Hair Clasps.

Very small gold wreaths not bigger than a quarter are worn in the street to keep up the stray locks at the back of the neck, but for evening more elaborate designs are shown. The prettiest hair clasps I have seen so far were a very slender crescent of pearls, and a little gold bow, such as archers use, strung with a gold thread, on which were three or four small pearls.

Domestic Diplomacy. She never describes her aches and

pains.

She never dwells on unpleasant reminiscences.

She never apologizes for the food. She is never a martyr. She never corrects the children in the

presence of anyone, not even the fam-She lets everyone have affairs of his or her own.
She is always polite and cordial to

the children's troubles

A Novelty in Table Decoration. A lovely and novel table decoration for any dinner, and especially appropriate for the vegetarian one, is known as the "Cabbage Rose." Its arrangement is simple, but so exquisite and unique in effect as to rival the presentations of the most skilled florist. Place in the center of the table a round plat of fine green foliage. Select a medium-sized perfect head of cabbage, with rather loose curled-edge green leaves. Part them, and in every opening outline the scallop with pink roses, the stems cut medium length. The cabbage leaf will close to hold the flowers in place. In the top center of the head insert a cluster of rosebuds and green leaves as finish. "Seeing is believing," in this instance, so lovely is the combination of the peculiar green of the vegetable with the pink of the flowers. The most observant eyes seldom discover that the wonderfully beautiful center-piece is with such humble foundation as a cabbage head, but so it is. Taste and deft fingers count more than material.

For Housewives' Comfort.

One of the handrest things that has ever been gotten up by the enterprising cans. It is no longer necessary to spend hot afternoons cutting and writing and pasting innumerable small labels. The new kind is simply a piece of gummed paper bearing a picture of fruit. They are neat, pretty and inexpensive.

Creamed Cucumbers on Toast.

Pare half a dozen cucumbers and cut them lengthwise into quarters. Drop them into cold water for half an hour, then drain, cover with boiling salted water and simmer for 20 minutes. In the meantime prepare a number of thin weeds" as they rolled rapidly along slices of buttered toast, arrange on a hot platter. In another saucepan put one tablespoonful of butter, one tablespoonful of flour, and a dash of cayenne. Mix over the fire, add one-half of a cupful of rich milk, and one-half of a cupful of the water in which the cucumblers are cooking, and stir until the sauce is thick and smooth. Simmer for five minutes, stir in one tablespoonful of vinegar, and one tablespoonful of butter, and take from the fire. Drain the cucumbers, arrange them on the hot toast and pour the

+++ When Scorched.

When you suspect what you are cooking has become scorched because you have neglected it for just one moment too long, lift the vessel holding the food quickly from the fire, and stand it in a pan of water for a few minutes. In almost every case the scorched taste will disappear.

+++ Beits and How to Wear Them.

Long usage seemed to esablish the fact that black was the conventional color for belts, or at least that belt and Experience has shown to physicians skirt should match in color. Reverse that the majority of diseases have their this order, wear a belt corresponding to your bodice and see how much neater your figure appears. Close observation will prove erroneous the idea that black or a very dark-hued belt made the waist seem small. So it does if it be a continuance of the shade of the bodice, but then only. A white belt with a white bodice will have exactly the same effect. So it will be seen that it is the application not the color of the belt that gives advantage. It should continue the inward slope from the bust and shoulders. Apropos of belts, they are about the most unruly articles of our apparel, and while simple-looking and easy to adjust, they require tasteful management to keep

them under control. The clever patentee has failed utterly in devising methods for keeping skirt and bodice from separating under the slightest stress of circumstances. There are pins and clasps galore, and they answer well enough ordinarily, but let an unwary foot plant itself ever so gently on the hem of your skirt and it breaks restraint with a rasping sound that falls on your tortured ear like an exultant cry of relief. The best remedy for all this troublesome matter is the simplest. Have three small hooks ranged evenly along the center of the bodice, at the back, corresponding eyes on the skirt-unite these carefully and you'll find you have discovered a wonderful panacea for the preservation of temper, to say nothing of the reputation for neatness, for nothing is more glaringly untidy than the appearance of a dress sagging below the waistband. A contemporary "hit it" wittily when he remarked that many women

years ago.

Bertram now looked on with great curiosity, while Frank took the bellows and made a wind that blew several of character of one's gown. Again, even the apparent slendering of one's figure is a foil to old Father Time. A woman never grows too old to rejoice at being told she looks "girlish" a compliment she can never draw forth unless she

across the dining-room carpet. After this, whenever Frank and Bertram set up the toy village, the very best part of the play was the time when the cyclone came, and trees and houses and men and women tumbled down together in a heap of ruins .- Youth's

00000000000000 Boys and Girls.

The Plight of Peterkin.

keeps her figure as taut and trim as

[By Guy Wetmore Carryl.] Peterkin Pillowby bought him a bicy-

cle,
Bought it, and learned to ride,
My! But it made you as cold as an

seeing the tricks he tried. Peterkin's riding was simply a mir-

People who saw it said "Hi!" Peterkin smiled in a manner satirical, But he disdained to reply.

You would have thought that he was professional, Making his bicycle rear; Then ne would ride in a fashion reces-

Never considering fear; For, though he barely was out of the sional. nursery, Such was his marvelous skill

That he could go in this manner reversery Even while climbing a hill.

People assembled around him and lauded him— Great was the cheering, and loud; Peterkin, hearing the way they ap-

plauded him, Grew to be shockingly proud— Tried to do something extremely periculous,
When of a sudden, he fell,
All the observers said, "La, how ridic-

ulous!" Sad is the sequel to tell

Peterkin's damages hurt and astound-No one could tell which was worst; Yet he remarked to the crowd that surrounded him,

"Look to the bicycle first!" And when they said, "It is higgledypiggledy, "Never mind doctors," he cried. Then, when a moment he'd twisted and

wriggled, he Softly and silently died.

-Harper's Round Table. +++

A Little Cyclone. Bertram was born and had spent all his life on a Kansas prairie. He had never watched the waves rolling in from the ocean, nor picked up shells along the shore, nor dug wells in the sandy beach. He had never listened to the wind as it sighed gently through the tops of the pine trees. Indeed, he had never seen any real woods at all, nor any high hills; and he knew nothing about great rocks that are so nice to climb upon and make such lovely

caves to hide oneself under. But he knew all about how the on the plains ride over the range to brownd-up catthe 'nad' often player at throwing a rope" to lasso the stalks of the tall sunflowers that bloom so thickly over the western plains. He had seen great fires rushing madiy through the dry prairie grass. He had even seen half a dozen fires at a time far off on the great round line in which the wid sky shuts itsif down over the

wide earth. He also knew how hard the winds could blow across the great open plains. When the spring winds came blowing all the way from the Gulf of Mexico or the Polar Ocean, Bertram used to watch the great round "tumblefaster than a horse could gallop. Some times when the wind grew flercer than usual it brought a thick cloud of dust to choke the breath and blind the sight. Then Bertram would run into the house as fast as his legs could carry him, and shut his eyes, almost fearing that the little house would be lifted from its foundations and shaken to pieces by the fierce wind of the prairie.

When Bertram was five years old his mother took him to New England to visit his grandmother and some cousins that he had never seen.

Bertram thoughts the rooms in his grandmother's house were very large—large enough for houses, he said. He was never tired of running up down the stairs, because he had never before lived in a house where there were any stairways to be climbed. One day Bertram's uncle brought

home from the city a large box. and told Bertram and his little cousin Frank that this contained something which they would like to see. When they opened the box they found in it—a toy village. There was

a church with a steeple, a post office. schoolhouse, a store and some smaller houses. There were a good many little trees to shade the village, and a number of little men and women to walk about its streets. There was also a depot and a train of cars to bring people to and from the town. Both of the children were delighted. They took the little things out of the

box and looked at them one by one. Then they began to build the town. Frank had often been to the city with his father, and thought that he knew all about how a town should be built. He did not think that Bertram knew much about towns. So it happened that almost all the things that Bertram set

up Frank would soon change to another

Bertram soon began to feel that it was all Frank's town, and that he was being left out of the play. He looked very sober for a few minutes. He stopped working and watched the little town as it grew up under Frank's busy fingers. But he was all the time thinking how he could have a share in the

play himself. At last a new thought came to him. The town was just finished, with all the trees and houses set up in beautiful order, and the little men and women walking quietly around the streets. Then Bertram cried out, "Here comes a slycone!" and filling his little lungs with air, he blew out a great wind of breath. In two seconds half of the town lay in a heap, with the frightened little men and women under the overturned houses

Frank looked up, feeling half angry But Bertram's eyes were shining. He was not cross or naughty; he only wanted to have a part in the play.
Frank's eyes began to shine, too. This
was a new kind of fun.

So he said, "That was a blizzard, sure enough! Now all the men will have to go to work and build the town over again." Then with a good laugh both of the

the little men and women half way

companion.

The Poets. 000000000000000

Ins Grand Seigneur.

To the hut of the peasant or lordly To the heart of the king, or humblest thrall.

Sooner or later, love comes to all. And it came to the Grand Seigneur, my dear, It came to the Grand Seigneur.

The robins were singing a roundelay, And the air was sweet with the breath of May, As a horseman rode through the forest

way, was a Grand Seigneur, my And he dear. He was a Grand Seigneur.

Lord of the Manor, Count Bellefon-Had spurred over many a stormy plain. With gallants of France at his bridal

For he was a brave Cavalier, my dear, He was a brave Cacalier. -W. H. Drummond.

+++ Romance.

When Flora makes soft music, And all the lights are low, And dark winds down their alleys Among the roses blow, wander in a country

Where once I used to go, A land of vague and sweet delights That only lovers know.

Over her fingers drooping I see her shadowy hair so from some dim old canvas Might steal on twilight air The grace that was so lovely, The face that was so fair, That the painter lost his cunning, And the priest forgot his prayer.

I wonder if this life of ours Repeats its sweetest woe; If under other stars we met The ancient evenings so, If Flora and her listener Only old raptures know,

And in that land of strange delights Were lovers long ago! -Harriet Prescott Spofford in the Woman's Home Companion.

+++ Spilling Sunshine.

If you should see a fellow-man with trouble's flag unfurled, An' looking like he didn't have a friend in all the world,

know he has a friend in you. Then ax him what's a-hurtin' him, an' And tell him that the darkest night is just before the day. Don't talk in graveyard palaver, but say it right out loud,

This world at best is but a hash of pleasure an' of pain; Some days are bright and sunny, and some all sloshed with rain, And that's just how it ought to be, for

That God will sprinkle sunshine in the

trail of every cloud.

when the clouds roll by We'll know just how to 'preciate the bright and smiling sky. So learn to take it as it comes, and don't sweat at the pores Because the Lord's opinion don't coincide with yours; But always keep rememberin', when

cares your path enshroud,
That God has lots of sunshine to spill behind the cloud. -James Whitcomb Riley.

NEW CROP OF HAIR

Turkish Physician's Successful Experiment in Scalp Planting.

A Turkish physician has been experimenting successfully on the transplanting of hairs one by one to the bald parts of the scalp. His results seem to show that there is no impossibility

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each end. Some four weeks after implantation a certain number of the hairs were found to have taken root, and in no long time a goodly new crop was produced.

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By microscopic examination he has satisfied himself that after some weeks a real new bulb forms at the lower end of the implanted hair. Dr. Hodara's results are interesting in themselves, and still more in the promise which they appear to offer of further results undreamt of, or at any rate, unmentioned, by the ingenious experimenter.
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People differ greatly in this respect, but in some but in some—great, ponderous men, as they may seem—the digestion is so easily upset by muscular exercise that, although they may be giants for a momentary exertion, anything like sus-tained effort disturbs digestion, and cuts at the very root of their nutrition. In many cases, however, the limit to exercise lies in diminished excretion. Unless the excretory organs are thoroughly efficient the tissues become crowded with products which cannot be got rid of, the senses become dimmed, and effort becomes a mere auto-matism, in consequence of a self-poisin all the world.

Go up and slap him on the back and holler, "How d' you do?"

And grasp his hand so warm he'll waste unterference with digestion so lowers nutrition, while accumulation of waste products so poisons the system that in either case further exertion becomes impossible—the very will to make it passes away. But it is different in regard to the heart. The heart, although strained, may yet be driven on to its own destruction. Every muscular ef-fort not only demands from the heart an increased flow of blood, but also drives an increased quantity toward it. So long as the heart can pass this forward all is well, but when it fails not merely is the circulation of the blood rendered imperfect, but serious damage is done to the heart itself. If when the heart was over-driven it merely struck, the enfeebled circulation would soon put a stop to further effort. The willing heart, however, taking at each beat a wider sweep, and driving into the vessels a large quantity of blood, so meets the call that the athlete can struggle on, perhaps to win his race. But the strained heart suffers, the stretched muscle does not quite come back, the dilated cavity does not quite close at each contraction, and permanent mischief is set up. Thus it is that exercise driven to the limit imposed by the heart, is over-exercise in the most

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Good Ivory Grows With Age-Interesting Statistics.

[Chicago Times.]

The veteran ivory turner of the United States is George C. Britner, whose knowledge of ivory both practically and from books is so extensive that he might be termed a human encyclopedia. "What he doesn't know about ivory is not worth knowing," remarked his friends. They were right, for he reeled off information enough to stretch from here to Africa and sufficently weighty to require the strength and services of a herd of mammoth elephants.

"How long have you been in this

business?" he was asked. Since 1840. I always loved ivory and the results of the workmanship as seen in various productions, and I determined to devote myself to that for a livelihood." You have a fine collection," I ob-

served. "Yes, it is interesting. Here is bit of the natural ivory and here is a bit polished to a high degrees. This mammoth tusk laid in Alaska millions of years, I suppose, and, contrary to many opinions, I assert that it would make a good billiard balls. Mammoth ivory is, as a rule, not as tough as fresh ivory-we call it 'green'-but it possesses an elasticity that is sufficient for many purposes."

"Elasticity," is very essential for billiard balls, is it not?" "Decidedly," he answered. "In my profession the men who make the balls must be experts in judging of ivory. There are only certain portions of the tusk-not teeth as some reporters style the tusks, although they are in reality a species of upper incisor teeth, and it is necessary to avoid the rest, otherwise an imperfect ball will be turned out. Step over here and watch me turn one.'

Quick and alert as a man of 25, the ball was fashioned and as it revolved the expert chatted familiarly, pausing now and then to request the visitor to test its smoothness and beauty.

'Absolute accuracy is gemanded. The ball must be of certain diameter to the hundredth part of an inch, and must weigh so much, neither more nor About 2,400 billiard balls are sold each month, and this represents the ivory from 240 elephants—a terrible demand on the living elephant, you observe. But I do not agree that the tribes will become extinct; there are thousands of unexplored acres in the heart of Africa whence we receive the best ivory, and there are millions of tons still hidden in the earth, styled 'dead' ivory, but it is just as good. The durability of well preserved ivory, thousands of years oid, has been iested, as balls were used by expert players who were not aware that it was 'dead' ivory they were chasing over the

YEARLY CONSUMPTION OF IVORY "What is the yearly consumption, and where does it come from and where is it used?

'About 110,000 to 115,000 balls, I should estimate. America and Africa absorbing half, while the other countries absorb the remainder. The best ball tusks are those of full-grown elephants from near the higher regions of equatorial Africa. Weighing from twelve eighteen pounds each, sometimes reaching thirty, these tusks are valued more highly than those of the male, which are often flat and diseased in the center. In the natural state you observe that the dark spot in the center, which was the last remains of pulp calcified, the outer edge was cementum and the rest was ivory. There are two kinds, hard and soft, the former used by experts. The largest exportation from Africa was in 1870-79, when 1,830,000 pounds each year was the output. The hard ivory, green or transparent, it is called, is from the west coast, while the opaque or white comes from the east coast. The former is brittle and transparent and contains much moisture, while the latter is tough and dry, evidencing the elephant has a different mode of living, doubtless, and under different climatic con-No substance has ever been produced artificially to take the place of this delicate and symmetrical struc-

ture.
"In the past the Chinese and other oriental nations excelled in the treat-ment of it, as you know quite well. The Egyptians used it for ornamentation, but it is posible they used the n.ore accessible hippopotamus. Sword handles, tenyoles, chess, junks, benches, for galley rowers, the throne of Solom-on overlaid with gold, ivory palaces, couches, statues, as in the Phideas, when they were called chrys-elephantine, and thousands of articles, useful and ornamental, were made from this beautiful product of nature. The Abrian alchemists submitted it to the crucible and the pigment ivory black was produced. In Rome ivory was a symbol of power. Flutes have been made of it, but lack the resonance of wood; being thin as paper, tablets and sheets are formed from it, its translucent quality indicating its per-

GOOD IVORY GROWS WITH AGE. "Let me tell you as a fact that good lvory grows white instead of yellow with age. Yet it requires as great care as the finest pearl. Ivory balls, fresh-ly turned, have to be treated very carefully, as a sudden change of temperature may cause them to crack. They should be placed in a warm room for three months, although they may have been properly 'seasoned' for six months or six years maybe, before 'turned.'
We sent a set to a man who failed to take them from the express office on notification. When he did so, lo! they were cracked. The express agent vowed that he had taken the best of



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care of them; in fact, he had placed them on the radiator to keep warm.
As a matter of fact, the heat was too intense, so they cracked.

"Sometimes I run across a bullet im-bedded in the tusk. Presumably the but Mr. Elephant received his delicate attention in the support of the tusk or nerve of the tooth, and the result is a surprise to the ball ivory expert, who realizes that the growth has been affected seriously or not as the case may be.

Commercial traffic is very great and full of interest in anecdotes and real adventures. The natives believe the elephant never dies in some sections of Africa, and others think he retires to some secret place to shuffle off his coil. To their supersition the original vast quantities of collected ivory was due, and after it became exhausted commerce demanded the slaughter of the elephant." By this time an exquisitely modeled sphere had been turned, polished and presented to the visitor, who scarcely realized its rapid transformation under such delightful circumstances.

USE FOR IVORY DUST.

The ivory dust had piled up in foamy masses like gelatine and naturally a querry as to its subsequent use was

propounded.
"Well, we do but little in that line it sells from \$80 to \$100 a ton in London. It is used as a fertilizer, sizing lace curtains, gelatine and for ivory black. It weighs lightly, as you see. I believe straw hat makers use it as well," returned Mr. Britner. "Do you work every day?"

"Yes, and for over twenty years with this firm." "That's a long time. You have turned millions of balls and seen many vicissitudes."

"Sometime I will tell you of them. It has been a world of experience, as I have met many men of note, especially in this great game of billiards. Are not these balls beauties?" he added, fondling several of the pretty spheres, delicate as a woman's hand. "The color-ing has been well done. Some are not as attractive to me, as the color appears to lack brilliancy or luster. Coloring is an art in itself." He turned to his 'trucks' of various sizes and patted them familiarly.
"They are good friends. The whirr

of the wheels sings pleasant memories of the past, and the present is equally as enjoyable."

BRITISH PATENTS IN THE YEAR 1898

How Common Incidents Suggest Inventions.

The report of the comptroller-general of patents for the year 1898 has been issued. For the first time since the 1884 act came into force there has been a falling off in the number of applica-tions for patents. In 1898 they numbered 27,659, while in the preceding year there were 30,952 applications, showing a decrease of 3,293 or more than 10 per cent. The comptroller is of the opinion that the rapid growth in the number of applications which took place in 1896-7 was to be attributed to the activity in the cycle industry. Still, out of 6,000 applications made in 1897 in connection with cycles, only 2,-300 were completed, much less than the average. In the total number of applications, naturally the major part came from England and Wales, 17,389 coming from the two countries. There were only 1,395 applications from Scotland and 502 from Ireland. The three foreign countries from which the largest number of applications came were from the United States with 2,629, Germany with 2,599, and France with 1,133. This show that American inventors fully appreciate the great advantages of a British patent. were only eight other countries from which as many as a hundred applica-tions came. There has been an increase among certain chemical classes. notably those which are connected

with the acetylene industry.
Since the passing of the "Workingmen's Compensation Act," the number of applications relating to guards for the prevention of accidents with machinery has been very largely increased. A single death or injury will often make considerable difference in the number of applications. For instance, after a railway accident caused by a luggage truck falling onto the line in front of an express train, there was a great increase in inventions for railway platform luggage trucks. As showing the relations between passing events and the course of invention, might be mentioned that the publication in a London morning paper of a letter relating to the waste of horsefeed in London, was followed within five weeks by no less than 34 applications for patents for nose-bags for horses, while the average number up to this time had only been twelve annually. This is a most excel-lent example of the advantages which accrue to the inventor by the publicity which is given to legiti-mate wants. There is little doubt that of our important inventions have been suggested by chance statements which have appeared in various papers as to the actual need for machines or processes.

Pleasures of Poverty

In a bright epigrammatic contribution to the August number of the North American Review, which is in the form of a dialogue between an artist and his wife, Max O'Rell celebrates "The Pleasure of Poverty." Monsieur is possessed with a desire for riches that his wife may live in luxury; Madame insists that they could never be so happy in luxury as they were when their income was most contracted, and she has the best of the argument, as is indicated in the following extract:

She-And do you also remember when, two years after we were married, our general suddenly gave notice, and left us alone to manage housekeeping as best we could? And how I cooked all the meals, and how you never enjoyed them better. Now, say it is true.

"He-Perfectly true. "She-And do you also remember happy, ringing with your laughter all day long; so that, in a month, baby put on six pounds of flesh?

"He-And how I cleaned the knives? "She-Which helped your appetite for breakfast. "He-And the boots? Now I did not

like cleaning the boots. "She-Yes, you did, and they never shone so beautifuly. "He-Well, I flatter myself I was

able to make myself useful. "She-Those were and will always be the dear old days of my life.
"He—And how pretty you looked with a white apron o..., and your sleeves tucked up, showing your lovely arms? "She—Ah! and how you were once turned out of the kitchen for kissing the cook? You were sorry when I got a new servant. "He-Upon my word, I believe I

Lion Flesh, Elephant's Foot, Rhinoceros Meat and Other Delicacies.

Queer Dishes and Queer Appetites in the World.

[St. Louis Globe-Democrat.]

Lion flesh is said to be very good eating, but tiger is tough and sinewy.
Nevertheless, the latter is eaten in
India, as there is a superstition that it
imparts strength and cunning to the eater. Bear's flesh is a great favorite in Germany, and smoked tongues and hams are considered great delicacies. On account of the rarity of Bruin, they are expensive. Sausage-so dear to the Teutonic heart and stomach-is also made from bear liver; 25 pounds of sausage can be made from a single

There appears to be considerable di versity of opinion as to the merits of elephant's flesh. In India and Africa it is a favorite dish with the natives, but a European who has traveled much in a European who has traveled much in Africa says: "I have tasted elephant over and over again. It is more like soft leather and glue than anything I can compare it to." Another traveler, however, declares that he cannot imagine how an animal so coarse and heavy can produce such delicate and tender flesh. All authorities however. tender flesh. All authorities, however, agree in commending elephant's foot. Even the traveler quoted above, who compared elephant's flesh to leather and glue, admits that "baked elephant's foot is a dish fit for a king." When an elephant is shot in Africa the flesh is cut into strips and died; it is then called "biltong." The elephant's foot is other positive cure, through using Dr. cut off from the knee joint, and a hole Williams' Pink Pills. It is the case of about three feet deep is dug in the earth Miss Cassie Way, who has been an and the sides of it baked hard with burning wood. Most of these faggots

teemed a great delicacy. Kept in a barrel for a week and fed on sweet potatoes, and when killed, stuffed and roasted, it forms a most delicate dish, resembling chicken in taste. A negro will spend all the night catching a 'possum for his Sunday dinner. Monkey meat is also good eating. Dr. Wallace, the well-known scientist, once breakfasted on monkey. "It was by no means bad," he wrote, "being son thing like rabbit." He also stated that: 'Although the habits of the jaguar are filthy in the extreme, jaguar steaks are beautifully white, and remarkably like veal in taste." In the same way, ducks, though feeding on grubs, worms, frogs and mud, form, as everyone will admit, a delicious dish. Kangaroo steaks are splendid, and our Australian cousins assert that kangaroo soup is the finest in the world, and infinitely superior to ox-tail. Travelers are also unanimous in declaring that the flesh of the alligator and crocodile extremely tender, white and delightful to the palate. Seal flesh, though perblack, is matchless for flavor, tenderness, digestibility and heat-giv-ing power. Squirrels are extensively pelas, etc., all disappear before a fair eaten in some parts of rural England. Skewered nightingales is the great dish of Florence, and those who have conquered their sentiments and eaten the little songsters are loud in their praises. In Florida a stew of robins, jays and bluebirds forms a most savory and delicate dish, and if you did not know the names of the dishes you could eat and enjoy rat pie, stewed cat, boiled horse beef, fried snails or any of the above dainties. As it is, the imagination is the autocrat of the stomach, and people will only eat what custom has made familiar. There is no reason beyond that of custom—why man should not add some of the above dainties to his bill of fare.

SORROWFUL TREE

It Blooms Only at Night and Is Blight ed When the Sun Rises.

There is a tree in Persia to which the name "The Sorrowful Tree" is given. Perhaps because it blooms only in the evening.

When the first star appears in the heavens, the first bud of the Sorrowful Tree opens, and as the shades of night advance and the stars thickly stud the sky, the buds continue gradually opening until the whole tree looks like one immense white flower. On the approach of dawn when the brilliancy stars gradually fades in the light of day, the Sorrowful Tree closes its flowers, and ere the sun is fully risen not a single blossom is visible. A sheet of flower dust as white as snow covers the ground around the foot of the tree, which seems blighted and withered during the day, while, however, it is actively preparing for the next noctur-The fragrance of the nal festival. blossoms is like that of the evening

primrose. If the tree is cut down close to the roots, a new plant shoots up and attains maturity in an incredibly short

In the vicinity of this singular tree there usually grows another, which is almost an exact countetrpart of Sorrowful Tree, but less beautiful, and, strange to say, it blooms only in the day time.

THE WOMEN OF HOMER.

Although the women of Athens in the days of its glory had a position which is today believed to have been not merely inferior, but servile and de-based, yet the earlier women, both of what may be called the period of the Homeric singer and of the Homeric listener, were evidently a very superior order, receiving respect and duty, and giving a high tone to their social life. There are but two ignoble women in all the pages of Homer, Helen and Clytemnestra; and even to them a certain sort of honor was awarded by those about them. All the other women of Homer's song were dignified, gentle, noble, with lofty standards of morals and behavior, and exerting a wide and valuable influence. They are generally characterized by a sweet courtesy; they have a natural refinement; and in all the stories that are told of them we recognize a warmth of family feeling, a lofty elegance of manners, a grace which is hardly excelled by the man-ners and habits of the ladies of today. It was evidently this feeling about marriage in ancient days which made the position of women honorable, gave them safety, allowed them to cultivate the graces, lent them an authority and influence that were forceful, and made

it sung, because there was nothing in it contrary to their own experience. We read of it all with a great sense of naturalness and kinship, feeling that what is right is so the world over, and realizing that it is with women today as it was three thousand years ago; their power and their protection hie in the obedience and the reverence that are given to the sanctity of the insti-

tution of marriage.

It is interesting to find that so many years ago, when all the people who heard the Homeric songs first sung are dust blowing on the four winds of heaven, this institution of marriage, which had its happy exemplification in the lives, the singing of which touched all hearts with a kind and familiar finger, should remain as fixed and solid as the rock, and that, indeed, among those of our generation who think the highest and live the best it is regarded as sacramental in its nature, and not to be lightly considered, rudely spoken of, nor carelessly broken.

NERVOUS DYSPEPSIA

A Young Lady in Trenton Released From Suffering.

She Suffered Untold Agony From Stomach Troubles and Sick Headache-Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Cured Her.

[From the Courier, Trenton, Ont.] Some years ago we reported the case of William Pickering, Trenton, being cured of locomotor ataxia. He was not able to move, and was confined to his bed for weeks. Upon advice he tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and immediately obtained relief. He is still free from the terrible, excruciating affection, and enjoys active, robust health. We have just learned of anacute sufferer from that common foe of humanity and the foundation for burning wood. Most of these faggots are then removed, and the elephant's foot placed in the hole. It is filled up with earth, tightly packed down, and a blazing fire built on top, which is kept burning for three hours. Thus cooked the flesh is like a jelly, and can be eaten with a spoon. It is the greatest delicacy which can be given to a Kaffir. Raffir.

Rhinoceros meat is something between pork and beef, and is not to be despised when no other flesh is to be obtained. In America a 'possum is esteemed a great delicacy. Kent in a good. It was urged that she could not hope for relief from one box, and she commenced them again. She continued using the Pills throughout the year, with the result that she has completely recovered her health. Her appetite is good, she has gained flesh rapidly, and is able to attend to all her household duties. She voluntarily offers this testimony as a tribute of gratitude for the benefit she has derived, with the hope that others suffering as she has may be induced to try this health-restoring remedy. Mrs. Derbyshire adds her testimony to the correctness of the statements of Miss Way.

Allow me to add that for four or five

years the editor of this paper has suffered from an itching rash that attacked all his joints, and all the ointments within reach failed to banish it. took Dr. Williams' Pink Pills last year

and is nearly well. rheumatism. Dyspensia. neuralgia, partial paralysis, locomotor ataxia, nervous headache, nervous prostration, kidney trouble and diseases depending upon humors in the treatment with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They give a healthy glow to pale and sallow complexions and build up and renew the entire system. Sold by all dealers or sent postpaid, at 50c a box, or six boxes, \$2 50, by addressing the Do. Williams' Medicine Company Brockville, Ont. Do not be persuaded to take some substitute.

A Boston Maiden.

She stood upon the Pullman platform In wonder as the train did upward creep 'Neath peaks by grand eternal snow crowns capped, Through canons deep.

"Great scenery," to break the ice I "Incomprehensible, majestic, grand!"

And she replied with nod of queenly

"It beats the band!" "Those towering pines, how in their pride. Swayed by the passing breeze from tops to roots; Are not they kingly?" and she soft re-

"Say, ain't they beauts!" "What mighty power nerved the hand that split Those mighty rocks apart and hurled them back!" With upturned eyes she answered:

A crackerjack!" "These rugged canon walls on either Present they not a most imposing front?" She turned her eyes upon them and

"Well, I should grunt." "Didst note the golden haze which dreamily Spread o'er the hills when day began to dawn?" She thought a moment and then answ-

ered me:
"Yes, I caught on!" "How insignificant we mortals seem Surrounded by the work of Nature, As this." She soft replied: "Well, I should dream!

We ain't so much!"

Suppose these great walls towering overhead Should close upon us in this awful chasm!" She shrugged her shoulders once or twice and said: "I'd have a spasm!"

"Are you from Denver may I ask, and Gave me a glance that caused my hair to curl said: "Well, I should murmur And said: "We 'Nit!' I be

A Boston gyurl!" -Denver Evening Post.

A RATTLED REFORMER. "I," he shouted, rising to a pitch of excitement that the occasion did not

seem to call for, "am in favor of reform! I—"

"Then," somebody under the gallery interrupted, "why don't you let one election go by without being a candidate for anything?"

The applause which followed so dis-concerted the reformer that he picked influence that were forceful, and made up the vase which held the bouquet on the tale seem real to those who heard the speaker's table and drank it dry.

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THEY SAW THE QUEEN

The Women's Conference Delegates Lady Aberdeen's Description.

"Women's International Parliament," which attracted universal attention last month, comprised delegates from almost every civilized land in the globe, and even such countries as India and China were represented at its deliberations. The president of this unique convention, the Countess of Aberdeen, contributes to the August number of the "North American Review" a description of its organization and of its work, in the course of which she suggests beneficial results which are expected to follow from this worldwide co-operation and concentration of effort among women who seek to work for the good of their kind. Lady Aberdeen portrays in a few graphic words the scene at the reception given by Queen Victoria to the members of the

Women's Parliament: "It was a moving sight to see the aged soverign, whose 60 years' reign has done more for women than the centuries which preceded it, and whose name is loved and venerated in all the countries of the world, both as the ideal queen and the ideal woman, slowly moving in her carriage across the quadrangle of the old castle, past the long rows of women, who, in all parts of the earth, are trying to leave the world better than they found it. There was our new president, Mrs. May Wright Sewall; there was the Queen's contemporary, Miss Susan B. Anthony, who has borne herself throughout the congress as if she were the youngest and keenest of us all; there were the dusky Indian women in their bright Oriental array, one of them carrying a sweet faced baby whom the Queen specially noticed; there were the dele-gates from far off Australia; there also was our vice-president from France, Madame Bogelot, Chevaller of the Legion of Honor, who, with bright, vivacious Madame Feresse Deraismes, again shows an example of activity and versality not easily rivalled by the younger woman. Representatives from Germany, Russia, Austria, Italy, Norway. Sweden, Holland, Denmark, they were all there, together with Americans and Canadians; and to all the Queen gave that gracious bow and smile which bound their hearts to her forever as they lifted their voices one sincere invocation of 'God Save the Queen.' That person would be strangely constituted who could look on that scene untouched, and certain it is that the memory of it will be cherished in many far away homes."

THE BRITISH HEN

A Conference in England to Improve the Poultry-Raising Industry,

Great Britain is the largest egg-importing country. No breakfast table is well furnished without eggs, and British hens would give up in despair if it were intimated to them that they ought to supply all the eggs the population can consume. In fact, the number of hens is so very inadequate that over 1,330,000,000 of eggs, worth \$20,000,-000, are imported every year to make up the deficiency in the home supply. Nobody wonders more than the British do themselves why they don't raise more poultry and eggs, and so a poultry conference met at Reading to talk the

matter over. Mr. Walter Long, president of the British board of agriculture, told the delegates that 43 eggs were imported each year for every man, woman and child in the United Kingdom, and every one of these eggs might just as well be raised at home. He would do all he could to facilitate this desirable result. Some of the delegates said that the poultry farmer might reasonably expect a profit of 5 shillings a year from the eggs of each hen, and there was no reason why the home production should not be largely increased. Various ways of encouraging the industry were ap-

proved. Among the diversions of the conference was a trip to Baynards in Surrey, where the delegates were conducted over the great poultry fattening establishment of Mr. C. E. Brooke, who annually sends 36,000 fowls to the London market. The market has some peculiarities which the poultry farmer must take into account. The chicken must be sent to market with its head on, for the buyer will not invest in a fowl whose head has been cut off. The idea is that chickens that are mutilated may possibly have been killed by some animal. It is also important that the chicken should have white, or at least yellow legs, as the poultry buyers object to black legs. There is no good ground for this objection, but consumers will have their way and their whims must be gratified. If chickens with black legs are forced upon the market they bring only about half the price of those with light legs.

The great hen countries of Europe are France. Austria-Hungary, Russia, Italy, Belgium, and Denmark ,and thus England has plenty of neighbors that are willing to supply her wants. Canada is now trying to get a part of the trade. If China might only be economically tapped for poultry and eggs that country could beat all creation in the quantity supplied, for that empire has more fowls than any other country in the world.

BY ASSOCIATION. When Dolly wears her mother's pin, Though she is young and slim and

fair, That quaint memento 'neath her chin Brings visions which produce despair.

I see her older, stout and gray, With thick, square waist and double chin, With waddling gait-oh! lackaday-

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STATESMEN AS ATHLETES

British Lords and M.P.P.'s Who Excel in Some Kind of Sport.

[Sir Charles Dilke in the North Am-

erican Review.] The ordinary American politician has little idea of sport, of athletics, or even of the open air. He belongs rath-er to the type of the American business man than to that of the American leisured-rich. The American man of business cannot find opportunity for much relaxation. The American universities, which are filled with keen sportsmen, have not much connection, through this class of their graduates with politics.

On our side of the water the state of

things is very different. Mr. Glad-stone, who had been a sculler in his early youth at Eton, took to riding when he took to politics, and, after having been a regular horseman through a great portion of his life, became in old age a competent wood man and one of the most remarkable walkers that ever lived. The present leader of the House of Commons, although probably by nature far from a strong man, is a good golfer and a fair cyclist, greatly given to both pursuits, and spending upon them an amount of time which is returned him in obviously excellent effect upon his health and strength and parliamentary power. The chancellor of the exchequer rides The lord chancellor was a skilled fencer, and is now one of the most regular of walkers. The under secretary of state for foreign affairs is a regular rider, the attorney-general is a cyclist. though not the athlete that he was when the Chambridge two-mile run-ning champion. The solicitor general, the lord advocate and many others golf. Upon the other side of the house. Mr. Asquith is a regular golf player. Sir Edward Gray is even, greater at true tennis, where he is the equal of the professionals, than in the salmon and trout fishing which he has illustrated by a remarkable book. The chief Liberal whip, Herbert Gladstone, is a cricketer, cyclist and golfer, and, like John Burns, an all-round athlete; and while the late attorney-general, Sir Robert Reid, who was one of our greatest cricketers, is retiring that business under the pressure of the law, many of his brother lawyers upon the Liberal side, like Lawson Walton, are regular riders. John Morley is now regarded as the least athletic of the Liberal leaders, but even he was in his school football team. Nearly all of these, having been athletes as boys. have found it wise, as well as pleasant, to keep to some sport in later life, and probably a majority of our House of Commons shoot, or hunt in our sense -that is fox-hunt; while, as I feer, that overwhelming majority of American politicians attend to nothing except politics.

KEPT HIS VOW.

The Lady-I don't believe you would work if you could. Dismal Dawson-I'd do any kind of work that didn't interfere with me principles. I had a chanst to be a principles. waiter onst, only I'd swore a solemn oath to never wear a spiketail coat.-

KIDNEY DISEASE

Indianapolis Journal.

And Bladder Lisorders

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Great Oceanic Volcano Threatens to Overwhelm Hawaii.

The Serious Outbreak May Portend Dire Results to the Inhabitants-Effect Felt in California and It Is Thought Lake Superior Also Felt the Influence of the Vomiting of the Crater.

Mauna Loa, central vent of a great volcanic belt in Oceanica, is threatening to overwhelm the Island of Hawaii with its many villages and plantations and the principal town of Hilo. Definite advices as to the character of the eruption now in progress are lacking owing to the slow transmission of news from Hawali, but that there has been a serious outbreak there appears to be no doubt. Mauna Los is to the Hawaiian group of islands what Krakatoa is to the Sunda group or Hecla to the Icelandic range.

On the Island of Hawaii there is a remarkable group of mountain peaks and velcanoes, originally constructed by hot



BELATIVE POSITIONS OF THE HAWAIIAN

GROUP. matter hurled from the bowels of the earth into the ocean depths and then by successive eruptions built upward until the caps and craters of Mauna Kea, Mauna Loa, Hualalai, Kehala, Kilauea and Kulania rose above the waters and became at their visible bases habitable land.

Of this group Mauna Loa, an active volcano, has been in a state of perturbation for months past, indicating that an overflow was pending with accompanying tidal waves and earthquakes. When the steamship Australia left Honolulu early in July evidence was at hand that Mauna Loa was engaged in destroying herself. The lava flow was within ten miles of Hilo, the sky was overcast with clouds charged with gas, the sea was much perturbed, and sulphur smoke filled the air for miles beyond the shore

On July 22 there was a severe earthquake shock in southern California, and at practically the same time a great tidal wave in Lake Superior, neither easily explained unless it is assumed until scientific explanation may be had that way down in the interior of the earth there might be found sharp traces of a seismic wave extending from boiling Mauna Loa to the uttermost parts of the earth and producing at Los Angeles and in Lake Superior the phenomena which has troubled the people.

Mother Earth is in travail as she wills, and where her upper crust may be thin she finds a vent for her inward commotions. and the result at unexpected moments is an earthquake, a tidal wave. a destroying flow of lava. It is within possibilities that, construct ed as it has been by volcanic action, the manner in which General de Gallifet, Hawaii may be effaced from the map, sink back to the depths from which it came, and Mauna Loa and Kilauea become but names on the pages of natural history.

The Hawaiian or Sandwich group of islands consists of a chain of islands. reefs and banks running nearly 2,000 miles in the direction from northwest to southeast. The highest volcanoes and vastest caldrons of seething lava are tound in Hawaii, the largest member of the group, at its southeastern extremity. In Hawaii the volcano of Mauna Loa, or the Great Mountain, rises to a height of 13,760 feet, or about 3,000 feet above the vegetable zone. Her orater is in reality a group of craters, known in the native tongue as the Mokuaveoveo. They open on the very summit of the mountain, forming a symmetrical cavity. In the center of this cavity is the vast primitive or mother crater, with a mean diameter of 6,600 feet and depth of over 1,000 feet.

Offspring of Mauna Loa is the vast lateral crater of Kilauea, which opens on the east flank of its parent. Northwest of Mauna Loa is Mauna Haulalı, occasionally active. Still farther on is Mauna Kea, 13,850 feet in height, extinct and snow-capped. All volcanic eruptions of any importance in Hawaii are now confined to Mauna Loa and Kilauea, and it is around them that interest centers in earth, and the fear that Hawaii itself is doomed to a terrible visitation.

The natives of Hawaii have invested their volcanoes with fables and legends. have built up about them a mass of romances in which truth and imagination are so interblended that separation is impossible. If Mauna Loa finally overwhelms the island it will be no more than the matives say she has intended



EAWAII, SHOWING MAUNA LOA AND OTHER

CRATERS doing for some centuries past. These patives believe that Hawaii was formed by the bursting of a huge egg in midocean, one of the fragments of which became the beautiful isle from which rises the flame-kissed crest of Mauna Los. The authentic part of the egg story is that past eruptions have created new islands in the Hawaiian group and formed

the basis for it.

The legend tellers go on to say that after the bursting of the egg and the uprising of Mauna Los something or other was done by the first inhabitants to offend the volcano and to bring from it the threat that in punishment Hawaii should eventually be returned to the depths in which the egg first took form. Time and time again the lave has poured

from the lips of Munns Les down on to the villages and fields and almost but not quite carried out the vengeance. After each outburst of wrath the native on finding themselves and the island still in existence express delight, but with a shake of the head say: "Next time, ah." The gigantic proportions of Mauna Los and companion craters leave no room for doubt that they form one of the principal vents of the earth through which gases and molten matter are hurled out from the interior to the surface. Here are proportions of the crater of Mauna Loa: Area, 3.70 square miles, or 2,370 acres; circumference, 50,000 feet, or 9.47 miles;

9,200 feet, or 1.74 miles; elevation, 13,760 These dimensions of Mauna Loa are simply those of the summit crater. The dimensions of Kilauca, the offspring, are: Area, 4.14 miles, or 2,650 acres; circumference, 41,500 feet, or 7.85 miles; extreme width, 10,300 feet, or 1.95 miles;

length, 19,500 feet, or 3.7 miles; width,

extreme length, 15,500 feet, or 2.93 miles. If these proportions are considered extraordinary, what is to be thought of one which those of Haleakala, on the Island of Civil War. Maui, contiguous to Hawaii? Of course, Haleakala is not an active volcano, but its great crater of Maui is the biggest in the world. Its dimensions are: Area, 19 square miles, or 12.160 acres; circumference, 105,600 feet, or 60 miles; extreme length, 3,500 feet, or 7.48 miles; extreme width, 12,500 feet, or 2.37 miles; elevation of summit, 10,032 feet; elevation of cones in crater, 8.032 and 7,752 feet; elevation of cave in floor of crater, 7,380

So if Mauna Loa is to-day the volcano queen of the Hawaiian group, a time was when Haleakala must have been supreme and afforded eruption spectacles such as earth may never see again.

Hawaii is but 100 miles in length, 90 miles in width, with an area of 2,500,000 acres (a large portion of which is lava bed or crater surfaces), and has a population of less than 40,000. Thus, whatever Mauna Loa may have in store for the island, there is not so very much to be destroyed. The island is really formed by the gentle slopes from the four volcanoes-Mauna Loa, Mauna Kea, Mauna Hualali and Mauna Kohala.

The great volcanoes of the world are divided into two classes—central and linear. The central class consists of several vents or craters grouped together, and only one of which is active at a time. The linear class consists of a series of vents or craters extending in one direction along a mountain range. The principal volcanoas of the central class now active are: Mauna Loa, Hawaiian Islands; Stromboli, Lipari Islands; Etna and Vesuvius; Hecla, Iceland.

The active volcanoes of the linear class are: Than-Shan, Asia; Moluccas, Formasa, 37 in all, 25 active; Sunda Group, Sunda Isles, 80 in all, Krakatoa the principal one, the greatest eruption of modern times from this, Aug. 26-28, 1883; Bolivian-Peru group, 12 in all, and one of the highest in the world; Erebus, Antarctic continent.

The volcano farthest north is Jan Mayen, 70.49 north latitude. The one farthest south is Erebus, 77.32 south latitude. The number of human lives estimated to have been destroyed by volcanio eruptions since the destruction of Pompeli is 1,000,000. The value of the property destroyed cannot be estimated.

GEN. DE NEGRIER.

The French Officer Who Has Just Been Disciplined by Minister Gallifet.

A recent event of note in France was the new Minister of War, summarily



GENERAL DE NEGRIER

squelched General de Negrisr in a characteristic attempt to foment still more trouble over the Dreyfus affair. Negrier was inspector of the Fourth Army Corps and member of the Supreme Council of War, of which General Zurlinden is also view of the stattling tremblings of the a member. He has long been recognized as a leader of leaders in the French army, and, in case of war, was looked to as the probable commander of most of the republic forces. Though the cause of bis reduction is not made public by the Ministry of War, it is clearly understood that Negrier, in the course of a recent tour of inspection, criticised the action of the Government in the Dreyfus case, and instructed the generals whom he was addressing to tell all the officers under them that the Rennes court-martial must be allowed to finish, but when that question was settled the Supreme Council of War would call upon the Government to protect the army against attacks, and if the Government did not do so the Council of War would act in self-defense. Gallifet sent for him and confronted him with his statement. Negrier quibbled that it was garbled, and gave the name of a gene al who could give a correct version. Gallitet immediately saw the trap, for the general named would probably refuse to betray a superior, and he dispatched Negrier himself for the document. And when Negrier did not make sufficient haste he spurred him with tele-grams and orders. The Council of War may do as Negrier said it would, but he will have no voice in that demand, since he has been reduced to the rank of plain general. He is no longer a member of the supreme council, nor even an inspector. He will take orders from men who have bowed to him for years. He is said to have expressed the same sentiments to members of the Bourse, declaring that if the army were not protected it would act in self-defense. As a result rentes declined the moment Gen. Negrier's down-

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fall became known.

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Sketch of New United States Secretary of War.

A Man Who Does Not Amuse or Startle the World or the Aation, but One Who Has Always a Famous Case on Hand With Great, Big Fees-A Man Who Quiets Trouble.

Elihu Root would doubtless have won the success which he has gained in his profession even if he had not, as soon as he came to New York City, taken part in politics, but he would not have gained them as speedily as he did, nor would his name have been one of the familiar names here for almost a generation, that one which immediately succeeded the

Mr. Root in boyhood was an admirer, as so many of the youths of central New York were, of William H. Seward, and no doubt he heard of the advice Governor Seward gave to the two law students who afterwards became distinguished, who were in his office. One of them was a Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States in later years and the other a man whose abilities and political skill brought him high repute while serving in Congress.

To these students Governor Seward said: "As an aid to professional success you should take an active part in politics;



HON. ELIHU ROOT.

join one or the other of the two parties, it doesn's make much difference which and then work shoulder to shoulder with your party organization. That will make you conspicuous, it will bring you respect if you are self-respecting and it will certainly lead to business."

Mr. Root may not have needed this advice, for while he was still very young, even in his college days, he took much interest in politics and was deemed by his associates certain to win political success, for they thought it probable that he would make politics his vocation rather than avocation.

In Clinton, Oneida County, where he was born and educated, the influences were literary, classic, calm and scholarly rather than practical, and yet intense political interest prevailed there. Joseph R. Hawley a few years before had gone from that quiet town to practice law and to take part in the early campaigning of the Republican party. General Hawley's life-long associate, Charles Dudley Warner, was then giving in Clinton promise of that literary celebrity which he afterwards obtained. Thomas L. James had only a little while before Root entered college gone from the neighbring town to take the first step in the path that led to a Cabinet office by learning a printer's trade. He and Mr. Root are the only natives of Oneida County ever chosen for Cabinet offices.

As the years progressed, Mr. Root was discovered by Gen Chester A. Arthur, who filled the Presidential chair through being Vice-President when the President died. General Arthur was very anxious that Mr. Root should have political office, and it was through his aid that Root was nominated for a judicial post. It was one of the few nominations that General Arthur caused to be made, with every belief that it would be sustained at the polls, in which he found himself disappointed. Root was defeated, but afterwards General Arthur appointed him United States District Attorney for the Southern District of New York.

At 40 years of age Mr. Root, like William M. Ewarts, had gained the position as leader of the junior bar of his day. and it was at that age that he became United States District Attorney. He gathered around him as assistants a numbe of very bright young men, and to this day they speak with amazement of his marvellous capacity for work. of an industry that was almost incredible and of a nervous vigor and fibre which made it possible for Root to sustain those great drafts upon his mental and paysical strength, so that there was almost instant recuperation.

These young men are convinced that to this quality Mr. Root owes very much of the success he has gained. But it is certain that he does not owe to that quality the singular clearness of judgment which he always has revealed in his political associations or a tact and fitness in the handling of complicated cases where very powerful interests are in antagonism, in such manner as to bring the interests into harmony and end the complication.

And it is to this quality which has made Mr. Root of the highest value as a political adviser. He has known when to compromise and mediate, and when to come out into the open and fight. He did not hesitate to oppose Mr. Platt when the Citizens' Union was aiming to elect Seth Low mayor, and he allied himself with that movement not because he shared to the full extent the views many citizens had of Mr. Low's ability, but because he saw in Low's candidacy the only chance for anti-Tammany control of New York City.

Yet, on the other hand, when the Republican organization there was in deadly factional struggle, it was to Mr. Root that all turned for advice, it was he whe created the new organization, who temporarily and charge of it, who drafted the constitution and bylaws that now govern the Republican organization of that city. It was a task that would have fully occupied the time of a man whose abilities for work were less pronounced

than those of Mr. Root. But it was just then that as counsel for some of the greater corporations of New York he was engaged in solving problems of momentous importance involving millions of dollars. He turned from the problem of Republican politics

ations had asked him to unravel as easily as Mr. Morgan lays down his banking duties and takes to his yacht for his afternoon sail in the harbor or in the

Root, more than any other practicing lawyer here, has been able to bring into satisfactory relation various corporate interests and the city government, and there has never been criticism that arrangements that he has made have been against the interests of the people.

Herein those with whom he has been associated as counsel find his ability successfully to deal with the vast problem that is before the Administration and the War Department in colonies that once were Spain's. It argues executive ability, since he shows the capacity for marshalling groups of men to serve one commanding intellect.

Mr. Root is not a man of whom anecdotes are told, because there is little that is picturesque or romantic in his ways, hardly anything that suggests that he possesses high imagination. In his intellectual quality he is not a poet, like Choate, nor a practical dreamer, as Depew sometimes is, so that we do net hear of unusual, or startling, or pleasantly amusing incidents in connection with Mr. Root, as we are always hearing of them when Depew's or Choate's or, in the old days, Ewart's, name was men-

He is judged more by the greater results that he achieves than by any incidents associated with the attaining of those results. Too see Depew, is to hear an anecdote; to spend ten minutes with Choate or with his friends, is to learn some subtle or dramatic incident, but when they speak of Root, they say he has won that famous case and his fee is \$50,000, or he has quieted the factional trouble in that district, and he might be leader of the organization, if he would take it.

Such is the man whom our neighbors will have for Secretary of War.

MRS. A. B. RENEHAN.

Said to Be the Mest Beautiful Weman in New Mexico.

Mrs. A. B. Renehan of Sante Fe, N.M., has the reputation of being the most beautiful woman in the territories, and this tribute has come to her not alone through physical charms, but by purity of expression and sweetness and simplicity of character. Mrs. Renehan was born in Santa Fe, and has never been outside of New Mexico. Previous to her marriage she was Miss Zepora Gold, a Jewess, and unfamiliar with the English language until after she was 9 years old. A generation ago there were few English was spoken there. Spanish was the common tongue. Mrs. Renehan was married when she was 18. Her husband is a native of Washington D.C., a lawyer of prominence and as companionable an Irishman as ever came to Sante Fe. It is somewhat rare for a woman's spiritual



MRS. A. B. RENEHAN.

al beauty. In the case of Mrs. R.nehan ff happens to be that what she thinks and feels forms an exquisite part of her beauty.

WHAT IS EMPIRE?

Goldwin Smith Interprets the Term in His Own Way.

This sudden development of imperialistic tendencies and disposition for tropical annexation on the part of the people of the United States, which takes world and probably most Americans by surprise, has naturally turned attention to the British Empire as a precedent and a possible model for imperial administration. It is little to the discredit of the Americans if they have failed distinctly to understand that which is by no means distinctly understood by many of the British themselves.

The terms "colony" and "empire," "colonial" and "imperial," promiscuously used, fill the whole subject with confusion. The Indian empire is not a colony, nor are the colonies empire. Empire implies autocratic dominion, whatever the internal constitution of the imperial power may be. The Athenian republic was an autocrat. and a tyrannical autocrat (as a democracy is apt to be) in relation to its insular dependencies. The Roman aristocracy was an autocrat, in relation to the conquered world. Great Britain berself, practically a republic in the guise of a constitutional monarchy, is an autocrat in relation to India. In India the Queen of Great Britain is an empress. In Great Britain she is a constitutional queen, but her representative in India, the Viceroy, governs the Hindus with autocratic sway. The civil service of India is a bureaucracy under an autocrat entirely separate from the civil service of Great Britain. On the entire separation of the two fields of government, the two services and the twe systems, depend on the one hand, the possibility of governing India, which would otherwise be fatally involved in the party politics of the imperial country, and, on the other hand, the immunity of the politics of constitutional England from the contagion of an unconstitutional rule.

"Spheres of influence," like the "white man's burden" and "duty laying hold of destiny" are a convenient addition to the vocabulary of aggrandizement. China, a country with 300,000.000 people, at least half civilized, highly industrial, and intensely national, is being "pegged out" into "spheres of influence" by the great predatory powers; and if the Chinese presume to resist, they will be shot down by tens of thousands as "rebels." Spheres of influence may be placed under the head of "empire."-From Imperialism-England as a Model, by Goldwin Smith, D.C.L., in Self Culture.

Discovery of Alcohol

Alcohol was first produced by Albaeas is, an alchemist, in the eleventh century. The term alcohol comes from an Arabian word, alkahol, which was given to an unpalpable powder used on the face, and this substance was supposed to resemble it, hence it was called alcohol .- Journal of Inehriety.

Patience is a good thing to have and it's a wise man who knows when

QUEER WAY'S

Why the Tortoise Is an Infallible Barometer.

The tortoise is not an animal one would naturally fix upon as likely to be afraid of rain, but it is singularly so. Twenty-four hours or more before rain falls the Gallapagos tortoise makes for some convenient shelter. On a bright, clear morning, when not a cloud is to be seen, the denizens of a tortoise farm on the African coast may sometimes be seen heading for the nearest overhang-tickets ing rocks. When that happens the 31, 1899. proprietor knows that rain will come down during the day, and as a rule it comes down in torrents. The sign never fails. This pre-sensation, or whatever you may call it, which exists in many birds and beasts, may be explained partly from the increasing weight of the atmosphere when rain is forming, partly by habits of living and partly the need of moisture which is shared by all.

If we want to find a country where nature has turned things topsy-turvythat is, according to our notion-we must go to Australia. Many things are reversed in that country. It is summer there while it is winter in America. Trees shed their bark instead of their leaves; fruit has the stone or kernel outside; swans are black; there is a species of fly that kills and eats the spider, and a fish, called the climbing perch, that walks deliberately out of the water, and, with the aid of its fins, climbs the adjacent trees after the insects that infest them.

CAPITAL NEWS.

An Ottawa Man Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

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ronto saw the following letter in a newspaper referring to the Rielly case: "I take great pleasure in testifying to the merits of your Dodd's Kidney Pills. I have used them for Kidney Trouble and Pain in the Back, for which they are a specific. Two or three boxes cured me, and I canot speak too highly of them. I have introduced them to others with good results, and I hear nothing but praise in their favor wherever used. They contain great merit and splendid curative properties. Dodd's Kidney Pills are no humbug, and are cheap at fifty cents a box.
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John and other points east, will arrive at Montreal daily, except Monday, at 5:30 p.m. The Monday train will be from Levis and intermediate points.

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