ten-gallon can, besides the entrance.

The farmers say that the Buffalo milkmen already have the cans and want only the

milk, that if the cans were made in Canada

the regulations as to duty would be the

same each time the cans reached the American side and it would only be a

question as to which Government collected

the duty. The Canadian manufacturers

might have some profits on the half hundred

STARTED BY A CICARETTE.

Another Hotel Blaze in Albany

Narrowly Averted.

Burned Out.

HAVERHILL, Mass., Jan. 4 .- Fire this

store of G. O. Willey & Co., caused a loss

2:30 this morning fire was discovered in

the brick block occupied by P. Shea,

boots and shoes; H. H. Morley, furniture;

L. J. Overn, harness; G. E. Clark, drugs;

stoves. The brigade succeeded in con-

fining it to the one block. The losses can-

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 4 .- Fire broke

out tonight in the store of the Delorne

and Quentin Co., dealers in toys and fancy

goods, East Water street, and spread to

TWO CHILDREN PERISH.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4 .- Fire broke out at

8:50 o'clock this morning in the three-story

brick tenement, 434 East 76th street, and

two children were suffocated. The blaze

started in the apartments of Michael Berberick, on the second floor. The dead

children, John Berberick, aged 5, and

Michael Berberick, aged 4, were locked in

Preliminary Hearing of the Case-

Hendershott's Daughters Testify.

ST. THOMAS, Jan. 4.—The preliminary

hearing of the Hendershott murder case

commenced here this afternoon in the city

hall before P. M. White and Justices

of the Peace Frank Hunt, Daniel Turner

and Dugald Ferguson. The crowd was so

great that the magistrates could not secure

The afternoon was taken up with the

evidence of two daughters of the prisoner

Hendershott. The younger daughter testified at the inquest that she

retired very early on the night be-

fore the tragedy, but she said today she

was in the city that night, and that her

father, Welter, and the deceased came to

and met her father here and drove home.

THE LATEST INNOVATION.

Success of the Bicycle Single-Rail

Electric Railway.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 4 .- During the

past two weeks of heavy snows and minor

blizzards an experiment has been progress-

ing at Waterport of the bicycle single-rail

A storage battery car with not less than

frequent trips, accomplishing a speed of

12 to 20 miles an hour, and is said to be

capable of running 200 miles without re-

charging the battery. The car weighs less than three tons with batteries and motors

track railway operated on this system will

be at once constructed between Batavia and

EX-ALDERMEN ARRAIGNED.

Latest Proceedings in the Toronto

Boodling Business.

TORONTO, Jan. 4.-Ex-Ald. John E

Verral and ex-Ald. John Maloney, who were arrested last night as

a result of Judge MacDougall's report on the boodle investigation were ar-

raigned in the police court today. They

pleaded not guilty and were remanded for

that he has been the victim of a great in-

warrants that had been issued had been

attended to by the police, and no other arrests need be expected immediately.

He added: "Ald. Bailey is out of the city.

I understand that W. M. Hall is in Denver,

and that ex-Ald. Hewitt is in New York."

The Ontario Poultry Show.

New Hamburg, Jan. 4 .- The Ontario

White, Port Hope; first vice-president,

Wm. McNeil, London; second vice-presi-

dent, G. S. Oldrieve, Kingston; treasurer,

George G. McCormack, London; secre-

Crown Attorney Curry said that all the

a point on the shore of Lake Ontario.

electric railway.

complete.

injustice.

Baking Powder.

Trial adjourned until tomorrow.

order, and the hall was cleared.

the rooms when the fire started.

adjoining buildings. Loss \$150,000.

not be estimated as yet.

guests.

of \$50,000.

WHOLE NO. 10082

Some 200 British Fishermen Drowned During the Gale.

Canon Eurst Appeals for Aid for Newfoundland.

The Liverpool Dock Board Extend Their Plans for Improvement.

Belgium Said to Contemplate Annexation of the Congo State.

Just Think of It! NICE, Jan. 4 .- Snow has fallen here to the unparalleled depth of five inches.

Two Hundred Fishermen Drowned. London, Jan. 4 .- It is estimated 200 fishermen belonging in Hull and Grimsby were drowned during the recent gales.

To "Collar" Congo. BRUSSELS, Jan. 4.-It is reported in official circles that the Government will lay before Parliament a proposal to annex the Congo State.

The Lucania's Time. QUEENSTOWN, Jan. 4 .- The time of the passage of the steamer Lucania, which arrived here this morning was 5 days, 11 hours and 44 minutes.

A Clyde Steamer Overdue. Dixon & Johnson, bakers; O'Neil & Co., drygoods, and J. Martin, tinwares and LIMERICK, Jan. 4.—The owners of Clyde steamer Inastrahll, which is nine days overdue at this port, believe that she with her crew of twenty men has been lost.

Possible Loss of a Steamship. London, Jan. 4 .- Much anxiety is felt for the steamship Prescott, which sailed from Prescott, on Dec. 29 for Marseilles. Life buoys bearing her name have been found on the Yorkshire coast, She carried a crew of 25.

Mary Is Grateful. LONDON, Jan. 4 .- Mme. Navarro, formerly Mary Anderson, has communicated to the press her thanks for the many inquiries as to her condition during her recent ill-

English Mail Boat Ashore. CALAIS, France, Jan. 4 .- The Dover mail boat Empress is ashore near here with a number of passengers on board. Many

ness. She is convalescent.

persons from London are on the steamship. The Empress is anchored in a sate position near Calais, and probably will suffer only slight damage. The passengers and mails carried by the Empress were landed by small boats. The violence of the gale in the channel is unabated. The boats were unable to leave Calais, Osten and Dover this evening.

Death of Marshal Pavia,

MADRID, Jan. 4. - Marshal Pavia, leader of the movement which culminated in a military dictatorship on Jan. 3, 1874, was found dead in his bed this morning. He had heart disease.

More Earthquakes.

ROME, Jan. 4.-Earthquakes have been felt repeatedly today in Reggio de Calabria and Northern Sicily. The Under Secretary of the Interior will make a tour of the provinces affected and will provide for the distribution of money, food and clothes among the homeless.

A New Departure.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 4.—The North German Lloyds Steamer Company is about to inaugurate the sailing of their ships from the Mersey, Liverpool, in January. The transatlantic steamship companies are seriously considering the holding of a conference to decide what steps shall be taken to check the competition.

Liverpool Dock Board's Plans.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 4 .- Concerning the proposed expenditure of £36,800 in improvements by the Liverpool dock board, Mr. Glynn, chairman of the works committee of the board, says that in addition to the construction of a landing stage for the Atlantic line steamers it is intended to construct a railway station at the pier head, which will connect by rail with the London and Northwestern Company's Waterloo station. The scheme of improvements, he said today, would be pushed forwardswith all possible expedition. The erection of the new station would provide

direct connection with London.

Newfoundland's Hour of Need. London, Jan. 4 .- Canon Hurst, formerly the Newfoundland agent of the Colonial Church Society, has written to the newspapers inclosing a letter from Dr. Blot, inspector of schools in Newfoundland, describing the misery prevalent in the colony. Dr. Blot says: "The fire of 1892, from which we still were suffering, until Wednesday next. Mr. Verral asserts was a slight disaster with the present one. Then we had ready help. Now we stand alone. Some will say, 'The disaster is of your own making, and you must bear it alone.' This is only true of those who brought on the trouble, who foresaw the crash, and who grabbed all the gold and silver." Dr. Blot appeals for aid and Canon Hurst offers to receive donations,

A TARIFF EYE-OPENER.

Why Will the Farmer Blindly Vote

Against His Own Interests? NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Jan. 4 .- The efforts of leading farmers of Welland county to establish supply depots for the purpose of supplying milk to Badalo milk-men have failed because of the attitude of the customs officials, particularly those of

Poultry Show closed today. Port Hope is the next place of meeting. The following officers have been elected: President, H. Milk is on the free list in the United States tariff, although dutiable at 3 per cent coming to Canada. Both sides maintary, Thomas A. Browne, London; deletain a duty on the cans in which the milk is conveyed. Welland county farmers gates to Industrial Exhibition, J. Conveyed and W. Barber, Toronto; delegates to laim that they have a market in Buffalo dealers western Fair, J. H. Saunders and G. G. Western Fair, J. H. Saunders and G. G. McCormick, London; directors, Thos. A. offer to furnish caus free, but Hon. N. C. Wallace, Controller of Customs, has advised the representative of the Welland farmers that if American manufactured cans are used duty will have to be paid each time the cans enter Canada, and this

Late Canadian News. means a payment of about 60 cent on each

The Lash Applied in the Montreal Jail-Boy Killed by a Derrick.

Minnie Blakely has been arrested at Belleville on the charge of bigamy. Louis, the 6-year-old son of Mr. J. W.

Thomson, of Winnipeg, was killed by the fall of a derrick. cans supplied, but the American Govern-ment would reap the duty collected. Meanwhile a profitable trade in milk is "held up" and the question is likely to be Mrs. S. L. Soper died Thursday night at Belleville, aged 90 years. She had lived one of the principal features of the coming election campaing in the county.

there for 26 years. Jos. Smith, aged 73, one of the oldest residents and a well known lumberman of Ottawa, died on Friday.

Attorney-General Sifton, of Manitoba, says the province will resent any interference by the Dominion in their school

The mysterious disappearance of Mr. A M. Dalton, a partner in the banking firm of Harrison & Dalton, Neepawa, is causing Block of Buildings in Gravenhurst some anxiety to his friends. J. Ship, a young merchant tailor doing busmess on Notre Dame street, Montreal,

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 4.-The Hotel was killed by being struck by a Grand Columbia narrowly escaped being burned to the ground early this morning. One of the guests, John W. Bryce, went to bed smoking a cigarette, and becoming drowsy Trunk Railway car on Friday night. Norman Bethune, son of N. W. Bethune, manager of the Great Northwestern Teleallowed it to fall out of his fingers. In a few moments the bed clothes were ignited.

The flames were extinguished by other Alphonse Laurendeau, who assaulted his own child, received 25 lashes Friday morning in the Montreal jail. Laurendeau will afternoon, caused by a gas explosion in the get another 25 when he is released six months bence. GRAVENHURST, Ont., Jan. 4 .- About

Hon. Mr. Dryden announces that the Ontario Government propose to establish a pioneer dairy farm. A location will be chosen on the line of the C. P. R. in Northwestern Ontario.

Foreclosure proceedings on a \$4,588 mortgage were taken by the North American Life Insurance Company against the trustees of the Royce Avenue Baptist Church, Toronto. Over \$500 of the above amount represents interest on the loan, which was borrowed in August, 1891.

An anti-vice society has begun work in San Francisco.

John D. Rockefeller has given Chicago University \$115,000.

The United States gold reserve at noon Friday was \$81,000,000. An Austrian polar expedition will leave Bremerhaven in June, 1896. Julius Prayer

will be in charge of it. THE MIDDLEMARCH TRAGEDY. It is reported that the Vatican has authorized Catholics to take part in the next Parliamentary elections.

The Morning Call of San Francisco, was sold Friday afternoon for \$360,000 to a Republican syndicate.

The Buffalo poormaster reports greater destitution this winter than last. The number of families who are receiving poor relief at this date is 2,311, as against 1,977 same date last year. Capt. Daniel F. Bone, one of the best

Buffalo. Capt. Bone was a native of St. Johns, N. B. He was since the age of 10 connected with ocean or lake marine. Capt. Albert Gallatin Hudgins, formerly J. McDade, Arthur Moore, Edward of the United States and Confederate O'Neill, H. J. Hellihan, Wm. Rae and navies, died on Friday at Richmond, Va.

He was twice taken prisoner during the

It was claimed for the defendants that the city in the morning, and that

her father drove on to Sparta, and Welter and W. Hendershott returned war, and at one time was under sentence to be hanged as a pirate. home about noon. She and Welter came Harry B. Spalding, of Boston, Mass., is charged with the embezzlement of \$15,000 had been held by Justice Harlan and to the city about 6 o'clock in the evening from the firm of Wheeler, Blodgett & Co., others that the men had a right to comof 100 Kingston street. Spalding was formerly the confidential bookkeeper of the firm, and had been twenty years in its

employ. He disappeared in September. The Ontario State Bank, between Los Angeles, Cal., and San Bernardino, was robbed of Between \$4,000 and \$5,000 by two men on Friday morning. Two men entered suddenly, drew revolvers and then ordered the cashier to throw up his hands while they ransacked the vault.

The Evening Sun prints an article in which it says that the wool men of New twenty passengers has been making York have carried into effect a scheme which will make that city the center of the wool trade instead of Boston. The plan involves the building of an immense warehouse for the storage of wool, the forming of a wool exchange, the establishment of a bank, and the organization of a club. It is expected that an elevated single

GHASTLY FINDS.

Remains of Four Dead Men Discovered in Vancouver and Suburbs.

were made in Vancouver and suburbs on ployes during the business depression. Wednesday. Some skaters on Burnaby Lake unearthed a skeleton beneath a log, moved for the first time in six years to make a bonfire on the ice. The remains were those of John Cooper, who escaped from the asylum many years ago, and who had crawled beneath the log and died.

The remains of John Quinn were found on the railroad track after the Whatcom express had passed in the evening. Quinn had lain down on the track to sleep off the

effects of a day's drunk. A dead man was found floating in the Fraser River with a knife wound in his York, opened with an exhibition of carbon heart and a letter in his pocket from Henry Copp, Washington, D.C., to Henrich Zechow, Seattle. This was murder.

Fragments of a man were found along the C. P. R. track near Hammond, a few miles from Vancover. His name or how he came to be so horribly mangled is not Two other fatalities are reported from a

few miles in the interior. A coroner's in-Commended officially by U. S. Governquest investigated four ghastly finds at the ment chemists for highest leavening power, purity and wholesomeness is Dr. Price's Honors fairly earned were the highest award at the Werld's Columbian Fair and

the special award and gold medal at the California Midwinter Fair to Dr. Price's Baking Powder. Fastern Dairymen's Congress. GANANOQUE, Ont., Jan. 4. - Today is the third and last of the eighteenth annual meeting of the Eastern Oatario Dairymen's Association. The meeting was addressed by the Hon. John Dryden, Minister of Agriculture, Ontario; Prof. Robertson, Do-minion Dairy Commission Company, Ot-tawa, and John Gould, of Ohio. Mr.

elected president. Steamship Arrivals. Jan. 4. At From Adriatic. New York. Liverpool Berlin. Southampton. New York

Edward Kidd, of North Gower, Ont., was

INVESTIGATION REQUIRED.

How Mr. Jones and His Friends Enloyed Themselves at Civic Expense.

Questionable Expense That Will be Inquired Into by the Commission of Inquiry-Sunday and Other Trips Which the Taxpay-

ers Paid for.

To the Editor of the ADVERTISER:

I am told on reliable authority that a remarkable statement was made by Mr. William Jones, one of the mayoralty candidates, in the Metropolitan Hotel the other day to a member of the council and a wellknown citizen.

Jones then affirmed that the expenses cf the big city water commissioners' trip to Newton, Mass., were paid by the Blake Company. This fact is not stated in the waterworks report for 1894. No charge for that deputation, amounting to several hundred dollars, is made. Upon discovering this today I inquired the reason why at the office of the water commissioners. The secretary replied that the water commissioners first paid the expenses with city money, and after the Blake Company got graph Company at Ottawa, died Thursday the contract the money was paid back by night from typhoid fever. He was 17 years the Blake Company. Why does not this appear in the report as a debit and credit charge? The expenses to Toronto are given; why not this and other expendi-tures? Why, if he honestly desired to take the people into his confidence, did not Mr. Jones on nomination day give an explicit statement regarding these extraordinary proceedings ?

The East London aldermanic livery man (Ald. Dreany) has a bill for \$37 50 in the report. For what? For the Sunday afternoon excursion of Mr. Jones and his friends to Springbank? Is it not a violation of the oath of office for an alderman to contract to carry fellow civic officials for hire on Sunday or any other day?

In view of this, and the state of affairs that has resulted in the water commissioners being sued for several thousand deliars,

it not high time and perfectly in order that the commission of inquiry petitioned the City Council to proceed at once to make every necessary inquiry? The citizens elect men to look after their interests, to economically administer their affairs, to spend no moneys in questionable ways. But when expenditures are hidden away, and when there is dickering with contractors by those in power, there is always a necessity for the most stringent inquiry into every expenditure, necessary and unnecessary, and there have been far too many of the last named this year. Yours GEORGE T. HISCOX, London, Jan. 5, 1895.

IN LABOR'S FIELD.

Motion to Quash Indictments Against Debs and Others Heard.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—The motion to quash the indictments for conspiracy against Eugene V. Debs and the other directors of the A. R. U., besides 60 others accused of stopping the mails and interfering with interstate commerce, came up before Judge Grosscup in the United States known of lake navigators, is dead at Court this morning. The indictments against the following were nollied: Pat Horace, Barry Hart, M. E. McGlen, W.

all the indictments should be quashed because the word "feloniously" did not appear in any one of them; also because it bine or conspire to strike. The only defendant present was Director Wm. Burns. Homestead, Pa., Jan. 4.-At Homestead

today there was little or no excitement. A. final conference was held between Manager Schwab and the striking shearmen of the Carnegie mill and a settlement reached. The likelihood now of a strike of any proportions at Homestead seems entirely removed. At Braddock everything was quiet. The strikers have called a meeting for next Monday, at which they took action on the ultimatum issued by the Carnegie Company.

Judge Grosscup reserved his decision until next Tuesday, when the cases are set

for trial. SHAMOKIN, Pa., Jan. 4 .- The strike at Midvalley colliery ended today in a satisfactory scale of wages being adopted, and tomorrow operations will be resumed, giving work to 1,500 men and boys.

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Jan. 4 .- The North Adams Manufacturing Company announced today the restoration of the 5 per VANCOUVER, Jan. 4 .- Many ghastly finds | cent out made in the wages of their em-

The manufacturers of Dr. Price's Baking Powder own the largest plant and the best machinery and use the purest materials in making baking powder.

EUROPEAN ART GALLERIES. Important Works of the Old Masters

O. B. Graves' art store, Dundas street, was the center of attraction yesterday, when Mr. O. L. Woerner, representing Braun, Clement & Co., of Paris and New prints taken directly from the original paintings of the most celebrated ancient and modern artists of Europe. The collection contains about 5,000 copies, and as the exhibition is tree to everybody a personal call is solicited. It would be impossible to describe at length the magnificent reproductions of the masterpieces, architecture, painting and sculpture, from every important art center of Europe. Among the most celebrated paintings reproduced are Venus de Milo and Venus de Medici, from the Louvre, Paris; the Transfiguration, by Raphael, as shown in the Vatican; the Partnenen, taken from the Prophylees in Athens; the Night Watch, by Rembrant, and the same artist's celebrated picture, the Syndic-both from the Amsterdam gallery; David, by Michael Angelo, and Napoleon as a Lieutenant, by Greuze. Modern painters of the French Salon of every year, and such masters as Bougue-reau, Michael Angelo, Raphael, Murillo, Paul Veronese, Corregio, Franz Hals and Rembrant are all represented. The carbon prints are permanent and entirely new. Mr. Woerner will continue the exhibition today and tonight, after which he leaves for Toronto. The general public is invited to call and inspect these wonderful works

Pupils who use tobacco in the public schools of France are promptly dismissed.

****GREAT:***

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Dundas and Carling Streets,

OUNDAY SERVICES.

Not less than 15 words | 1c. Per COLBORNE STREET METHODIST Church-Jan. 6-Nev. Walter Rigsby, pastor, 11 a.m. and 7 r.m.

WELLINGTON STREET MATHODIST Church—Sunday, Jan. 6—Evangelists Park and wife at both services. Revival services will be continued every evening next weak. Sunday school and Bible class as usual. SKIN STREET METHODIST CHURCH

A —Rev. Thomas Cullen, pastor. Morning. "An Invaluable Institution"; evening. "A Marvelous Encampment." ST. JAMES' PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH -Rev. M. P. Talling, pastor. New Year services. Visitors welcome.

REV. JOHN CARMICHAEL, OF REGINA.
N. W. T., at St. Andrew's Presbyterian
Church—Morning service at 11, evening service at 7. Sabbath school and Bible class at 3
o'clock in the afternoon.

KING STREET METHODIST CHURCH -Rev. Charles Brown, of Glencoe, will preach at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

DUNDAS STREET CHURCH-REV. E. Lanceley will preach tomorrow at a and Rev. Dr. Lockwood, from Cincinnat a.m. and Rev. Dr. Lockwood, from Chleiman, at 7 p.m. After the morning service Sacrarent of the Lord's Supper will be administed. The musical service will contain: lend Out Thy Light" (Gounod); "It Came bn the Midnight Clear," quartet; "As Pants Hart" (Spohr); "Sing Alleluia Forth,"

WEEN'S AVENUE METHODIST Church—Services tomorrow by the pastor, Rev. J. W. Annis, M.A. In the morning the pastor will give an address, after which will follow the covenant, reception and sacramental services. The evening subject will be "A Motto for the New Year." Morning anthem, "I Will Always Give Thanks" (Maffre); duet, "There was Joy in Heaven," Smart, the Misses Hartson. Evening anthem, 23rd Psalm, by Schubert, for ladies' voicest solo, "The Star of Bethlehem" (Adams), Miss Foller.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH, LONDON WEST —His Lordship, Bishop Baldwin, will preach at evening service Sunday, Jan. 6. b GRAND OPERA HOUSE-4:15 P.M. Sunday, Rev. Dr. Lockwood, of Cincinnati, will address the men's popular meeting on "Christ in the Life of Today." Miss Roblin, of Toronto, will sing. Men only.

FIRST PRESENTERIAN CHURCH, ANNIVERSARY services, Sunday, Jan. 6,
Rev. G. M. Grant, D. D. Principal of Queen's
University, Kingston will conduct both seres. Collection in aid of building fund.
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CHRIST CHURCH -PREACHISG AT 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Rev. J. H. Moore-house, rector.

LIZABETH STREET CHRISTIAN Church—Pastor, Rev. Geo. Fowier, Ph.B. Evening, "Refuse Not Him That Speaketh." Baptism after service; all welcome. Seats

GYPTIAN SPHINX-ITS LESSONS and Why it Was Built," is Dr. Wild's subject tomorrow evening at First Congregational Church; morning subject, "The Solitary Families"

TALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH -Ira Smith, pastor. Services 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. as usual.

MUSEMENTS, ETC.

Not less than 16 words. | 2c. Word WESTMINSTER RINK - SKATING

every atternoon and night. Band Mon-day, Wednesday and Friday. Admission 10c when no band, ladies 5c. 82 tf JAN. 15-MISSES SAYWELL, COWAN. Clement, Horton in concert at St. James Presbyterian Church. Tickets, 25 cents. b 100D SKATING-BLACKFRIARS RINK

M —Open afternoon and evening. Admis-ion, 10 and 5 cents. Band Monday, the 7th. RAND OPERA HOUSE-THURSDAY, Jan. 10th, the queen of society enter-ainers, Miss Nellie Ganthony, in her unique, humorous and musical sketches. Prices 25c, 50c, 75c. Plan opens Tuesday.

RAND OPERA HOUSE-MATINEE

T today-Holden Comedy Company in
"Little Lord Fauntleroy": tonight, ") ittle
Duchess." Prices-10, 20 and 30 cents; children
to matinee, 10 cents.

TRAND OPERA HOUSE - TUESDAY Jan. 8. Spiritualism with lights out. riday, Jan. 11. Spiritualism with lights on. tev. Dr. Lockwood, of Cincinnati. Great fun. r. Dr. Lockwood, of Chieffith Prices, 10c, 20c 1't miss it. Plan now open. Prices, 10c, 20c 82u PEND AN EVENING IN SOUTH
Africa—First Presbyterian Church, Park
venue, Friday, Jan. 25, 1895. Keep this date

ON'T FAIL TO HEAR REV. DR. LOCKWOOD, of Cincinnati, on "The Evolution of the Boy." The opening lecture of the series, Dundas Street Center Methodist he series. Dundas Street Center Methodist hurch, Monday evening next (7th inst.) at 8 lock Silver collection of not less than 10

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Woman." Prices, 25, 35 and 50 cents. 160m

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY, THE recognized leading school of Western Ontario. New Year's term commences Monday, Jan. 7. Beginners' classes: Gentlemen, Monday evenings; ladies, Thursday evenings, at 8 e'clock. Ladies and children. Saturday afternoons at 3 o'clock. Advanced class, ladies and gentlemen, Wednesday evenings at 8 o'clock. All the latest dances taught advanced class. Private tuition any hour to occupied with classes. Dayton & McCorm. members of N. A. M. of D. Academy, 6 Richmond street. Residence, 241 exforderest.

EETINGS.

Not less than 16 words. | 1c. Word TING OF ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY ill be held in J. W. Jones' auction ihis (Saturday) evening at 8 o'clock; ss of importance. All members red to be present. O. B. LESLIE, secre-

TE TUSCAN LODGE, NO. 195, A., F. and A. M., meets Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Visitors welcome. W. T. Vanston. W.M.; R. B. Hungerford, secretary. b NNUAL MEETING OF THE EAST A NNUAL MEETING OF THE EAST Middlesex Agricultural Society will be held in the Court House, London, Jan. 16, 1895, at 1 o'clock, for the purpose of receiving the annual and auditor's report and electing of-fleers for the ensuing year. CHARLES TREBIL-COCK, president; A. R. ROWAT, secretary. 15u 82u t

THE PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY LOCAL THE PHILHARMONIC South Street Philharmon, Monday night, Jan. 7, 1895; orchestral branch, Wednesday night, Jan. 9, 1895, 8 sharp. Full attendance requested at 180 Dundas street. St. John Hyttenrauch, conductor: S. Chadwick, secretary.

MUSICAL INSTRUCTION Advertisements under this head a cent award MR. W. A. BLEUTHNER WILL RESUME his plano and harmony lessons Satur-day, Jan. 5.

RS. NOBLE, TEACHER OF PIANO, organ and harmony; terms moderate, lesidence, 526 King street. JAS. CRESSWELD TEACHER OF violin. Pupils received at 421 King street.

MRS. S. CHADWICK, LATE OF MON-freed, organist and planist. Concert fecompaniments. Pupils received at 418 Dufferin avenue, London, Ont. 74tf

VETERINARY SURGEONS vertisements under this head a cent a word H. WILSON & SON-OFFICE, 991 KING street. London; residence, 846 Richmond Telephone.

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE—Chancery Division—Between the Dominion Savings and Investment Society vs. Christina Smith and others. Pursuant to the decretal order of this honorable court, hearing date the 15th day of March. 1893, and made in this cause, all persons having any lien or encumbrance upon the whole or any part of the estate of Christina Smith and others, or upon the shares of any parties interested therein, and all creditors are hereby required to produce to James Shanly, Esquire, master of this court, in his chambers in the county buildings, in the city of London, on Monday, the 7th day of January, 1895, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, full particulars of all such claims, liens and encumbrances, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them, together with satisfactory evidence of the amount due thereon, or indefault thereof they will be poremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said order, and the said master will proceed to adjudicate on cluded from the benefit of the said order, and the said master will proceed to adjudicate on such claims on Tuesday, the 15th January. 1895, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon. Dated this 21st day of December, 1894, (Signed) J. SHANLY, Master Supreme Court. PARKE & PURDOM, solicitors, London.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE TO CREDITORS Estate of William Robinson, P. L. S. Deceased.

A LL PERSONS having claims or demands against the estate of the said William Robinson, deceased, late of the city of London, Robinson, deceased, late of the city of London, in Ontario, Provincial land surveyor, who died at London, on Oct. 11, 1894, are required on or before the 15th day of February, A. D. 1895, te file them with Magee, McKillon & Murphy, London, Ontario, solicitors for Messrs. Philip Mackenzie and William Robinson, executors of the last will and testament of the said deceased. After said date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has then been received, and they will not be responsible for any of the assets to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not then have been received. MAGEE, McKILLOP & MURPHY, solicitors for the executors. London, Dec. 20, 1894.

Dec. 20, 1894.

TUDICIAL SALE—IN THE HIGH COURT of Justice, Chancery Division. The Dominion Savings and Investment Society vs. Smith et al. Pursuant to the judgment and final order for sale herein bearing date the 15th day of March, 1893, there will be sold by public auction on Thursday, Jan. 10, 1885, at the auction rooms of J. W. Jones, 242 Dundas street, in the city of London, part of lot No. 25, on the north side of York street, in the said city, upon which there is erected six frame dwellings. For further particulars, see hand bills in circulation and apply to Parke & Purdom, solicitors, and E. T. Essery, solicitor, London, Parke & Purdom, vendors' solicitors, London, Ont. J. SHANIX, master Supreme Court, London, Ont. Dated 21st Dec. 1894.

by public auction at the rooms of J. W. Jones, 242 Dundas street, London, Ont., on Friday, the 11th day of January, 1895, at 2:30 p.m., the stock in trade of Andrew Duroche, of the village of Belle River, in the county of Essex, consisting of:

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Shall Contractors for City Work Pay It ?

Mr. Little Says That It Is Right to so Provide.

One of the matters before the electors in this municipal campaign has been the question of whether or not the mayor and aldermen should stipulate in contracts with those doing city work that the employers shall pay their men the standard wages ruling in their respective callings.

Mr. Little, the People's Candidate for the Mayoralty, was the first nominee to pronounce upon the question, and he promptly informed the electors that he regarded it as an eminently fair principle that the City Council, representing the whole of the citizens, should enact that in all contracts for city work the contractors should pay the standard wage ruling in the respective trades. When elected Mayor, as there seems to be no doubt that he will be on Monday next, Mr. Little will

see that the Council so decrees. The carrying out of a regulation of this kind will ensure fair play all round. The taxpayers will get a good job. The contractors will stand on an equal footing in building, and the workman will get living

wages. These are principles which Mr. Little has carried out in his dealings with the workers at all times. In his own business, he pays his hands the highest ruling wages. He gives them a Saturday half-holiday. When they are sick their pay goes on all the time. These facts Mr. Little modestly admitted at a recent meeting, but he omitted to divulge another secret into which not many more than the employes of his firm have been let in: Again and again, his firm has made its employes a Christmas box of a month's salary. Such employers

London may well be proud of. Then who ever knew of a man working for Mr. Little who did not desire to work for him again? It is no new born zeal resulting from his candidature for the mayoralty that makes Mr. Little a friend of the workers, ready to see that they get fair play in regard to wages when employes of the city, but also in the proper use of their taxes in improving and building up the city.

British Naval Activity. London, Jan. 5 .- Orders have been received at the Portsmouth dockyard to fit out for sea without delay six warships. The immediate destination of these vessels is the China Sea.

Mayor Strong's Big Job.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4 .- "I am going to investigate every department of the city government from the top to the bottom. If there are any abuses, or if abuse existed anywhere, I am bound to find it out." Mayor Strong made this announcement shortly after he reached his office this morning.

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Subdivision 1-City Hall, J. W. Smyth, deputy.
Subdivision 2-George Chittick's shop,

King street, Thos. Parkinson, deputy.
Subdivision 3—J. D. O'Neil's office,
Talbot street, W. F. Howell, deputy.
Subdivision 4—Jarman's house, 266
Bathurst street, Jas. M. Cousins, deputy.
Subdivision 5—R. Galpin, Simcoe street, R. Galpin, deputy. Subdivision 6-Mrs. Johnston, 205 Hor-

ton, Thos. Cousins, deputy.
Subdivision 7-J. C. Williams, 244 Grey, J. C. Williams, deputy. WARD TWO. Subdivision 1-John Fletcher's house, 144 Carling street, John Fletcher, deputy.
Subdivision 2-James Percival's store, Queen's avenue, James Percival, deputy.

mond street, Oswald Baynes, deputy. Subdivision 4-Jas. Webb's, John street, Samuel McBride, deputy. Subdivision 5-F. T. C. Richardson's store, corner Piccadilly and Richmond, P. F. J. Boyle, deputy.
Subdivision 6-Richard McNeil's house,

Subdivision 3 - John Turner's shop, Rich-

Richmond street north, John M. Keary, deputy. WARD THREE. Subdivision 1-Colborne street school,

W. Wilson, deputy.
Subdivision 2—Josh Darch's house, 510
King street, J. Whittaker, deputy.
Subdivision 3—Thos. Atkinson's house, 426 Simcoe street, J. Fleming, deputy. Subdivision 4-Bruce Johnston's house, 496 Grey street, Fred McVean, deputy.

Subdivision 5-Mrs. Pendergast's house, corner Hill and Colborne streets, M. C. Fitzgerald, deputy. Subdivision 6-Robt. Carty's house, 496 South street, Thos. Evans, deputy. Subdivision 7-John Geary's house, corner of Hill and Waterloo streets, Thos.

Cole, deputy. WARD FOUR. Subdivision 1 - Kindergarten school, Queen's avenue, H. Irvine, deputy.
Subdivision 2-William Howie's office, corner William street and Dufferin avenue,

Wm. Howie, jun., deputy. Subdivision 3-Princess avenue school. Jas. Jury, deputy.
Subdivision 4—James Lucas' house, 554 Princess avenue, James Lucas, deputy.
Subdivision 5—Earl Gage's house, 698 Colborne street, John H. Tagge, deputy. Subdivision 6-St. George's school house, Waterloo street, Henry Pratt, deputy.

WARD FIVE.
Subdivision 1 — Wm. Traces' house corner Rectory and Grey streets, Wm. Gauld, deputy.
Subdivision 2—Chesley avenue school

house, John Showler, deputy. Subdivision 3-East End Hall, Robert Bonny, deputy. Subdivision 4 - Lorne avenue school house. Chas. Bartlett, deputy. Subdivision 5-Quebec street school, John Matthews, deputy.

WARD SIX. Subdivision 1-Grand avenue school Subdivision 2-Mrs. Leclair's house, Bruce street, R. J. Henderson, deputy. Subdivision 3-Mrs. Holborn's house Euclid avenue, Wm. Spence, deputy. Subdivision 4-James Connors' house, Bruce street, Jas. Thorburn, deputy.

Subdivision 5-Richard Sparrowhawk's house, Stanley street, Charles Hessell, deputy.

THE CANDIDATES. Electors may choose a mayor, aldermen, water commissioners and school trustees from among the following: Mayor. John W. Little and Wm. Jones.

Aldermen and School Trustees.

NO. 1 WARD.

For Aldermen-John Heaman, O. E. Brener, Charles Taylor, J. H. Pritchard. For School Trustees-U. A. Buchner and John Ingram. NO. 2 WARD. For Aldermen—J. W. Jones, S. O'Meara, A. B. Powell and H. M. Douglass.

For School Trustee-John Stephenson and John D. Wilson, M.D. NO. 3 WARD. For Aldermen-Finlay McNeil, Wm. Heaman, Wm. Skinner and R. A. Car-

rothers. For School Trustee-George, J. Griffin, and J. E. Keenleyside. NO. 4 WARD. For Aldermen-Andrew Callahan, Geo. W. Armstrong, James Fitzgerald, Josh Garratt and Neil Cooper.
For School Trustee-W. H. Morgan, E.
N. Hunt and John Boyd.

NO. 5 WARD. For Aldermen-J. H. Cunningham, Henry Dreaney, Jonathan Ardiel, J. W. Bartlett, John Wilkie, John Nutkins, Thomas Sargeant. For School Trustee-Joseph Sanders and George Burdick. No. 6 WARD. For Aldermen—Ed Parnell, jun., J. W.

McCallum, M. J. Justin, Ed Weld and George Shaw. School Trustee-A. Wilkins (acclama-Water Commissioners.

R. K. Kowan, Joseph J. Judd and W.

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London West School Board. At the regular meeting of the London West School Board last night all the members were present except Trustee Houghton, who is confined to the house through sickness. The principal business was the appointment of a teacher in the place of Miss Evans. Applications were received from 21 teachers, who asked salaries ranging from \$225 to \$275 per year. One or two did not state the salary wanted. After considering the recommendations it was moved by F. A. Jones and second by Ed. Pudney, that Miss Blanche E. Cullen, South London, be appointed, at \$250. It was moved in amendment by W. H. Dell and seconded by Chairman Brown, that Miss McArthur be appointed, at the salary of \$225. The motion carried, and Miss Blanche E. Cullen was appointed. She possesses a first class certificate. Accounts were passed to the amount of \$839. Head Master Liddicoatt's monthly report for BLACKSMITHING-ROBERT BOUNDARY Norse shoer and general blacksmith, 339 Talbot The London Soap Co. Master Liddicoatt's month December showed a total 342 and an average attendant per cent of the careliment. December showed a total enrollment of 342 and an average attendance of 320, or 94

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See our Beautiful Black Sateen, fancy Quilted Skirts, ranging from

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Wide Checked Apron Gingham, only Sc YARD.

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5c YARD.

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See our Unbleached Canton Flannel, heavy nap, only

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for aprons, only 15c YARD.

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12½c PAIR.

A splendid line of Ladies' Heavy Cashmere Gloves, in black only, 25c PAIR.

Ladies' All-Wool Hose, in black only, 2 pairs for 25c.

Just received into stock Ladies' Heavy Undervests, at

25c EACH.

See our very fine line of Factory Cotton at

5c YARD.

Just received repeat order of White Metal Frames, only

25c EACH.

We keep all colors in Felts, Chenille and Silk Cords, Ball Pon Pons, Silk

Tassels, Towel Rings, Embroidery,

Whiskard's

Hoops, etc., at

230-232 Dundas St. | the opinion that the citizens of London | Although it was 11 o'clock Mr. Geo. J. | Griffin, school trustee, received an attentive

Mr. Little States His Position With Reference to Railways,

Where He Worked With Sir John Carling for the City's Good.

The meeting in Aberdeen school last night was fairly well attended. The room was not very well heated, and the majority of these present retained their headgear and coats. The meeting was perfectly orderly and everyone was accorded a fair nearing. Mr. W. H. Winnett made an impartial chairman.

Mr. Joseph Marks, before the speaking

began, put the same questions forward for the candidates' consideration as he had done at the previous ward meetings. They had reference to the 60-hour-a-week clause in the case of an electric franchise, and a standard wage question in relation to city contracts.

THE WATER COMMISSIONERS. Mr. Winnett returned thanks to those electors who had coupled his name with that office. But owing to press of business

sioners. Still there had been a great deal of actions of the commission, he pointed out Get effective service and pay well for it. that as long ago as 1881 the necessity of But there are many ways in which a busiadequate steam-pumping machinery had been demonstrated. Then in 1893 Engineer Keefer recommended that the steam pumps be duplicated; there was plenty of water, but not enough pumps. In view of this and in their own judgment they had purchased the pumps. They stated their intentions on the day of nomination in 1893, and notwithstanding that they were re-turned by acclamation. The proper way to have objected to the expenditure would have been to put candidates in the field who were opposed to the extension of pumping power. Mr. Cowan said that he had been looking in vain at the ward meetings for Mr. J. M. Parsons, "the letter-writer of the R. E. O. P. A." He held that the letters written weekly by Mr. Parsons were abusive, and in some cases insulting. They contained mean insinuations, and if Mr. Parsons was present he would ask him to put his letters in a little plainer English. Mr. Parsons, he said, had a grudge against the city be-cause he could not sell an extension ladder to the corporation.

Ald. Judd said he had no sins-as water commissioner-to answer for. He sought the suffrages of the electors of the ward in which he was born on his record as an alderman. He dwelt on the vast amount of uncontrollable expenditure in connection with the city's finances, and the difficulty and ward-grabbing would be done away in keeping down the rate. When the with altogether. Remember, gentlemen, water commissioners said that they wanted I don't find fault with aldermen for ward-\$50,000 for new pumps, Mr. Judd grabbing. It is the result of the system. thought they knew their business, They can hardly avoid it. If the alderand voted to grant them the amount. The payment of the expenditure by means of debentures Mr. Judd heid to be the only fair way. He answered both the questions of the Trades and Labor Council in the affirmative.

Mr. Cowan took occasion to say that example was better than promise, and that the employes of the waterworks office only worked eight hours a day. The men at the pumping houses only worked nine | ready to do my duty in any possible way, hours. (Applause.)

gait. He stood as a great friend of the workingmen, and said "yes" to both of Mr. Marks' questions. He had been on hour at which I shall always be found the workingmen's committee last year— ready to see any person on city business, the Board of Works—and said again that and if that don't suit any elector I will the roadways of the city. He wanted to gentlemen, that no effort on my part will falo's, where bicycles were ridden without handle bars, so even were the streets. Mr. promise I shall feel it my bounden duty to Coo wanted to see the city governed by a commission; wanted to see an electric road and a 3-cent fare.

THE MAYORALTY.

Mr. Little was well received. "I am a candidate, as you know," said he, "for your suffrages as mayor for next year. I have no record in the City Council or elsewhere in an elective position on which I can base my claim. I simply place my- also increased from \$23,248 in 1881 to \$71,self in your hands, as I believe it is the 308 at the present time. The annual desire of a large number of citizens that I quantity of water pumped had increased Your vote and influence respectfully should do so. (Applause.) I may say that from 971,000,000 gallons to 2,971,000,000 I have tried, in my humble way, to advance every improvement that has been brought about in the city since I came to that the increase of pumping power was it. I do not mean to say that I have done more than other people in that respect, but wherever I could do anything to advance the city in any respect I have not spared either time or trouble to do so. Some criticism has been made upon my action in connection with the railways. Now, gentlemen, I confess squarely and honestly that I am in favor of railway competition. I think we ought to get as many railways as we possibly can, and if I thought we could get another railway or two tomorrow I would do everything in my power to bring it about. It would be better for the manufacturers, for the merchants, for the storekeepers, for the mechanics, for the workingmen, for the laborers, and most of all, in the interests of the railway men themselves. The more railways we can get here the more opportunities they have for

employment in case they should lose their positions." (Applause.)
"As citizens, we know that if we can
center manufacturing here and make this a distributing point for merchandise in the west it must increase the population and enhance the value of every foot of property in the city. In the efforts of the past to bring about improvements of this kind I think that you will acquit me of any charge of trying to keep a oof from those to whom I have been more or less opposed politically. I have tried to keep politics just exactly where they belong and nowhere else. Now, in the most important work done in connection with that railway matter we had a committee composed of people of all classes, and I thought that our work met with the approval of all classes. In fact, I am satisfied that there are very lew even today that do not approve of what was done at that time. I have here the minute book of the railway committee. I was glancing over it the other evening, and I came across the report of the meeting of June 14, 1886. There were present: The mayor (Hodgens, I think it was), Ald. Taylor and O'Meara, and Messrs. Bland, Masuret, Priddis, Marshall, Mucray, Smallman, Marsh, Hunt, Campbell, Labatt, Reid, Cronyn and Little. Sir John Carling— at that time the Hon. John Carling—was also present, and it is recorded here that in addressing the committee he made use of these remarks: 'Mr. Carling expressed his entire approval of the action of the railway committee, and stated that it was

tee for their efforts to secure railway com-petition. He also urged them to continue their efforts until connection with the Michigan Central was obtained. Now, gentlemen, you can see that there was not much one-sided business about that. We all joined together for the good of the city irrespective of party. And we pursued this policy in other matters. Mr. Carling then wound up his remarks by urging that Mr. Hickson be approached with a view to the rebuilding of the car shops. This was away back in 1886, and that reminds me of a matter in connection with the submission of the bylaw for the recent bonus which was granted to the Grand Trunk Railway Company for the re-erection of the car shops. You know it is necessary in submitting such a bylaw to the people that an erganization should be made for the purpose of placing the facts before the people and getting out the votes. You have to get a majority consisting of a certain proportion of those on the list, and for that reason it is necessary that there should be a very hearty support to any appeal of that kind in order to carry it successfully. Such an organization was made at that time the details of which were arranged by Hon. John Carling and myself. I think, gentlemen, that that is an evidence to you that so far as I am concerned I am always willing to work with everybody or anybody

what our views may be upon other matters." (Applause.)
"With regard to municipal affairs:
As I have said it is difficult to lay down any particular detailed policy. Honesty he was obliged to decline.

Any particular detailed policy. Honesty and economy should be our watchword. necessary to go into lengthy explanations about the work done by the water commissions as I said before, I don't think that cutting down wages is one of them. (Applause.) adverse criticism over the introduction of I don't think it is any saving to anybody new pumps, and, in vindication of the to grind down wages to the lowest notch. ness man, in applying the affairs of ordinary business to municipal matters, could make a saving, and thereby benefit his fellow-citizens. If you see fit to elect me I will do everything in my power to bring about any improvements in the City Hall that may possibly be made. I have not had, as you are aware, any experience either as alderman or as mayor, but I may, I think, fairly claim to have had some little experience as a business man, and I think if the same business rules are applied to the management of the city that some good may be effected there." (Applause.) "I am very much in favor, so far as pos-sible, of dividing what are called the executive and the legislative parts of the work. For instance, I don't think that it should be necessary for the aldermen to have to attend to every little matter in connection with the sidewalks and other matters. It must destroy their independe ence to a very great extent. Matters of that kind should be under the control of the officials. You ought to have an engineer in whom the people have confidence-I don't mean to say by that that you have not. But these matters of detail should be attended to by him, subject of course to the control of the party who makes the laws. If we could have a system of that kind there would be a very large saving to the city, man for any particular ward provement in his district, the people elsewhere want the same thing, and if he doesn't get it the people think he is derelict in his duty. If this system can be derelict in his duty. If this system can be done away with altogether it would be a Support and influence. very good thing for the management of city affairs." (Applause.)

"If you see fit to elect me I will serve you faithfully and honestly. I shall be and will be open at any time to hear per-Ald. Coo rattled off his speech at a 2:40 sonally any elector of the city, no matthere was much room for improvement in make my time suit his. I promise you, see London's streets on a par with But- be spared to do my duty earnestly and carry it out, It is a point of honor with me to do as I promise. In fact, I would rather break my neck than break a promise." (Hear, hear, and applause). WILLIAM JONES.

> Mr. Jones might be said to have spoken figuratively. In 1881 there were 1.775 water services; in 1894 the number had increased to 6.871. The total revenue had gallons during the present time. All this increase went to prove, Mr. Jones said, necessary. Mr. Jones explained that the carpentering work had been done by Mr. John Purdom, as good a contractor as there was in the city of London-barring himself. (Laughter.) None of his relatives had ever tendered on waterworks jobs. In reply to a question Mr. Jones said that he would be perfectly willing to have a vote of the people on the single tax ques tion. He produced a circular in which the women voters were asked to vote for good government and help to defeat the principles of Breckinbridge and Tammany. Mr. Jones indignantly denied that his principles could be likened to either. Mr. Winnett wrote a question and put it in Mr. Jones' hand. It asked the meaning of the \$3,000 writ issued by G. Vimens

against the commissioners.
"It's a last-minute election dodge,"

exclaimed Mr. Jones, "I was expecting something like this. I don't know anything about it." Mr. Winnett exclaimed that it could be no dodge. It had appeared for the first

time in the Legal Record. Mr. Jones afterwards thought it might have been an attachment against money coming to one of the contractors. THE ALDERMEN.

Ald, Wm. Heaman was given a splendid hearing as he went thoroughly into the matters affecting the weltare of his ward. He referred to the improved condition of the market, street lighting and fire depart-ment; answered Mr. Marks' questions in the affirmative and was in favor of an electric road under fair conditions, and also of the hospital extension. He favored the

advertising of the assessment roll. Ald. Robt. Carrothers took a drink of water and the crowd laughed. "Boys, you needn't laugh," answered Mr. Carrothers, "it's quite natural. If you think I have done right you can vote for me again. If you think I have not, then you can put me

Mr. Wm. Skinner had been connected with one or another of the various bands since 1875, and although he thought he was justly entitled to a rest be pleaded for election. On the health board he had "kept smallpex away, and other things." Mr. Finlay McNeil said that if indications were right he would be elected. (Applause.) He urged the adoption of

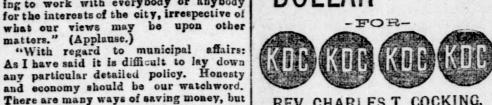
better business methods in the council. SCHOOL TRUSTEES. Although it was 11 o'clock Mr. Geo. J.

hearing as he spoke in favor of the free text books, and a commercial form in con-nection with the public schools. His ideas were well receiven.

vote of the people.

The chairman received a vote of thanks as the gathering broke up.

Losses on the Great Lakes. DETROIT, Jan. 4 .- The lecal weather bureau has compiled the losses to lake marine shipping for the year 1894 due to weather conditions. The number of vessels that met disaster on the great lakes is 112 and the number of lives lost 68. Of these vessels 43 were total losses, entailing a financial loss of \$643,243, and 69 were partial losses, with damages aggregating \$349,787, making a total money loss of \$993,030. These casualties do not include



REV. CHARLES T. COCKING, Returned Missionary from Japan. states: "I consider K. D. C. worth its weight in gold, Anyone suffering from dyspep is, it he has a dolar left, should try it and prove the truth of what I say. They who give it a trial will continue to use it. lam sure."

Prove its merits. Free samples of K. D. C. and Pills sent to any address.

New Glasgow, N. S. Or 127 State St., Boston, Mass.

1895.

To the electors of the

In response to a numerously signed requisition, I have decided to be a candidate for the Mayoralty of 1895, and H. respectfully solicit your

servant,

-OF THE-

OR FOR 1895

his re-election as

Water Commissioner

RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED FOR

YOU ARE RESPECTFULLY RE-QUESTED TO VOTE FOR

Water Commissioner FOR 1895.

representing First Ward. 1895. With compliments of the season.
From your obedient servant.
O. E. BRENER.

PRITCHARD

As Alderman for 1895.

WARD NO. Your vote and influence respectfully solicited for

ALDERMAN FOR 1895.

ELECTORS OF NO. 1 WARD: Your vote and influence respectfully solicited for

Chas. TAYLOR As Alderman for 1895.

2 WARD

fully solicited for

Your vote and influence is respect-

ALDERMAN FOR 1895,

TO THE ELECTORS OF NO. 2 WARD Your Vote and Influence Respectfully

H: M. Douglas As Alderman for 1895.

NO 2 WARD TO THE ELECTORS: Ladies and Gentlemen-I solicit your vote and influence for re-election as

ALDERMAN FOR 1895.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS, 1895. LADIES AND GENTLEMEN-Your vote and influence respectfully solicited for

As Alderman for Ward 2 for 1895.

WARD NO. 3 Your Vote and Influence Respectfully

WARD NO 3

R. A. CARROTHERS AS ALDERMAN FOR 1895.

NO. 3 WARD. Your vote and influence respectfully solicited for WM. SKINNER As Alderman for 1895.

ELECTORS OF WARD NO. Your Vote and Influence Respectfully Solicited for the Re-Election of JOSHUA GARRATI

As Alderman for 1895. WARD NO.

COOPER

Your Vote and Influence Respectfully

For Alderman for 1895. THE PEOPLE'S CANDIDATE.

NO 4 WARD Electors are respectfully requested to mark their ballots X on Monday next in favor of

GEO. W. ARMSTRONG FOR ALDERMAN,

WARD NO. Your Vote and Influence Respectfully Solicited for

As Alderman for 1895. 76k eod

TO THE ELECTORS OF NO. 4 WARD Your vote and influence respectfully solicited for the re-election of

As Alderman for 1895.

ELECTORS OF NO. 5 WARD,

Your Vote and Influence Respectfully Solicited for

J.H.Cunningham As Alderman, 1895.

6 WARD Your vote and influence will be appreciated by

ALDERMAN FOR 1895.

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE Respectfully solicited for

For Alderman for Ward 6, for 1895.

To the Electors of

WARD Your vote and influence respectfully solicited for

For Alderman for 1895. TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1.

Your Vote and Influence respectfully solicited for JOHN INGRAM. As School Trustee, 1895.

TO THE ELECTORS OF NO. 1 WARD Your vote and influence respectfully solicited for

U. A. BUCHNER AS SCHOOL TRUSTEE. ELECTORS OF

5 WARD. NO. LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, -- Your vote and influence respectfully solicited for

As School Trustee for 1895.

To the Electors of 2 WARD. NO.

Your vote and influence respectfully solicited for the re-election of Stephenson, John

As School Trustee 76ctwa To the Electors of

TO THE ELECTORS OF

WARD NO. 3. Your vote and influence respectfully solicited for

AS ALDERMAN FOR 1895.

TO THE ELECTORS OF 3 WARD

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, Your vote and influence respectfully solicited for the re-election of

School Trustee for 1895.

MY MOTTO-Free text books and commercial form.

Your Vote and Influence Earnestly Solicited for

As School Trustee, 1895.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS, 1895. Your Vote and Influence Respectfully Solicited for

As School Trustee for

WARD NO. 5.

George Burdick AS SCHOOL TRUSTEE, 1895.

Mr. J. E. Keenleyside was in favor of submitting the free text-book question to a

fires and collisions.



City of London.

I am your chedient

TO THE ELECTORS

City of London: solicited for

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE

As Water Commissioner, 1895.

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m Wm}$. C. COO

O.E. BRENER, Respectfully soliciting with thanks your vote and influence as Alderman,

The Advertiser

London, Saturday, January B

PERSONAL FITNESS THE FIRST CONSIDERATION. Here, as elsewhere, there has been some

ittle discussion as to which of the two andidates offering for the Mayor's chair is he better fitted to serve the city for the mening year. We have said that Mr. Little is the best all-round man for the position, and that he fills the bill in every particular as a man thoroughly able, indeendent, experienced and careful. We e shown that he has served the city in capacities on public boards, elected is fellow-citizens, and otherwise as an prising citizen determined to work

he advancement of this Western center ndustry and commerce. It is argued in svor of Mr. Wm. Jones that he should be cted as mayor because he has been an lderman and water commissioner. The me style of argument is used in favor of ine least suitable candidate for the Guelph oralty, and has drawn from the Conervative organ in that city-the Heraldthe following retort:

"The first consideration in selecting men to occupy the Chief Magistrate's chair should be his fitness and ability for the position. No matter how long a candidate has been an alderman, no matter how much time he has spent in the city's service, if he be not a competent man he should not be made mayor. A mayor of a city is looked upon as a sample of the highest intelligence, ability, and enterprise that the ce possesses. He is considered a reflex of the intellectual and executive faculties of the people whom he represents. Therefore we say it is highly important that our mayor should be a good man, a man who will fill the office with honor and credit to himself and the electors who placed him there. We do not think that every man who puts up for alderman and secures election a few times has a bona fide claim to the high office of Mayor. Personal fitness, we said before, should be the chief consideration. After it, the question of long service, or any other minor claim, may re-ceive the attention of the people."

This is a fair statement of the considerations which should govern the citizens of London on the present occasion. Both candidates have been servants of the city. But they are not equally suitable to act as Chief Magistrate. That is the question in a nutshell, and in its settlement we are ure that Mr. Little's pre-eminent ualifications will not be overlooked.

-Mr. Little has increased the beauty of A the possessions of the city at Springbank and added to their attractiveness by building his summer residence opposite the reservoir on the banks of the Thames. In thus showing how pleasantly the summer can be spent in our own neighborhood by ity families of means, Mr. Little will reeive the thanks of many citizens. There as been a great outcry in recent years by ity merchants that too many citizens live way from the city all summer, making usiness dull for employer and employes alike. Mr. Little sets an example that, if followed generally, would remove this complaint. Summer homes on the really romantic banks of the Thames may become ecidedly fashionable in the near future.

HE STREET RAILWAY SHOULD BE ELECTRIFIED.

If London is to keep pace with the pro-Gerjon it must have its street railway

is an important matter, requiring the est business brains the city can command to adjust on a basis at once fair to the city and to the company. There is not a man in London more capable of so adjusting it on a fair and business-like basis than Mr. J. W. Little. He has every reason for desiring fair play for the citizens, while at same time he has no teeling of hostility to the company.

Elect J. W. Little as Mayor, and the street railway will be soon electrified, giving plenty of employment to those now out of work, and supplying a new impulse to our progressive city.

But we assert, and we assert it advisedly. that the task before the city this year requires a man at once very able in the business sense and capable of bringing differences of view to a fair conclusion.

-Be early at the polls. There have been municipal elections where gross personation was perpetrated, and in which good citizens found when they reached the polling place that some rascal had already voted for them. The elector who votes early on Monday forencon will run no risk of losing his vote,

DISHONORABLE SUGGESTION. We must express our surprise that the Free Press should venture to suggest to Presbyterian Sabbath school, Oxford street, was held Thursday night and was successful in every respect. The beautiful any citizen of London to vote contrary to his own freely-signed written pledge in favor of Mr. Little. With a tolerably lengthened experience, we do not recall any suggestion quite as dishonorable having previously appeared in any Canadian newspaper. What does our contemporary take the citizens of London for? Does it take them for dolts, that they do not know what they are doing when they sign a requisition and pledge their support? Or does it take them for dishonorable persons, who make engagements only to violate them? In making the suggestion that any en of the citizens of London do not intend to fulfill their promises, our contemporary is making an attack on their good falth. We believe the dishonorable tactics of our contemporary will only have the fact of increasing Mr. Little's majority.

-A man with a proper sense of honor never urges his neighbor to break his word. Emma Tytler, Gertie Clare, Leta Butler, with men.

Jennie Carmichael, Jean Mondeloh and A HIGH COMPLIMENT. One of the humors of the municipal All the children acquitted most themcampaign in this city is the complaint of the Free Press that Mr. J. W. Little has in the past co-operated with citizens of every shade of opinion in promoting the public welfare. Our contemporary cannot say a

Bless the heart of the innocent

objector, does it not know that

the man who has the influence and the

ability to enlist his fellow-citizens of every

class to aid him in pushing the welfare of

the city as a whole, is the very man that

we should invest with the reins of office as

Mayor? Mr. Little could not ask for a

Free Press has unwittingly paid to him,

-A philosophising contemporary re-

marks on the fact that the boodling frater-

nity generally hang together, and work

against the man of independence and

COMING SCHOOL REFORMS.

While showing great interest in the

Mayoralty campaign, the citizens should

not forget to elect good water commission-

well that it should be so. The trustees

have a very important duty to fulfill, and

upon the fidelity with which they perform

their tasks depends the future of those who

are to be the bread-earners in this city in

the near future. One very important mat-

ter that will come before the new board is

the question of providing the pupils with

free text books, as in Toronto, a matter

which has been well thought out by

Trustee Griffin, who is a candidate for re-

election in No. 3 ward. Another question,

which is also a hobby of Mr. Griffin's, is

the fifth commercial form in the public

schools, enabling children who do not in-

tend to take up the regular high school

other question is that of man-

agement of pupils so as to avoid undue

CRY WHICH HAS PROVED

BOOMERANG.

out that the bargain was a bad one for the

In the first place, the following were the

citizens, selected by the people, to carry

out the bargain: Messrs B. Cronyn, J. B.

Laing, John Marshall, C. S. Hyman, John

Campbell, C. B. Hunt, John Labatt, James

Priddis, T. H. Smallman, Charles Murray,

J. W. Little, M. Masuret, J. B. Saunby,

Thomas McCormick, W. J. Reid and John

These were the gentlemen that made the

bargain that, in return for a bonus, brought

the Michigan Central Railway into the

city. These are the men who are traduced

when the bargain they made is assaulted.

Moreover, Chief Justice Meredith, then

city solicitor, advised the citizen commit-

tee to follow the course that they did as in

the best interests of the taxpayers, and

their work was generally recognized as all

that could be desired. Both city papers

joined in aiding to carry it through. The

city has ever since been receiving several

thousands of dollars rental from the M. C.

R., which gives a fair return for the money

invested, to say nothing of the benefit from

the additional railway. The taxpayers

paid \$100,000 bonus for the London,

Huron and Bruce Railway, and have been

satisfied that it is a paying investment,

though they receive not a cent in direct

Mr. Wm. Jones mentioned this M. C. R.

question at one ward meeting, with the

object of injuring Mr. Little's mayoralty

chances, but the facts were placed before

him, and neither he nor any other respon-

sible citizen have since uttered a word of

censure on the subject. They have found

that any attack on Mr. Little because of

his disinterested services in this matter is

"A DREAM OF FAIRYLAND"

Made a Beautiful Reality in the North

End-A Charming Cantata

Rendered.

The seventh anniversary of the North

cantaia will be reproduced in the East

London Presbyterian Salbath school in a

short time. The school-room was beauti-

greens, and presented the appearance of fairyland. Mr. Jas. Gordon, superinten-

Song, "Story of Ruth," ten girls; duet, "Two Dolls," Letta Butler and Jennie

Carmichael; duet, Madge Dearness and

Good Fairies-Lena Butler, Blanch Wil-

dent, introduced the programme:

and Rosa McIlvenna.

Mollie McConnell.

fully decorated with bunting and ever-

return for their money.

utterly unwarranted.

hoodwinked.

selves creditably.

The success of the entertainment is due in a great measure to the efforts of the following ladies who instructed the chilfollowing ladies who instructed the culldren: Miss Gordon, Miss Walker (pianist),
Miss Annie Ross, Miss May Glover, Miss
May Essex. Last evening the children
were treated to tea in the school room,
after which several songs and recitations
were well rendered. Rev. E. H. Sawers,
of Westminster, and Mr. G. W. Armstong word against Mr. Little's record as an enterprising, public-spirited citizen, and a man ever ready to work for the advancement of the interests of the city, but it gave addresses. feels hurt because Mr. Little has always enlisted the co-operation of men of all shades of opinion to work with him.

THE G. T. R. CARSHOPS.

How the Bylaw for their Concentration in London Was Carried.

The Prospects for the Work Being

There were several important questions higher compliment than that which the before the citizens at the municipal election last year, which were disposed of by bylaw. One of the bylaws, which the citizens showed wisdom in voting down, was promoted by Mr. Wm, Jones, now one of the candidates for the mayoralty, and his fellow commissioners. It provided for honesty. But the public cannot always be the borrowing of some \$150,000 to be expended on waterworks, whereas now it is found that a tithe of that amount put the waterworks in very good shape, and many electors believe that the city could have got along for some time yet without any expenditure whatsoever.

One bylaw carried by a large majorityers and aldermen, or to pitch upon the that was the bylaw granting a bonus to the best men offering for school trustees. Grand Trunk Railway on condition that it There is greater interest in the election of trustees than for some time past, and it is

oncentrates its car shops in this city. It is not generally known that Mr. J. W. Little and Sir John Carling jointly arranged for the taking of that vote, but such is the case, and no man worked harder for the passage of the bylaw than Mr. Little. He believed that it was a good business transaction, and that it could not be too soon consummated.

There are reasons for the belief that the preliminaries for the concentration of the shops would have been taken long before now but for the wave of depression that, in common with other interests, has so seriously injured the railways. Hopes are entertained, however, that in the near future business will so revive that the railways will be materially benefited, and the additional funds necessary to concenwork to get a thorough grounding in trate and equip the Grand Trunk shops in this city will be forthcoming. There is no commercial studies without passing entrance examination. Still anmore central or desirable place to establish and operate the rail way shops of the Grand Trunk than in this city. London has done its friction, while giving absolute justice to share, and Mr. Little, as mayor, will make as early an effort as is wise to have the pupils and teachers alike. And beyond all company begin to carry out its part of the will be the general question of efficient and bargain. Mr. Little has worked zealously economical management. The careful, for the upbuilding of London in the past. judicious men should be picked out as He will not weary in well-doing in the trustees in every case where they are offerfuture. And he will have the loyal support of every patriotic citizen.

CHANGES MADE

The attempt to make Mr. J. W. Little In the Teaching Staff of the solely responsible for the deal which Public Schools. brought the Michigan Central to London, and opened up a large new section for the products of the factories and stores of Lon-

Return of Teachers from the Normal School and Leaves of Absence. don, has failed, as has the effort to make

A special meeting of the Board of Education was held last night to consider report from No. 1 committee in reference to several transfers and also appointments to the teaching staff, made necessary by the return of a few teachers from the Normal School, granting leave of absence and the resignation of three of the staff. The report was read by the chairman of No. 1, Mr. Alexander, and was passed with very little discussion or alteration. As amended it reads:

1. That Miss Minnie Laidlaw be appointed to the position made vacant in Lorne avenue school by the resignation of Miss McLeod.

2. That Miss Coral McNaughton take the place of Miss Kilbourn in Park street school during the latter's absence-three months. 3. That Miss Powell be appointed to

part second room in Aberdeen school. 4. That Miss O'Brien return to Aberdeen school as transition teacher.

5. That Miss Beattie return to St. George's school as transition teacher. 6. That Miss Thompson be appointed transition teacher in Wortley road school.

7. That Miss Sutton be appointed transition teacher in Simcoe street school. 8. That Miss Grieves be appointed trans 9. That Mr. Latta services be secured for Simcoe street school until midsummer. 10. That Miss Buttrey be appointed to

the position of director in the Rectory street kindergarten.
11. That Miss Rudd supply the place of
Miss Henderson in the Wortley road kindergarten during the latter's absencethree months.

12. That Miss Hicks be appointed assistant to Miss Rudd during Miss Henderson's absence. 13. That Miss Tyrrell be transferred from St. George's kindergarten to Rectory

street kindergarten as assistant, and that Miss Cannom take the place made vacant at Askin street by the removal of Miss Buttrev. 14. That Miss Shopland be assistant at St. George's kindergarten. The members present were Trustees MacRobert (chairman), Logan, Dr. Camp-

bell, Sanders, Blackwell, Wilkins, Johnston, Anderson, Craig, Griffin, Alexander Jeffrey, Greenlees, Powell, Martyn and Stephenson, Inspector Carson and Secretary McElheran.

Why, it is an inspiration? What? A chicken pot-pie made with Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

-The case of Wesley Graham, of St. Thomas, charged with hunting game on the Chippewa Indian reserve on, Dec. 11, has been enlarged till Friday next. Charles Dyer and Frank Abbott, of St. Thomas, have also been summoned on the same

-The men's meeting in the Grand Opera Heuse tomorrow afternoon promises to be specially interesting. Dr. Lockwood, of Cincinnati is the speaker, and a rich treat Huron Essex; regitation, Haroid McCon-neil; song, "If I Were a Dewdrop," Gertie is in store for those who are fortunate enough to hear him. His theme is "Christ in the Life of Today." The committee Burnett; song, six boys; song, "Doris,"
Misa Gilmour, Following the above came
the cantata, "A Dream of Fairyland,"
rendered by the following in character:
Two Orphan Children—Madge Dearness have also secured Miss Roblin, of Toronto, as soloist. Those who were present at last Sunday's meeting will be delighted to hear this talented vocalist again. Miss Roblin sang with great expression, and won her way to the hearts of the audience. Dr. W. son, Gracie McNee, Aggie Malloch, Jennie Peden, Annie Beaton, May McMahon and H. Moorhouse will preside. The popular orchestra will be on hand and render choice music. Doubtless the house will be packed Evil Fairies-Rosa McNee, Allie Wilson,

A Free Exhibition Grounds and a Beautitul Public Besort.

It will be remembered that at the time when the city resolved to sell the old Exhibition Grounds in the heart of the city, the northeast, and pay for them with the

proceeds of the sale of the Queen's Park. The deal came very nearly being carried out, but it was vigorously opposed, and finally the Queen's Park was chosen as permanent exhibition grounds and as a public park for East London.

The leader in the movement to take the Western Fair to the Queen's Park was Mr. J. W. Little, who worked early and late for the success of the scheme, and who has since aided in many ways to improve this delightful resort, which is calculated more and more to become a favorite picnicking ground, not only for citizens but for parties from a distance. Not only that, but as a director of the Western Fair, Mr. Little bought the gravel which has been placed on the splendid walks and drives recently laid down, and influenced his fellow directors to pay for the expenditure out of the revenues of the Fair Board.

This championing of their beautiful park is not forgotten by the electors of the East End, who recognize in Mr. Little's unselfish efforts the work of a city patriot. The East Enders are not ungrateful to those who have stood by them, and they will roll up a big majority for their friend of former days in the election on Monday.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

-The Mission to Lepers will meet Monday afternoon at 4:30 in Somerset Hall. -Mr. Wm. Howie, sen., was severely kicked by a horse the other day, and will be laid up for some time.

-Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Laing, of London, and A. L. Laing, of Toronto, are spending a few days with relatives in Essex. -The Westminster skating rink has been fitted up with electric lights. Its many patrons will appreciate the improve-

-Mrs. Robert D. Kilgour and daughter Edna have returned to their home, 110 Elmwood avenue, after spending three months visiting relatives in Chicago and other western cities.

-It has been decided that at the next meeting of the City Council a demand will be made for an investigation into the methods pursued with regard to expenditures on the waterworks during last year. -Mr. Arthur McKerricher, of No. 666 King street, one of the recent graduates of the London Model School, has been en gaged as teacher in Lambeth. Young Mr.

Monday. -The Misses Taylor, daughters of Mr. John Taylor, South London, are visiting in Newark, N. J. At the Lyceum there last week they gave an instrumental and recitation, which are highly spoken of by the papers of that city.

-Though Mr. Garratt has been nominated in Ward No. 4, he is out of the country, and he may not accept the nomination if he is elected. Mr. Walker, brickmaker, is Mr. Garratt's sponsor.

-The attraction at the Palace Daneing Academy last night was another of Mesers. Dayton & McCormick's sociables, and a large party attended. Good music was furnished by the academy orchestra, and the programme was well arranged.

-As spiritualism is a burning question with some citizens, Rev. Dr. Lockwood, of Cincinnati, will turn on the light on the subject at Dundas Street Methodist Church on Monday evening next. From all reports the doctor is well able to handle this subject.

-At the monthly meeting of the Adelaide Street Baptist Women's Mission Circle a letter was read from Miss Lottie McLeod, who is on her way to the mission field in Telegu, India. The letter was mailed from Port Said, Egypt, and was written on board the steamship Oriental bound for Bombay, Miss McLeod and her fellow travelers were in the best of health. The epistle was very interesting, and those ladies who attended the meeting felt well repaid for facing the snow squall.

-The regular meeting of Unity Branch, No. 5, of the Canadian Association of Stationary Engineers was held on Thursday evening. The affairs of the branch have been disturbed of late and dissacisfaction has been expressed by several of the members. The question of retaining the charter was thoroughly discussed, and on e motion to return it a tie vote was given. The charter will be retained, as the constitution states that so long as five members favor it the as ociation can continue. The brethren who favored the return of the charter may withdraw and form an association independent of the Canadian body. Hounding Ald. Parnell,

Why is Ald. Parnell being hounded? He has always opposed jobbery. Why are the jobbers so persistently after him? The reason is self-evident. He has been an obstacle to some game to plunder the city treasury. Ald. Parnell's friends in Ward 6 should vote for him because of the sort of enemies he has made.

Will Gladstone come to America? If he omes he will find two-thirds of the people using Dr. Price's Baking Powder,

Dr. George Marx, one of the most famous entomologists of the day, has died at Washington, D. C.

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FROM 7 TO 10 O'CLOCK.

and get a show ground elsewhere, a determined effort was made to move the Fair Grounds out of the city proper. The proposition was to buy grounds away to the northeast, and pay for them with the

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Hose, worth 25c pair, Tonight 16c ELASTIC - Colored garter Elastic, worth 8c yard,

Tonight 5c HANDKERCHIEFS-Fancy Swiss embroidered Handkerchiefs, worth Tonight 37c HANDKERCHIEFS - Fine hemstitched linen Handkerchiefs, worth

Tonight 16c GLOVES-Colored and black kid Gloves, worth 50c,

Tonight 42c GLOVES-Colored undressed musquetaire kid Gloves, worth 75c, Tonight 56c RIBBONS-Colored silk and satin

Ribbons, worth 5c yard,
Tonight 3c ESTS-Ladies' fine Scotch wool Vests, worth \$1 35, Tonight \$1 10

HOODS — Ladies' wool Hoods, colored, worth 65c, GAITERS-Children's colored wool

BIBS-Children's Bibs, worth 7c. Tonight 6 for 25c

size, worth \$1, Tonight 50c CAPS-Tam-O'-Shanter Caps, worth

Tonight 36c SHIRTS - Men's gray top Shirts, worth 50c, Tonight 37 1/2 C

MITTS-Boys' fine wool Mitts, worth 25C, Tonight 19c GLOVES-Men's unlined kid Gloves,

worth \$1, Tonight 88c CAPS-Men's sealette Caps, worth 75c, Tonight 500 GLOVES-Men's lined kid Gloves, with Astrachan back, worth 8oc,

Tonight 650 UNDERWEAR - Men's all-wool Underwear, worth \$1,

CAPS-Boys' Gray Caps, worth 65c, Tonight 50c MITTS-Men's leather Mitts, worth Tonight 55c

SOCKS-Men's heavy black ribbed Socks, worth 50c, Tonight 35c MITTS-Boys' kid Mitts, worth 6oc,

Tonight 40c CAPES-Ladies' fur Capes, nice goods, good value at \$4, Tonight \$2 50

JACKETS-A great snap in Ladies' Coats tonight; our stock divided in lots; prices cut in two. Jackets worth \$7 for \$3 50; worth \$8 and \$9 for \$5; worth \$10 and \$12 for \$6 50; worth \$13, \$14, \$15 and \$16 for \$10. Do not miss the grand opportunity of obtaining a bargain in a Jacket

Tonight ULSTERS-Any man's frieze Ulster in the house, worth from \$9 to \$12, Tonight \$8

OVERCOATS - Men's melton and beaver Overcoats, worth from \$9 to PANTS-Men's heavy tweed Pants, Tonight \$7 95

HOSE-Boys' Heavy Wool Hose, CHEVIOT-1 piece black Cheviot worth 6oc yard,

Tonight 39c SERGE-Black surah Serge, a bargain,

Tonight 39c CASHMERE-Black Cashmere, 48 inches wide, worth 70c, a very special bargain for

Tonight 39c HONEYCOMB CLOTH—Regular price 69c,

Tonight 39c BENGALINE-Dress goods, heavy and fine, worth 75c one cut only of

each piece, Tonight 250 FLANNEL-German wrapper Flannel, for tea gowns, regular price 50c,

one cut only of each piece, Tonight 250 CREPE DE CHENE-All wool, in evening shades, worth 50c,

Tonight 39c SILK-Fancy watered Silk, in the evening shades, worth 75c, Tonight 39c

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SILK-Black grosgrain Silk, worth Tonight \$1 07

SILK-Black surah Silk, worth \$1 25, Tonight 98c Tonight 53c SILK-Colored surah Silk, a bargain

Tonight 500 Tonight 15c TWEED-Gray Halifax Tweed, for

boys' wear, worth 35c,
Tonight 25c CORSETS - Ladies' Corsets, large MOLETON FLANNEL-All wool, fancy colors, worth 25c,

Tonight 150 SHEETING - Bleached Sheeting, plain or twilled, worth 28c,

Tonight 22c OIL CLOTH-White or colored, for

Tonight 20c TABLE COVERS-Chenille, worth \$2, Tonight \$1 50 TABLE COVERS - Jute Table

Covers, 2 yards square, Tonight \$1 25 BLANKETS-White Blankets, large and heavy, worth \$2 50, Tonight \$2

DAMASK TOWELS-Red borders, all linen, Tonight 10c CANTON FLANNEL-Twill, heavy

nap, worth 61/2c, SHAKER FLANNEL - 33 inches wide, great value at 10c,
Tonight 80

GINGHAMS-Suitable for aprons, very wide, worth 10c, Tonight 8½c PRINTS-Dark shades, wide, worth

Tonight 5c TABLE CLOTHS-Large size, red borders, with fringe, very fine quality,

worth \$1 50, Tonight \$1 TICKING-Feather Ticking, worth

Tonight 18c OVERCOATS-Men's Overcoats, odd lines, very nice goods, worth \$9 and

Tonight\$5 PEA JACKETS-Men's Frieze Pea Jackets, worth \$5, Tonight \$3 50

OVERCOATS-Boys' Cape Overcoats, worth \$4, Tonight \$2 75

worth \$2 25, Tonight \$1 50

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IN SPORTING CIRCLES.

Richard Croker Enters Horses in Several English Races.

Curling at Paris-The "Harlem Spider" Smashed His Arm in a Fight.

BRANTFORD VS. PARIS. Paris, Ont., Jan. 4 .- A curling match was played between the Brantford and Paris curlers today. Score: Paris, total 67; Brantford, total 69.

A thousand curiers are expected to play in the bonspiel on Hamilton Bay next

An exchange says: The closing scenes in the great England-Australian match at Sydney were interesting. The immense crowd were in a fever state of excitement, and some idea of the numbers may be gathered from the fact that nearly \$15,000 was taken at the gate,

BASEBALL A New York morning paper has a special from Philadelphia stating that there will be no association baseball there the coming season. This announcement was given out the other day by l'resident

ATHLETICS. BAD FOR THE SPIDER. Boston, Mass., Jan. 4.-Frank Brierley, the Irish boxer, and Tommy Kelley, the "Harlem Spider," fought eight rounds at the Suffolk Athletic Club last night, and the decision was given to Brierley. The "Spider" broke his left arm in a hot rush in the first round.

INTERNATIONAL CONTEST. London, Jan. 4 .- The London Athletic Club has accepted the challenge of the New York Athletic Club subject to arrangements to be made later.

THE STRONG MAN'S PERILS. An article by Dr. G. F. Lydston in the Journal of the American Medical Association discourages ambitious young men of muscle from attempting to become abnormally strong. Of Sandow the doctor says: "Sandow is confronted by two dangers: First, death at an early period, after comsecond, death at middle age, or soon thereafter, from a continuance of his work. In the first instance, we will suppose that our subject ceases his work voluntarily or otherwise. In this event he is confronted by a serious problem. He has solved the problem of developing his heart and lungs pari passu with the development of his general muscular system, but how is he going to bring about involution of his lungs and heart pari passu with the general involu-tion which must follow rest? To do this is impossible, and the result is a relative disease of his enormous heart and lungs. Disease means decay. Sandow is a wonderful man, but his examplejis pernicious. Teachers of physical culture will generally agree with the writer. An all-round development which will be of service to men who are likely to be engaged in oc-cupations more or less sedentary is the object to be aimed at. A development which requires constant exercise is more than a waste of time. It becomes the sole

THE TRIGGER. SHOOTING TOURNAMENT AT AILSA CRAIG. AILSA CRAIG, Jan. 4. - The shooting tournament held here today was a decided success. W. Holland, of Parkhill, succeeded in killing his ten birds, thereby carrying off first prize, which was \$20. The following is the score of the match: Group No. 1-A. Mahler, 8; R. Barling, 7; R. Davey, 5; S. Elber 9; W. Holland, 10. Group No. 2-M. McCann, 4; J. C. Sher-

down, 9; J. C. Bowlon, 8; B. Munro, 8; F. Atkinson, 4. Group No. 3-W. Halt, 4; T. Bice, 9; W. Drought, 8; J. Morgan, 2; W. Simp-

Group No. 4-E. Mahler, 2; G. Munro, 8; J. D. McCall, 7. THE TURF.

Richard Croker, of New York, has entered four horses, including Montauk, for the Ashley plate and other races at

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MERCHANT TAILOR.

Newmarket and Ascot. For the gold cup he has entered Dobbins. Isinglass, Throstle and other celebrated English race horses have also been entered for the gold cup Ladas, the Derby winner, belonging to Lord Rosebery, is not entered.

ONTARIO J. C. SPRING MEETING. TORONTO, Jan. 4.—At a special general meeting of the shareholders of the Ontario Jockey Club today it was decided to hold the spring meeting beginning Wednesday, May 21, and closing Saturday, May 25. The Queen's Plate will be run on the first

CANDIDATES CATECHISED.

The Closing Municipal Meeting in Ward Four.

Wonderful Unanimity in Regard to the Need for Better Street Paving, Electric Street Railway Extension, Short Hours of Labor, Etc.

The meeting last evening at the Princess avenue school could have been more com-fortable if the seating capacity had been larger and the seats themselves larger. It was noted, however, for the good hearing given to all the candidates and the number of questions asked of the different speakers. The funny man was there, but when he became too funny was given his quietus by Mr. Cowan. Major Beattie was voted to the chair.

At 8:15, as Mr. Neil Cooper was the only candidate to be seen, he was called on to speak. He started right in on the electric railway question, and said he was in favor of cheap fares. Mr. Cooper thought that the streets were much in need of repairing. He was against the idea of a new hospital being built. In reply to the Labor Council questions he favored the 60-hour movement, but did not know so much about the wage standard. He said that one practical man would be better than a whole deputation. He took up considerable time in answering questions put by his audience, and was applauded in

retiring.
Mr. Geo. W. Armstrong was next heard. and in answer to the labor union questions said that he was strongly against making men work more than 60 hours a week, and thought that even this was too long. He was also against the underpaying of workingmen. He scored a good point on the single tax question. If people beautify their grounds or houses the assessors charge more taxes than they do a better house with rougher grounds. He favored the extension of the street railway and cheap fares. In regard to the new hospital question he thought that an addition was all

that was necessary.

Ald. Fitzgerald said he appeared before the electors for the fifth time. He went into the matter of finances, being a member of No. 1 committee last year. His views were the same as his predecessors.
The meeting at this point drifted into personal matters, and was called to order by the chairman. Mr. Morgan, candidate for school trustee,

favored cutting off the two lower forms of the Collegiate and adding them to the publie schools. He also advocated the building of a new school in the north end. Mr. E. N. Hunt was also in favor of fifth form in the public school, and wen

very fully into this question He would like to experiment a little with free text Mr. John Boyd covered about the same

ground as the other aspirants. He accused the Ontario Government of receiving too much profits on the school books, but then praised the Ontario schools as the best in the world. Mr. Boyd then went into the tax question, and stated that one-third of the city was exempt. He charged unfairness in regard to the Hobbs Hardware and Leonard's and Cronyn's houses. In retiring he said that he did not know anything about the school board, but wanted to get elected and learn.

WATER COMMISSIONERS. Mr. R. K. Cowan was well received. He had been looking for men who were dissatisfied with the doings of the waterworks, but had not found any yet. He had been a commissioner for two years, and did not know it all yet. It was the original intenobject of life, whereas a good physique tion to run all machinery by steam, but the hydraulic pumps pere placed in. When the hydraulic pumps pere placed in. When steam pumps were first used only 1,000,000 gallons were used daily. Now the capacity s 2,000,000 gallons (steam pums) and 3,000,000 gallons (hydraulic pumps). During the year of 1993, owing to the lowness of water in the river, the hydraulic pumps were run only sixteen hours a day. Last year the water in the river was considerbly higher, but at one time only six feet ware in the reservoir, which would not last two hours with a big fire. The other candidates had approved of the action of the commissioners in the council.

Mr. Cowan gave a list of what the leading objectors to the new pumps paid in water rates. The president of objectors pays \$19 03, and the queen-bee letter-writer pays \$13 25 per year. He was questioned in regard to Ald. Garratt obtaining the contract for putting in the foundations and buildings, and said that Garratt received the contract from Blake and Yates, the pump contractors. He answered several more questions put by the audience and then

Ald. Coo advocated the making of a good park at Springbank, and stated that if he had not entered the field Mr. Cowan could not or would not have explained the doings of the commissioners. Mr. Coo went into the matter of building roads and sidewalks. "There are too many cooks at the city broth," said Mr. Coo. "Every year gravel is placed on the roads and then scraped on again when it gets muddy. He referred to the electric railway question, and advocated cheap fares. Said Mr. Coo, "I am the best man of the three, and therefore ought to be elected." He ex-plained how it was he indulged when away on a deputation, and gave it as a funny

Ald. J. C. Judd was the last speaker. He was in favor of the building of the new pumps. As chairman of the finance committee he explained that of the 18 mills taxes 11 or 12 went to pay the interest on standing debentures, the remaining 6 or 7 mills were used for all other expenses. In concluding, he asked for one of their votes for water commissioner, he didn's care who

got the other. The different candidates were further questioned, and told a few funny stories, and as the hour was 10:05 p.m., and the mayoralty aspirants had not appeared the meeting dispersed with three cheers for the Queen.

Major Beattie was moved a vote of thanks for acting as chairman.

Crashed Into the Depot. RUSLAND, Vt., Jan. 4.—A freight on the Central Vermont Railroad broke in two between Proctor and Pittsford this morning. The rear section ran to Pittsford depot, jumped the track and crashed into the structure, upsetting the stoves in the building. The depot, freight house and several cars were burned, with consider-able freight. Loss unknown.

MUSIC AS A MEDICINE.

Influence in Alleviating Pain and Producing Sleep—A Clergyman's Experience.
Not till the last two or three years has an
attempt been made to bring music within
the range of practical therapeutics, and to
test its effects by systematic clinical investigation, says Chamber's Journal. This
fact has been taken in hand by the Guild
of St. Cacilia, under the energetic and disof St. Cecilia, under the energetic and discriminating direction of Canon Hartford of Westminster. Already the society has made a considerable number of trials and Canon Hartford has recorded their results -in the medical journals. As a type of these results we may quote Canon Hartford's account of a visit to the London temperance hospital and the St. Pancras infirmary: "The choir of the guild—comprising three vocalists, soprano, contralto and baritone, and three instrumentalists, first and second violins and harp-visited the hospital above mentioned. Several of the patients appeared to be suffering much, notably one whose leg had been crushed in the railway, another afflicted with dropsy, and who were shedding tears with great nervous depression. The music lasted haif an hour, and when it was over enquiry was made of the patients. One and all said it had soothed them, the patient who suffered from dropsy remarking that the pain had kept off while the music was being played, and returned when it

At the St. Pancras infirmary there was a patient suffering from melancholia, to whom they played a lullaby. After the performance she told a nurse that she liked it very much. 'On this the superintendent came to me and said: 'This is the first time she has spoken in a fortnight. Shortly afterward a male patient suffering from delirium tremens was brought into the ward. On hearing the first notes of the music he became quite calm and at-tentive though his attendant had been half afraid to bring him on account of outbreaks of violence." The following day Canon Hartford returned to the hospital and found the three worst cases very much brighter, and they spoke with gratitude and very warmly of the benefit derived

from soft music. Canon Hartford draws a distinction between the class of music which should be given to alleviate pain and to produce sleep. In the latter case the music should be, of course, very soft and monotonous. There should be a constant repetition of similar phrases, and no striking or unex-pected effects should be allowed. To distract the mind from pain-mental or physical—the music should be of a more attractive order, but still soft. Whether in all cases soft music is better as a medicine than lively and exhilarting airs has not yet been clearly determined. Probably it varies with each particular case, but at any rate, with soft music one does not run the risk of injuriously exciting the patient, which might possibly be done by music of a lively character. The softness must be extreme. Canon Hartford remarks on the difficulty of getting singers who can sing very piano, and proposes to have them trained with this particular object in

Criticism. Professional art critics are by no means the only people whose opinions of pictures are worth hearing, as many an artist has found out. Michael Herlihy had his little shop insured in a popular company and the agent presented him with a highly colored lithograph representing the burning of a block of buildings.

Mr. Herlihy surveyed the picture for some moments, muttering to himself the while. At last he turned a dissatisfied face upon

"It's moighty purty," he said, "but it's mesilf doesn't call it complate, sorr, not by anny manes."
"Indeed," said the agent. "What is

wanting, Mr. Herlihy?" "There's the buildins, all roight," said Michael, "an' there's the foire ingines, an' the ladders, an' the herses, an' the shmeke an' cinders. There's the payple runnin' an' the foiremen climbin' oop and doon, But," said Mr. Herlihy, turning his back on the painted conflagration and confronting the insurance agent with an expression of strong discontent, "who iver in the woide wurrld saw a blither av that koind goin' on, an' not a bit av dog anywhere to be sane on the sthrate, sorr? Who's the man 't painted that picther. Oi'd like t' be tould?" soncluded Mr. Herlihy waxing scornful. "He's got a few things to l'arn before iver he'll be an artisht, Oi'm thinkin'!"-Youth's Companion.

Christmas in Paris. In many of the churches quaint and artless carols, with no less artless accompaniments coming from another age less fickle titan our own, are brought into the service of the midnight mass. After the mass is over the reveillon is still held, even by those who no longer go to mass. This reveillon—the good old custom of the after midnight supper following the midnight mass at Christmat evedies out with difficulty from any Frenchman's imagination. Its material signs are blood sausage, truffled turkey and pate de foie gras. Its moral sign is a temporary thawing of the ice of religious neglect, even when the fete is held by wild young men in restaurants. In the early Christmas morning when the dawn is not yet creeping up you will be roused, and roused again by the rattle of carriage wheels and snatches of Christmas song at the hour when Paris is usually the quietest. No matter who the singer is, the song of Christmas day is there.

How He Got Blind, Tramp—Please help the blind.
Passerby—How did you become blind? Tramp-Looking for work, sir.

China and Japan will war over Corea. Peace follows use of Dr. Price's Cream Baking powder.

Convicts Shot and Captured. PHENIX, Ariz, Jan. 4.—The escaped murderer Price and counterfeiter Young were captured on the desert near Gila Bend by Deputy Sheriff Prothero and posse

and brought here last night. Price was mortally wounded and Young was shot in the leg. Deputy Sheriff Prothero was shot in the arm.

TO LENGTHEN LIFE.

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ler's action, therefore, is accelerated without the steam power being increased word is passed up to the officer on the bridge that bergs may be expected and a close lookout for them is established.—Washington Star.

THE WEATHER TO DAY:

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This sharp, frosty weather rather makes us feel that we made a mistake in reducing the price of our furs. There is a lot of the season left and we no doubt could have secured full price on a great portion of our stock, which is A No. I. But having announced a reduction we will stick to it, and our patrons will reap the benefit. Everything in the Fur Department has been marked right down to the lowest price, and don't post-pone making a choice ex-pecting another reduction, because there won't be any, and if you miss these you miss a genuine bargain. \$15 Persian Lamb Capes at \$11 50, \$18 Capes at \$14, \$20 Military Capes at \$16 and a \$23 beauty at \$17 50. Those who want stylish furs can get them now at the cost of manufacture — remember, we don't say less than cost. Our \$25 and \$27 50 Persian Lamb Capes, with ripple capes and high storm collars, can be bought now at \$19 50 and \$21 respectively. Never was such value offered in London.

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THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.

Shoe-Workers' Statement.

To the Editor of the ADVERTISER: According to the Free Press, one of their reporters interviewed Mr. Sterling, shoe manufacturer, in reference to the trouble in his factory, and Mr. Sterling informed him that there was no trouble at all. He says he simply asked his men to make a cheap grade of a shoe, such as is made in Quebec. Such is not the case. Mr. Storling presented his men with a bill of wages, and it was a cut on the present bill of from 10 to 30 per cent, and the men quit work on that account. Mr. Sterling has cut his men's wages twice during the past year, and as they think that is enough they don't propose to take anything less than they have been doing.
PRESIDENT B. SPINDLER.

SECRETARY GEO. DICKINSON. Federated Shoe-Workers' Union, No. 3. Lendon, Jan. 4.

Know When Icebergs Are Near, The captain of an ocean steamer in most cases finds or when his vessel is approaching an iceberg from the men down in the engine-room. That sounds queer, but it is a fact, nevertheless. It appears that when a steamship enters water considerably colder than that through which it has been going its propeller runs faster. Such water usually surrounds the vicinity of bergs for many miles. When the propeller's action, therefore, is accelerated withTHE BUBBLE PARTY.

A Pretty Winter Evening Sport That i Exceedingly Diverting. The bubble party is the especial fad of the season. Grown people are just finding out the possibilities of soap bubbles. A pipe is not the best thing for blowing them. A tin orn about eight inches long

and an inch and an eighth in diameter at the big end will make bubbles much bigger and make them much quicker than any pipe. If you have the horns faintly fluted for an inch upward from the base they will be improved, for the irregularities will hold the fluid in small quantities and the bubble will be earier to start and better fed. Such horns can be made by the

dozen at any tinshop for a few cents.

The strongest possible fluid for producing bubbles is made in this way: Take the fourth of an ounce of while the castile soap; cut it up into small pieces and boil three or four minutes in three-fourths of a pint of water; when the soap is melted and the water has cooled add three-fourths of an ounce of glycerine. This makes enough of the mixture for a bubble party. It is better made the day before it is used and kept corked tightly; the bubbles are then such visions of glorious violets, rose, green orange and blue as cannot be seen in any other way on this planet.

These bubbles will last half a minute or

more, and one of the prettiest sports in



A BUBBLE GAME.

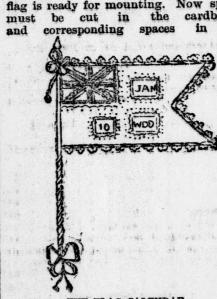
the world is to toss them into the air like balls. All that is necessary for this feat is a rough woolen mitten and a little care. Don't lift the hand to meet the bubble in the air, but, on the contrary, sink it s little as the bubble approaches, so that it will settle on it in the gentlest possible way, then, gently again, toss it up and it will rise time after time like a balloon. A long table covered with an old blanket is a fine thing for showing off bubbles; they can be formed from one end of it to the other, and a prize can be offered for the blower who successfully forms the greatest number of bubbles through the whole journey. With a fan, too, bubbles can be kept in the air and a great variety of games invented with them. A fine chance for showing off a pretty figure this

exercise gives. Bubbles can be blown to rest on the damp edges of cups, and they last longer in this position than in any other. It they are put under a glass case so as to be quite protected from currents of air the color in them will settle into regular rainbow bands, and the effect is most curious as well as bewilderingly beautiful.

A NOVELTY IN GALENDERS

It is in the Shape of a Flag and is Quite Pretty.

First we must shape out a flag in strong cardboard; then get a piece of white satin and cut it rather larger than the card board. In the left-hand top corner embroider the design, and here we may elab orate the ornamentation a little without reproach. To outline the design with fine tinsel cord would be to enrich the effect and then we may well add a gold gimp edging to the flag. In arranging the em-broidery in the first place, enough satin must be kept plain on the left side to allow of its wrapping round the stick when the decoration is completed, and the flag is ready for mounting. Now spaces must be cut in the cardboard



THE FLAG CALENDAR.

satin. The cardboard must be gummed at the edge, and the satin placed on it in exact position. Round the spaces narrow gimp can be sewn, which will make them neat. There can be three or four spaces, according to taste-the year, month, date, and, if liked, the day of the week. If the latter is added, it involves the changing of two of the cards each day; otherwise, only the date of the month needs to be altered daily.

The second cardboard can be covered with gold-colored surah; then the two can be sewn together to form the flag, only leaving the necessary portions un-sewn to allow of the cards being slipped in and out at the top and bottom. Cut a length from one of the thin wooden rods sold for short blinds, paint the top, enamel it white, lace gold cord round it, finish off with a cluster of loods, and add another cluster at the point of the stick.—London Ladies' Gazette.

What Noah Was Doing. While teaching a class of girls in our

school recently, says a London exchange, the master asked the following question: "What was Noah supposed to be doing when the animals were going into the He received several answers. At last a

little girl put her hand up.
"Well," he said, "what do you say?"

"Taking tickets, sir!" Cardinal Wiseman's Ready Retort.

The umbrella of a Catholic penitent was stelen while she was at confession. She went with the story to Cardinal Wiseman, hoping probably to obtain compensation.
The only consolation she got from the Cardinal was this; "My child, I am sorry for you; but the Scripture tells us to watch as well as to pray."

A white quail was shot by a sportsman pear Palatka, Fla., a few days ago.



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Giant Purse Opener,

That is what we would call a great job line of Men's Top Shirts that we have just bought at a ridiculous price, when you consider the character of the goods you will indeed wonder how it is that we are letting them go at the extracely low price we ask. There's no doubt but that shirts worth not much over half our prices are being sold at even more than we are asking for this lot.

Take Your 75C. Choice at



Another Snap In Clothing

That is what we have have secured this week for you and your friends

A PAIR OF PANTS at \$1 25. Not your sheddy kind; but a splendid Wool Tweed, strong and serviceable, worth a lot more money.

A pair of Pants at \$150—Don't run away and hide yourself be-cause you paid \$2 or perhaps \$250 for worse pants elsewhere. but be more careful next time.

A pair of Pants at \$2 50, fit for a king to wear. Splendid cleth, lively patterns, great wearing qualities. Lots of stores would ask you \$4 50 for them.

You ask how is this? Friend, it's all in the buying. The manufacturer came, we were open to buy; we paid the cash; we bought low; we are willing to give you a share of the benefit.

It's Blanket Weather Now.

LARGE

SIZES.

And we are right in the selling. Its no wonder a dollar goes a long way when we offer such value as we are now doing. No excuse for being uncomfortable.

> PURE WOOL BLANKETS \$1 50, \$2 00.

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We are overstocked and must reduce before stock-taking. The only way to accomplish our object is to offer special inducements, which we do as follows-On all

Fancy Goods,

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In all departments of literature, Sets of Books, etc., except a few special net price

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BIBLES AND PRAYER BOOKS 15 PER CENT OFF. Stationery and Staple Goods,

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183 Dundas Street - - South Side

ADVERTISEMENTS SINCE LAST ISSUE Opera House-Rev. Dr. Lockwood. Servant Wanted-532 Dufferin avenue. Notice-De La Morton Cutting Academy Election Card-Geo. Shaw. Dundas Center Church-Dr. Lockwood. Fur Goods-Smallman & Ingram. Monday Mara's Bargain Day. Furs at Beltz's. Continental Union. The Dominion Life Company. Electric Bells-A. J. Greenaway & Co. Bargains at Whiskard's. Chapman's Saturday Night Fair. Skating-Blackfriars Rink. Meeting-The Tuscan Lodge. Cheap Goods-R. J. Young & Co. Real Estate-W. D. Buckie. Services-Colborne Street Church. Services-Queen's Avenue Methodist. Services-Wellington Street Methodist. Services-Askin Street Methodist. Services-St. James' Presbyterian. Services-St. Andrew's Presbyterian. Services-King Street Methodist. Services-Dundas Street Center. Services-St. George's Church. Services-Talbot Street Baptist. Services-Christ Church. Services-Christian Church. Services-First Presbyterian Church. Services-First Congregational Church. Services-Southern Congregational. Services-Grand Opera House. Election Card-J. W. Jones. Election Card-G. W. Armstrong.

Election Card—G. W. Griffin. Election Card—U. A. Buchner. Election Card—E. N. Hunt. Election Card-J. Heaman. Election Card-Wm. Skinner. Election Card-A. B. Powell. Election Card-Stephen O'Meara. Markey's Areade Barber Shop. Store to Let-A. A. Campbell. Card-Duke of York Hotel.

Concert-St. James' Presbyterian Church Holden Comedy Company-Grand Opera. Meeting-St. Andrew's Society. Servant Wanted-538 Dundas street. Cut Flowers-Mrs. Woodliffe. Painting-Mr. J. R. Seavey. Situation Wanted-John Jones. Ice Skating-Westminster Rink. *'77" for Grip. Seasonable Goods-H. Davis & Son.

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Silver-mounted Muff Holders, Aneroid Barometers, and Opera Glasses.

Established in 1831.

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London Money Market. London Money Market.

London, Jan. 5—12:30 p.m.—Consols, 103 13-16 for money, 1032 for account; Mexican 144; Mexican Central, 564; Et. Paul. 564; Erie, 10; Erie. seconds, 64; Facific Central, 52; Reading, 62; Canadian Pacific, 57; New York Central, 101; Illinois Central, 834; Bank of Cengland rate, 2 per cent; open market discount. 2

COMMERCIAL.

Local Market.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son. LONDON, Jan. 5. LONDON. Jan. 5.

The principal offerings of grain today were oats, wheat and corn. There was a decline of 2c in the value of oats, and the other two were steady. Buckwheat sold at 85c to 95c and beans at 75c to 95c. Butter declined 2c all round. Eggs were steady and unchanged. Meats quiet and unchanged. Hogs slower at \$4 to \$5. Vegetables steady, prices quiet, Hay slow at \$8 50 for good quality. General values as follows: Wheat, white, fall, 100 lbs...... 95 to 100

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Electric Bells-A. J. Greenaway & Co.	Butter, per ib, large rolls or			••
Bargains at Whiskard's.	Croc 18	12	to	13
City and Columban Night Poin	Butter, per lb. tub or firking	12	to	13
Chapman's Saturday Night Fair.	Lard nor lb	8	to	9 70
Skating-Blackfriars Rink.	I Imeks per pair	40	to	50
Meeting-The Tuscan Lodge.	Chickens per pair	30	to	1 60
Cheap Goods-R. J. Young & Co.	Turkeys, per lb, 6c to 7c; each	50	to	10
Deal Paters W D Ruckie	Honey, per lb	9	10	10

POP CORN.

The children enjoy the popping and the parents find it gives more fun for the amount

A. M. HAMILTON & SON, 7 S Talbot Street.

> Toronto Market. TORONTO, Jan. 5.

Market quiet.

WHEAT—Several lots on the Northern and Midiand of red and white, aggregating 50,000 bu, sold to a local commission house at 60c; cars of spring wheat sold on the Midland at 65c; goose wheat quoted at 56c; 78c bid for cars of No. 1 Manitoba hard west.

FLOUR—Cars of straight roller quoted at \$2.80, Toronto freights.

BARLEY—Holders east quoting 45c for round lots of No. 1, and No. 2 is quoted west at 40c.

PEAS—Cars sold north and west at 53c. OATS—Cars of white quoted west at 28c, and cars sold on the Northern at 28jc, and east at 30c; cars mixed quoted on track here at 30c,

English Markets

LONDON, Jan. 4. Opening-Spot wheat quiet, steady, demand poor, holdersoffer moderately; spring, 5s of to 5s 5id; futures quiet; red winter, 4s 9id Jan.; 4s 9id Feb.; 4s 10id March; 4s 10id April; 4s 114d May; corn, spot quiet, demand poor, is
4d; new futures dull, is 14d Jan.: is 14d Feb.;
4s 14d March and April; is 2d May; flour,
15s 6d.

LIVERPOOL. Jan. 5. The ougtations for the past three market days are as follows:

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Corn, old	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Peas, per c.		10	0	0	4	91	0	0	4	91	0	0
Pork		0	0		60	0	3	0	60	0	0	0
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The Pride of the Lakes.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 5 .- The palatial twin serew passenger steamer the Northland, was launched from the yards of the Globe Iron Works Company this afternoon. The sight was witnessed by thousands of people. The Northland was built for the Northern Steamship Company, and has no superior, and but one equal in fresh water. Its only equal is the Northwest, which is a sister

St. Clair River Frozen.

PORT HURON, Jan. 5 .- The St. Clair River is now completely filled with ice up to a point two miles north of St. Clair, and the steamer Mary, of the river line, has discontinued her trips. Persons are crossing on the ice at Marine City and St. Clair, but it is still dangerous, as many air noles are found. There is very little ice coming down from the lake at present, and the ferries are not interfered with.

In Olden Times People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects, and were satisfied with transient action; but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently cure habitual conscipation, permanently cure habitual conscipation, well informed people will not buy other —The aldermanic ballots are printed —The aldermanic ballots are printed in laxatives, which act for a time, but finally blue this year. Yellow is the color of the laxatives, which act for a time, but finally blue this year. Yellow is the color of the school trustee ballot; pink, the assessment school trustee ballot; pink, the assessment the color of the school trustee ballot; pink, the assessment school trustee ballot; pink, the assessment are commissioners.

Thousands of cases of rheumatism have been cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. This is abund antreason for belief that it will cure you.

MARRIED.

M'CLELLAND-M'KILLOP-At the residence of the bride's father, Duart, Ont., on Tuesday, the 1st inst., by the Rev. Wm. Malcolm Kay, James McCielland, Esq., of Ottawa, to Isabella V., youngest daughter of John McKillop, Esq.

SECURE INVITATION TO COLUMBIA
Assembly next Tuesday night. b Assembly next Tuesday night.

TRAYED FROM 637 YORK STREET—
Black, white and tan setter bitch, 4
months old, on Dec. 31 or Jan, 1. Reward on
returning to above address or to W. H. MinHINNICK, 314 Dundas street. Anyone retaining same after this notice will be prosecuted.

82c American Markets.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 4.

WHEAT—Spring wheat—Quiet; 4.000 bu No. 1 hard, new. sold at 68 l-2c; closing, No. 1 hard, new. 68ic; No. 1 northern, old. 67ic; old No. 1 northern, Chicago, 65c; western, strong; no spot offering; No. 2 red, 57 l-2c; No. 1 white, 59 l-2c bid on track.

CORN—Opened weak, closed ic lower. Sales: 7 cars No. 2 yellow, 46 l-2c; 5 cars No. 3 yellow, 48c; 2 cars No. 2 corn, 45ic to 46c; 11 cars No. 3 corn, 45ic to 45ic, through billed; local billed ic to l-ic less.

OATS—Steady; fair demand and supply; sales, 17 cars No. 2 white, 36c; 2 cars do, 35ic; 5

Sales, 17 cars No. 2 white, 3cc: 2 cars do, 35ic; 5 cars No. 3 white, 35ic; 2 cars No. 2 mixed, 3iic on track.

httk-Nominal; No. 2 Minnesota choice, 55c

asked.

Fi.OUR-Dull; unchanged.

MILLFEED - Firm; good demand; un

MILLFEED — Firm; good demand; unchanged.

Receipts—Wheat, 2,400 bu; corn, 39,600 bu; oats, 48,600 bu.

Shipments—Flour. 5,000 bbls; wheat, 8,000 bu; corn, 22,600 bu; oats, 5,000 bu; barley, 11,000 bu.

Wheat offerings were in excess of the demand today, and prices fell off to from yesterday. Corn was dull and closed to to to lower. Oats were forced down to to to near the close by a heavy selling movement. Provisions were higher.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat 500 cars, corn 330 cars, oats 160 cars, hogs 22, 000 head.

000 head.

THE LEADING FUTURES CLOSED:

WHEAT—No. 2, Jan., 534c to 538c; May, 574c

to 578c; July, 584c.

CORN—Jan., 448c; May, 474c; July, 474c.

OATS—Jan., 288c; May, 303c.

MESS PORK—Jan., \$1 524; May, \$11 85.

LARD—Jan., \$6 824; May, \$7 024.

SHORT RIBS—Jan., \$5 824; May, \$6 024.

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CASH QUOTATIONS:

Flour steady; No. 2 soring wheat. 574c to 594c; No. 3 do, 53c to 58c, by sample; No. 2 red. 53 1-2c; No. 2 corn, 444c; No. 2 cata, 294c to 30c; No. 2 rye, 48c, nominal; No. 2 barley. 554c; mess pork, \$11 50 to \$11 624; lard, \$6 85 to \$6 874; short ribs sides, \$5 80 to \$5 85; dry salted shoulders, \$4 75 to \$4 874; short clear sides. \$6 to \$6 124.

sides, \$6 to \$6 12	ŧ.		
Receipts—	2.000	Wheat	20,00
Corn	53,000	Oats	107,00
Rye	4,000	Barley	22,00
Flour	1,000	Wheat	6,00
Corn		Oats	73.00
Rye	4,000	Barley	22,00
Buffa	lo Bar	ley Market.	

EUFFALO, N. Y.. Jan. 4.—Barley in active demand; no low grades offering; No. 3 western at 59c is sought, and 11,000 bu about equal to that grade sold at 59c. Canada values were that grade sold at 59c. Canada values were made at yesterday's advance on a sale of 5,000 bu No. 2 at 63c, or 1c higher than yesterday, which clears the commission charges, and leaves freight and duty only out of the Canada price. No. 1 quoted at 65c; No. 3 extra, 61c to 62c, generally rated at 61jc; No. 1 western, 62c; No. 2 western, 69c; State, 59c to 61c; chevalier, 63c to 64c.

Physicians'

Prescriptions

RECIPES

184 Dundas street, London.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. ywt

DISREGARD ROORBACHS.

Whether the opponents of Mr. Little will consider it worth while to circulate any last-minute roorbachs against him remains to be seen. If any such antiquated methods are adopted, disregard them and resent them at the polls.

ELECT GOOD ALDERMEN.

Besides voting for the best man for the Mayor's chair, Mr. J. W. Little, it is highly important to vote also for the best men for aldermen. Let us have a good, ali-round council.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

-Scarlet fever has appeared at 93 Fulerton street. -The jurors for the Junuary assizes

have been served with subpænas. -Remember that you can only vote for one school trustee in each ward on Mon-

-Rev. H. Morgan, Beachville, paid his brother, P. C. Morgan, city, a flying visit yesterday. -An important meeting of St. Andrew's Society will be held tonight at J. W.

Jones' rooms. -Mr. and Mrs. Herman Waterman, of Buffalo, are guests of Mr. Isaac Waterman,

-Mr. Wm. Irwin, of Westminster, reports having seen a robin in his garden on the third of this month.

-The Mr. Ingram who is running against Mr. U. A. Buchner for school trustee in No. 1 ward is not Mr. L. H. Ingram, merchant, as many understand.

-Willie Clark, the little 3-year-old boy who was seriously injured by a runaway at the corner of Richmond and Albert streets on Sunday, Dec. 23, has completely recov-

-Mr. Richard Oke, of this city, arrived home last evening from the Ontario Poultry Show at New Hamburg, having secured 33 firsts, 27 seconds and 2 third

prizes out of a possible 64 entries. -The Conservatory of Music and School of Elecution has recopened for the winter term. The celebrated teacher of French, M. Masson, late of Paris, will take charge of the French department, which has lately been added to the Conservatory.

-John Lee, the aged man charged with insanity, was remanded until Tuesday by the Police Magistrate this morning. Robt. Charlton, the keeper of the house at which he boarded, was the complainant. Michael Davis, a drunk, was discharged.

roll bylaw; white, the water commissioners' and light brown the mayoralty. The polling booths will open and close at city time. -"Some one has been misrepresenting my attitude on the free text book question," said Mr. E. N. Hunt, one or the candidates for school trustee in No. 4 ward, today. "I am in favor of letting the electors decide the question by ballot. It is too serious for the trustees to alone de-

cide. Rev. Dr. Lockwood, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Cincinnati, is in the city, the guest of Rev. E. B. Lanceley. Dr. A sensation has been caused in Santiago, Lockwood is one of the leading pulpit Chili, over the murder of a priest named orators of Ohio. He has lately interested himself in an endeavor to overcome the was horribly mutilated. Tynan was forpolitical corruption which has existed in merly a Protestant,

Cincinnati for many years. He will address the men's popular meeting in the Opera House tomorrow afternoon and preach in the Dundas Street Center Methodist Church in the evening.

-The polls open at nine o'clock on Monday. This is a time when you can vote conveniently for water commissioners, aldermen, and school trustees in very ward where you are assessed. But you can only vote in the ward where you live for Mayor. -Mr. Charles McNab, of 36 Marley Place, died of congestion of the lungs yes-terday after only a week's illness. Deceased was a popular commercial traveler, and was a member of the late wholesale millinery firm of Hearn, McAuley & McNab, of

this city. He leaves a large tamily. -Take plenty of time to mark ballots. You will have one ballot paper for mayor, one for water commissioners, one for school trustee, one for alderman and one on which you state whether you want the assessment roll printed or not. You can place crosses opposite three names for alderman, or opposite the names of two, or you can mark a cross opposite the name of one only. In the last mentioned instance you will be "plumping." You can vote for two water commissioners and for one school

-At the annual meeting of the Adelaide Street Baptist Sunday school, reports from different departments showed gratifying results for the year 1894. The attendance was large and the meeting was very interesting. The following were chosen as officers for the year 1895: Honorary superintendent, Rev. D. M. Miheli; superintendent, Mr. George Bayley; assistant superintendent, Mr. A. W. Woodburne; secretary, Mr. Charles Morehead; assistant secretary, Miss L. Maynard; treasurer, Miss J. McKerricher; organist, Miss E. Hartson; leader of singing, Mr. Maynard; librarians, Messrs. A. C. Clark, James Angus, A. Pierce, G. Yeo.

-Notice is given that application will be made at the next session of the Legislature for power to incorporate the London Radial Electric Railway Company, with power to construct a series of electric railway lines to cities, towns and villages surrounding London.

A Query to Ald. Dreaney.

Mr. Thomas Mungall, of Marshall street, East London, writes: "I would like Ald. H. Dreaney to inform his Ward 5 constituents why he objected to supporting a recommendation from No. 3 committee for the placing of an electric lamp on Marshall street. A largely signed petition was presented for the lamp.' Masonic.

His numerous friends in this vicinity will be pleased to hear that at the recent meeting of Mount Calvary Preceptory, K. T., of Barrie, Sir Knight D. W. B. Spry (son of Mr. D. Spry, of London) was unanimously elected eminent preceptor for 1895. The new hall of St. David's Lodge, A., F. and A. M., St. Thomas, will be dedicated by Grand Master White on Jan. 14. Principal Grant in London.

Rev. G. M. Grant, D.D., Principal of Queen's University, Kingston, will preach tomorrow, both morning and evening, in the First Presbyterian Church. Principal Grant is one of Canada's most brilliant It surely behooves us, as London elecsons, and no doubt both services tomorrow will be crowded.

An Unsolicited Opinion.

The ADVERTISER frequently is commended by the merchants for the value of the returns from advertising in its columns. In a letter received this week from the Charles Stark Company, of Toronto, dealers in firearms, watches, bicycles and general merchandise, they say: "We will want more advertisments soon. We have had very satisfactory returns from the ADVER-TISER.

Mysterious Fright. What are the real motives of the men who are managing Mr. Jones' campaign for the mayoralty? One of his leading supporters, a prominent contractor for the city, has been saying to his men that they must vote against Mr. Little.

What is there to conceal? Why should any honest city contractor fear the election of a straightforward business man like Mr. Little?

S. O. E. Installation. The officers of Chelsea Lodge, S. O. E., were installed last night by Mr. Joseph Hook, past district deputy, as follows: Past president, R. Wray; president, Herbert Fountain; vice-president, Geo. Stanley; secretary, Thomas Spettigue; treasurer, Wm. Bridgeman; chaplain, Thos. Curnoe; physician, G. W. Belton; inside guard, F. Hallam; outside guard, H. Edmunds; committee, H. J. Carter, (chairman) Fred Hallam, H. Jenkins and Wm. Bridgeman. W. Refreshments were served in the anteroom after the installation and a social evening, that partook of a farewell nature, was held in respect for the president Mr. Fountain, who leaves for England on Wednesday. Mr. Harry Edmunds was, in the course of the evening presented with a past president's ewel by Past President Wray. Mr. Edmunds gracefully acknowedged it, Songs were sung by Bros. Gammon, Fountain, Gregory, Tambling, Spencer, Smith, Gray, Hook, L. Carter and James Court. Instrumentals were given by Messrs. Carter and Rockett, and Bro. Wales, of Richmond Lodge, Toronto, made a speech.

POSTPONEMENT.

The Court of Revision for the Dominion Voters' List, which was to have been held on Monday next has been postponed for two weeks, till Jan. 21, owing to the illness of the revising officer, Judge Edward

A CANADIAN MURDERED.

Wm. Fashton, of Dundas, and His Supposed Wife Found Dead in Connecticut.

STAMFORD, Conn., Jan. 5.-Wm. Fashton, 30 years old, who belonged to Dundas, Ont., and a woman, thought to be his wife, were found dead near the crossing of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railway, a mile from this station, yesterday. The woman's body was bruised, and there are two deep gashes in her head as though made by a blunt instrument. The crossing where the couple were found is a lonely spot and it is thought they were murdered. The couple stopped at an hotel in Greenwich two nights ago and it is said Fashton had considerable money about him. This was not found when his clothes were examined,

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AH UNWISE ATTACK.

Water Commissioner Jones Makes Bad Break,

Remarkable Utterance in Number Three Ward.

In No. 3 Ward last night Water Commissioner Jones, one of the candidates for the Mayoralty, referred to a circular addressed to women electors by women electors, urging them to cast their ballots in such manner as would promote good civic government. Mr. Jones for some reason chose to put the cap on his own head. Neither his name nor that of any other candidate was mentioned in the circular. It dealt only with sound general principles, man began his march along the allowing the chips to fall where they four sides of the quare in what is known allowing the chips to fall where they might. We understand, indeed, that the circular was written before the personnel of the candidates was definitely known. We have taken the trouble to obtain a copy of the circular, and find it to be a proper and high-minded appeal to all citizens, whether men or women, irrespective of creed or partisanship, to vote and work for the best men offering. The following extracts will prove what we say:

WHAT OUR SISTERS HAVE DONE. Women's increasing interest and power in promoting good government have been clearly shown by two recent events. When the corrupt Breckinridge, of Kentucky, whose shameless wickedness had been clearly proven in the courts, defied the outraged moral sense of his State, and offered himself again as a candidate for the National Legislature, the women of that commonwealth rose up against him, and by their protest meetings, and persistent work, defeated him. Let a man be known as impure, and women can always be trusted to oppose him.

The second happening has to do with another American State. When Dr. Parkhurst, of New York city, wanted to overthrow the wicked rule of the Tammany gang, he appealed to the women to help him, and they, led by Mrs. Josephine Shaw Lowell, threw themselves into the almost hopeless task, and are spoken of as one of the prime factors in the glorious success attending the efforts.

TORONTO'S VOICE OF WARNING. The evident need for more care in the selection of the men who are to manage the affairs of our Canadian cities has been set forth in letters of fire, by the terrible ex-posures in Toronto. Citizens of Ontario are amazed and humiliated over the sad facts-facts that run back and show years

want a council that shall have push and enterprise, with plenty of common sense for ballast, in order that the valuable interests of the city shall be wisely cared for; but we want, too, men of moral backbone, that shall be able to resist the certain

temptations of public life. The man who fails to control his own appetites and passions should not attempt to control other people's. The man whose business character is bad cannot be trusted tollook after the city's interest for the city's good. The man who chooses his friends from the base and evil, and ignores God's day and laws, is not a safe guardian for the public morals. If you help to elect such to office you become a partner in their wrong doing.

YOUR BALLOT IS A SACRED TRUST. Thousands of your sisters, to whom the law forbids the franchise, would gladly exercise the power you possess. Wield it, then, in their behalf as well as your own, and make your influence for good strongly felt in the elections for 1895.

To the foregoing no objection can fairly

be taken by any honest person. But objection can fairly be taken to Mr. Jones' way of referring to it at last night's meeting. Speaking of the Breckenridge matter, referred to in the circular, Mr. Jones replied in effect that Breckenridge was one of your church members, and, with a depreciatory shrug of his shoulders, he asked, "Am I a church member ?" insinuating that where there was any wrongdoing it would be done by them, not by him.

Now, we must say frankly that sensible people are a little sick of this too common way certain persons have of practically aspersing church members as a whole because of the wrongdoing or inconsistency of this or that individual. The great mass of the Christian men and women of London, irrespective of creed or politics, while not claiming absolute perfection, are yet humbly and sincerely endeavoring to live wholesome lives under the influence of right principles, and it is to be regretted that Mr. Jones has seen fit to give voice to such a sneer as that to which he gave utterance in No. 3 ward last night.

DEGRADING A TRAITOR.

The Terrible Humiliation of a French Army Captain.

Paraded Before Thousands in Paris-He Protested His Innocence,

Paris, Jan. 5 .- The formal degredation of Capt. Albert Dreyfus, who was recently deprived of military rank and title and sentenced to confinement in a fortress for life for having divulged government secrets, took place at 9 o'clock this morning on the parade grounds of Ecole Militaire in the presence of 5,000 troops and a number of newspaper man and others.

At 9 o'clock the prisoner was led out from the left wing of the square. He was accompanied by a squad of artillery soldiers. He was pale, but with a firm step he marched with his sword in his right hand to the center of the square, where he was awaited by Gen. Darras. He halted before the general and stood at "attention." The adjutant of the Republican Guard then pronounced the verdict of the court martial, which had condemned! Capt. Dreyfus. Capt. Dreyfus, blushed somewhat, but otherwise showed no sign of loosing his composure. After the reading of the verdict General Peter B. Lewis, 725 Richmond Street

Darras addressed the prisoner, saying i "Dreyfus, you are unworthy to carry arms. In the name of the people of France we degrade you." The adjutant then walked up to Dreyfus and took from him his sword which with a quick, sharp movement he broke across his knee, casting the pieces upon the ground. He then cut the buttons and insignia of rank off the uniform and also cast them upon the ground. Capt. Dreyius was for a moment moved by a sense of his humiliation, but he quickly suppressed his emotion and shouted in a loud voice, "Vive, La France!" Continuing he said, "You have degraded an innocent

man. I swear that I am innocent." He seemed about to speak further but his voice was drowned by the rolling of drums which was not loud enough, however, to drown a ringing shout from the crowd in the streets of "A Mort, Le Traitor." The drums then beat and the degraded as "Le Parade De Execution." The scene was very impressive and many of the younger soldiers turned their heads away. Capt. Dreyfus marched with a quick, short pace and when he reached the delegation of officers from the reserves he raised his hand and said: "Tell the whole of France that I am innocent." Turning to members of the press he said firmly: "I declare that I am innocent." The end of the march was reached at 9:20, after which the condemned man was taken to the barrack gate and turned over to the civil

authorities. The courtyard of the Ecole Militaire was crowded with men and women. Many persons climbed the base of the hexagonal granite monument, and others hired dollar places upon stepladders and maintained their places throughout the biting wind.

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It was even so. Mr. Adair sat aghast at the revelation Had he suspected this, he would have kept it to himself. How far she had connected herself with this man, it was best not to inquire; and they never did inquire, and never knew. One thing was certain—the man could afford to take a high ground. He went out from the interview bidding them do their worst—which with him would not be much, he affirmed; for it was not he who had issued the false bills, but the major's wife. And they saw that he spoke the truth.

Arthur listened to this now, motionless as

Arthur listened to this now, motionless as a statue.

"I never saw any man so overcome as Bohun," continued Sir William Adair. "He took it to heart: to heart. 'And she is the mother of my child!' he said to me; and then he gave way, and held my hands in his and sobbed aloud. 'We will hush it up; we will take up the bills and other obligations.' I said to him: though in truth I did not see how I should do my part in it, for I was a poor man. He was poor also; his expenses and his wife kept him so. 'It cannot be hushed up, Adair,' he answered; 'it has gone too far.' Those were the last words he ever said to me; it was the last time I saw

"Go on," said Arthur, without raising his

"Mrs. Bohun came into the room, and I quitted it. I saw by her face that she knew what had happened; it was full of evil as she turned it on me. Rabbetson had met her when he was going out, and whispered some words in her ear. What passed between her and Major Bohun I never knew. Before I had been five minutes in my rooms she stood before me; she had followed me down. Of all the vituperation that a woman's tongue can utter, hers lavished about the worst on me. It was I who had brought on the crisis, she said; it was I who had taken Rabbetson to her husband. I quietly told her that when I took Rabbetson to Major Bohun, I had not the remotest idea that she was mixed up with the affair in any way: and that if I had known it, known what Rabbetson could say, I never should have taken him, but would have striven to deal with it myself, and keep it dark for my friend Bohun's sake. She would hear nothing; she was as a mad woman; she swore that not a word of it was true; that Rabbetson did not say it, could not have said it, but that Major Bohun and I had concected the tale between us. In short, I think she was really mad for the time

"Stay a moment, Sir William," interrupted Arthur. "Who was she? I have never known. I don't think my father's family ever did know."

"Neitheridid I ever know, to a certainty, A cousin, or sister, or some relative of hers, had married a doctor in practice at Madras, and she was out there on a visit to them. Captain Bohun—as he was then—caught by her face and figure, both fine in those days, feil in love with her and married her. He afterwards found that her father kept a hotel somewhere in England."

So! This was the high-born lady who had set up for being above all Dallory. But for the utmost self-control Arthur Bohun would have groaned aloud.

"Go on, please." was all he said. "Get it finished. 'There is not much more to tell," returned

Sir William. "I went looking about for Bohun everywhere that afternoon; and could not find him. Just before sundown he was found-found as-as I dare sayyou have ard. The spot was retired and shady, his pistol lay beside him. He had not suffered; death must have been instantane-

"The report here was that he died of sunstroke," said Arthur, breathing a long

pause. "No doubt. Mrs. Bohun caused it to be so reported. The real facts transpired to very few; Cumberland, Captain Strachan, myself, and two or three others.".
"Did Mrs, Cumberland know them!" asked

Arthur, a thought striking him. "I dare say not, I don't suppose her husband would disclose the shameful tale to her. She was not on the spot at the time; she had gone so nurse some friend who was ill. I respected both the Cumberlands highly. We made a sort of compact amongst ourselves, we men, never to speak of this story, unless it should be to defend Bohun, or for some other good purpose. We wished to give Mrs. Bohun a chance of redeeming her acts and doings in her own land, for which she at once salied. Arthur, if I have had to say this to you, it is to vindicate
your doad father. I believe that your
mother has dreaded me ever since."
Dreaded him! Ay! and foully asperdse

him in her insane dread. Arthur thought of the wicked invention she had raised, and pressed his hands upon his face as if he could shut out its remembrance. "What became of Rabbetson?" he asked.

in low tones. "He disappeared. Or I think I should surely have shot him in his turn, or kicked him to death. I saw him afterwards in Australia dying in the most abject misery. "And the claims!—the bills?"

"I took them upon myself; and contrived to pay all—with time." You left India for Australia?" continued

"My health failed me, and I petitioned government to remove me to a different c imate. They complied, and sent me to Australia. I stayed there, trying to ac-cumulate a competency that should enable me to live at home with Ellen as befitted my family; little supposing that I was destined to become its head. My two cousins, Sir Archibald's sons, have died one

Arthur Bohun had heard all he wished to know, perhaps all there was to tell. If—if he could make his peace with Ellen, the old relations between them might be renewed.

And Prosperous

But whilst his heart bounded with the hope, the red of shame crimsoned his brow as he thought of the past. Glancing at the time-piece on the mantel-shelf, he saw it was only half-past nine; not too late yet.

"May I see your daughter, sir?" he asked.

"We used to be good friends."

"So I suppose," replied Sir William.

"You made love to her, Arthur Bohun. You would have married her, I believe, but that I stopped it."

I stopped it."

"You stopped it!" exclaimed Arthur, at sea; for he had known nothing of the letter

received by Ellen.
"I wrote to Ellen, telling her I must forbid her to marry you. I feared at the time
of writing that the interdict might arrive
too late. But it seems that it did not do

"Yes," abstractedly returned Arthur, letting pass what he did not understand.
"You see, I had been thinking of you always as belonging to her—your mother—more than to him. That mistake is over. I shall value you as his son; more I dare say than I shall ever value any other young man

in this world."

Arthur's breath came fast and thick.
"Then—you—you would give her to me.

Sir William shook his head in sadness. Arthur misunderstood the meaning.
"The probability is, sir, that I shall succeed my uncle in the baronetcy. Would it not satisfy you?"

it not satisfy you?"

"You can see her if you will," was Sir
William's answer, but there was the same
sad sort of denial in his manner. "I would
not say No now for your father's sake. She
is in the drawing-room, upstairs. I will
join you as soon as I have written a note."

Arthur found his way by instinct. Ellen

was lying back in an easy chair; the brilliant light of the chandelier on her face. Opening the door softly, it—that face—was the first object that met his sight. And he

started back in terror.

Was it death that he saw written there?
All too surely conviction came home to

It was a more momentous interview than the one just over. Explaining he knew not how, explaining he knew not what, except-ing that his love had never left her. Arthur Bohun knelt at her feet, and they mingled their tears together. For some minutes neither could understand the other; but elucidation came at last, Arthur told her that the wicked tale, the frightful treachery which had parted them was only a con-cocted fable on his mother's part, and then he found that Ellen had never known, never

"What did you think was the matter with me?" he asked. And she told him. She told him without reserve, now that she found how untrue it was; she thought he had given her up for

heard anything about it.

another. Madam had informed her he was about to marry Mis: Dallory. He took in the full sense of what the words implied; the very abject light in which his conduct must have appeared to her. A groan burst from him; he covered his face to hide its shame and trouble. "Eilen! Eilen! You could not have

thought it of me. "It was what I did think. How was I to think anything else? Your mother had

"Heaven forgive her sins!" he wailed, in his despair. "It was enough to kill you, Ellen. No wonder you look like this." To be Continued.)

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tric Oil is earache. The young are especially subject to it, and the desirability of this Oil as a family remedy is enhanced by the fact that it is admirably adapted not only to the above ailment, but also to the hurts, disorders of the bowels, and affections of the throat, to which the young are specially subject. There are 6,000 men employed on the

Lake Michigan-Mississippi River canal and it will be finished in 1896.

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John Warnock, Who Was Convicted of Manslaughter, Reported as Dying.

His Wife Sent For-Attempted Murder in Lambton-A Serious Charge Against a Chatham Man.

There are 2,620 voters in Stratford. Dr. Coventry, medical health officer Windsor, has resigned owing to alleged dis-courtesy from the council.

The announcement is made that the new council of Dresden will apply to the Legis-lature for an act to consolidate the public lebt of the town. The editor of this journal celebrated his

54th anniversary on Monday last, by announcing his withdrawal from municipal politics.—[Mitchell Advocate. Henry Kerr, of Nile, Huron county, had his leg broken by being kicked by a horse. He is in a very critical condition and as he is over 80 years old, the fracture will go hard with him.

Two sons of Mr. Wm. Bauer, of Brodhagen, Logan township, feared vaccination so much that they ran away from home and hid for a couple of days in a swamp. Finally cold and hunger forced them to return to

Mr. Wm. McDonald, 15 S. R., Brooke, drove to Alvinston Thursday afternoon. The horses started to run and he was thrown in front of the wagon, the bones of his right leg being smashed to a pulp. The limb was

amputated. John Warnock, lately convicted of manslaughter at Tilbury and sentenced to fifteen years' imprisonment in Kingston Penitentiary, is very ill of typhoid fever. His wife has been telegraphed for, as small hopes are

entertained of his recovery. Daniel Bergey, an aged and almost help-less man, who resided with his daughter on Frederick, near Lancaster street, Berlin, while sitting quietly in his chair, dropped over and was dead. He was over 80 years old, and a resident of Waterloo county over 40 years.

A few days ago, while returning from school, Master Robbie Holmes, of Clinton, hurt his knee by falling on a rusty nail; the injury seemed so slight that nothing was thought of it, until a day or two ago, when a serious case of blood poisoning was developed, by which he is confined to bed. Monday afternoon Mrs. Hill, wife of Mr. Hill, of the Molsons Bank, fell and broke her arm just above the wrist; and in the evening, Miss W. Messmore who is spending her hotidays here, also fell and broke her left arm at the wrist. Both ladies will be laid up for a month or so .- [Aylmer Ex-

press. Mr. Cochrane, an old resident of Walker-ton, was found dead in his room the other morning. The lamp was overturned, and some articles in the room were burned and it is supposed the old man was sufficiated. He was well known in and around Walkerton, having been for a long time engaged in the boot and shoe business.

Timothy Wade, of the firm of Wade & Lamb, pumpmakers, Stratford, met with serious accident Thursday, which it is feared may result fatally. While driving on Ontario street his horse ran away and the wagon upsetting he was pitched out on to his head and rendered unconscious. He was found to be suffering from concussion of the brain and a severe scalp wound.

A notorious character i Hurd is alleged to have stolen a pockethook from an old gentleman named Pollock, of Linwood, containing \$250 in bank bills and a note for \$800. When Mr. Pollock awoke from a nap in the Progress House he missed the book and at once raised an alarm. The police were notified, but no trace of the supposed thief could they find.

Hugh J. Jones died suddenly in Buffalo on Thursday from apoplexy. He was salesman in Adam, Meldrum & Anderson' cloak department. He went to Buffalo about two years ago from Toronto, where he had been employed by Eaton & Co. Prior to that time he was with H. W. Brethour, of Brantford. He was also at one time engaged in business for himself in Brantford. He was a salesman of much ability.

Lizzie Robillard, employed at B. Honsinger's factory, and daughter of Daniel Robillard, Meda street, Chatham, has laid an information before Police Magistrate White against a young man, Abel Landan, brakeman, charging him with seduction under promise of marriage. The girl, who will be 20 next April, says that a couple of months ago Landan drove her to New Sarum, and after giving her a glass of something to drink, which acted on her like a drug, succeeded in accomplishing her ruin. Landan cannot be found.

On Christmas Eve Mr. Ellis, foreman of the Weidmann sawmills at Glencoe (Lambton county), was returning to his home, acpanied by one of the clerks with a lantern. Just after they had parted at the gate a gun was discharged close by and a quantity of shot rattled close around M. Ellis on the wall. Next morning he found a horseshoe nail point embedded in his coat and the front of the house studded with the same articles. It was evident that they had fired at him the previous night with murdercus intent. Tracks of someone in stockinged feet were found leading across several plowed fields to the road, where a pair of rubbers had been put on, but the trail was lost after that.—[Alvinston Free Press.

GLENCOE.

[Agent for the ADVERTISER, John McNeil.] Jan. 5 .- Mrs. D. Bloom, of Courtright, is

the guest of the Misses Bloom.

Mr. G. H. Small returned to Weidman on Thursday, where he has been engaged to teach another year at increased salary. Miss B. Orrange has returned from London, where she has been enjoying a week's

Mr. J. Graham, formerly of this place, passed through here on Friday en route for Coronto, where he is attending the School

Over 100 young people attended the "at home" given by the members of the E. L. of C. E. on Wednesday evening. All spent a p casant time.

Mrs. E. E. Adams, of Leamington, will

The large number of pupils that passed successful promotion examination recently shows the efficiency of the public school staff. On papers set by the inspector and marked by a board of examiners, the follow-

ing number were successful: From the First Book to the Second, 12; from the Second ond to the Third, 11; and from the Third to the Fourth, 18. Besides this a great many were promoted from junior to senior classe. Miss Pray. of Alvinston, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. Hurst, this week.

Some are regretting the absence of the annual municipal election. Never mind; the town is dollars in pocket. Owing to the decrease in the rate of interest paid by the bank, some are with-drawing their deposits. The smallest amount withdrawn recorded is six cents.

Twenty - Nine Congregational Churches Closed.

HARTFORD, Conn., Jan. 4 .- A prominent Armenian in this city has received a letter from a friend in Harport, Armenia, stating that 29 Congregational Churches in Armenia have been closed by the authorities. He believes this to be the result of the attitude of the United States regarding the alleged atrocities in Armenia.

It is claimed that porcelain is better than gold for filling tooth.

BUSINESS OUTLOOK.

The Situation in the United States and Canada

As Reported by the Commercial Agencies -No Material Imprevement Indicated.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.-R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: The failures for 1894 are fully reported this week, being 13,885 in the United States and 1,856 in Canada, the liabilities in the United States being \$172,992,856, and in Canada \$17,-616,215. Neither the decrease of over haif in this country nor the increase of over 40 per cent in Canada is surprising, but the statement shows that most of the decrease in the United States is in manufacturing liabilities, while the entire increase in Canada is in the liabilities of trading concerns. A complete review of the different branches of business places in a clear light the fact that the prices of commodities are at the lowest level ever known.

Eight years ago, in July, prices averaged only 73.69 per cent of the prices for the same articles and in the same markets, Jan. 1, 1860, and this remainded the lowest point ever touched until August, 1893, when the average fell to 72.68; but early this year prices dropped below all previous recorde, and have never recovered, the average Dec. 26 being only 68.73 per cent of the prices in 1860. The range was very little higher at the end of the year, and about as low as Oct. 20. The fall since a year ago has been 51 per cent, but very unequal in different branches. The condition of industries has been largely governed by the fall in prices, and while pro duction is much greater than a year ago it has been the controlling feature in almost every important industry that the consumption has not kept pace with the out-put, and has not sustained prices. In iron and steel the prices are the lowest ever known. The year has been especially noteworthy for the lowest prices of iron, steel, wheat and cotton on record. Both the latter suffer from wholly unprecedented accumulation of stocks, the crops being large outside this country. The wheat production has not been enough to justify a price of 60 cents at New York, and the ocumulation is largely due to false reports of the yield intend to frighten buyers and raise prices. In other produce the year and has been relatively less important.

BRADSTREET'S REPORT. New York, Jan. 4 .- Bradstreet's says: There has been no material improvement in general trade within a week. A tabulation of telegraphed reports from the more important trade centers does not reveal specially hopeful views as to an improvement in business in the near future. In many instances trade revival is declared to depend on a settlement of the currency question. The most encouraging expres-

hopeful. Total bank clearings at 69 cities in the United States aggregate for the calendar year 1894 \$14,995,000,000, 16 per cent less than in the panic year 1893, and 26 per cent less than in 1892, the year of the largest volume of bank clearings. The clearings for 1894 constitute the smallest

received) amount to 2,864,000 bushels, against 2,814,000 bushels a week ago. IN CANADA. A fairly good business is reported by

Halifax jobbers, but they are not inclined to report the near future bright, and collections are unusually slow. Some improvement in trade is reported from Montreal, although the fur business

is disappointing.
At Toronto business is quiet, and the prospects are thought not favorable, alhough stocks of merchandise and generally

There are 33 business failures reported from the Dominion of Canada this week, against 36 in the week a year ago, and 27 two years ago.

THAMESVILLE.

(Agent for the ADVERTISER, John Duncan.)

Jan. 4.—Mr. Charles Gill, of the Finkle Street Dairy, Woodstock, is spending the holidays with his family.

Mr. John T. Wren, principal of the Hensall Public School, who has been spending his vacation with Mr. and Mrs. A. Murdock, left for home Thursday.

The small boys crawling westward Thursday morning only meant that the holidays were over and work once more was their

were over and work once more was their

The canvass for councilmen is "fast and The canvass for councilmen is "fast and furious" in the field, all good men, namely: Reeve Syer, ex-Reeve Moran, and Messrs. Newcomb, Arnold, Kennedy, and Hardy. Curling on New Year's Day was the rage fron morn till night. "Sweep her up," "Sweep her up, hard," was the cry. Howat and Ferguson came out to the fore. The ice was in splendid condition.

Mr. Neil McCrimmon, wife and child.

Mr. Neil McCrimmon, wife and child spent their holiday with Mr. Robert Ferguson, M.P.P. The regular correspondent to the ADVER-TISER is spending his holidays at Ridge-

town.

The Colville brothers (colored) were up before Reeve Syer on complaint of Fred Lesson of having stolen a quantity of beans. They were committed to Chatham.

John Obey, one of the early settlers of this village, died suddenly today of inflammation. He was around New Year's Day, but took ill the same night "Josk" will

but took ill the same night. "Jack" will be greatly missed by the commercial men, as he has been connected with the livery business for a quarter of a century. He

never married.

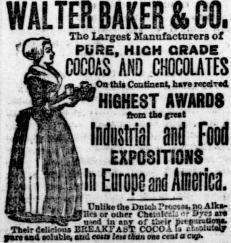
A large number attended the meeting of the local Union of Christian Endeavor on Friday evening. The meeting was enthusiastic and a decided success.

Mrs. W. W. Gordon, who has been ill for some time, is, we are glad to report.

steadily improving. Two of our enterprising young men have invented an entirely original process of soldering. It is reported that they are doing a rushing business in Glencoe and

vicinity.

Mr. Craig, of Ottawa, 'Varsity student, is visiting friends in and around Glencoe. On Friday evening the brethren of Lodge 290, A. O. U. W., after the installation of



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officers, adjourned to Parrott's oyster parlors, where they did ample justice to a well-laid table. The Methodist Sabbath school held their annual meeting on Thursday evening last, when the following officers and teachers when the following officers and teachers were elected for the present year: Superintendent. Mr. J. Tremeer, B.A.; assistant, Mr. J. Hurst; secretary and treasurer, Mr. W. N. Sexsmith (re-elected); librarians, Messrs. Lynn and Gause (re-elected); organist, Miss A. Adams; teachers, Rev. C. W. Brown, B.D., Mr. H. W. Baker, B.A., Miss E. Stevenson, Miss M. Campbell, Miss W. Brown, B.D., Mr. H. W. Baker, B.A., Miss E. Stevenson, Miss M. Campbell, Miss M. Sexsmith, Miss L. Bartlett, Mrs. J. Tremeer, Mrs. W. McAlpine, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. J. W. Sexsmith, Miss Darville, Mr. W. J. Small and Mr. J. Hurst. The school is in a flourishing condition and promises

well for 1895. WALLACEBURG.

(Agent for the ADVERTISER, Wm. Bremner.) John Kinna, who was called to Bay City, Mich., to attend the funeral of his brother, has returned.

Skating on the river is good, and the ice is crowded from morning till night.

Monday was nomination day and the aggregate for nine years.

The total exports of wheat (flour included, both coasts of the United States, the telegram from Portland, Ore., not yet received) amount to 2,864,000 bushels.

Mr. J. S. Fraser, who has been away on a business trip, has returned.

Mr. James Middleton gave an oyster supper to a few friends last night. Mr. Middleton is going to take a course in a Toronto business college.

MIDDLESEX MATTERS.

At the close of the service in the Church of England, Wardsville, the other evening, Miss Eva Yorke was presented with a very beautiful dressing case and mirror, together with an address, in recognition of her ser-

vices as organist during the past year. James Everingham, of Wardsville, met with what might have been a fatal accident a few days ago. Mr. Everingham and Mr. to purchase his discharge. Taylor were engaged in digging a ditch about seven feet deep. Mr. Everingham was stooping down laying the tile when the ditch caved in, completely covering him and burying Mr. Taylor up to the shoulders. By the active exertions of Mr. Taylor's son, Charlie, both men were dug out, though barely in time to save Mr. Everingham's

School section No. 7, Westminster (Pond Mills), held their annual school meeting the other day. Mr. E. Green was chairman. Mr. Ed. Kendrew was elected trustee and Messrs. W. J. Beattie and James Elliot as

auditors. HUGGED LIKE A BEAR.

Missouri Man Breaks His Wife's Ribs in a Loving Embrace,

SEDALIA, Mo., Jan. 4.-John Creamer, of Sedalia, is a big man with a small wife, whom he loves very dearly. At their home last night he suddenly grasped her and gave her a vigorous hug with his right arm. Mrs. Creamer lost her breath, and when she managed to make an outcry she was assisted to bed. The family physician found that three of her right ribs had been broken.

Biliousness. The number of people who are from time to time troubled with the distressing symptoms of biliousness, we are convinced is very great. The headaches, dizziness, nausea, etc., which often accompany this malady, are among the many distressing annoyances of every-day life. It is very gratifying to know that a remedy— Eseljay's Liver Lozenges—has been discovered, which seems to overcome every case of biliousness in which it is given a fair trial. Eseljay's Liver Lozenges may be purchased from any druggist at 25 cents

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sores succumb to its action. Although Switzerland is mostly up and down hill, it has 1,950 miles of railroad track, which cost over \$100,000 per mile for construction.

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The Record of Sergt. E. D. Griffith-Twenty Years in the Banks.

The non-commissioned officers and privates and the majority of the staff at Wolseley Barracks will be sorry to learn that Sergt. Edward T. Griffith, of No. 1 Company, R. C. R. I., has purchased his discharge and quit soldiering. Sergt. Griffith was a general favorite at Wolseley Barracks. He was one of the first to enlist when the school was opened seven years ago. He was a very genial fellow, ever ready to promote any movement which met with the approval of the men, and which would tend to enliven life at the barracks. During the winter months Mr. Griffith was almost constantly promoting concerts and

theatricals, and a programme was rarely rendered without him taking some part. Serg. Griffith has had a varied and lengthy experience in Canadian militia. The Fenian raid broke out in 1866, when he was only 14 years of age. The Queen's Own, of Toronto, was one of the regiments to go to the front, and Edward Griffith went with him. Four years later the first Red River expedition was organized under Sir Garnet Wolseley, and Griffith enlisted. Then he served one year in the Quebec Rifles, and in October, 1871, went with the second Red River expedition under Capt. Thos. Scott, and spent one year in the Provisional Battalion at Fort Garry. Griffith joined the Northwest Mounted Police in 1874 under Lieut.-Col. Geo. French, and was two years in "E" Troop, occupying the position of sergeant most of the time. He wis six years in "A" Battery, Royal Can dian Artillery-Three years in Kingston and three in Quebec-and in the latter place was superintendent of the gymnasium. Three years with "C" Company, R. S. I., tollowed, during which Mr. Griffith went to the Northwest rebellion, and now wears a medal. He enlisted lastly at Wolseley Barracks, and in spite of his twenty years'

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suppose the retina is made in some way to reflect the outer portion of the eye, though

the phenomenon may be only an optical

-The annual New Year's entertainment of the children of Knox Church Sunday

school, South London, was held in the

lecture hall Thursday night, and was largely attended. Superintendent McQueen occupied the chair and introduced

an excellent programme, which included recitations, dialogues, solos, gesture songs,

fan drill, autoharp solo, which were taken part in by Ethel Hennessy, Myrtle Mc-Millan, M. Gauld, E. Gauld, C. Perry, H. Shaw, Gussie Moore, Laura Browne, V.

Laing, E. Baker, A. Kay, E. Wilson, N. Andrews, Edith McBride, Rene Dewar, Ella Fowler and youthful members of Mrs. M. Gill's and Miss Laura Browne's

classes. Refreshments were served in

-A pleasant time was spent New Year's

night in the Foresters' Hall, South London, being the occasion of an open meeting

of Forest Home Circle, No. 67, Compan-

ions of the Ferest. The interesting cere-

mony of installing the officers for the en-

suing term was conducted by Mrs. Thorpe,

of Leyalty Circle, acting as deputy supreme chief companion, assisted by Miss

Minnie Dawe as supreme marshal. After-

wards a pleasant time was spent in games,

-The Regina N. W. T. Leader has this

to say about the Rev. John Carmichael, B.D., who is to occupy the pulpit of St.

Andrew's Church in this city tomorrow:

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election of Rev. Mr. Carmichael to the position of moderator of the Presbyterian Synod of Manitoba and the Northwest Territories. The position is one requiring

to Regina in his own church and last year

as an evangelist together with the record

he left behind him in the east naturally

marked him as a representative man. No better selection could have been made. It

is one which will command the confidence

some importance, the indorsation of the

R. Lewis, his Worship the Mayor, C F. Complin, T. H. Purdom and J. D. Bal four held a meeting of the Hospital Trust

this afternoon at the City Hall. The

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BIRD-On Thursday, Jan. 3, Michael H. Bird, at 578 Dufferin avenue, aged 66 years. Funeral will leave his late residence for St. Peter's Cathedral on Monday at 8:30 a.m. Please omit flowers.

GALLAGHER-On Jan. 4, at 529 South street, Alexander C., youngest son of Robert G. and Sarah Gallagher, aged 3 years and 7 months. Funeral on Monday at 2:30 o'clock (services at p.m.) to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

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Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 6° below-2° below; Battle ford, 20° below-20° below; Qu'Appelle, 26° below-2°; Winnipeg, 8° below-2° below; Parry Sound, 2° below-8°; Toronto, 16°-16°; Kingston, 149-32°; Montreal, 20°-22°; Quebec, 16°-26°; Halifax,

TODAY'S PROBABILITIES. TORONTO, Jan. 5.-1 a.m.-Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region (covering the peninsula and as far east as Believille) are: East to south winds; fair and cold, followed by some snow and higher temperature; mild to-

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wards a pleasant time was spent in games, etc., with a short programme, in which Misses Wade, Sandry, McMillan and Dawe and Mr. L. J. Hessell took part, Mr. J. Stiling, the newly-elected C. C., acting as chairman. The company dispersed at about 11 o'clock, well pleased with their evening's entertainment. Improvements in Passenger Cars. The Wagner Palace Car Company is revolutionizing the equipment of its cars and making them superior to anything of the kind in the world. One of the greatest improvements is the lighting of the cars with gas. The New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company is also equipping its passenger coaches with gas. About 100 of them running out of New York City have been so equipped. The gas is compressed in a cylinder under each car, and one filling of a cylinder will last the round trip between New York and Chicago. The gas is made from petroleum, and furnishes a 60-candle power light, as against a 16-candle power light under the old method. Coaches lighted with gas are as light as a parlor, and passengers can read as well in the night as in the daytime. -[From the Rome, N. Y., Sentinel. b

Change of Proprietorship. The Fallahe House, on Dundas street, East London, has changed hands. The new proprietor is Robert John Smith, formerly in the hotel trade at Ingersoil. The name of the hotel is changed to the "Duke of York Hotel." It is the intention of the new proprietor to run a strictly general public.

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filed. There are 50 patients in the hospital at present, one case of diphtheria. Miss S. E. Armstrong made application to be placed on the staff of aurses and was placed on usual list. Miss Martha Tye and Miss L. Matthews having finished their term of probation satisfactorily, were placed on the regular staff of nurses. Donations: 70 boxes of candy by T. McCormick; oranges. a friend; flowers by the Flower Mission; 70 Christmas letters by Mrs. Kennedy and Miss Marshall; flowers and Christmas cake, a friend. Accounts to the amount of \$1,260 07 were passed and ordered to be Either call in or write for prices and paid. Collections for the month of December, \$187 30. Adjourned to meet in two samples. You will be gratified to find

how well, how reasonably, and how Latest Business Changes. speedily your order will be filled. We Central Natural Gas Company (Limited), try to keep every promise to the hour. Dunnville, has been granted incorporation.

A. McMurphy, of Komoka, sold cut to W.
Dingman. Geo. Wholton, fruit dealer,
Peterboro, has assigned. W. H. Hesson, -Mr. Alf Talbot is confined to the house grocer, Port Arthur, has given up business. The partnership of R. H. Burns & Co., general store, Sault Ste. Marie, has been disselved. J. L. Hagerman, Sutten, -Mrs. Chris Babb and child, of Toronto, are spending a few days at Mrs. Babb's father's, Mr. Wm. Stiling, No. 202 Hamilassigned.

POLITICAL.

to his mother, Mrs. Robert Saunders, 578 The Liberal Club of Montreal has completed arrangements for a mass meeting, Hill street, returned this week to his home to take place place in Windsor Hall on the evening of Jan. 22. The speakers will be Hon. Wilfrid Laurier, Sir Oliver Mowat -The first public appearance of the Misses Saywell, Cowan, Clement and Horand Mr. William Paterson, M.P., of Brantton as a concert company will be in St. ford. It will be the first of a series of James' Presbyterian Church on Tuesday meetings in the district which Mr. Laurier will address.

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(Special Correspondence.) There are two fads in fashion just now. One is the feather fad, the other is the peltry fad, which means that you must have your gowns, cloaks, bonnets even, trimmed with fur, while the feather fad shall have a special illustra-tion. You just beg a feather—an ostrich tip-from every one you know, no matter what the color of said feather is,



PARISIAN CARRIAGE COSTUME.

or how dilapidated, or even if it is only a few inches in length, and when you have enough you take them to a featherdyeing house and have them made into a boa. It is much nicer as a fad than the crazy quilt, but you can only beg feathers from girl friends, and as soon as they know what you want of them selves, and expect you to contribute. 1

As for the peltry, you must have a little of it on everything, even white chiffon waists being decorated with it. used. The real marten pelt is \$2 a yard, one inch in width, while the imitation is 60 cents, and only experts and time some. They are fine and glossy, and can tell the difference. There is a rage for ermine and black velvet or plush, trimmed with Jermine, is considered the ne plus ultra of elegance. A collar lined with ermine will suffice for a whole toilet. It is noticeable that some very swell dressers among the four hundred have capes lined with this royal fur, and use sable for trimmings. As ermine can be imitated so well that in the evening it is positively undetect able, this extravagance may soon become common.

I saw a decidedly stylish form of market this season. The dark stripes were arranged to form a yoke of plait ings on the shoulders. The circumfer ence of the cape was 130 inches and its depth 31. It stood out on either side like wings, which is the latest style.

The shops are so crowded now in an ticipation of the Christmas holidays that unless one goes very early in the morning, or at the noon hour, it is im possible to get near a bargain counter Now that waists are made of several kinds of silk or other material, remnants are in demand. Five yards of silk will make a waist that has a vest of some other material, but the dress makers say bring six or seven yards The remnant counters do offer great bargains, as really handsome silks wil' be found marked down as low as 69 cents. I have noticed a new feature in waists. An inset of richly-embroidered or brocaded goods like the stuff with which furuiture is covered. These are used to make the forearm sleeve or set in as a relief, and are quite acceptable as a novelty in design, reminding one of costumes in old pictures. Arab jack ets are sometimes made out of a bit of this renaissance damask, or cloth of gold, and the effect is very good. Of course, one does not care to be clothed in furniture brocade and go about look ing like an animated sofa, but just a tiny, tantalizing bit really is an attrac

If ever a monument should be erected to an inanimate object, let it be to the independent waist, which in either cambric, wool or silk is a blessing in vets used, and the peculiar little tufts disguise to every woman of limited in of coque's feathers which have taken come. Why, any kind of a black skirt can be worn to the theatre with a pretty light blue silk waist, with Mephisto bows of black velvet on the shoulders are suffering from an epidemic of it. and a pretty, flowing collar. You throw off your wrap, and there you are, in dainty evening toilet.

Another feature that is new and dewith any waist. You can buy at the ostrich tips on the same hat. signs for \$25 and \$35.

NEW YORK FASHIONS, in the season. A twisted roll of ribbon THE CZARINA OF RUSSIA is a favorite style of garniture for the edges of waists and around the hems of dress skirts. Rosettes are worn on all possible and impossible places.

The accordion-plaited skirt, chiffon over silk, is in again, and there is a new demand for waists made in this way. It is much more convenient to buy the goods ready plaited than to wait as we did formerly until it was done to order. Buckles of brilliants are used to fasten

on decorations and these make the evening bodice very gay. This is intentional, and velvet is used as a setting for these ornaments in order to enhance their brightness.

Chiffon, especially yellow chiffon, is used in endless quantities. It is arranged in black cloth dresses with fur, a very stylish combination. Tan chiffon, and a color that is a red orange, or more properly speaking, tomato-red, is very

It seems too dreadful to be true, but bustles are trying to come in. I saw in a leading Broadway shop a petticoat made of haircloth covered with a silk and worsted goods. There was a regular bustle at the back, and it was said to be an entirely new style, from the latest dictates of fashion. The price was \$8. I noticed a crowd of women examining this skirt which was duplicated in all the stores. It had a hateful fascination for me as it bowed and swayed on the wire form, responsive to the slightest touch, for it looked like a courier avant of the dreaded hoop skirt. However, I have unlimited faith in the good sense of the women of the twentieth century. They will never consent to make guys of themselves.

For that reason the great muffs of our grandmothers remain in the shop windows as a reminder of the past, even though a few extremists have been seen carrying them. Fortunately I had a grandmother, and her muff of red fox fur still exists in all its pristine hideousness. I believe it is embalmed in some of the dear old lady's snuff. When the fashion is established, I shall drag it out and be the envied of all observers.

In dress goods there is much to choose from, a favorite woolen material being the crepons with large arabesque patterns, and cloths in charming self-tones that make up well with lace and fur. A gray toned cloth trimmed with bands of scarlet cloth edged with a dark glossy fur, had a second waist of red silk for evening wear. Blue and brown checked tweed made up with chinchilla is a novelty of the season. The smart coat with lapels turned back over the still smarter waistcoat, with turn-over collar and lapels, the front closely buttoned, is much affected by the bachelor girls who wear derby hats. A neat bodice is one they are seized with the same fad them. I saw at the well-known up-town store patronized by the swells. It was a am told that forty-five tips will make a basque but low in a circle, and filled in respectable boa, long enough to go with plaited silk. It was fastened down round the neck and allow one end to one side with large buttons, and the silk yoke was defined by narrow bands of iridescent beads. The lower part of the sleeve was silk, closely banded with the beads to the elbow, where a large bow Real marten, and the imitation, which met the puffed top sleeve of navy blue, is less than half the price, are both and sage goods of which the bodice was composed.

The new velvets are dazzlingly handcome in all the new delicate shades of cornflower blue, yellow, rose and cerise. Twelve yards of velvet are used to trim a dress handsomely.

The water wave effect in goods is now supplemented by the tree bark design, I heard a crabbed husband, who was accompanying his wife on a shopping expedition, say, as they examined some of the goods: "They won't go. No woman will wear them. You can tell the age of a tree, you know, by the rings in the bark."

Millinery is conspicuous for three mink cape which is being put on the fur things. The size of the large hats, the



AFTERNOON GOWN. the place of last year's rosettes. There was never a prettier shade than the color known as cornflower blue, but we

There is a great deal of decoration on the hats, but they are very pretty and becoming, with no ultra shapes. Fine ecru laces, jeweled passementeries and sirable is the sale of dress skirts to go aigrettes are used in combination with

silk stores ready made silk or satin I have not said anything about overskirts, lined throughout and nicely skirts, because, as a fact, they do not finished, but untrimmed, for \$12 and exist. Straight skirts are the leading \$15 each, and elaborately trimmed de style, but a front or side panel of contrasting color in a second material is Ribbons are having a great run, and used with good effect. Draperies of all-silk ribbons, several inches wide, are lace or chiffon are worn as long as the publicly stated the Princes would not

PRINCESS ALIX WHO RECENTLY BE-CAME THE CZAR'S BRIDE.

The New Mistress of "All the Russias' Led a Lively Childhood, But is Now a Self-Reliant Hardy Woman-Her Strong Stand on Religion.

Princess Alix, who recently wedded the young Czar Nicolas of Russia, is far more English in sentiment and training than many of her English cousins. From babyhood she has been surrounded by nurses, attendants and governesses selected at Windsor and Balmoral, and since the age of six she has been mothered and cared for almost exclusively by her royal grandmother, Queen Victoria.

Princess Alix of Hesse is the youngest living child of the late Grand Duke and Duchess of Hesse-Darmstadt, and her mother, Princess Alice, was the most popular of the English royal family, and her love and devotion to her mother were touchingly proved in the remarkable volume of letters published after

Princess Alix is tall and slender, fairhaired and blue-eyed, with a refined, sensitive face. She looks older than her 22 years, and has in her short life known many sorrows. Her mother died when she was only 6 years old, although she was fortunate in the possession of a particularly admirable and thoroughly competent nurse, rejoicing in the typical English name of Orchard. Her childhood, save for the long visits she paid to her maternal grandmother, were spent in comparative seclusion, for her three sisters, Victoria, Elizabeth and Irene, were all considerably older than herself, and her friend and playfellow, Prince "Ernie," was soon taken away from nursery life and put under the guardianship of tutors and soldiers.

As the Princess grew up she became far more her father's companion and friend than any of her sisters had ever been. Her governess, Miss Jackson, proved a kind and indulgent guide, philosopher and friend to the lonely young girl, and owing to her efforts Princess Alix may be said to be a highly educated woman in the best sense of the term; she is widely and well read and naturally possesses French, English and German "a fond."

As long ago as the jubilee year, when the Princess Alix was a little over 15. it was whispered that the Czarowitz was much attracted to the orphan Princess, whose close connection with the Russian



royal family is scarcely recognized even now. Hesse-Darmstadt, though a small German state, has already given three Empresses to Russia, including the much loved Czarina Marie, the late Czar's mother, a woman of sterling goodness, whose great-hearted charity made her adored by the Russian peas

The marriage of the Princess Ella to the late Czar's brother, the Grand Duke Serge, also drew the families close together. Princess Alix was constantly visiting her sister in Russia, and it is said that from the first Alexander III. expressed great interest and affection for his young cousin, although he by no means hastened on his son's engage.

At last, after a prolonged tour through India, Japan and Siberia, the Czarowitz expressed his determination to settle down, but Princess Alix showed no undue haste to avail herself of the brilliant propositions made to her, and she only consented to his formal betrothal on the occasion of her brother's wedding to Princess Victoria Melita of Edinburgh, the second daughter of the Duke of Coburg. On that occasion the whole English and German royal families were gathered together.

The late Grand Duchess of Hesse, Princess Alix's mother and most revered example, had openly expressed her dis-like to the change of religion being made a condition in royal marriages. This point is touched upon several times in her letters, and it is only natural that her daughter should have felt sensitive on this point. Still, it is clear that the Czarina of Holy Russia cannot be anything but orthodox, and the engagement had scarcely been announced when two Greek priests were sent to instruct the Princess with a view of her joining her future husband's faith. The Princess lent herself with fairly good grace to all that was proposed, till she found that she would be required to declare that her late religion was "accursed."

This she absolutely refused to do, and, as a consequence, the marriage was at one time almost broken off. After many "pourparlers," the Primate of the Greek Church consented to alter the form of abjuration to the words "I join the Greek Church in order to be of the same religion as my future hasband and children," and until this was clearly and sold by the piece at five cents a yard. dress skirt, and do not in any way sim-These will be used for trimmings later ulate an overskirt. Dolabelle. her change of faith.

REVOLVER SHOOTING FOR WOMEN. How to Train Hand and Eye for the Bene fit of Burglars,

There are some secrets, or rather points, in regard to shooting off a revolver that are worth while consider-

Possibly, however, the tiger in the jungle and the bear in the mountains as targets do not allure you, but you will have the misguided midnight burglar to contemplate. It may be well just here to remark, in parenthesis, that the efficacy of pistols in the jungle is open to doubt, but the burglar is always with us, and we ought to know the very best and most fin de siecle way of shooting

The following hints are given on the authority of a gentleman who is an expert pistol shot.

How to stand and how to hold the weapon is of greatest importance; the body must be balanced equally on each foot (even if your burglar escapes meanwhile), slightly facing the target, and the arm held perfectly straight out. The arm should never be bent. The hand grasps the revolver



CORRECT POSITION FOR SHOOTING. high on the butt, with the thumb well around to the inside and straight, and the trigger finger entirely free. This throws the work of holding the revolver wholly on the outer fingers. The object of this position of the hand is to get the barrel in exact line with the arm when extended, thus bringing the target, the sights and eye in one line. This position also minimizes the effect of trembling and rotating the arm. The weapon being properly aimed it should be held there, and the trigger very gently and steadily pressed. The mind should forget the possibility of an explosion, and the whole attention devoted to holding the sights of the revolver in exactly the proper position on the target. (If you are not quite steady, in attending to all these little details, the burglar will doubtless shoot you-but

that is an incident!) Above all things should the shooter keep up a steady pressure with the trigger finger, and on no account yield to the temptation to add just a little more force suddenly. The technical terms expressing these qualifications are "good holder," and "good trigger

pull." There is a certain class of individuals who cannot put three bricks in line on a table. Such of course can never learn to shoot. Further the sight of a pistel may send the cold shivers down your back. In this case also, you will have something to overcome before you can become an expert shot.

"I always expect them to go off whether they are loaded or not." I overheard a young girl say recently, speaking of pistols. "I am quite sure they can go off without regard to cartridges."

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RANAVALONA, QUEEN OF MADAGASCAR. government. The tribal chiefs manage provincial matters. The Hova army consists of 20,000 trained infantry, with modern rifles and artillery, besides militia which would raise the forces to 50-000 men. The country is almost destifute of roads, and much of it consists of. rugged hill ranges overgrown with dense forests, but the soil of the valleys and plains is fertile, and there is abundance of metallic ores. Madagascar has some trade with France, England and the United States, much increased during the last ten years. The French insular colonies of Reunion, Mayotte and the Comoro islands, with the ports of Diego Suarez, Nossi Be and St. Marie, on the north and west coasts of Madagascar, are regarded as advantageous posts for commerce.

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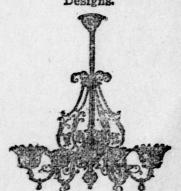
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LESSON II, FIRST QUARTER, INTER-NATIONAL SERIES, JAN. 13.

Fext of the Lesson, Mark vi, 30-44 Memory Verses, 41, 42-Golden Text, Luke 1, 53—Commentary by the Rev. D. M.

80. The apostles, having been sent forth to heal the sick and to preach the gospel, returned and told Jesus all things, both what they had done and what they had taught. They went forth in His name and wrought and taught in His name and returned and reported to Him. This is just the thing for every worker to do-go forth from Him, work and speak in His name, and then tell Him all and leave it with

31. No leisure even to eat. What a description of the life of Him who went about doing good! Truly He pleased not Himself (Rom. xv, 3). He lived wholly unto God and sought to lead weary ones into His own rest and peace, even to rest in God and in His pleasure. No leisure for Himself, but every moment for others and their good. Though He considered not Himself, He did consider His apostles and their comfort; hence His invitation to some aside and rest awhile.

32. They went by ship, and He went in the ship with them. They were a little company, yet one was an unbeliever, but He loved them all and sought their welfare. There are about 1,200 souls on this ship, and He loves them all, and many of them love Him, but there are many unbelievers. We can tell them as far as possible of His love and leave results to Him.

88. The people saw them crossing the lake and ran afoot and outwent them and came unto Him. Would not multitudes come unto Him today if He were kept before them in somewhat of His loveliness by the doing and teaching of His followers? Multitudes in heathendom would come to Him if they only knew of Him and His love for them.

34. He was neither angry nor grieved when He saw the multitudes, although He had brought His disciples apart to rest, but He had compassion, was sorry they had no shepherd and began to feed their hungry souls. In Ezek. xxxiv, 2, we read of shepherds who feed themselves instead of their flocks and scatter and neglect the sheep instead of caring for them.

85. It did not prove such a resting time as many seek, for He taught them till the day was far spent, and the disciples began to think that it was time to send them away. How little of their Master's spirit these men had-how little we have! He came not to be ministered unto, but to minister and to give His life a ransom for

many (Math. xx, 28). 36. The disciples felt sorry that the multitudes were hungry, but had no thought of feeding them, only of sending them away to get something. It is so much easier to send people away than to spend our thoughts and time and strength in caring for them. It is so much more like Jesus to care for them, even though it takes time and strength and care and denial of self.

37. How surprised the disciples must have been, when instead of sending them away, as they suggested, He said, "Give fest in the question of this verse. John says that Jesus, to prove Philip, asked ye them to eat!" him whence they should buy bread to feed this multitude. And Philip suggested that 200 pennyworth might give every one a little. Thus vain and fruitless are all our calculations and plans in reference to the Lord's work.

38. He asks what they have in the way of food. Andrew discovers that a lad has five loaves and two small fishes, but thinks the fact hardly worth mentioning (John vi, 8, 9). We are such creatures of sight that we seem unable to believe that the thing can be done unless we see the wherewithal. Moses failed in this matter when he asked if all the flocks and herds should be slain to give the people the meat the Lord promised (Num. xi, 21, 23). Sarah failed when she laughed at the Lord's promise (Gen. xviii, 13, 14). Let us walk by faith, not by sight, and let our hearts cry out, "Ah, Lord God, there is nothing too hard for Thee" (Jer. xxxii, 17).

39. He now begins to work, they having calculated and looked around, apparently in vain, and having come to their wits' end, but everything must be done in order; hence they are commanded to sit down in companies. There is no peace nor victory by looking within or around, but only by looking unto Him.

40. In companies convenient to be waited upon they are now seated upon the green grass, for there was much of it. See last verse and John vi, 10. "Let all things be done decently and in order" is a law of Scripture (I Cor. xiv, 4), for, although we read in Gen. i, 2, that "the earth was without form and void," we read in Isa. xlv, 18, that the Lord did not make it that way. See R. V.
41. The loaves and fishes pass from the

lad's hands into the hands of Jesus. The lad gives them wholly and unreservedly Then Jesus acknowledges the Father by looking up to heaven for a blessing upon them, after which He passes the food to the disciples to be passed on to the people. All can see that the disciples are not doing this, but are simply the messengers or waiters, and Jesus acknowledges that He is not doing it, but the Father in heaven, even as He said in John xiv, 10. 42. "And they did all eat and were

filled." Not each one a little, as Philip had suggested, but each as much as they would (John vi, 11). It is not the Lord way to give a little, but rather to fill full. "Be filled with the Spirit," "Let the Lord dwell in you richly," "Drink abundantly, O beloved!" are some of His words which indicate His pleasure. He would have us full of joy and peace (Rom. xv, 13) to our good and to His great glory-no cares nor anxieties nor plans nor worries, but the

quietness and joyfulness of children. 43. He will have nothing of His lest (John vi, 12), and if so careful about loaves and fishes how much more about His redeemed ones bought by His precious blood! Yet there are saved ones who cannot seem to trust Him to keep that which He has redeemed with so great a price. Let all such consider their own carefulness of precious things and ask are they better than He. Let them eat and rest on John x, 28, 29;

II Tim. 1, 12. 44. The number fed and filled was 5,000 men, besides women and children (Math. xiv, 21), but it was not wonderful to Him, who for 40 years had fed millions miraculously. He is the very same Jesus still and can use you, dear reader, to feed and bless hungry thousands if you will only put yourself as unreservedly in His hands. as the lad put his loaves, and be willing to live wholly and only for His pleasure. This seems to be the only miracle recorded by each of the four evangelists. May it not be to teach us that the great mission of every believer is to have compassion and and save and feed the perishing?

BEFORE MATCHES CAME.

The Flint and Steel and Rush Lights and Tallow Dips of Our Ancestors.

To the present generation it may seem next door to the incredible that in the first years of the reign of William IV. there were no lucifer matches. In lieu thereof there were only long matches or splints of wood tipped at each end with melted sulphur, and, before the complicated system of dipping the sulphuretted match in concentrated sulphuric acid came into use, these matches were kindled by first striking a light with flint and steel and then causing the spark to ignite a small quantity of tinder-an inflammable substance, usually composed of partially burned linen.

This simple adjunct to the process of obtaining a light had been in use all over the world from time immemorial. The French tinder was called "amadou," a word the etymology of which has been fiercely contested, some philologers deriving it from the old French adjective "amadou," equivalent to amorous, and conveying the moral idea of the sweetly agreeable sensation of the hand coming in contact with a very soft substance, while others trace it to the Latin "ad manum The French tinder was often dulce." made of the spongy portions of mush-rooms and other fungi, and prior to the introduction of lucifer matches the manufacture of amadou was one of considerable importance. The cryptogamic substance was beaten on a block somewhat after the manner of felt until it became homogeneous, and it was then impregnated with a solution of salts of nitre or simply pulverized gunpowder.
The Germans still fabricate a delicate kind of amadou which is used in surgery for stanching hemorrhage. As for flint and steel, they have as completely faded out from our domestic economy as they have from firearms, and the tinder-box is so rarely seen that it might well be

With tinder and tinder-boxes has also vanished the rushlight which, when William Cobbett was a boy, English cottagers used to make for themselves by gathering rushes and dipping them successively in melted tallow until sufficient thickness of adipose matter was obtained. In houses where refinement was supposed to prevail the rushlight was placed in a japanned tin shade perforated with circular orifices, and the insomnolent invalid had the pleasure of contemplating a large number of round spots of light on the ceiling reflected from the rushlight screen. "Dips," another form of tallow candle, much given to sputtering, which smelt abominably, have also died the death; and "mould candles," which strove to emulate wax ones in their form, but hardly succeeded in doing so, have been superceded by cheaper candles, almost as shapely and as light-giving as the old and costly spermaceti. Seventy years ago gas was little used; there were no railroads, no steamboats, and no lucifer matches; yet, as Mr. Walter Besant might put it, the world went very well then .-London Daily Telegraph.

included in an exhibition of old social

The Sources of Color. Bister is the soot of wood ashes. Indian yellow comes from the camel. India ink is made from burned cam-

Ivory chips produce the ivory-black and bone-black Blue-black comes from the charcoal of

the vine-stock. Various lakes are derived from roots, barks and gums. The yellow sap of a tree in Siam pro-

duces gamboge. Raw umber is an earth found near Umbria and burned.

Lampblack is the soot from certain resinous substances. Turkey red is made from the madder plant, which grows in Hindostan. Raw sienna is the natural earth from

the neighborhood of Sienna, Italy. Mastic is made from the gum of the mastic tree, which grows in the Grecian

Archipelago. The cochineal insects furnish the gorgeous carmine, crimson, scarlet carmine and purple lakes.

Chinese white is zinc, scarlet is iodine of mercury, and native vermilion is from the quicksilver ore called cinnabar.

Very little real ultramarine is found in the market. It is obtained from the precious lapus lazuli, and commands a fabulous price.

The cuttlefish gives sepia. It is the inky fluid which the fish discharges in order to render the water opaque when attacked. The exquisite Prussian blue is made

from fusing horse hoofs and other refuse animal matter with impure potassium carbonate.



This cut shows "the building of the future" as constructed on paper by a Boston architect, with boldly original ideas. In this building of 50 floors there are to be 2.500 flats, with stores, theatres, ball rooms, etc., for the accommodation of 20,000 people. Like the crystal palace at Sydenham, the entirety of this city in a city will be roofed over with plate glass, but it will be so constructed that at the pressure of a finger this prismatic crown can be lifted and laid aside to allow air from heaven

free entrance. Why Can't We All Do It? The director of a Chicago bank tells about how his wife overdrew her account at the bank last month. "I spoke to her about it one evening," says he, "and told her she ought to adjust it at once. A day or two afterward, I asked her if she had done what I suggested. 'Oh, yes,' she answered; 'I attended to that matter the very next morning after you spoke to me about it. I sent the bank my check for the amount I had overdrawn!"

He Knew Their Tricks. Treetop-Now jes' look at thet sign. 'Don't blow out the gas!" Havrick-What does it mean? Treetop-They probably want us to call a boy to do it, so they can charge 50 cents

more on our bill. What Two Cents Will Do. The longest distance a letter can be carried within the limits of the United States is from Key West, Fla., to Ouna-laska, 6,271 miles.—Chicago Herald.

THE NEW YORK POLICE.

THE RESIGNATION OF THE GREAT SUPERINTENDENT BYRNES.

The Sensation of the Closing Day of the Lexow Committee's Work Was His Testimony and the Announcement of His Resignation From the Force.

With the dramatic air of a trained actor, Thomas Byrnes, Superintendent of the New York Police Department, and famous the world over as a detective and a terror to evil-doers, announced to the Lexow Committee in New York at its closing session on Dec. 29, 1894, that he had severed his thirty-two years' connection with the police force.

The announcement marked the climax of the Lexow investigation and came just before the final adjournment of the committee shortly after nine o'clock.

Superintendent Byrnes had been on the stand for nearly five hours and had finished his testimony as to the origin of his wealth. He had been explaining to Mr. Goff how he came to possess more than \$300,000 worth of real and personal property, and why the fact that corruption in the police force did not argue that he was an incompetent official.

The last question had been asked and answered, when Byrnes, reaching into an inside pocket, drew forth a paper, and, holding it in his right hand, said, his whole poise being most dramatic:

"I have been a member of the department for thirty-two years, and I believe



POLICE SUPERINTENDENT BYRNES. that I have been a faithful servant. I have endeavored to do my duty in all things. For reasons which I have explained, I had decided to leave the department after election day, but the result of the election caused me to change my mind.

"This," said the Superintendent, holding up a letter, "is my resignation from the New York Police Department, which I forwarded to Colonel Strong, the Mayor elect, on the thirteenth of this month. I feel that I want to retire, but I am ready and willing to give help whenever it is required. I do not want to embarrass Colonel Strong or anyone else."

The great Superintendent had severed, perhaps forever, perhaps only for a time; his connection with the force! The news spread like wildfire. There was an immediate exodus from the committeeroom and men rushed about, breaking the news. No greater excitement has been witnessed in New York, except on election night,

since President Garfield's death, by the appearance of newspaper extras. At police headquarters the news created almost a panic. The Inspectors had gone home, but there were a number of subordinate officers about, and they acted as if their main prop had been kicked from

under them. Thomas Byrnes is registered in the force books as having been born in Ireland in 1842. He was a child when his parents came to this country. He went to the war with a New York regiment. In 1863 he was appointed on the police force and per-formed his first duty in the Mercer street

He was made roundsman about four years later, and in 1869 he was promoted to sergeant. He was appointed captain in

precinct.

The first precinct he commanded was the East Fifty-first street, and afterward he was sent to the Mercer street. It was while he was captain there that he became famous and noted as a detective through his successful work in the Manhattan Bank burglary.

His success was so marked that he was designated to reorganize the Detective Bureau at headquarters. This was in 1879, when he was transferred and placed in charge of the detectives.

He was promoted to Inspector, and under his leadership the Detective Bureau became a most successful institution. He established a branch bureau in Wall street, and a special squad of tried men were detailed to look after and protect the banking and financial institutions in the lower part of the city.

The depredations of bank sneaks, badgers and pickpockets which had been common around Wall street became a thing of the past. Inspector Byrnes gave orders to arrest any thief who might be found around the Wall street district, and who could not give a good account of himself. In this way he drove the thieves and crooks out of Wall street.

A special law was enacted several years ago creating the office of Chief Inspector for Mr. Byrnes at a salary of \$5,000 per year, He held this office until he became Superintendent, on April 12, 1892, succeeding William Murray, who was retired

on that day.

During the first four years of Mr. Byrnes' administration of the Detective Bureau more than 3,300 arrests were made. During the entire time that he was in charge of the bureau the criminals arrested by his men received sentences to State Prison aggregating ten thousand years.

Mr. Byrnes has a national reputation as a thief taker. A complete record of his notable cases would fill columns. One of his noteworthy achievements was the arrest of the blackmailer of Jay Gould. The case of the French Saloonkeeper Louis Hanier, who was shot dead by Patrick McGloin, is well remembered. The murder was shrouded in mystery for a long time, but the Inspector finally ran down the murderer, who was hanged in

the Tombs. The arrest of "French," who murdered the woman known as "Old Shakespeare," in a Water street hotel a few years ago,

also made him famous. There are other cases in which Mr. Byrnes distinguished himself and gained much prominence and fame. As a thief taker, he has been regarded as the great-est in the country. He received honorable mention for brave deeds on several occa-

They Always Are. "There is a man who will be missed after he is gone. "Who is he?" "A bank cashier."

DE LESSEPS AND HIS INLAND SEA.

The Great Promoter's Scheme to Restore Fertility to Northern Africa. The late Count de Lesseps was at one time engaged in a daring and attractive engineering scheme, with which the pub-lic is not generally familiar. Its object was to create a new sea and thereby restore to fertility and civilization a large

part of Northern Africa. Mr. Max de Forest, a former officer in the French army, met his famous countryman at this time.

"I met Count de Lesseps," he said, "in 1881, at Gabes, in Southern Tunis, where I had been ordered with a squadron of cavalry. Shortly after my arrival he came with a surveying party to make soundings for the proposed interior sea. I had orders to place at his disposal both men and horses, and the discharge of this duty brought me into almost daily communication with him until his departure.

"The interior sea at that time aroused all his enthusiasm. He brought to bear the same persuasive powers that he used when promoting the Suez and the Paname canals and enterprises. To sceptics he always replied: 'It can be done and it will be done, if the Government will give me the money to do it with.'

"Its proposed area embraced the entire plain lying to the southward of the boundary line drawn from Gabes, via Gafsa to Tamerza. The practicability of the scheme was supported by many facts. It was proved that an inland sea had covered in ancient times the area which it was intended to flood. The level of the land was generally below that of the Gulf of Gabes. Innumerable underground streams of fresh and salt water are found in the southern part of Algeria and Tunis.

"The water was to be supplied to the inland sea from the gulf of Gabes. The tides would have a minimum depth sufficient to allow of the passage in all directions of light boats. But the most valuable result of the scheme, it was held, would be to restore the ancient fertility of the country and to oppose a barrier to the sirocco, the deadly burning wind which piles up the desert sand about the pasis and finally buries them.

"M. de Lesseps dwelt on these benefits with boundless enthusiasm and imagination. Buried cities would be unearthed and the colosseum of El Djhem, now a crumbling ruin, but once approaching that of Rome in size, would be accessible

to admiring tourists. "M. de Lesseps left the work in the hands of the general staff of the French army, by whom it is now supposed to be carried on. Whether any progress is being

made I do not know." POWER IN THE RAINFALL

A Promising Field of Work for the Inventive Genius.

A Philadelphia engineer has figured out that one inch of rain, falling upon an area of one square mile is, equivalent to nearly 17,500,000 gallons, weighing 145,200,000 pounds, or 72,600 tons. Assuming this water to have fallen from the clouds about half a mile, or, say, 3,000 feet, above the earth, we have for the energy presented by it about 22,000 horse-power. With pumping machinery working at the low rate of consumption of two pounds of coal per horse-power per hour, it would take 200 gross tons of coal to raise the water represented by one inch of rain on a square mile to the assumed height of 3000 feet. As a matter of fact, rain often falls from clouds which are at much greater height than 3,000 feet above the ground, so that the figures just given are quite conserva-

With all the talk that there has been about utilizing waste energies, it seems just a little peculiar that no promising scheme has yet been evolved to turn to good account the prodigious power waste which thus far has been shown to go on with any rainfall of any account. And yet, while writing, a project comes to mind which was advanced about ten years ago, apparently in good faith, by some enterprising genius in the West Indies, to accomplish exactly this saving. What he proposes to do was to conduct the water from each roof, during heavy tropical rains, into a main pipe supplying a small turbine coupled to a dynamo. The electricity so developed by passing showers was to be stored in accumulators, and these, as they became charged in variable times, depending, of course, on the rainfall, were to be collected and stored at central depots, from which the power was afterward to be distributed. Unfortunately, however, this enticing scheme did not materialize, so that the field is still open for someone else.-From Cassier's Magazine,

Nye on the Joke Trade.

A young writer asks me: "Who writes the humorous paragraphs for the big morning papers of New York? They must be very prolific writers, and I do not see how they can think of so many things for 365 days in the year."

Everybody writes them. It is not a member of the staff who does the humorous paragraphs of a metropolitan paper generally. About fifty bright writers in New York, connected with other publications very often, buy cigars with their joke money. Each week they write twenty to fifty of these paragraphs, and then taking



SELLING JOKES. them in their market basket go out and

dispose of them. They go to the keenest editor first, and he takes what suits him. Then they go to one who is a little less alert with what is left, and so on till the lot is disposed of. It would be amusing to give here the order in which the different papers are arranged in the mind of the joke writer and the name of the last editor they go to, but I do not dare do it here, though I have been let into the secret by friends who are in the business.-Bill Nye, in the New York World.

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Motto for the Week:

The notion that the happiness of the heavenly realm is to be found in perpetual ministry to souls in this and other worlds is a noble one and probably true. Unselfish and loving service under the influence and through the purest of motives is certainly the secret of the highest happiness ever experienced in this life .- [T. Sandford Doolittle.

A very observing Scotchman, after reading the lengthy speeches of some politicians in his own country, and well noting what they did and did not contain, very shrewdly observed that, "The drink bill of the nation is a question of far more importance than the Tariff Bill." It would be well to remind some of our prominent Canadian politicians of that same fact, too.

Sir Wilfred Lawson seems free to admit now that alcoholics have uses he did not at one time even suspect. The Church of England bishop of Bath and Wells has publicly stated that he is not a total abstainer. He found it a question of giving up his work altogether, or of giving up alcoholics altogether. To him they were necessary to health and strength. Sir Wilfred backs down this way: "Of course if the bishop finds he cannot do his little or nothing else. Such stuffing is work without alcohol, he naturally doing really little towards permanently feels it his duty to take it. Let us be educating public opinion. That line thankful we are not all bishops, and of work is being overdone, to the exare able to do our work without any article which has been termed the 'devil in solution.' But we are often told that there is some use for everything in the world, and should feel glad that it has been pointed out that the use of alcohol is to enable bishops to do their work."

A strong effort is being made in England by the Bishop of Chester, the Duke of Westminster, Joseph Chamberlain, M. P., and others to "reform the public house" by getting it in much better hands. Similar attempts have been advocated in New York by Dr. Rainsford and others for what they term "church saloons," or those directly under church control. These movements have some warm sympathizers in Canada, among those who want to see saloons "mended" rather than "ended." Mr. Caine, M. P., of England, has been just well remarking that "what temperance advocates have to do is to convince the public that men get drunk on drink, and the question of who sells it is not the great question at all." That fact is quite as true of Canada as of England.

Mr. Caine, M.P., is becoming a power for good in England because of his zeal and discretion in the advocacy of temperance movements. In a recent address he said: "A great change had come over society in the last 30 years. What had become of the old bottle of port after dinner? Gone beyond recall. Gentlemen now took coffee before joining the ladies in the drawing-room. Fashion would be the potential factor in accomplishing reform. In another twenty years it would be fashionable to abstain instead of fashionable to drink. Long before the next century was 21 years old, prohibition would be the rule among the nations. Mr. Caine pointed out that every party in the State had now got a Day. A customer is said to have temperance policy, and that was evidence that the promised land was in sight. What temperance men must keep on teaching was that the cause of | girl's body. drunkenness is drink, and the only way of removing the evil was to get rid of of his recent witty speeches stated that the cause. You may juggle the sale of it,' said Mr. Caine, 'but you will do no good; if drink is sold, drunkenness will follow."

Lord Dufferin, when he was Governor-General of Canada always had a kindly word to say of the temperance movement. While he was not a pledged abstainer it was remarked by those who were much in his company that at public dinners, either at his own table or elsewhere, he allowed his wine glass to be filled, but it always remained as full at the close of the feast as at the beginning. In his written preface to his mother's autobiography, which he edited and recently published, he goes on to remark that his grandfather was a generous drinker, but had not Sheridan's weakheadedness and concludes by goodnaturedly saying: "I have some reason to complain that my two grand- ample and a model of ordinary life. fathers, by overdrawing the family ac- - Lucknow, Ont., was recently the lines of business. The Government until they have finished their task. allowed an opportunity to run at large. different words.

count with Bacchus, have left me a water-drinker-a condition of degeneracy which caused, I remember, a serious concern to the older friends of the family." This is simply interpreted to mean that, through their free to good health.

One of the leading English temperance journals has just been writing: "We rejoice that in various directions, ing a cry for a return to the good old methods of old-fashioned teetotalism. Temperance workers are beginning to realize how little dependence is to be placed on party politicians, and how little even legislation can do for the cause, unless backed up by a soundlyeducated and enlightened public opinion." We have reason to believe that a similar state of feeling is arising in Canada. Honest temperance workers, those who are convinced that a healthy state of public opinion on the temperance question must needs underlie all permanently successful prohibition legislation, are growing heartily tired of being constantly stuffed from the platform and through much of "the temperance press," with "the politics of prohibition," and with clusion of work more important.

We live together years and years, And leave unsounded still Each other's springs of hopes and fears, Each other's depths of will-We live together day by day, And some chance look or tone Lights up with instantaneous ray

-Houghton

An inner world unknown.

-Charles Degnan, a passenger on board the steamship Teutonic, from supplied once every three weeks by New York to Liverpool, England, died of delirium tremens on ship-board during the last outward trip, and was buried at sea.

-W. H. Whiteman, of Winooski, Vermont, at one time a man of wealth and influence, became impoverished and degraded through drink. Last week he murdered his wife, attempted the life of two children and then killed himself. Drink was the cause.

some German breweries by some Socialist societies in that country has been amicably arranged. The discharged Socialists go back to the breweries to work, and the boycotters | the previous year. go back to their beer.

-According to the published report of the temperance committee of the last Wesleyan Conference in England there are in connection with the body for an unabating campaign this winter membership of 68,798, being an increase of 169 societies and 7,622 mem-

-Khama, a great African chief, whose dominion lies beide Mashonaland, has said: "Lobengula never gave me a sleepless night, but to fight this ancient faith assures a warm reagainst drink is to fight against sponse from every quarter. demons, not against men. I dread the white man's drink more than all the assegais of Matabele.'

-A daughter of Harvey, a Lachine saloon-keeper, was shot and wounded in her father's bar-room on Christmas stood his loaded gun against the bar, where it got knocked down on the floor and discharged. The contents inflicted painful wounds in the

-Sir Wilfred Lawson, M.P., in one that many years since, when the late Dean Close came into the diocese, he expressed surprise at finding so many of the clergy "suffering from the Timothy complaint." Of course they were all following St. Paul's advice to Timothy under the circumstances.

-The Bishop of Llandoff has issued in the churches of his diocese for 1895, in behalf of the Church of England Temperance Society. The bishop and his archdeacon have both become members. When the Bishop of London visited Cardiff last year and made an appeal in its behalf, he became per-

The Bishop of Peterboro lately declared that, according to his observation, temperance meetings were always better attended than any other meetings. There was a growing consciousness of the evils caused by intemperance. By attacking intemperance they were pursuing a positive policy in holding before men an ex-

Canada. Mrs. Elder, a dissipated woman, was found dead in her house. It was occupied by herself and brother, Alexander Fraser, also dissipated. It is known they had been drinking and living he inherits a constitution that fighting a great deal of late. A coronmanslaughter was rendered against in Quebec as in Ontario. Fraser, who now awaits his trial.

-The Earl of Kimberly in a recent address in London discussed the temperance question as now before the both at home and abroad, there is aris- British Parliament. He repudiated the idea that the present Government Veto Bill was brought forward merely to catch votes. He declared that the present Government adopted temperance and other similar measures because they believed such legislation was in accordance with the principles the Liberal party reverenced and up. of whom twelve were "ladies" and

> -Mr. Caine, M. P., one of the leading temperance members in the British Parliament, is very hopeful of the future of temperance success. In a recent public speech he said that no social or political movement had anything like the force behind it as this movement had. Looking at the progress that had been made, he had him: "The Viceroy's special grievance no hesitation in predicting that before twenty years of the twentieth century had been reached the drinking customs of every country in Europe would have vanquished.

-One recent English paper remarks: What a terrible record it would be to tabulate from week to week the fearful ravages caused by liquor. It then goes on to tell of one inebriated man suffocated because of a defective lamp, and in another house where husband and wife were both so intemperate that the children were housed in what was little better than a human piggery. It was necessary to take the children away out of humanity to them.

-At a recent meeting of the British Women's Temperance Association Mrs. Ludwig, a missionary from Old Calabar, Africa, stated that the principal obstacle to effective missionary Here and There work on the west coast of Africa is the evil consequences of the strong drink imported by British merchants. On the Congo coast all the ports were ships of from 3,000 to 4,000 tons, with gin, brandy and rum. The consumption is enormous.

-The Chicago Brewing and Malting Company issued a yearly report in which it says: "Business in the United States has been very depressed during the year, a number of the breweries being stopped and employes out of work at times. The great distress of last winter largely affected sales of -The long continued boycott of beer. In July and August, when sales should have been best, great strikes were on in the city. The total sales were 406,576 barrels, showing a decrease of 66,375 barrels compared with

-The Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America, under the leadership of President J. M. Cleary, of Minneapolis, is laying vigorous plans 1,153 temperance societies, with a against the "unholy appetite." This campaign was ushered in by the grand rally of all forces on Father Mathew's anniversary. Father Cleary has issued a circular letter to be read before the local societies; and the loyalty to leadership which characterizes the people of

-Writing of the local option movement in the United States the Scottish Reformer says: "In this way nearly half the territory of the entire country is under prohibition. Pennsylvania, a high license State, has 67 counties, and 29 are under local option, by vote of the people. Georgia has 137 counties, and 90 are thus under prohibition. Arkansas has 75 counties, and 44 are under local option. The same may also be said of Massachusetts, New York, and a number of other States, where local option is a part of the license law."

-The city of Statford had a narrow tragedy one day last week, and from government mechanism which, howrespectably connected young man of human beings according to the will of that city, had been on a spree, and was suffering from the after-affects. an appeal for sermons and offertories | He went into the bar-room of the Albion Hotel and aimed his loaded revolver at three different men. wall and a deep ditch. The houses in Twice the revolver snapped. The this city are roofed with tiles of the imthird time the ball cut through the perial yellow color; in its center is a vest of Mr. S. A. Cameron, the proprietor, grazing the skin near the ficially of coal, to prevent the imperial heart, but not inflicting serious injury. family from suffering for want of fuel The young man is now awaiting his trial on a serious charge. That drink A graceful mansion crowns the summit was at the bottom of whole case there of this hill, but it is uninhabited. The to their size, should be supplied for fell dead. is no reason to doubt.

lature during the present session, unlike a fair, but a very noiseless one,

quently before. The law in regard to

-At Sydenham, England, there is a large and well-sustained institution for regards dimensions," says Dr. Heims. the reclamation of inebriate women. Its eighth annual report was recently published. The building is a large four-story brick building, and is known as the Temperance House for Women. During the last financial year its operations were self-sustaining. There were no deaths or epidemics among the inmates. Twenty-nine fresh patients were received during the year, seventeen workingwomen. On Christmas of last year the officers in charge gether, give the city a very pleasing received no less than 27 letters from old patients, all full of thankfulness for the permanent benefits received add to this. from the home.

-In a character sketch of Li Hung Chang, the great Chinese statesman, in the Review of Reviews, it is said of was opium. This was the curse of China. It was debasing her best people into a condition worse than slavery. It had been forced upon them so that out of its revenues England might govern India. Here was a drug-a Government monopoly in India-sold at an incredible profit and yielding India an annual income of several millions of rupees. China paid more for opium than she received for silk. I spoke to him once about the poppy crop in China-fields red with the flower-and suggested that it would be well to strike the evil at home. His intention, he answered, was to encourage the growth of the home poppy until the Indian supply was driven out. Then a decree from the throne would destroy opium in China and turn every poppy field over to rice or wheat."

Pen-Sketches of Pekin.

Pastor Heims, late chaplain of the German navy, is much better known among his countrymen as a writer of charming little sea-stories and descriptions of his impressions of foreign lands than as a spiritual adviser of Jack Tar. In the Universum, Dresden, Pastor Heims describes the capital of China, which he visited while on foreign service. He thinks with horror of the journey to Pekin. The vehicle which but which may be soothed by patience conveyed him thither is described as and quietness. If you try to find out "a dog-kennel of medium size, fixed to what is the matter with an animal a pair of wheels and drawn by a scraggy | before you punish him you will probmule." It is too short to lie down in, too uncomfortable to sit in, and you can't even smoke in it, to forget your woes, "without the danger of ramming the cigar a foot deep down your observe. If they are punished their throat." The country along the road from Tien-Tsin to Pekin is extremely uninteresting, but you are repaid for your trouble by the aspect of Pekin it-

"Decay is the distinguishing mark of the Pekin of today. The city has broad, well-designed streets, which is very remarkable in this country of narrow lanes and alleys, but these of refuse obstruct our way, in which the small, black, starving pigs gruntingly root for subsistence. . . . The sewers are insufficiently covered or left of the city are in a deplorable condition and look as if they had stood a former period of greatness and prosperity. . . The money which was formerly spent on temples and palaces is now expended on Krupp guns and armored vessels, much against the will of the government, however, and with rather doubtful effect, as events have shown. Yet, however little we may like the Chinaman, upon closer acquaintance we are imbued with a kind

one man." "In the heart of the city is the imperial residence, a city in itself, surrounded by a high, thick, fortress-like hill about 150 feet high, raised artiin case of a siege—so says traditition. praying that the license law of that appears the district of Pekin which Province may be so amended as to embraces the 10,000 examination happier and better for reasonable re-

scene of one of those terrible liquor has its hands so full of other matters, They must provide themselves with tragedies which occur so frequently in however, that it is not probable any- sufficient meat and drink before hand. thing will be done. Promises of We thank our stars that we were born "serious consideration" regarding the without the obligation to wear a pigtail, future will hardly pass, for much as the for 'to make verse is a work fit for a temperance people complain, that they horse.' . . . To the right and left of us have been put off that way too fre- are temples-that of the earth, the heavens, the sun and the moon; tall finds total abstinence most conducive er's inquest was held and a verdict of licensed shops is not near so advanced and graceful pagodas with five, seven, nine or eleven stories.

"Pekin certainly is a Giant City as "The view which one has from the Imperial Observatory is grand. On all sides a sea of houses, reaching far beyond the horizon, and plentifully interlarded with green. For Pekin is not, like the capital of Japan, without vegetation, although the traveler notices no trees in passing through the streets of Pekin; but each house has a wellordered garden in the rear, and these tens of thousands of trees, although they are not planted very close toappearance. The imperial parks and the gardens attached to the temples

"The greatest wonder of Pekin are the beautiful and gigantic astronomical instruments of the Imperial Observatory, which were raised here by the Jesuits under Father Adam Schall during the time of Louis XIV. of France. The most beautiful of these instruments is a celestial globe of bronze, with golden stars in four magnitudes. The Milky Way is designated by little rings of silver, and the whole is crowded by a gigantic, golden Sun. But all this is only empty show now. The dipotric chords are rotting away, the sights and visors are rusty-decay, as in everything in China.

Decalogue for Animals

Ten Rules Adopted by the Royal Society for the Prevention

of Cruelty.

1. No one has a right to keep animals, either for use or pleasure, unless he is able and willing to provide them | death. with whatever is necessary for their health and happiness. No animal can of this was the arrest of Sir Francis be healthy or happy unless it is kindly | Burdett, who was condemned to the treated, comfortably lodged, regularly fed, supplied with water and afforded the order; his house was attacked by opportunities for recreation.

2. Kind and gentle treatment is due to all animals and need not interfere with firmness in governing them. Animals are often thought to be illtempered or obstinate when they are really suffering from some pain or irritation, the cause of which is not seen, ably find there is no reason to punish him. Be careful to remove anything that causes fear. Animals are often terrified by things that men hardly terror is only increased. Nothing will quiet them so soon as a gentle talk animal which confides in its keeper is easily managed. If you want your horse to work well take good care that its harness does not chafe him.

3. All animals require sunshine, and their dwellings should have a southerstreets are flanked on both sides with ly or westerly aspect, if possible; but small, unimportant houses. Mountains they should always have access to shade when they desire it. Stables, sheds, coops and cages should be well drained, well lighted and well ventilated, but never draughty. Different from some of the younger members. open altogether, whole districts of the animals require different temperatures. city are depopulated, lifeless, the walls A humane owner will prevent much suffering by learning the degree of heat and cold which the animal is enabled bombardment—everything speaks of a by nature or habit to endure. Every stable yard, cage, kennel and shed

should be kept thoroughly clean. 4. Every animal should have as much solid food daily as it will eat up clean, but no more than it will consume. Stale food is unwholesome. It should be removed early in the morning and replaced by a fresh supply. Nocturnal animals should be fed at sunset. Be careful to give all animals as of respect for him, for his patience, his much variety of food as possible and simple habits, his skill, energy, and let it be as nearly as possible the food country." So fine was the acting, we escape from a terrible bar-room docility; and also for the tremendous which the animal would use in a state are told, that the house thrilled with of nature. Animals which are regularly excitement, only remembering afterthe usual cause. John Hardman, a ever faulty, rules over 200,000,000 of fed on grain ought to have frequent ward that the "great shade" whose supplies of green food.

5. Every animal should have an abundant supply of pure water for drinking. Vessels used for food or water should be washed daily, and should be wiped dry before refilling. Iron troughs or plates lined with porcelain are the best, being clean, cheap and durable.

birds ought to be allowed to bathe self growing blind, he rose, exclaiming. daily, and a separate vessel, adapted "Ah, the King is here!" saluted and last Emperor of the Ming dynasty that purpose. Some birds delight in -A large number of petitions have took his own life there when the dust baths. A working horse should been presented to the Quebec Legis- Manchus entered the city. . . . Not be allowed every day to roll on the most skillful acting. grass, or better, perhaps, on sawdust. 7. Animals, as well as men, are

should know that the Abstainers' Graded Pla

The Temperance and General Life

gives insurance at a lower guarantee cost than any other plan of any company in existence and before insuring their lives if they are wise they will write for particulars to head office or consult an agent of the company. H. SUTHERLAND, Manager.

HON. G. W. ROSS, President. Head Office, Manning Arcade, Toonto.

Dogs, especially in cities, should be taken out to run freely. Even cage birds are immensely pleased if they are allowed to leave the cage for an hour or so every day.

8. When an animal is sick see that it is kept quiet and unmolested, and that its treatment is unusually gentle.

When it is certain that an animal will die always secure the services of a humane and experienced person to destroy it in the quickest and least pain. ful way, and when it dies never fail to bury it at once.

10. Try to make the world as happy a world as possible for any creature in

God has a definite life plan for every human person, girding him, visibly or invisibly, for some exact thing, which it will be the true significance and glory of his life to have accomplished. . . Away then, O man, with thy feeble complaints and feverish despondencies. If God is really preparing us all to become that which is the very highest and best thing possible, there ought never to be a discouraged or uncheerful being in the world .- [Horace Bushnell.

Seeking Dramatic Effects. The instinct in some men, small or great, which leads them to pose, to give dramatic effect to their words or actions, sometimes becomes so strong as to be unconquerable, even by

One of the most amusing instances tower for high treason. He resisted detachments of cavalry and infantry; an infuriated mob raged outside. When the door was broken down, Burdett was found calmly seated in his library, his infant son upon his knee, whom he was teaching to read Magna

William Pitt, perhaps the greatest of English orators, was, according to Grattan, "an incomparable actor." He seized upon every trifling occurrence with the rapidity of lightning, which could add force to his eloquence.

On one occasion, when attacking a Radical motion late at night, the lights in the House went out. Pitt paused, and then in the darkness his voice rang out:

"Go on! If the Constitution must and caressing. Kindness will win the be wounded, let it receive its mortal confidence of any animal, and an stab now in this dark and midnight

Action on the motion was postponed, and finally lost. "He made us," said one of his opponents, "feel like conspirators doing a bloody deed simply by the lack of candles and his marvel ous voice."

Pitt was fully aware of the effect of his voice. He once solemnly began by the words, "Sugar, Mr. Speaker," and was interrupted by a smothered laugh He paused, glared from bench to bench, and then, in a white heat of fury, cried out, "Sugar! Sugar!!" three

So powerful were his tones that a frightened silence followed. He looked at the awestruck members, and said contemptuously, "Who laughs at me and sugar now?" and went on with his

On another occasion, while hurling contempt at Lord Effingham, he suddenly appealed to a figure in the tapestry on the wall as "an immortal ancestor of this degenerate lord, indignant at the disgrace of his race and wrath he deprecated was worked by a needle upon canvas.

The passion for acting could go no farther than in a duke of the great French house of Rohan, who, being told that he had but a half-hour to live, caused himself to be taken up, dressed in court costume, with all his orders and jewels, and seated in the banquet-6. Bathing is necessary to the health | ing room, where he received his friends and comfort of many animals. Cage with grace and dignity. Finding him-

> But in life, as in oratory, one touch of truth and real feeling outweighs the

If, before beginning a sentence, people would stop to see just more effectually separate licensed cells. In these the candidates for the creation whenever it is possible they how they are coming out, they would liquor shops from groceries and other honors of a third degree are locked up should have it. The horse should be often put what they have to say into

W. C. T. U. Department. He Saved His Drunken Owner From

Office, London, Ont. Postcard items are desired from every Union throughout the

Narcotics

(Written for the HOME GUARD.) The anti-narcotic work in United States has grown so rapidly the past few years that the workers are greatly encouraged. Thirty-nine states and the district of Columbia have laws relating to the sale of cigarettes or tobacco to minors. Anti-opium and white calf, and suitably inscribed. anti-cigarette societies are being formed in many places, indeed our people seem to be awake as never before on this question.

The use of the cigarette by young people of both sexes is increasing to such an alarming extent that reformers are appalled. Reports gathered by the Western Tobacco Journal show that the tobacco interest in common with every other industry suffered greatly from the depression the past year. The preliminary figures from the commission of internal revenue indicate that during the twelve months ending June 30, 1894, there was a decrease in cigars of about 15 per cent; snuff decreased over 2 per cent, man-ufactured tobacco a little less than 7 per cent. Now mark you: Cigarettes alone show no decrease, but an increase of 6,881,061 or over one-half of I per cent. Surely it is time our parents, teachers and pastors look more carefully into the question of cigarette smoking.

The most active work being done now against the cigarette is the organization in the schools. The boys compose the members and officers of the league and they are very enthusiastic and greatly in earnest. I will be glad to send the constitution of the Anti-Cigarette League to any one who will organize the boys.

CIGARETTES.

Let us examine the cigarette. The most injurious ingredient is the nicotine, which is a colorless liquid alkaloid, with an acid burning taste, one of the most poisonous narcotics, acting on the human organization as one of the most deadly poisons. Besides the poisonous nicotine in the cigarette, the wrapper is made from paper whitened with arsenic; alum is also used in the preparation of the paper; then the tobacco is impregnated with opium, stramonium, belladonna and other drug, is the fact that the smoke is inhaled.

Not only are our boys using cigarettes, but in some of the so-called best society the girls smoke these dangerous things. Dr. Lawrence J. Flick, of Philadelphia, speaking on this subject, says: "As long as our girls can maintain their present physical standard, the human race cannot degenerate to any alarming extent. Our girls are the most beautiful in the world. What the boys drink, in my opinion, does not injure health within several degrees as much as the tobacco habit. It stunts mental and physical growth."

And yet, we must confess, with all the beauty of which Dr. Flick speaks so proudly, our girls are not entirely free from this habit. A party of girls in Louisville, Kentucky, were arrested by the police, for smoking cigarettes on the streets.

In my own city if you chance to enter the home of one of our most prominent physicians and make your way quietly to the room of the fair daughters you would find a sight that would shock and startle you; there you would see these accomplished young ladies with cigarettes between the lips, inhaling the smoke. This is not the only home where such a scene would hold medal contests, public meetings, meet the uninvited visitor.

But, dear friends, what can we expect? We give our babies soothing syrup, although the State Board of Health of Massachusetts says this drug contains opium; when a little older the child is given chewing gum, tea and coffee, and as soon as they are able to complain of the headache, they are referred to the headache medicine for relief? Prof. Chas. R. Sanger, of Washington University, St. Louis, says of headache medicines: "I have made a careful examination of headache powders, and find there are many alkaloids and other have also carried flowers and delicacies ganic products used in the compound- to the sick. She suggests that the ing of such medicines. It is safe to "Anti-Tobacco Gem" be distributed say their use should always be con- freely through the schools. demned as extremely unwise.

And yet we give these drugs to our best beloved. Verily we sow to the wind and shall reap the whirlwind. After a time the chewing-gum becomes insipid, the headache medicine fails to cure, and something stronger must be taken. Often these children inherit from their parents some condition of brain and nerve defects which favors or predisposes to the development of nervous diseases, and they take kindly to the opium in the drugs. Oh, that we might give more thought to brain and nerve nutrition and less to patent medaines

MRS. E. B. INGALLS, National Superintendent of Narcotics in American W. C. T. U.

Notes from England.

honorary general superintendent of on a coat, he had rushed out to rescre the "Y" department, with a handsome pussy.

standard floor lamp with shade, on the recent occasion of her marriage with the Hon. Bertrand Russell. The subcommittee of the National B. W. T. A. gave a richly chased silver sugar dredger, and the three secretaries at headquarters presented a copy of Miss Willard's new birthday book bound in

At the recent coming-of-age convention, Cleveland, Ohio, of the National W. C. T. U. Miss Willard was presented on her re-election as presideut, with two gavels, one for herself, and one for lady Henry Somerset, made of the wood taken from the house in which Miss Willard was born at Churchville, N. Y.

The White Ribbon women of America have cause to be proud of the business ability of the officers of the National W. C. T. U. During the worst financial year known in America the interests of this large association have been secured against losses which threatened to hinder the work, by the brave perseverance, courage and foresight displayed by those women who have worked to bring about the present encouraging results.

The national treasurer's books show a solid financial standing, with ne outstanding debts, a good balance on hand, besides assets, the value of which have not been taken into ac-

The National W. C. T. U. of America will be well represented in London next June, at the World's W. C. T. U. biennial meeting. The rule permits one delegate for every 1,000 members who have paid their dues in the current year, and we hear that 100 delegates will in all probability represent the American women on the occasion.

"Y" Committees.

What such a committee may hope to accomplish is a question that will be likely asked by both "Ws." and "Ys." when the committee is first spoken of. It could be very simply bounded out of the court room beside answered that they hope to become so trained in the "W" work that they may Collins w minister unto others.

In small places it would be most unwise to organize a Y. W. C. T. U., drugs. The damage in cigarette smok-ing, besides the injurious effect of the drug is the fact that the smoke is in formed. Surely some White Ribbon mothers can induce their daughters to become members.

There is much work to be done, and by young women uniting in a society, each one becomes a power of greater or less degree, generally greater

far than we can conceive. This world is a hotbed of evil in which the rank poisonous germs of wicked life increase luxuriantly, and flourish with a tropical growth. The forces of good are constantly at work to destroy the bad, but are in constant to the strength of the right will weaken a recent show. It was a conspicuous the powers of wrong.

One young woman's committee is formed to oppose drinking and other ing at the annual meeting of the Yorkevils which attend it. Our work may not always be a direct effort; but directly or indirectly we set our faces opposite tendencies noticeable in the against intemperance and liquor-sell- theories respecting the education of ing. Let us wear the white ribbon as girls-one a strong desire for higher desire. We will endeavor to live and the other in favor of the home Christian lives, and as individuals to arts and domestic science. Both uphold the high principles and pre- should be welcomed, for if they claimed cepts of our union.

Place a temperance leaflet or printed slip girls. of paper in waiting places and depots; social entertainments; have the pledge book ever ready, and thus offset the power of the saloon. Visit the sick and poor. Carry to them a message from God's word, with a beautiful flower. The world has need of our every effort which will add to the happiness of its homes.

Brownsville Union was the first in eight young women and six honorary young men. The superintendent writes that they have supplied the Sunday school rooms with flowers, and

A. P. L.

Be Kind to Animals.

An incident which occurred during visit of the late Czar to the King of Denmark gives one a good idea of his kindness to animals. Early one morning, soon after the arrival of the Czar, the sentinels who were guarding the garden of the palace were astonished to see him come running out of the palace in slippers and shirt-sleeves, gesticulating wildly and shouting loud-

ly. The soldiers knew not what to do. Had the Autocrat of all the Russians lost his reason or been attacked by some mysterious enemy? The Czar soon answered the question by rushing to a corner of the garden where a great barking was going on. From the window of his sleeping-room he The "Ys" of England, as the mem- had seen one of his big dogs make an bers of the Young British Women's attack on the favorite black cat of An Eloquent Dog.

Punishment.

James Collins was lying drunk on the pavement at Sixth avenue and Thirtieth street on Sunday afternoon. of the contract under consideration. A brindle bull pup stood patiently alongside of him. Policeman Logan be sure, that in order to be of highest saw the pair and approached them with the intention of awakening the man. As he was about to stoop over, the dog showed his teeth and growled, Logan respects bulldogs, and he stepped back and called out, "Hey, there!" to the man. Collins woke

"Tell your dog," said the policeman. "to let me arrest you."

Collins struggled to his feet and said to the dog: "Come on, Bully, we're

The dog "heeled" obediently, and Court, and was close to him when Justice Hogan asked: "Well, sir, what have you to say

for yourself?" "Talk to him, Bully," whispered Collins to the pup, and the pup jumped up on the bridge, where the his fore paws and whined.

Everybody in court was watching

"Are we sorry?" Collins asked him. The pup whined loudly and more forlornly than before. He looked as if he would cry in another minute.

"Well, young man," said the justice, "I'll let you go this time on account of your dog. I don't think you deserve such faithfulness as he has shown. If I was a dog and had a drunken master I would leave him. But I guess dogs are more faithful than men."

"Thank the judge, Bully," said Col-The dog stood up on his hind legs,

gave one short, joyous yelp and

Collins wouldn't give his address.-New York Times.

About Women.

nearly so much given to seeking consolation by marrying again as widowers. In England, according to the last census, there are 114 widows to every 54 widowers, or about two to one.

A cheese is an unusual sort of wedding present, but it is not an inappropriate one for a daughter of the Duke of Westminster, who is a large landowner in Cheshire. The Dairy Farmers' Association of that shire have presented to the bride of Prince Adolphus of Teck the large Cheshire need of help. Any thing which adds cheese to which a prize was awarded at object among the wedding presents.

Lady Frederick Cavendish, presidshire Ladies' Council of Education at Sheffield, England, said there were two a badge to silently inform others of our education in literature and science, their proper share of attention, fair play What may "Y" committees do? would be given to the capacities of

Madame Patti has very pronounced opinions regarding the injurious effect of alcoholic liquors on the human voice. She is quite convinced that any one who aspires to success as a vocalist should be an abstainer from intoxicants. She says: "Alcoholic stimulants of any kind tend to irritate the throat, and should be entirely abstained from. Even light wines are no exception to this rule. Most people Oxford to form its "Y" committee. It are familiar with the hoarse voice of had its birth last May, consisting of the hard drinker, and it is often said of such an individual that he has burnt his throat with drink. Even a moderate use of alcohol may, therefore, tend to make the voice husky."

"A Sensible View of Courtship." Courtship is the preliminary survey of the matrimonial field with a view to the most solemn, sacred and important contract that two human beings can possibly be parties to, a contract which is the true basis of highest civilization. What does it mean when a young man and a young woman, being mutually attracted, begin to seek each other's society and separate themselves to a certain degree from the mere frivolous, selfish desire to enjoy themselves at the expense of general society. There is potential matrimony

in every turn of this sort. We have reached a point in the evolution of our civilization where we may as well cast aside delusive and childish notions on the subject of

grasp of life's realities than would be indicated by treating the preliminary steps toward matrimony with maudlin sentimentality or with childish frivolity. The sensible view is the only safe view, and it must necessarily comprehend the material, social and moral elements

Parents are learning, slow enough to service to their children they must make comrades of them and so enter into their lives on a plane of confidence and open dealing. The old regime of arbitrary dictation has passed away; the influence of scientific investigation is taking the place of sentimental tradition in the family circle. Heredity and the dangers and inconveniences of physical immaturity and the many bars to happy marriage arising out of physiological or sociological conditions are freely discussed in the best regulated families with a view to the policeman took them to the the enlightenment of the children in a Thirtieth street station house. There field of interest soon to absorb their was no reason why the pup should be whole attention, for a time at least, and locked up, but it was plain that he in- a large part of it during life. Courttended to stick to his drunken master ship is not for the immature; the time as long as he could, and he was is past for the encouragement of marallowed to occupy the cell in which riage between mere children, and we Collins spent the night. The dog have to recognize the fact that it is men accompanied Collins when Logan took and women, without experience, yet him down to Jefferson Market Police men and women, that we are called upon to aid, enhearten and bid good speed down the way of love. Every word spoken to them regarding courtship and matrimony should be rich with the essence of practical common sense. Romance and sentimentality are well enough in poetry and fiction. justice could see him, sat up, held up Practical domestic life is neither poetry nor fiction; it is reality, a composite of joy, sorrow, success, disappointment, serenity, vexation; it is the average sum of human experience.-[Lucy Barnard Cope, in the Chautau-

Odds and Ends.

In Paris ass-flesh and even muleflesh is being largely eaten, and is said to be a rather delectable article of food Of course, we all know that horse-flesh has been voted superbly delicious by the dainty (?) Parisian; but who would stubbornness would have been laid under contribution to the table? The butchers are despairing of bringing the taste back to common mutton and beef; naturally, they are getting un-

How to GET WARM. - Dr. Sangree has recently drawn attention to an easy method of warming oneself when cold, Widows, it would seem, are not which is well-known to the profession, but is somehow not much used. simply to take deep inspirations. These stimulate the circulation, and also oxyheat, and carrying it to the extremities. He is of opinion that many chills and diseases due to exposure might be adverted by resorting to this simple preventive. Of course the deep breaths should be taken with the mouth shut.

FRENCH "GUARDIAN ANGELS."-Cassel's "Old and New Paris" contains the following: One of the most interesting of the small professions is that of the "guardian angel." angel, whose duty it is to escort any late-staying customer whose legs deis out of the reach of thieves and chief quality requisite in this angel is sobriety.

A NOTED VICTIM.—Robbie Burns. in some remarks on Scottish song, gave the following graphic description of Tytler, a contemporary poet: "Those songs in the museum marked T are the works of an obscure, tippling, but extraordinary body, of the name of Tytler-a mortal who, though he drudges about Edinburgh, as a common printer, with leaky shoes, and sky-lighted hat, and knee-buckles, as unlike George-by-the-Grace-of-God, and Soloman-the-Son-of-David, yet that same unknown, drunken mortal is author and compiler of three-fourths of Elliott's pompous Encyclopædia Britannica, which he composed at halfa-guinea a week."

The late Dr. Sir Andrew Clark, though one of the most renowned and successful physicians in England, and practice, was little given to prescribing other worlds .- [Alfred, Lord Tennyson, much medicine. Temperance in living, regularity of habits, and an abstinence from alcoholics, were among his favorite remedies. For dyspepsia, instead of tonics and "cures" his advice to one distinguished patient was to observe membrane of the throat and air pasthe rules already mentioned, and to sages, and is a sovereign remedy for chew each mouthful of food thoroughly, giving it at least 32 bites, or one for each tooth. He was Gladstone's not, or at least it should not be, a physician and friend. Gladstone is his food, and attributes much of his excellent health and good digestion to that habit.

WATER AS A MEDICINE. - Persons but little accustomed to drink water are liable to have poisons in the body formed faster than they are removed. courtship and marriage. We can but People accustomed to rise in the mornsee and know that courtship is not a ing weak and languid will find the thing to be ashamed of; it does not de- cause in the imperfect secretion of mand a dark corner into which lovers wastes, which many times may be Temperance Association are called, King Christian, and without waiting must skulk like culprits; nor is it a remedied by drinking a full tumbler presented Miss Ayls Pearsall Smith, to summon a servant, or even to put playtime with nothing in it better than of hot water before retiring. This senseless billing and cooing. Our very materially assists in the process sons and daughters of marriageable during the night, and leaves the tissues DUNN AVENUE,

age surely have a broader and firmer fresh and strong, ready for the active work of the day. Hot water is one of our best remedial agents. A hot bath on going to bed, even on the hot nights of summer is a better reliever of insomnia than many drugs. Inflamed parts will subside under the continual poulticing of real hot water. Very hot water, as we all know, is a prompt checker of bleeding, and besides, if it is clean, as it should be, it aids in

stirilizing the wound. MEN AND BEASTS.—A Scottish journal says: The late Dr. Paterson and a nobleman were one afternoon walking along the principal street in the Bridge of Allan. On the opposite side of the street they espied a gentleman very much the worse of drink. "Look, doctor," said the not accurate, it would be impossible that nobleman, "at that drunken beast." The doctor replied, "I beg your lordship's pardon; don't insult my dog Carlo, for he never gets drunk. You may call him a drunken monster if you in a position to verify one of these may call him a drunken monster if you like, but not a beast." The nobleman who, like the doctor, was fond of dogs, said, "if my dog was sick would you attend him?" "With pleasure," replied the doctor. "And how would you treat him?" "Just as I would treat your lordship."

FOR THOSE WITH "NERVES."-In this age of bustle and activity, nervousness, or neurasthena, is immensely on the increase. By obeying the following rules sufferers will find most beneficial results:

1. Early hours. 2. Cold or tepid sponge bath every morning, followed coffee 7. Diet, three meals daily, five

hours apart; eat sparingly of plain food; masticate well, and rest after meals; particularly avoid pork, pastry, sweets, pie-crust, etc.; drink only at the end of meals. 8. Cultivate the mind by reading, observation and thinking. o. No hurry or worry.

Persons whose nerves are weak are apt to be despondent, and disbelieve in any cure, but this must be fought against, for I can assure them that the nerves can be strengthened, only remember that nature works slowly, have dreamt that the embodiment of and that the return to health of mind and nerve is just like the dawning of a summer's morning-imperceptible but

Beginning of Mr. Moody's Mis sionary Work.

(Prof. Drummond, in McClure's Magazine.) The taunt is sometimes leveled at religion, that mainly those become religious teachers who are not fit for anything else. The charge is not worth answering; but it is worth recording that in the case of Mr. Moody the very genate the blood, thus producing more reverse is the case. If Mr. Moody had remained in business, there is almost no question that he would have been today one of the wealthiest men in the United States.

Undiverted, however, from a deeper purpose even by the glamour of a successful business life, Mr. Moody's moral and religious instincts led him almost from the day of his arrival in Chicago to devote what spare time he This had to the work of the church. He ethereal personage conducts drunkards began by hiring four pews in the home to their dwellings. Attached to church to which he had attached himevery large Paris tavern is a guardian self, and these he attempted to fill every Sunday with young men like himself. This work, for a temperacline their office, and who needs a ment like his, soon proved too slow, guide. He must not quit the person and he sought fuller outlets for his enintrusted to his charge until the latter thusiasm. Applying for the post of teacher, in an obscure Sunday school, safely installed in his own house. The he was told by the superintendent that it was scholars he wanted, not teachers, but that he would let him try his hand if he could find the scholars. Next Sunday the new candidate appeared with a procession of eighteen urchins, ragged, rowdy and barefooted, on whom he straightway proceeded to operate. Hunting up children and general recruiting for mission halls remained favorite pursuits for years to come, and his success was signal. In all this class of work he was a natural adept, and his early experiences as a scout were full of adventure. This was probably the most picturesque period of Mr. Moody's life, and not the least useful.

We shall have much to learn in a future vorld; and I think we shall be children to begin with when we get to heaven, whatever our age when we die, and shall grow on there. My idea of heaven is to be engaged with an enormous income from his in perpetual ministry to souls in this and

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(From the Meaford Monitor.)

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Marriage and Divorce Laws.

year expressed a desire to be fur-

nished with a return giving details of

ing among the civilized nations of the

world. Circulars asking for informa-

tion were, therefore, sent out by Lord

Rosebery, and the result has just been

published. The Auckland News,

Auckland, contains a summary of the

reports, from which we take the follow-

"One of the questions especially

asked was as to the age at which

marriage may be contracted. It seems

that in Austria the marriage of chil-

dren under 14 is not legitimate,

but up to the age of 24 the consent of

father or guardian has to be obtained.

In Russia, the bridegroom may not be

younger than 18, nor the bride

younger than 16, and persons over 80

are prohibited from marrying at all,

while no person is permitted to con-

tract a fourth marriage. The farther north we go the later becomes the

marriageable age, till in Sweden and

Norway the law is that a man cannot

marry until he is 21 and the woman

until she is 18. In America it is ex-

tremely difficult even to outline the

marriage laws, as there are 47

sovereign States; each claiming exclu-

sive control over the matter of the

marriage of its citizens. Hence it

comes that in Montana and Washing-

ton 21 is the earliest marrying for man,

and 18 for woman, while in New

Jersey and Connecticut the ages are

respectively 14 and 12. All that a

schoolboy in Washington has to do in

order to wed a schoolgirl friend is to

induce her to lay aside the skipping-

rope for a while and fly with him

across the border to a more complais-

there is a delightful lack of unanimity

among civilized nations. In Sweden

and Norway, for example, time and place are quite optional, weddings in

church being of exceptional occur-

rence, and you are not bound to give

the officiating clergyman any fee what-

one to cover expense of the publica-

Greece a bishop's license costs 3

drachmas (60 cents), and the registra-

tion 5 drachmas (\$1). In Belgium

they make a little charge for a 'mar-

riage pamphlet' presented to the

parties, and for stamps, but even they

are dispensed with if the parties make

"On the subject of the grounds of

between the different nations. In

divorce, as also does a wife's refusal to

obey her husband when it is a question

of a theatrical engagement." A wife

can also get a divorce if the husband

ill-treats his mother-in-law. In spite

of the proverb about the advantages

of a little aversion at the beginning of

matrimonial life, it is the law in Ger-

many that insuperable aversion may

become a ground for divorce, if both

parties consent and there are no chil-

dren.' Roumania distinguishes her-

self by an enactment that a divorce

can be procured if the tribunals are

satisfied that 'existence in common is

impossible.' In Massachusetts and

Mississippi 'the habitual use of opium

or like drug is held a sufficient ground

for untying the marriage knot; and in

some States, as West Virginia, mar-

riage will be annulled if one party

As to the cost of divorce, the cheapest

and simplest kind in the States costs

\$100; in Germany it varies from \$12

to \$250. In Russia consistorial

courts pronounce in divorce cases and

the expense is very great. Saxony's

modest figure is from \$12 to \$25.

There are other curious regulations in

to a foreign country.' A Portuguese

her literary works without her hus-

band's consent.' Parties divorced may

not re-marry in Roumania. In Italy

being annulled only by the death of

one of the parties. In America the

only State that has a similar law is

Mr. A. E. Fletcher, the editor of

the Daily Chronicle, lectured to a

crowded audience at Pembroke

Chapel, Liverpool, on Sunday after-

noon. Mr. Silas C. Hocking occupied

the chair. "It is about as hard for a

poor man to enter the House of Com-

thing they have ever taken."

South Carolina."

a declaration of poverty.

"In the matter of charges and fees

ant State.

The British House of Commons last

Our Young People.

Old Sin Pharaoh.

"Why, Benny, you musn't go near that sewer, you'll get the malaria. "What's de malaria, mamma?"

asked Benny, as he reluctantly left the edge of the catch-basin.

"Why, it's dreadful, it-Ah, good morning, Mrs. Sands. Benny wants to send his thanks to Susie for his invitation to the party, and I would like to ask about that notice for Tuesday's meeting." And Benny's mamma, who was secretary of the Aid Society, began talking so fast about boxes and bedquilts and nobody knows what, that Benny quite gave up ever learning anything more about that dreadful thing, malaria,

"O there's Mike !" thought Benny, "I'll ask him."

Mike was hoeing up weeds in front of the curbing.

"An' is it malaria ye're quizzin about, Benny me boy? Jist wait till it shakes the loife out of ye, an' ye'll know for yerself, better than yer ould Mike can explain it."

"Mamma says it comes wight out of dat nice place wid de big hole in it, but I should sink I could see it. I dess she was mistookened."

"It's most loikely the Missus knows best what's in her own sewer, and moind ye' don't go investigatin', for there's no good comes of it-The blissed saints, Ben! an' I most hoed yer head off, intirely; an' why are ye sprawlin' down there, onyhow?"

For Benny with a little cry had suddenly plumped himself down among the weeds.

"It's my bestest 'ittle knife what I losted most forever," he cried excitedly, making a rush for his mamma, who was just entering the house.

"Ise finded it, mamma," he panted, holding up his chubby fist with the lost knife sticking out. "Now you'll tell me that Pharaoh story lots an' lots, 'cause you pwomised when I

The "Pharaoh story" was such a favorite with Benny that it had come to be a sort of a reward for good behavior. Curled up in his mamma's lap, Benny, with ears, eyes and mouth wide open, did so enjoy hearing about the chariots and the horses and the soldiers, to say nothing of the great king who ordered them on. matter how many times it was told, Benny heaved just as deep a sigh over the poor slave people who seemed in such danger from the wicked king behind and the raging sea in front and clapped his hands with just as great relief, when the mighty host of the said wicked king was swept away. So far, Benny would always listen gladly; but when his mamma tried to explain that Pharaoh was just like sin, and that all who followed sin would be swallowed up in a sea of trouble, then it was that Benny would begin to wriggle and to look out of the window, and always at this point Benny thought of something he must attend to at once. This time he was sure that his hospital patients needed looking after; for Benny's papa was a doctor and, so of course Benny must be a doctor, too. He tried over and over to make the cat, the dog and his two pet rabbits lie under cover and take his doses meekly, but just when they most needed to keep quiet they would take matters into their own paws and away they would go. So Benny was forced to take up with dolls. They at least would lie still, and not growl at his

treatment. Yes, he must see to them right away; so he ran upstairs to his "hospital," and sure enough every doll of them was in a raging fever. After carefully feeling the pulse of first one and then another, Dr. Ben came to the conclusion that they all had scarlet fever. What was to be done? He had heard very often that "like cures like"-what was there like scarlet fever? He looked over all his bottles, but it was plain that he had nothing to fit the case in hand. Now, in Dr. Ben's hospital was a cupboard, and in that cupboard were bottles; bottles that might contain the very thing he wanted. So he climbed a chair and began his search. Ah, there it was-a bottle containing a powder bright enough to break up the most scarlet fever that ever was known.

Benny knew very well that he had ao business in that cupboard-no business whatever to take out that red bottle; but Benny tried to make himself think that it would be all right so long as he did not take the cork out. He would only make believe pour the

them. that he was allowed to run up and might have seen you were gey consedown the walk and get the jolly dash quential about the legs."

of the rain in his face to his heart's content. So he began at once to get into his rubber boots and his rubber

But what do you think made Benny creep down the stairs so very slyly, and even peep out of the door to make sure that Mike was out of sight?

An! it was malaria! Benny had made up his mind to find out for himself what was down in the sewer, and to do this, he was disobeying mamma; but Benny tried, with very good success, to keep his mind wholly away from his mamma.

"I dess dis will drown him out," said Benny, as he stood on the forbidden edge and watched the water foam through the iron grating. "I dess sink I hear him choking," he continued, gleefully, getting down into the circular cement basin in the middle of which was the grating. "Dis is dess like a lake, an' de water wiggles wound my boots dess lovely. I wonder if dat malaria is in dere," he whispered softly, peering between the bars. "I don't see nuffin, not de leastest fing but dess bubbly water."

Pretty soon Benny thought what a fine thing it would be to get on top of the grating and crow a great big crow. He knew Mike was waiting under the old elm for the shower to pass, because he could see his hoe hanging on a limb; and he did so want to surprise Mike with a big crow. Mike never could guess where it came from. So Benny mounted the grating and standing very straight began flapping his arms up and down just as old Chanticleer flapped his wings, and then "Cock-a-doodle-doo"—but alas and alack ! over went Benny right in the midst of the "doodle." His foot was caught between the iron bars, and Benny, face downward in the water, pulled and twisted and twisted and pulled, but his foot would not come out. Moreover the rain instead of "letting up" let down such a sweep of water that Benny's lake began to rise much too fast to suit him. Now it was that Benny, propped up on his two hands and wailing the most doleful wails, thought of his mamma, and Pharaoh, and Sin, and wished, O how he wished that he had never

gone "investigatin'." But what is this that Benny sees rippling round him? It is not only water, but red water-there was no longer room for doubt-the Red Sea was coming his way! Benny gave one despairing yell—a yell that brought Mike post haste to see who was being

"murthered." "An' is it yersilf, Ben?" he exclaimed, with open-mouthed astonishment. "An' is it learnin' swimmin' ye are, wid yer heels up an' yer head

"I-was tryin'-to find-de malaria," sobbed Benny.

"Sure, an' ye niver could do that same a facin' the craythur backwards." And Mike, having released Benny's foot, hastened to the house with the child, holding him much as a cat carries a kitten.

"An' what will the missus say?" queried Mike, as he deposited his burden on the kitchen floor. That was precisely what Benny was thinking.

When his mamma caught sight of Benny in his bedraggled clothes, from which little crimson rills trickled away over the clean floor, she just said Benjamin Bonner !!!" But that was enough. When Benny was just a little naughty, she called him Benjamin but when he had fallen to the lowest depths, then it was Benjamin

Bonner with three exclamation points. What made you do it?" asked his mamma, hurrying him into dry clothes, while Mike took occasion to tell all

"Twas 'cause I followed dat old Sin Pharaoh," sobbed Benny, an' he's most dwounded me in his old wed

A certain bottle, with the cork out, found in Benny's pocket explained the Red Sea. Benny had forgotten all about the bottle, and now with his eyes full of tears he said "I sink I

deserve free fippins." But he did not get "free fippins." Instead, he had to wear that Red Sea dress for a whole week. Of course he could not go to Susie Sands' party in such a plight, and as Benny sat in his corner thinking of the cake and the candy, the ice cream and the kisses in which he had no part, he shook his finger at himself solemnly and murmured "Benjamin Bonner, de longest day you live, don't you never-never -never mind dat ole Sin Pharaoh!" -The Christian Work.

ANOTHER good story is told of Archbishop Tait: "On one of his latest visits to a certain country house in a Scottish county he went alone to the postoffice to send a telegram to his brother. He wrote it out-The Archpowder into little papers just like papa | bishop of Canterbury to Sheriff Tait,' -it surely could do no harm to carry and handed it in. The skeptical old it around in his pocket a little while. postmaster read it aloud in contempt-So Benny did up his make-believe uous tones, The Archbishop of Canpowders, and twisted the cork of the terbury,' and added, 'Wha may ye be bottle under his patients' noses now that takes this cognomen?' The Archand then, just to let them see that he bishop, taken aback, remained silent knew what would cure them. And for a moment. The morning was cold, cure them it did; for in less than half and he had a woolen comforter wrapped an hour they were so far recovered round his neck, but on second view the that Dr. Ben felt he could safely leave postmaster thought he looked more respectable than on a first, and added, It had begun to rain, and the patter 'Maybe you're the gentleman himsel'.' of the drops against the window seemed to Benny like so many fairy finger-taps better, I am.' On which the good old calling him out. Benny was glad when Scot hastened to apologize for his first it rained, for he was so perfectly well suspicion of imposture, adding, 'I

With the Poets.

"Till the Sea Gives Up Its Dead." The boats sailed into the eye of the the marriage and divorce laws prevail-

Into the eye of the sun they sailed; The women sat by the door and

Spun till the daylight failed. There was blue-eyed Otto, betrothed to Kate,

But Jack was bethrothed to me, And I thought of Jack, and she of his mate, That night by the brooding sea.

"O the sea takes all," the old crone said, Bent low to the driftwood fire-

"The young, the old and the newly The son, and the gallant sire. Some come ashore when the tide i

But the waves be deep," she said, "And them ye weep will wake from

When the sea gives up its dead." The boats sailed into the eye of the

Into the eye of the sun they sailed; We heard the throb of the signal

But never the hulks were hailed; There was blue-eyed Otto, betrothed to Kate.

And Jack, who was pledged to me, Came back, each fast in the arms of his mate.

Cast up by the thundering sea. "O the sea takes all," the old crone said,

Crouched over the dying fire-"The young, the old and the newly The son and the gallant sire; Some come ashore when the tide is

But He rules the deep," she said, "And them ye weep secure

Till the sea gives up its dead." -Francis Zuri Stone, in Youth's Companion.

Envoy. When but a little boy, it seemed

My dearest rapture ran In fancy ever, when I dreamed I was a man-a man!

Now-sad perversity !--my theme Of rarest, purest joy Is when, in fancy blest, I dream I am a little boy. -James Whitcomb Riley.

Madonna and Child.

Little Son, little Son, climb up to my breast,

And lie amid its warmth at rest. But shut those stranger eyes from me, My Rose, my Sorrow, my Peace divine.

And call me "mother" and not "Mary," Although thou art not mine.

O, weep not if I hold thee tight, For 'mid unheeding kine at night I dream thee weak and needing me; Forget thy royalty, croon and coo; Pretend thee little, and handle thee As other mothers do.

Thine eyes are closed, but He who keeps Watch over Israel never sleeps! And when I sleepless lie by thee Thy little hands mine eyes do blind And move across them soothingly,

And feel so large and kind, It is I would climb to thy little breast. O, hold me there and let me rest! It is I am weak and weary and small, And thy soft arms can carry me. So put them under me, God, my All, And let me quiet be.

-Alice Archer Sewall, in Harper's.

Caesar's Ghost. In that sharp war where Cæsar's slayers died,

There was a moment when it seemed decreed, As sank the sun blood-red in clumps of reed,

That victory should take the guilty side: But just as they were winning far and

The ghost of Cæsar on a phantom steed Bore down on Cassius with a sound-

less speed, And with a sword of shadow turned the tide.

I think that in Life's battle, now and The ghost of some high impulse or

great plan, Which they have murdered, may appear to men, And, like the shade of Cæsar, check

the van Of their success, though odds be one to ten, And cow their soul, as only phantoms

-Eugene Lee Hamilton.

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A Smile and a Laugh

Gosling-Barber, my skin is tender. wish you'd shave me down, not up. Irish Barber-Down is it? Sure, sor, there's nothing else but down to have made. Through trusting too

"Tommy, I wish you'd try to be gentleman." "I do try, mamma."

"Well you don't succeed very well." "No, mamma. I guess it ain't in the blood."

Timmins-I called to see about little poem I left here-"To Phillis" was the title."

horse editor.' An English country squire who wished to make an entry at an agricultural exhibition, wrote thus to the

"Please put me down on your list of cattle for a calf."

Jinks (at the door, impatiently)-Are you all ready, dear? Mrs. Jinks-All but putting on my

Sinks-H'm! Well, I've time for for two more cigars, anyway.

"What part of the river did you find your diamonds in, Mrs. Parker?" asked Johnny at the Long Branch hotel. "River, Johnny! Why, what do

you mean?" "Ma says they're Rhine stones," said Johnny.

"That was a very desirable request the Rev. Mr. Whitetie made last Sunday."

"He requested that no buttons be contributed for the heathen without garments attached to them.

A lady had been looking for a friend for a long time without success. Finally she came upon her in an unexpected

ever. In Switzerland the only fee is "Well," she exclaimed, "I've been on a perfect wild goose chase all day tion of the marriage in a local newslong; but thank goodness, I've found paper and registration, and you can be you at last." married any hour you please. In

Snobley-Aw-aw-it must be very unpleasant for you Americans to be governed by people-aw-whom you wouldn't ask to dinner?"

American Belle-Well, not more so, perhaps, than for you in England to be governed by people who wouldn't ask you to dinner!"

"O mamma," cried 5-year-old Doro- say "no" to their suggestions. divorce, very great divergences occur thy, "I'm just as full of glory as I can France, to call a wife canaille before be!"

her children justifies a decree of "What do you mean?" inquired her mother, with natural surprise. "Why-ee," said Dorothy, "there was

a sunbeam right on my spoon, and I swallowed it with my oatmeal, mam-

"Mamma," said the fluffy, little baby turkey, "ain't it too bad, Mr. Hicks has given lots of things to his boys for Christmas, but he hasn't paid any attention to us?"

"My dear," replied the wise old turkey, "don't feel badly about that. As you grow older you will find that it is a great thing for a nice fat little turkey to be forgotten at Christmas-time."

The Rochester Jury reports a little domestic dialogue which must have occurred soon after Christmas-or perhaps it was just after the little boy's is a negro and the other a white person. birthday. "My dear," said Mrs. Wilson to her

husband, "what makes you think that Tommy disturbs the neighbors with his drum?" "Oh, nothing," said Mr. Wilson,

"only Mr. Smith gave him a new jackknife today." Two men in the country road, per-

different countries. Thus, in Portugal haps on the way to and from the it is the duty of a married woman to follow her husband everywhere except market. "How are you, old Ben Russel?" called one. married woman also 'may not publish

"Come, now," said the other, "I'll bet you I aint any older'n you! Tell me what's the earliest recollection you there is no divorce at all; marriage can put your finger on."

"Well, said the other, thinking a moment intently, "the very fust thing I can remember is hearing people say, when you went by, 'There goes old Ben Russell!"

A Sign of the Times. It seems almost incredible that

young men students in Columbia College should have carried skirt dancing mons," said Mr. Fletcher, "as it is for a rule against it. It is stated in board. a rich man to enter the Kingdom of a New York paper that one of the Heaven." Referring to imputations young men recently ordered a costume feminine in all its details from hose to which had lately been cast upon the dress; the finest linen was employed character of John Burns, Mr. Fletcher and the student's monogram and crest said: "John Burns can well afford to were worked upon every single say with a friend of mine who was article of attire. Strange to say. electioneering in Ireland, 'I fling the these garments were on exhibition in a calumny back in the calumnist's teeth, dressmaker's room on Fifth avenue for which are probably false and in all several weeks before the young man in full regalia and paint and powder gave his dance in public. It is stated that Why suffer from disorders caused by the same idiotic fad is in full favor impure blood, when thousands are beamong the students of Harvard University. Extremes like these exhibitions and the scenes of misery in the slums of Boston, New York and Chiskin. Mr. John C. Fox, Olinda, cago, denote an approaching crisis in writes: "Northrop & Lyman's Vegeour civilization-one which we do not table Discovery is giving good satisfacbelieve can be successfully passed without the active co-operation of women in public affairs.

Rulned for Want of Courage. The confession of Samuel C. Seely, bank defaulter, is very sad reading, but

very suggestive. It seems that his troubles began by a simple mistake, which anyone might much to his memory he allowed Fred-erick Baker, one of the customers of the bank, to overdraw his account. That might not have resulted in harm to anyone if Seely had had the courage to acknowledge his mistake; for the bank could probably at that time have compelled Baker to pay back the

But Seely was afraid to confess, sc he made matters worse by fixing his books so as to conceal the mistake. New Office Boy-Fillies? Two Then he went to Baker and begged Fillies? I guess you want to see de him to make it right. Baker at first promised to do so but afterwards, finding that Seely was in great fear lest his attempt to conceal his error should be found out, Baker took advantage of this fear to get more money. He assured Seely that he was worth \$500,ood, and that there was no danger of his not being able to pay back the money; but he said that everything he had was locked up, and that he could not get out of the tight place unless Seely would let him have some more money to help him out.

Seely protested and refused, but at last consented, and from that time he felt himself at Baker's mercy, because he had committed a deliberate crime which he dared not confess,

Baker saw his advantage and used it without mercy, always promising

but always demanding more money.

Then the devil whispered in Seely's ear that he was taking all the risk and Baker was getting all the benefit, and if Baker could not pay the large sums which he had by this time abstracted from the bank with Seely's assistance, at least he should pay him something for the risk he was running. So Seely went to Baker and asked for \$50, which he got; and as Baker's drawings continued, Seely demanded more and more money from Baker for his own use until he had received as his share of the plunder \$10,000. Thus from being merely the tool of a bad man he

became himself a thief. This story is the history in outline of many ruined lives. Thousands who would not have dreamed themselves capable of crime have been led into it through not having courage enough to confess a mistake or a fault which had been committed without thinking. And thousands of others have been led down step by step from sobriety and respectability to drunkenness and vice, because they had not the courage to break away from evil companions or to

There is no advice which you need more than that which the Lord gave to Joshua: "Only be thou strong and very courageous, that thou mayest observe to do according to all the law which Moses my servant commanded thee; turn not from it to the right hand or to the left, that thou mayest prosper

whithersoever thou goest."

All the power of God is pledged for the protection of every man who will obey this command, and all the treasures of God's storehouse are at his service.-[New York Witness.

Sulk in Private.

Persons who are subject to fits of moody silence should make a special effort not to let them be in evidence at meal time. If they have not sufficient self-control to conceal their sullen looks, it would be far better to remain away from the table altogether while the fit lasts. A well-known woman writer resolutely refrains from seeing peop'e when she has what she calls "the dumps." Beside the unpleasant-ness of seeing their clouded faces and receiving from their lips only monosyllabic replies, there is a positively injurious effect physiologically, for it has been scientifically demonstrated that digestion is impaired whenever food is taken under the influence of gloomy feelings or violent emotions. Nor is the sulky person himself the only one who suffers. The others at table, who try to keep up a cheerful flow of conversation in order to cover the embarrassing silence, are thereby subjected to an extra nervous strain which should not be imposed during the process of assimilation and digestion. Cheerful faces should be as much a rule for appearance at table as clean hands. We discriminate, of course, between being merely quiet or disinclined for conversation and being moody, and we also recognize the fact that for some temperaments it is no easy matter to be social, but it pays to make an effort in to such an extreme that President this direction for the short time when Seth Low has been obliged to make the family assembles around the daily

> "Why Jimmie, my darling boy, you've got the medal for good behavior this week!" said the fond mother, noting the little silver medal on her son's

"Yessum," said Jimmie. "Tommy Roberts won it, but I told him I'd knock the head off him if he didn't give it to me."

HE HAS TRIED IT .- Mr. John Anderson, Kinloss, writes: "I venture to say few, if any, have received greater benefits from the use of Dr. THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL, than I have. I have used it regularly for over ten years, and have recommended it to all sufferers I knew of, and they also found it of great virtue in cases of severe bronchitis and incipient consumption.

The Portuguese Sonnets.

In the new edition of Mrs. Browning's "Sonnets" Mr. Gosse tells us that: in or upon a hat, if such could be During the months of their brief courtship, closing, as all the world knows, in the clandestine flight and romantic wedding of Sept. 12, 1846, neither poet showed any verses to the other. Mr. Browning, in particular, had not the smallest notion that the circumstances of their betrothal had led Miss Barrett into any artistic expression of feeling. As little did he suspect it during their honeymoon in Paris, or during their first crowded weeks in Italy. They settled, at length, in Pisa, and, being quitted by Mrs. Jamieson and her niece in a very calm and happy mood, the young couple took up each his or her separate work. Their custom was, Mr. Browning said, to write alone, and not to show each other what they had written. This was a rule which he sometimes broke through, but she never. He had the habit of working in a downstairs room, where their meals were spread, while Mrs. Browning studied in a room on the floor above. One day, early in 1847, their breakfast being over, Mrs. Browning went upstairs while her husband stood at the window watching the street till the table should be cleared. He was presently aware of some one behind him, although the servant was gone. It was Mrs. Browning, who held him by the shoulder to prevent his turning to look at her, and at the same time pushed a packet of papers into the pocket of his coat. She told him to read that, and to tear it up if he did not like it; and then she fled to her own room, Mr. Browning settled himself at the table, and unfolded the parcel. It contained the series of sonnets which have now become so illustrious. As he read his emotion and delight may be conceived. Before he had finished it was impossible for him to restrain himself, and, regardless of his promise, he rushed upstairs and stormed the guarded citadel. He was early conscious that these were treasures not to be kept from the world. "I dared not reserve to myself," he said, "the finest sonnets written in any language since Shake- in the county hospital suffering with speare's." When it was determined to publish the sonnets in the volumes of 1850, the question of a title arose. The name which was ultimately chosen, "Sonnets from the Portuguese," was invented by Mr. Browning, as an ingenious device to veil the true authorship, and yet to suggest kinship with that beautiful lyric, called "Caterina to Camoens," in which so similar a passion had been expressed. Long before he ever heard of these poems, Mr. Browning called his wife his "own | little Portuguese," and so, when she proposed "Sonnets Translated from the Bosnian," he, catching at the happy thought of "Translated," replied, "No, not Bosnian-that means nothingbut from the Portuguese! They are Caterina's sonnets!" And so, in half a joke, half a conceit, the famous title was invented.

Animals' Beds.

Many domestic animals are decidedly "faddy" about their beds, and while no one of any species observes a strictly uniform mode of going to rest, there is generally manifested a predilection for some particular spot and for certain surroundings. A writer in the Spectator, London, gives his experience and opinion as follows:

We have seen a little dachshund which would not go to her basket until the blanket had been held to the hall stove. This she required to be done in summer as well as winter, though the stove was not lighted. A spaniel, kept in a stable, used always to leave its kennel to sleep with the horse. Hounds make a joint bed on the bench, after a long run, lying back to back, and so supporting one another. But sporting dogs should have proper beds made like shallow boxes with sloping sides. They are far more rested in the morning than if simply left to lie on straw. This was noted by a clever old Devonshire clergyman, a great sportsman, who observed that his best retrieving-spaniel used always to get into an empty wheelbarrow to sleep when tired. The dog's bed should be a rough reproduction of the barrow, without the wheel. The poet Cowper's cat, the "pensive Selima," was not alone in her taste for making a bed in such odd places as watering-pots and open drawers. Cats are the most obstinately capricious, in their fancies about their beds, of any domestic creature. They will follow a particular rug or shawl from room to room, if it be removed, in order to sleep on it, or insist on the use of one chair, until they get their wag, and than for some reason take a fancy to another. The cleanliest of all animals, and bright, strikes them as just the day." thing for a bed. A nicely-aired newspaper lying on the floor or in a chair, or linen fresh from the wash, is almost irresistible. Outdoor cats seek a warm as well as a tidy bed. The writer was sace much sarprised, when passing through a large shipbuilding yard, to see a cat fast asleep, lying, it seemed, on a muddy But the spot which the cat had selected for its couch was one at which a hot steampipe passed under the road, and the mud was there baked into a warm, dry cake, which made not only a clean but an artificially heated sleep-Angora which was justly petted and a pleasant, agreeable taste.

lived. For months it would only sleep found, ladies' hats being preferred. If it could discover one with the inside uppermost, it would lie inside it. If not, such was its love for this form of couch it would curl itself round the brim, and with its long furry tail and pliant body made a fine winter trimming to a summer hat. By some accident, a drawer in which all the 'summer' hats had been disposed for the winter was left open for some days, after which it was discovered that all the hats had been tried in turn, the cat having finally selected one adorned with white laburnum flowers, which never recovered from the 'ironing' to which it had been subjected. Even the animals of the farm have certain preferences in their sleeping arrangements. Cattle and sheep, when left out to 'lie rough,' always sleep under trees to avoid the dew; and sheep, if there is no such cover available, lie on the highest, and consequently the dryest, ground, Horses seem less particular, though they have curious fancies as to their bed-litter in stables. It would be interesting to know what is the horse's point of view as to the substitution of 'moss-litter' for straw, which the rise in the price of the latter has brought into such general use. But perhaps the hardier animals are right. A rise in the 'standard of comfort' is

A Self-Evident Moral. (Chicago Daily Herald.)

On the day of "peace and good" will" there was an extraordinary number of brutal crimes.

Chicago had its full share. In saloon Edward Morgan, already frenzied by drink, shot and killed Patrick Lynch for refusing to drink with him. In another saloon James Smith shot and killed William Padden in a drunken quarrel. John B. Sleeth, drunk, was found shot in a street near a saloon. Harry Whitlock stabbed George W. Regan in consequence of a quarrel in a saloon. John Dwyer is wounds received from drunken roughs. Peter Ray, drunk, attacked his wife at their home and shot Richard Walsh, who tried to protect her. Edward Hart is in a hospital suffering with scalp wounds inflicted by drunken companions.

At Arcadia, Fla., a drunken policeman shot and killed John Haygood in a saloon. At West Palm-Beach, Letta Dickson, drunk, cut the throat of Josephine Johnson. At Morehead, Ky., Henry Tyree and William Cole, while drunk, attacked Jacob Whittaker and were killed by him in selfdefense. At Union, S. C., Kent Gregory and Jack Crawford, both drunk, engaged in a fight. One is dead; the other will die, At St. Joseph, Mo., William Mensel, drunk, killed Frank Tracy. At Atlanta, Ga., in a drunken quarrel, John Coleman was killed. At Jackson, Tenn., a drunken dispute caused Samuel Hays to kill Will Alston. At Kansas City, Gustafo Constallutic killed Gabriel Spinola in a drunken fight.

These are only a few of the tragedies of Christmas Day in the United States. All are attributable to a single cause. The enemy men put in their mouths had many victories on the day of peace and good will.

Amusing Mixed Metaphors.

A certain politician, lately condemning the British Government for its recent policy concerning the income tax, is reported to have said: the maids as is any other part of the "They'll keep cutting the wool off the sheep that lays the golden eggs until they pump it dry.

accomplished until the good ship shall be no danger of the shoe losing 'Temperance' shall sail from one end its shape. The shoes are every day of the land to the other, and with a cry brushed, rubbed, and polished, so of 'Victory!' at each step she takes, there is no excuse for any woman not shall plant her banner in every city, being what the French call bien chaustown and village in the United Kingdom."

pockets of the naked savages."

Only a few weeks ago, a lecturer at | So that there shall be no unnecesa big meeting gave utterance to the sary handling of the gowns, each one following: "All along the untrodden has a card indicating what it is, tied in paths of the future we can see the with the ribbons; for instance, "Mahidden footprints of an unseen hand." dame's gray cloth costume"; "Ma-

bursts and leaves the ashes in our

Boston Bridge Company reads: "And the said proprietors shall meet annually on the first Tuesday of June, proanything newly washed or very fresh | vided the same does not fall on a Sun-

An orator at one of the university unions bore off the palm of merit when he declared that "the British lion, whether it is roaming the deserts trait. of India or climbing the forests of Canada, will not draw in its horns nor retire into its shell."

Mr. T. J. Humes, Columbus, Ohio, heed to the thousand and one little writes: "I have been afflicted for some time with Kidney and Liver Complaint, and find Parmelee's Pills the best medicine for these diseases." These Pills do not cause pain or griping, and should be used when a cathing-place. But the oddest taste in artic is required. They are gelatine peds developed by a cat was that en- coated, and rolled in the flour of licorice Christmas, even though his father tertained by a very highly bred gray to preserve their purity, and give them

admired by the family in which it How Some Women Care for Clothes.

She looks as though she had stepped out of a bandbox. How often this remark is heard I and yet not heard often enough to please those very fastidious people who would have us believe that cleanliness and neatness are next to godliness, if not a step beyond.

In these fin de siecle days it is certainly every woman's duty to look neat and clean, but the art of looking what the English call "fit," which word we are rapidly adding to our vocabulary, does not come naturally, and I think, indeed, it would be difficult for any woman to attain to it quite by herself.

One of the best-gowned women I know, and one who is extremely capable in all respects, told me quite seriously the other day that she found it absolutely necessary to keep two maids whose duties were to see that every detail of her toilette was in perfect order. In the new houses where expense is not considered, and one can consult one's own taste, there is much more provision for closet room than was ever thought of a few years since. The entire third floor of a corner house on Fifth avenue, to my personal observation, has been given over to one lady's clothes. Every separate gown, when not an unmixed blessing even to their it is taken off, is thoroughly brushed, looked over to see that not a stitch is ripped, not a button, hook, or string missing. It is then carefully folded by the two maids, who between the folds lay tissue-paper. When the entire gown is folded it is covered with more tissue-paper, put in a fine linen cloth, and tied up with broad ribbons so that it looks as though it had just come home from Worth, Doucet, or some other of the leading French costumers. Between the tissue-paper and the folds of the gown are laid flat sachets filled with orris and violet pow-

The closets are in some houses the size of small rooms, each with a series of three deep drawers built along the walls, above which are three shelves with doors in front of them. The skirts of the short gowns are laid in these drawers. The waists, with sleeves held out with stiff paper, are covered with soft tissue-paper, tied with colored tapes, and kept on the shelves.

The hanging closets are marvelous places; in the ceilings are fastened numberless double hooks, so arranged that long gowns can be hung up and not have their trains touch the floor. The gowns are always hung up with the right side turned out, and are then covered with a bag of linen, which is tied at the bottom and top with drawing-strings. This covering is to prevent any particles of dust getting in the rich

One closet is set apart for underclothing. In one drawer are put the flannel petticoats, in another the street white petticoats, in a third some other article, etc. One entire set of shelves is devoted to the other pieces of dainty lingerie, which are folded as in the French shops-so many of each article together, all tied with ribbons. When returned from the laundry or cleaner's the last articles are put on the bottom of each pile, so that no one garment shall be worn oftener than another.

A deep drawer is provided exclusively for stockings, and those very mundane things look anything but mundane when arranged in rows, the pretty colorings having a bright and dainty effect that it would scarcely seem possible stockings could have.

Boots and shoes are as much care to wardrobe. They are kept in a closet especially built for them, and are always put on wooden trees as soon as "The glorious work will never be they are taken off the foot, that there see—a term which conveys more than the mere fact of a well-fitting boot or An Irishman, in the midst of a shoe. It is only within the past year tirade against landlords and capitalists, or two that Frenchmen have been willdeclared that "if these men were ing to admit that any American could landed on an uninhabited island, they with right have the term applied to her wouldn't be there half an hour before feet, because rarely, if ever, was the they would have their hands in the footwear in the perfect order to warrant

"We pursue the shadow, the bubble dame's blue velvet dinner gown."

The lingerie in the same way is designated, but with the addition of a One of the regulations of the West date to show when each particular set was first ordered-"Madame's linen Valenciennes night-robe, No. 3, '94. By this apparently needless expenditure of care and method does the American woman in our "smart set" keep the indescribably fresh and trim appearance people are beginning to acknowledge is a natural characteristic

She who has but five gowns, and has them in perfect order, will invariably be called better dressed than she who with five times that number pays no details which apparently are hidden.-Harper's Bazar.

Bobbie states that he will not give his father a Christmas present this year, because when he poured a bottle any good. 'I'll tell thee, friend,' reof ink into his father's stocking last writes for a living, the old gentleman wasn't pleased a bit.

Too Emotional.

Col. T. W. Higginson does not think that women are after all any more emotional than men. In Harper's Bazar he discusses the question as follows:

Undoubtedly among women the mere expression of emotion is readier than among men. The fountain of you not acquaint me?" "Well, sir, tears, especially, lies a little nearer. It is a matter of temperament; the woman official, "and I didn't like to disturb has a fit of crying, gets over it, and is stronger and more resolute afterwards. The man, for want of tears, has a dry, hard grief, which does not clear his sky. The question is not whether a woman cries, but what she does after the other place.' 'Yes,' says he. she has dried her tears. The general 'And, oh, Orkins,' says I, 'how thanktestimony of those who have gone ful you ought to be to have anywhere through shipwrecks and great disasters is that women do not behave as they are expected to do, but show as much self-control as the men. This was the testimony of the surgeon on an ocean steamer, who had several times been shipwrecked, and gave it to me as his experience that women behaved even better. He was never tired of telling the story of one woman whom he was sent below to notify that they must take to the boats after an accident. He found her sitting quietly in the cabin, with her children round her, telling them a story to keep them quiet. Each was already dressed in its warmest clothes, tightly buttoned and tied about, ready to go, and by her side was a pillow-case, filled with shipbread, carefully secured. She afterwards told him that she had been shipwrecked once before, when a whole boat's crew was kept alive by just such

a supply of provision—something which

nobody but herself had remembered to

provide. The traditional Boston lady

who, when the vessel had shipped a

heavy sea, was heard only to remark,

"Where are my India-rubbers?" was

probably of the same temperament. Dickens, a keen observer, makes his women less and less visibly emotional in proportion as they are in deadly earnest. Miss Miggs, in the London No-Popery riots, goes into hysterics and kicks her heels because her feelings are not very much enlisted; but his terrible French woman, in the French Revolution, goes on knitting, knitting, knitting, until the time is fulfilled and the day of her revenge has Have You Bronchitis ? VALUABLE come. Of all the men and women of that period, the one who left the calmest and most dispasionate picture of events was Madame Roland, of whom a companion said, "She kills us, but she shows us how to die." In the various reforms in which women have taken a hand in this country during the last half-century they have not roved themselves to be too emotion but clea beaded, capable, and strong, such women, for instance, as Lucretia Mort, Maria Weston Chapman, and Lucy Stone. Nobody attributed too much emotion to Florence Nightingale in the Crimea, or to Clara Barton in our own civil war. It may be said that these were exceptional persons; they were the natural leaders of their sex; but so were the men with whom they co-operated, and in whose presence they held their own. Even in the family, when the husband goes home with a heavy heart to announce his failure in business and the seeming ruin of the household, is his wife usually too emotional to bear it, or does she give him strength? Once when the writer said to a veteran physician in such a case, "How splendidly she meets adversity!" he replied, briefly, "Women always do." Not that there were not exceptions, but that this was

Red, White, Green Seas.

his general experience.

The colors of pure ocean water and the varying shades observed where impurities are met with are still further diversified by the coloring effects of the enormous multitudes of various forms of organized life which sometimes mask the natural color of the sea and tinge extensive areas with remarkable colors. Red appears to be most frequently met with. In the southern parts of the Red Sea and in the Arabian Gulf large areas are colored blood-red by microscopic animalculæ, and in the Indian Ocean similar forms of life cause, in addition to red, milk-white or yellow spots of great extent, the appearance of which is frequently alarming to the ignorant

Off the Guinea coast ships sometimes appear to float in milk. Extensive red streaks are also known to occur in the South Atlantic and South Pacific, which are caused by hosts of small red crustacea. The "Vermillion Sea" of California owes its brilliant color to infusoria. Areas colored green have been noted, especially in the Arctic regions, which are due to myriads of diatoms, and in some portions of the Antarctic seas diatoms of rusty color make the water a dirty brown.-[All the Year Round.

Sound Advice.

A contemporary tells the following story: "An elderly gentleman, accustomed to 'indulge,' entered the room of a certain inn, where sat a sedate old Quaker by the fire. Lifting a pair of green spectacles up to his forehead, rubbing his inflamed eyes, and calling for hot brandy and water, he complained to the Friend that his eyes were getting weaker and weaker, and the spectacles did not seem to do them plied the Quaker, 'what I think. If thee were to wear the spectacles over thy mouth for a few months thy eyes would soon get well again."

An Amateur Chaplain's Way.

General Booth tells a story of how the consolations of religion were administered in one of Her Majesty's prisons: "What! Hawkins dead?" exclaimed the chaplain to the warder on entering the prison and learning that an inmate had expired; "why did you; but I managed it all right. 'Orkins,' says I, 'you've been a bad 'un.' 'Yes,' says he. 'Orkins, you can't expect to go to 'ev'n.' 'No,' says he. 'Then, Orkins,' says I, 'you must go to to go to at all."

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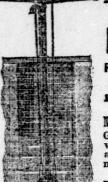
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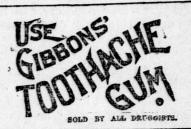


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PURE CIDER VINEGAR.

Ways of Converting Apple Cider Into First Class Vinegar.

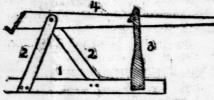
By pure cider vinegar is meant just what the words imply, cider converted into vinegar without the addition of water. New York state requires that vinegar shall test 41 per cent of acetic acid, the acid which gives it its sharpness. Other vinegars, such as what are known as corn vinegar, distillery vinegar, white wine vinegar, pickling vinegar, etc., may have the requisite amount of acetic acid to satisfy the law, but pure cider vinegar contains also malic acid. the natural acid of the apple, which gives it a quality possessed by no other vine-

To make a good quality of vinegar the first requisite is a first class quality of cider. One good method suggested by The Rural New Yorker is as follows: To begin with, the casks should be thoroughly cleaned and scalded. Afterward boiling vinegar is poured into them, and they are rolled around occasionally for a few days to give the vinegar an opportunity to strike into the wood. Then the barrels or casks are filled about onethird full of strong, pure cider vinegar. To this a couple of gallons of cider are added, and this is repeated at intervals of, say, a week or 10 days until the cask is two-thirds full, when the whole is left for a couple of weeks, at which time the contents should be good vinegar. Onehalf of it is drawn off and the process repeated with the remainder. In the summer it is better kept in the sun, but the casks should have the bung holes, which are not stopped, kept covered with cloth to keep out insects. In winter the cider should be kept at a temperature of about 80 degrees Fahrenheit to be converted into vinegar.

Another method of making vinegar is to have a series of casks so arranged that the cider will trickle slowly from one to the other, thus exposing it to the air. The addition of a little vinegar as a starter would hasten the process. The important points are a sufficient degree of heat and exposure to the air. It is not necessary to filter the cider, but it should be well racked off or strained, so as to free it from all pomace and sedi-

A Good Wagon Jack. A correspondent of The New England Homestead describes his wagon jack for the benefit of others. It is made of inch

lumber or strips. Fig. 1 shows the bed piece, about 24 feet long. Figs. 2, 2, are braces and standards, one on each side of the bed piece, so that a half inch bolt passes



AN EASY WORKING JACK. through them and the lever, Fig. 4. Fig. 3 is put on as shown in the cut, with a piece nailed on one side to form a hook, and holds it in place when the wheel is taken off. This jack may be made as heavy or as light as one pleases to use on different wagons. It can be operated with one hand and is easily and cheaply made. It should be of hard wood.

A Cattle Feed Rotation.

We rotate with rye for spring feeding and corn for fall feeding. We usually begin to use the corn in August, and as soon as we clear a strip we sow rye directly on the stubble and harrow it in with a single Planet cultivator, following with a heavy but well spread coat of coarse horse manure, and so continue till the whole plot is cleaned and seeded. In the spring when the rye is fed off (usually by the 1st of June), we manure, plow and thoroughly cultivate the ground and drill the corn with a grain drill 32 inches apart, but pretty thick in the rows. This never fails to make a heavy growth, and though thick makes quite good sized nubbins, often 6 or 8

Rye seems to do best on surface cultivated soil. The heaviest crop we ever raised (35 bushels per acre on five acres), was on a pretty rough hillside of corn tubble, cultivated two ways with a two torse, spring tooth, wheel harrow and drilled in with commercial fertilizers. in the spring the ground was rolled smooth and gave us no trouble at cutting.-W. T. S., Pa., in Rural New

Roots For Fowls.

The poultry man who has secured a supply of small potatoes and other roots. usually obtainable at a small cost in the orchards, is a wise provider. The Rocky Mountain Husbandman says: If poultry breeders and fanciers would believe how valuable and succulent a provision for chicken stock rutabagas, beets, potatoes and carrots are when cooked, either boiled or steamed, and mixed with the rye and cornmeal given the birds, this excellent style of root feeding would be far more generally practiced and to the certain improvement of the ordinary condition of the birds. We cannot enter into a scientific analysis of vegetable food, nor is this necessary. But all experience with the above mentioned roots, as we recommend their use, has proved highly satisfactory whenever and wherever the experiment has been tried with our knowledge.

How to Plant Chestnuts.

Chestnuts may be planted as soon as ripe in drills a foot apart, two inches deep and six inches apart. They may be placed in moist sand and buried. Then plant as above in the spring. If chestnuts are permitted to become thoroughly dry, they will not germinate.

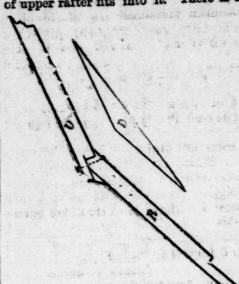
The kind of cow feed has a more farreaching influence than most creamery men imagine on the flavor and keeping qualities of butter and cheese.

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RAFTERS ON A BARN.

Suggestions to Prospective Barn Builder

That May Prove Valuable. Following is a description from The Ohio Farmer of framing rafters on a prize barn. The cut shows the way the rafters are framed at joint where purlines would come (instead of using purlines). The foot of the upper rafter (U) is framed the same as the foot of the lower one (R) and top of lower rafter is framed so that foot of upper rafter fits into it. There is a



FRAMING RAFTERS ON A BARN. half inch bolt passing down through both; then a 6 inch board (D) is cut on the angle of each rafter and thoroughly

nailed on each side. There should be a similar piece nailed near the peak. This comes handy to hang hay carriers on. It will be readily seen when the four pieces that make a pair of rafters are in place the tendency is to go out instead of down, where the purlines would come, and as the purline is put in to hold the roof from sagging the writer who describes it does not see any use for it in this style of roof. He says in explanation: In order to have the roof sag at the joint in the rafter, it would have to give way at peak or plate. You secure them there and the center joint will never sag. The pitch of the roof should be for lower part five feet rise to three feet run. The upper should be about quarter pitch-never one-third. There are several roofs of this style in this section, and they are giving good

satisfaction. At the Vermont Station.

In a report from the Vermont agricultural station some interesting facts about corn and harvesting it in cold climates are given. If corn is grown from the silo, it can be grown closer to the time of frosts without danger and with an increase in the feeding value. In fact, the longer the corn is growing the more it increases in weight of dry matter, and the more valuable it becomes, but the dry matter begins gradually to decrease, owing to the escape of nitrogenous material. Green corn fodder weighs the most when the ears begin to glaze, but this is largely wet matter and not dry matter. period the dry matter steadily

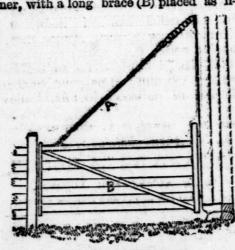
Great Value of Ensilage.

Evidence is constantly accumulating that the undoubted great value of ensilage in progressive farming is not due to any mysterious action of the silo upon the fodder, but is an economic advantage arising from the facts, first, that the corn crop produces a very large amount of food per acre, and second, that the silo preserves this food with comparatively little loss in a palatable and succulent condition, so that it is eaten with little or no waste.

Light Durable Gate.

The Canadian Horticulturist describes a farm gate that claims the public regard by lightness, durability and freedom from sagging.

The frame of this gate, which is of wood, is put together in the usual manner, with a long brace (B) placed as il-



A DESIRABLE WIRE GATE.

lustrated in the cut and nailed in posi tion. Holes are bored in the end pieces. No. 7 or 8 annealed wire is passed through these and firmly secured. One can use seven or eight single strands to each gate if desired. If the gate can be hinged to a building or high post, a wire support (a) can be used to prevent sagging. If a few links of chain are attached to one end of the wire, it can be kept tight by hooking up another link.

Honey Bee Gleanings.

Among those who have tried it, there is probably no difference of opinion as to the value of foundation that has been on the hive the previous year and left untouched by the bees. While the bees will generally use it, they will not use it so readily as fresh foundation.

Many aparians affirm that young bees are a factor in successful wintering.

A Tennessee aparian says that the success of the beekeeper lies in having only strong colonies to gather honey, the stronger the better. Concentrate that strength. Instead of running the same bees in two hives run them in one, and it brings in the surplus. It takes but few bees to run a brood chamber and make a colony sufficient to winter over, but three to five times as many are needed before they can do good work in the

Mrs. Harrison says that when bees have poor stores, such as honey dew or juice of fruits, they are safer on their summer stands than in a cellar, for during a warm spell they can void their

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BRANDING CHEESE.

Words of Wisdom for Canadian Makers of Cheese-A good deal of interest has been excited in dairy circles by English dispatches which state that some Canadian shippers of cheese have filled orders for September make with summer-made goods, says the Woodstock Sentinel Review. Montreal exporters, it is said, resolutely deny the soft impeachment. But the old country importers, up to date, seem to be strongly of opinion that such denial does not cover the whole ground. A cable says that importers in London, Liverpool and Glasgow have met and passed a resolution in favor of branding the day and month of manufacture on every cheese itself, instead of on the box, as is the practice generally at present. It is quite possible-indeed, we think it highly probable—that there may have been cases in which June cheese, for instance, have been sent to England late in the year as Septembers. The cold storage system has made such substitution possible, and not always easy of detection. Indeed, in some seasons, like the present, the quality of June cheese is so high that the English importer would have little reason to grumble at this. But of course he is entitled to what he contracts for; and no substitution, however high the quality of the goods, is excusable. It has been a joke in the Canadian trade for some years that gilt-edged goods going into storage early in the summer might sneak out later in the year as September make. And it is just possible that there may be shippers who have translated the joke into practice. But we are inclined to think that such instances have been very rare. Even if the Canadian dealers were willing to resort to such deception, it is not easy to deceive the trade across the water. In fact it might almost be said that those who can be so

cases, or even rumors circulated in the interests of the trade in other countries. Still, a discussion to which so great prominence has been given for some weeks cannot be ignored by the dairymen of Canada. It is essential to our continued supremacy, not only that we make goods of the highest quality, but that they shall be honestly sold for what they really are. We have suffered a little in the past-although much less than is generally supposed-by tricks in the trade over the water. And it would be a short-sighted policy for us to allow tricks in the trade on this side to injure our reputation now. Some English culty the laborious calling by which he dealers in the past had a curious habitand an unfortunate one for us-of mixing up of American, Canadian and English makes to their own advantage, instead of selling our cheese over its own name. And if information can be relied upon, some of these big importers who are now kicking up such a row shattered nervous system is the secret of about the alleged conduct of Canadian shippers, are not themselves the childlike and innocent dealers which their virtuous indignation would make them appear. It would probably be very hard for their customers, after this time of the year for example, to find out which are

June cheese and which Septembers.

a prominent buyer at Ingersoll said the

other day, after this date everything is

easily deceived should not be in the

trade. Old country importers appear

to be making a great deal of fuss over

what will probably be found to be rare

September. The English importer thus assumes privileges which he denies to the Canadian shipper. Still, his is not all deception, He says, "There are the cheese, take them on their quality." But when he buys goods from this side, it seems that he does not trust to the unerring judgment which he expects to find in his retail customers. However. it is probable that if every Canadian cheese were branded on the cloth it would be better in the end for our makers! And if the system were universal it could be no injury to the buyers. iWe have always held it to be a mistake for the makers of the highest quality of cheese not to have their own factory brand indelibly stamped on the cheese itself. One effect of such a system of branding would be to compel greater distinctions between gilt-edged and inferior goods. Under the present system the best factories often get a little less for their cheese than they are worth, while inferior ones get more than they ought. And there is a possibility of substitution in reference to factories as well as to months. We will not say that the make of some of our finest factories-when it reaches England—is abnormally large. But so long as there is no system of branding on the cheese itself, there is a possibility of the output increasing before it reaches the consumers. The whole question is one which ought to be taken up and dealt with the trade. It is one in which concerted action is necessary, just as it was recently in the case of weights. Canadians cannot afford to have either the reputation of their cheese called in question or the

honesty of men engaged in the trade. A Good Dairy Ration.

The best ration is generally the one that induces a liberal flow of milk. It has not been found practicable to take a cow giving thin milk, and by selecting her ration change this into rich milk. Of course, very succulent food is favorable to an increased yield, with a larger increase in fluids than in solids. The way to get a herd that will give a paying yield of rich milk is to select cows giving rich milk and then feed for an increased yield. Any cow not giving milk up to the legal standard is unfit for the herd. Use the Babcock test and discard the skimmilk cows.

Aeration of Milk. Aeration of the milk is a process of exposing it to the air while cooling by one of several processes for the purpose of removing from it bad odors. Experiments show that the cooling retards its souring, but it is the cooling and not the aeration that produces the effect. Wing found that those rapidly cooled did not cream as well when set at 42° for twentyfour hours as in aerated milk set warm from the cows. The advantages of the system seem to be for him who sells milk. A MILLER'S STORY.

He Was Given Just One Month to Live.

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(Sherbrooke Gazette.) The beneats arising from the use of Dr Williams' Pink Pills are well known to the Gazette. It is a frequent occurrence that people come into the office and state that they have been restored to health by their use. It occasionally happens that extraordinary instances of their curative powers come to our notice, and one of these was related to us recently, so astonishing in its nature that we felt the closest investigation was required in order to thoroughly test the accuracy of the statements made to us. We devoted the necessary time for that purpose and can vouch for the reliability of the following facts, wonderfully

passing belief as they may appear: There are few men more widely known in this section than Mr. A. T. Hopkins, of Johnville, Que. Previous to his removal to Johnville, Mr. Hopkins resided at Windser Mills and was for three years a member of the municipal council of that place. When a young man Mr. Hopkins was noted for his strength and his activity as a wrestler. His strength stands him in good stead, for he works hard at his business, carrying heavy sacks of flour in his mill for many hours during the day and frequently far into the night. Active as he is, and strong as he is, there was a time not long distant when he was as helpless as an infant, and suffered intolerable agony. About three years ago, while residing at Windsor Mills, he was attacked by inflammatory rheumatism. It grew worse and worse until, in spite of medical advice and prescriptions, after a year's illness he had a stroke of paralysis. His right arm and leg became quite useless. Sores broke out on both legs. He suffered excruciating agony, and had rest neither day nor night. He sought the best medical advice that could be obtained, but no hopes were held out to him by the physicians. "He will certainly die within a month," one well-known practitioner told his friends. "He will be a cripple for life." said two other doctors. It is no wonder that, as he says, life became a burden to him and he longed for death to relieve him from his sufferings. This was in August, 1892. About October of that year he heard of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and as a forlorn hope determined to try them. He did so, and before long was able to take outdoor exercise. He persevered with the treatment, closely following the directions, and is today nearly as strong as when a young man, and is able to follow successfully and without dimgets a living. Such was the wonderful story told the

Gazette by Mr. Hopkins, who attributes his recovery solely to the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and he is willing to satisfy any person who may call on him as to their wonderful effects.

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HERE, THERE AND EVERYWHERE,

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JOSEPHINE made handkerchiefs popular in the present century. She had very bad teeth and always held a handkerchief efore her lips when she laughed to conceal the deformity.

SIR CHARLES DALRYMPLE, M.P., who has just been re-elected Grand Master of the Masonic fraternity of Scotland, is a cadet of an old Ayrshire house, the Fergussons of Kilkerran. He changed his name on suc-ceeding to the estates of his great grandfather, Sir David Dalrymple, better known as Lord Hailes, lawyer, antiquary and his-

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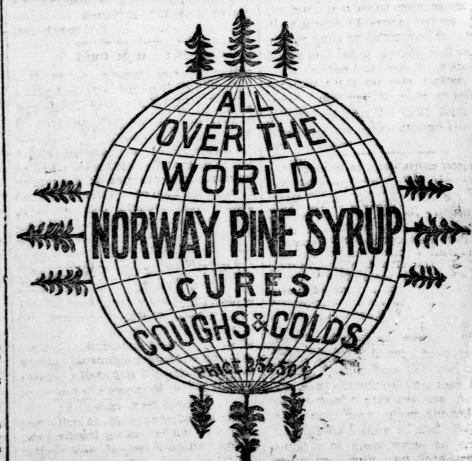
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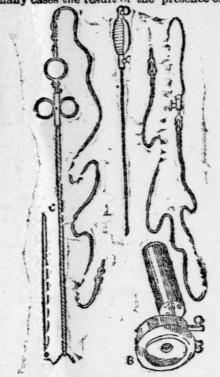
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The modern surgeon must be something of a practical mechanic. He is required to handle a large number of delicate and complicated tools and he must understand how mechanism may aid in securing the best results. The recent great advances in surgery have been made possible very largely by the discovery of new mechanical appliances, which have in nearly every instance been the invention of surgeons.

Many surgeons by the invention of a single instrument have instantly acquired celebrity which years of work in the simple practice of their profession would not have achieved. Their names are forever linked with these inventions, which are adopted everywhere when known, and that is practically the only compensation of the inventor, it being a settled rule of the profession that such discoveries shall be for the benefit of mankind.

One of the most important recent inventions of this nature is the telephonic probe, the discovery of Dr. Wells, a sur-geon in the United States service. This probe is designed for use in the cure of epilepsy, the strange malady which has so long puzzled the medical profession. It had been recognized that epilepsy was in many cases the result of the presence of a



THE TELEPHONIC PROBE. A .- Battery. B .- Ear-piece or Receiver. C .-

foreign substance in the brain, such as a sliver of skull or a piece of a bullet. But operation among the tissues of the brain in the effort to find such a substance was dangerous work, from which many surgeons shrunk, though it was justified in extreme cases.

To poke an instrument about the inis of the brain in the effort to find a small fragment of foreign substance was not only dangerous, but in most cases fruitless. This has now been obviated by the telephonic probe, which instantly tells the operator when he has touched the foreign substance, and then, by an ingenious mechanical arrangement, the probe, without being moved from its position, opens and grasps the fragment, which is quickly removed. In connection with the diamond drill for operation on the skull, this discovery has enormously advanced brain surgery.

A wonderful instrument is the "telephonic probe." It combines the utmost nicety of mechanical compactness with the most recent developments of electrical science. It consists of three parts. First, there is the probe, which is gently insinuated through the tissues; second, a little pocket battery connected with the earpiece, and third, the ear-piece itself, which is exactly like the corresponding part of a

It is used in this way: The flap is cut with the Pyle drills and turned back. Then the chain which dangles from the probe is screwed into one of the keys which projects from the ear-piece, and the hand piece for the operator is similarly connected with another key in the ear-piece.

The surgeon then takes the probe in the right hand, puts the ear-piece to his ear, and gently presses the probe through the delicate tissues of the brain until it touches the foreign body, bone or bullet, as it may be. The minute this contact is accomplished quite a distinct sound is carried through the circuit to the operator's ear. By an ingenious device a pair of teeth are projected on each side of the end of the probe, and take immediate hold of the foreign substance thus found, which can be deftly drawn out of the wound.

The detective and extractive powers of this apparatus are said to be infallible, and the extraordinary fineness of its work is particularly serviceable in the brain, whose tissues are so easily damaged, and where, naturally, the very least amount of laceration is desirable.

These are the instruments which will doubtless supersede all others in the removal of foreign bodies from the brain. Dr. Girdner invented a telephonic probe quite similar to Dr. Wells' probe, but this instrument had no battery attached to it. and relied for the completion of its magnetic circuit upon the proportionately triffing amount of the electric fluid always present in the human body itself.

The success of operations upon the brain for epilepsy is truly startling. Victor Horsley, the great London surgeon-specialist, recently reported a case where one patient had 2,870 epileptic convulsions in thirteen days, and completely recovered, not only from the operation performed by these instruments, but also from his terrible malady. Dr. Horsley had removed a diseased portion of the brain, the result of an old depressed fracture of the skull.

Operations upon the brain have thus far been performed only in those cases in which there is either the distinct scar of a wound indicating either the passage of a bullet or the site of a depressed fracture of the skull. Or in those other instances in which twitching of the thumb or arm or leg affords a clue to that "motor-centre" in the brain which is the apparent seat of

But it is not at all unlikely that the day will soon dawn when a more careful study of symptoms and a more thorough knowledge of the relations existing between brain causes and symptomatic effect will enable those great men who wield the probe and the chisel and the scalpel to operate upon that so far vague series of cases in which the only premonitory symptom of an epileptic fit is the sudden falling of the patient upon the floor unconscious.

ALLIED TO MANY ROYALTIES.

The Hohenlohes Intermarried With All

European Reigning Families.

It would be surprising indeed if the new chancellor were not free from prejudices of race, for, according to the New York Tribune, there is no family in Europe the international relationship of which is more extensive than that of Prince Hohenlohe, Queen Victoria's step-sister married a Prince Hohenlohe, and it was her Britannic majesty who,

on the premature death of the Princess Feodore, assumed charge of her children, one of whom, Princess Adelaide Hohenlohe, married to the late Duke of Augustenburg, is the mother of the present Empress of Germany. The Hohenlohes are, therefore, treated as cousins by the reigning family of England, as they are also by the royal house of Prussia, and there was no more popular member of the British court than the late Prince Victor Hohenlohe, who for so many years filled the office of constable of Windsor Castle, and who, after distinguishing himself in the British navy, in which he attained the rank of admiral, married into the English aristocracy and spent the major part of his life in his adopted country. Prince Hohenlohe is married to Princess Leopoldine, of Baden, while another member of the Hohenlohe family is matrimonially allied to the reigning house of Wurtemberg. Prince Constantine. as grand master of the household of the Emperor of Austria and controller of his court, may be regarded as standing at the head of the Austro-Hungarian aristocracy. Prince Kraft Hohenlohe is married to the daughter of the Marquise d'Imecourt, one of the most influential and grandest members of the aristocracy, and sister of the popular cavalry general, the Marquis de Galliffet, while one of the sons of the new chancellor has sought a bride in Greece, in the person of Princess Charicles Ypsilanti, a name than which there is none more illustrious in the annals of modern Greece. There are Hohenlohes who are mar-

ried to Spanish grandees, and there are others who are wedded to patricians of Rome and Naples; while the chancellor and his brother Constantine, at Vienna, are married to Princesses Sayn-Wittgenstein, a house which may be considered as far more Russian than German. It was the Russian mother of Princess Hohenlohe, by the way, who was the principal cause of the famous composer, Liszt, becoming a priest. Infatuated with Liszt, she went to the length of securing a divorce from her husband, Prince Nicholas Wittgenstein, in order to marry him. By the time she had secured her freedom, however, the heart of the fickle composer was interested in another direction to such an extent as to render it impossible for him to marry Princess Wittgenstein without provoking not only a scandal but even incurring personal danger at he relatives of the hands of new inamorata. Sorely perplexed and disinclined, moreover. to bind himself with the inconvenient chains of matrimony, Liszt appealed in his difficulty to his friend and chief patron, Cardinal Hohenlohe. The latter, being desirous of avoiding the terrible mesalliance of a lady of his family with a man of such humble birth as the pianist, induced him to become a priest and thus to create an unsurmountable bar to any matrimonial projects on the part of the princess. Although bitterly disappointed, she remained Liszt's friend to the last, and it was at her palace at Rome that he was accustomed to reside when in the eternal city. Her salon there used to be crowded with authors, artists diplomats and church dignitaries, Cardinal Hohenlohe among the number, and while drinking her caravan tea and puffing away at her large Havana cigars, which she was accustomed to smoke. she would chatter at ease in Polish, German, Russian, French, English, Italian or Spanish. She survived Liszt for several years, and it was to her that he bequeathed the major part of his

possessions.

Able to Transfer Lunacy. A series of very wonderful experiments which have just been concluded by Dr. Luys, of Paris, whose observations and discoveries in connection with magnetism and electricity in relation to hypnotism made a profound impression upon the scientific world some time ago, has led to a remarkable result. The latest discovery, says the London Telegraph, establishes the fact that cerebral activity can be transferred to a crown of magnetized iron, in which the activity can be retained and subsequently passed, on to a second person. Incredible as this may seem, Dr. Luys has proved its possibility by the experiments just referred to. He placed the crown, which in reality is only a circular band of magnetized iron, on the head of a female patient suffering from melancholia, with a mania for self-destruction, and with such success was the experiment attended that within a fortnight the patient could be allowed to go free without from dust. If any long hay is fed, it danger, the crown having absorbed all her marked tendencies. About two weeks afterward he put the same crown, which meanwhile had been carefully kept free from contract with anything else, on the head of a male patient suf- ing. Active exercise should not be given fering from hysteria, complicated by the horse immediately after a full meal. frequent recurrent periods of lethargy. Remedial treatment is of but little if The patient was then hypnotized and any benefit, and at best only affords immediately conducted himself after partial relief. The correction and mainthe manner of the woman who had previously worn the crown. Indeed, he remedy. Arsenic is still sometimes prepractically assumed her personality and scribed, and the mare might be benefited uttered exactly the same complaints as by a long course, giving a tablespoonful she had done. Similar phenomena have, it is reported, been observed in the case of every patient experimented upon. Another experiment showed that the crown retained the impression acquired

until it was made red hot. During the Queen's Life. The Queen of England, in her 57 years of power, has seen every throne in the world vacated at least once, and some

of them several times. - Chicago Times.



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with some justice a "mere racing machine." For those who want a general purpose horse in the way of riding, driving and light hauling, the present day racing trotter is no good. Thousands of people believe they have found the gen-



MATCHLESS OF LONDESBORO.

eral purpose horse that is needed in the backney, and the hackney boom is therefore on. The hackney in appearance has two distinguishing characteristics by which even a child that has seen him once may know him again. These are his high, arching neck and his long body, causing a wide distance between his fore legs and hind legs when he stands stretched out at full length. Like the fashionable person, the hackney has an "air" about him that is unmistakable.

The backney that took the premium at the New York horse show as being the finest type of stallion of that breed in America was Dr. W. Seward Webb's Matchless of Londesboro, 9 years old, imported. The hind legs, standing far back, are very noticeable in the illustra-

Matchless possesses in a superlative degree that "action" for which this breed is noted. Action is indeed its strong

The second picture shows Matchless in action. The minute a hackney begins to go there is something in his splendid style and gait that draws every eye. Then as he goes faster and faster, dashing around the ring and making his long hind legs jump, the whole crowd at a horse show breaks into cheers. He is the showiest horse in existence.

The hackney has endurance unsurpassed. He will of course never take the place of our American trotters, but he will make a place of his own. He is a very high stepper in harness. Magnificent results have been obtained by crossing the hackney stallion on both the



IN ACTION. thoroughbred and the trotting mare. A famous show horse, Lord Loudon of Virginia, is the product of a hackney stallion and a trotting bred mare. Some of the best selling carriage teams in the New York markets are Canadians, crosses between hackney stallion and thoroughbred mare. The sire has great prepotency and stamps the hackney shape and action on the progeny every time.

I have a mare that I bought a year ago that has had three bad attacks. The symptoms are a cough at different times, with hard breathing even when standing idle, but sometimes worse after being well fed. When she is breathing hard, her flanks jerk in and out violently like those of a horse that is very tired. Two attacks each followed a hard day's work and a big feed at night.

The mare is suffering from a severe attack of the heaves, aggravated by overfeeding. Such cases are incurable when the disease is once well established. By careful attention to the diet a horse can usually be benefited so as to relieve the distressing symptoms. But the symptoms will reappear if the animal is allowed to overload his stomach, is put to hard work on a full stomach or immediately after a hearty drink, or is fed dusty or coarse, bulky food of poor

quality. The diet should be restricted and coneist only of a moderate ration of food of the best quality. Do not allow a "big feed at night," or in fact at any other time, with a broken winded horse. Very many such cases would keep in better condition and be able to do more work on much less feed than they consume. Many horses are actually kept poor and out of condition by overfeeding. If necessary to increase the feed to keep up the condition of a horse with the heaves, increase the grain ration, but not the hay or other coarse fodder. The best of all rations for a horse with the heaves is the "ckop," being less bulky and free should be at night, and even then in mod-

erate allowance. In watering allow not more than one bucketful at once, which should be given before and not immediately after eattenance of a suitable diet is the best of Fowler's solution in the feed once daily for several weeks .- F. L. K. in Rural New Yorker.

The best paying horse to raise in some of the southwestern states appears just now to be the mule.

Barnes Greeley, the only surviving brother of Horace Greeley, lives, at the age of 79 years, on the old Greeley homestead at Chappaqua. He is tall, loosely jointed, shambling of gait, with snowy hair and heard and mild blue eyes. CONSUME AS WELL AS MAKE.

A Lesson to Our Dairymen From Recent Cheese Prices.

The dairymen of the United States are smiling at their Canadian neighbors this fall. And they seem to greatly enjoy the smile, as they have not had very much to laugh over in relation to this country for some time. For instance, Canada's success at the World's Fair was no laughing matter. How could Yankee cheese makers smile at seeing the Canadian makers carry off 95 and 90 per cent of the awards in the two joint competitions of that year? But our nelghbors are recovering from the doleful effects of contrast at the World's Fair. And they are enjoying solid satisfaction at the receipt of higher prices this fall than are current in Canada. We congratulate them on their good luck. We are not in the least jealous. We have one satisfaction at least. We can learn a lesson from the unusual condition of the New York market. Here are the prices quoted last week:

Large colored stock must have the September brand to bring 11 1-4c. October being placed 1-8c below that price. Large white of September make will oring but October made goods are worth only 10 7-8c. In small sized stock the white will not bring over 11 1-2c, while colored runs from 11 8-4c to 12c.

Speaking of the prices in contrast to those on the Canadian side of the line, the Utica Herald says:

It is noticeable that Canadian cheese has It is noticeable that Canadian cheese has taken a back seat this fall. At the present time 10 1-4c and 10 3-8c is the going price for the finest Ontario makes. What is the matter? Has Canada taken to making skim cheese, and does their fall stock now consist of that class of goods? Or has our home trade so affected prices as to fix the value on our goods irrespective of the export business? Whatever may be the cause, New York State cheese is worth about 1c more than Canadian this fall.

The Herald's queries are easily answered. Canada has not taken to making skim cheese-and she never will. We leave such folly and dishonesty to our neighbors. Every cheese made in the Dominion is full cream. This isand always will be-our proud boast. The man who makes cheese of skim milk in this country is punished. He is regarded as a criminal, an enemy of the dairy interests.

As to quality this season, the univers-

al testimony of buyers is that the qual-

ity of Canadian cheese was never

higher. This is not only true of the older districts; but the average of quality over the whole Dominion has distinctly advanced. It is equally certain that the reputation of Canadian cheese in England never stood higher than at present. It is more and more in demand in preference to the cheese of other countries, the United States included, All this will be conceded by men in the trade. Indeed it is not necessary to concede it Liverpool and London quotations prove it. If the present prices in New York were due to the foreign trade, the difference between the value of U. S. and Canadian goods in the common market would be the same as the difference in their home markets. What then is the reason that U. S. makers are getting higher prices than Canadians? It is due, as the Herald correctly divines, to the home demand. Prices in New York have gone beyond prices here solely because home consumption is greater. With us the home trade is very small, so small as not to affect the market at any season of the year. Our prices are entirely dependent on the demands of Great Britain. In the United States it is quite different. Home consumption there is a great and increasing factor. It determines more than foreign quotations the price of fall goods. Its influence is seen in the fact that while the United States is not increasing its exports of cheese to England, as Canadians have, her dairymen are actually just now getting better prices for cheese which is greatly inferior to ours. The U.S. dairymen are making money because their countrymen are becoming a nation of cheese eaters. This is due to variety of causes. In the first place, the public are being supplied with better cheese than in the past, in spite of the infamous system which prevails in that country of making skim and "filled" cheese. The system is a crime against the interests of dairymen, and also of the working men who buy the wretched stuff. But still the possibility of buying fine cheese has led to a much more general demand for it on the tables of the well-to-do and rich all over the United States. And also among the poor in that country, cheese is becoming more and more a staple article of daily food. It has taken the place of meat. It is one of the best and cheapest of foods. It does not require cooking. It comes from the maker ready for the eating. It is digestible and healthy. On a diet of bread and cheese Hedge has done very well in England for generations. And conditions in the United States are becoming more and more like those of the old world. John Burns has found that the working people in New York are even worse off than in the city of London. They are less able to buy meat. They must content themselves with bread and cheese. In the industrial condition of the United States is found the chief explanation of the rapidly increasing demand for cheese. It is not likely that home consumption in this country will ever affect the market to so great an extent as in the United States. Its relative influence on our enormous trade will always be less. But, still, it would be greatly to the advantage of the cheese industry if the home demand were more

But to go back to our text. The Utica Herald may rest assured that Canadians are neither making skim cheese nor inferior goods this year. But they have not such a home market for the fall make as Uncle Sam has developed. There can be no other explanation of current prices here and in New York .-Woodstock Sentinel-Review.

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