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SATURDAY

Is "showing activity," but a complete news embargo is imposed upon the correspondents with him.

New Zealand scouts burned the homestead of a farmer named Greyling in whose house house house arms were found at Deering.

During a concert for the relief of the sufferent from the Begine works explosion, given Siturday evening at Pretoria in the Galety theatre, the doors were suddenly closed and every man in the audience was commandeers of the poli on election day. He emphasically declared that he sealed the ballot box, and neither he nor O'Gomman opened it on the way to St.

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St. Thomas, May 11,—At y sesters the correspondent with the surface and the surface and the control of the poli on election returns the count of the poli on election day. He emphasized the burney of the policy o colored Fedora and Stiff Hats, worth \$1.25 and \$1.50 for \$1.00 each

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Predictions are Made That Roberts Will Soon be in Pretoria.

Kroonstadt May be Occupied by the British Before Monday-Boers Still Commandeering.

WAR NOTES.

It is said the Boers intend to retire

It is said the Boers intend to retire ultimately to Lyndenburg, leaving to the foreign merbenaries the task of defending Johannesburg and Pretoria. Spencer Wilkinson says the Boers are now approaching their final agony. The Cape Argus says the Boers have abandoned all notion of blowing up the Johannesburg mines. They are now safe.

now safe.

At a Free Staters meeting without President Steyn's consent a resolution to submit to the British was pass-

BALLOTS CHANGED

After the B x had Been Given

up by Pritchell.

Some Interesting Developments In

count he placed the bunch in such a

Mr. Watson, although crown prose

cutor vigorously cross-examined this witness, and did his utmost to get Pritchett to say that the affidavits he

made were incorrect. But with the exception of a few technical matters he solemnly deciared that they were true. Pritchett gave his evidence in

HE DENIES ALSO.

"Tommy" Lewis was the next wit-ness. He said he was the proprietor of the Huron House, in London, was in St. Thomas election day, but swore that he did not see Pritchett; that his

Thomas East. He procured the hallot box, and says he conducted the poll fairly. Something very strange in regard to this division occurred. It has been claimed that some 20 votes were switched by Croden; and it appears neither of the Conservative scrutineers was called to give evidence.

In No. 11 division, St. Thomas, Albert B. Montgomery was impersonated by Martin J. Cahill, of St. Catharines, who was introduced to the

arines, who was introduced to the sheriff by a local politician, and is alleged to have forged Montgomery's name to all the papers. The scru-tineers, like all the others in the div-

sions where strangers acted, could not positively swear that there were other irregularities. As yet Mr. Cahill has not appeared. Sheriff Brown was on the stand

nearly all the afternoon, and repeted the story he told at the election trial last June, regarding his conduct, and the schemes worked by local Liberals to get appointments for their ballot manipulators.

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was marked for McCiarmid. swore positively that he replaced the ballots in the box as they were mark-

the West Eigin Election Frauds. 9

London, May 11. — Members of the House of Commons were freely betting in the lobbies last evening that Lord Roberts would be in Pretoria in two months. The ministerialists are House of Commons were freely betting in the lobbies last evening that Lord Roberts would be in Pretoria in two months. The ministerialists are building confident hopes upon the comprehensive plans he has communicated to the War Office. Predictions are definitely made that he will enter Kroonstad next Monday, and it's believed his advance is probably already reconnoitering the vicinity of Ventersburg, where the hill country

begins again. Beyond Kroonstad is an intricate and difficult country, and if the Boers should elect to fight, it is possible they could check the passage of the British until Lord Roberts' numerous cavalry. had had time to ride around their flank and threaten their rear.

From 15,000 to 20,000 is the highest stimate of the Boers under the present command of Gen. Botha, who is said to have 46 guns. Gen. Botha and Gen. De Wet are reported to have

Lord Roberts is pressing hard after this force, with 35,000 men and 140

President Steyn, with 10,000 men, is eported to have been east of Thabanchu yesterday (Thursday) noon, and a battle was then imminent. The advance troops of Gen. Rundle and Gen. Brabant were being fired on.

According to advices from Durban dated Thursday, Gen. Buller's army is "showing activity," but a complete

position that it would be utterly impossible for them to be seen by President Kruger has released the

Daily Mail torrespondents, Messrs. Haliowell and Hofmeyer. scrutineers, and he would now and then call "McNish" when the ballot Yesterday the foreign merchants at Lorenzo Marquez held an indignation meeting to protest against the new regulations whereby blankets, cloth-ing and "bully" beef are declared coned. This evidence clearly proves that during the interval between polling day and the investigation of the bal-lots in Toronto some months after-wards, the box had been opened and other ballots substituted, so as to compare with the tally.

The alarmist tone of Lord Stlisbury's Primrose league speech Wednesday has been much discussed in the lobbies of the parliament and the impression is that the apprehensions of the premier are even more serious than he expressed. His utterances are ascribed to the recent successes of the nationalists in France, hatred of England being one of the weapons of the campaign. The revival of military glory, one of the ideals set up in France, campaign. The revival of military glo-ry, one of the ideals set up in France, is regarded as dangerous to England. The Times publishes a letter from Bloemfontein, describing the Koorn

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SATURDAY

PLAYING ON

Cost This Poor Boy His Life at Big Values Comber The adjourned inquest on the remains of the late Alener Victor Loyst, the lad who was killed on the M. C. R., at Comber. on

Sunday, was held in the town hall. The train crew gave evidence, but none saw the accident or observed the boy on the train. Little Florence Plant and Councillor Jas. Little Florence Plant and Councillor Jas. H. Ainslie testified concerning the finding of the body, and Masters Leslie Hatcher, Cecil Clark, Roy Clark and Clinton Kerr, companions of the annortunate lad, gave evidence as to seeing him board a train, but never saw him after. The jury brought in a verdict that deceased came to his death by being run over by Ballantyne's extra west bound M. C. R. freight, leaving Comber on Sunday, May 6th, 1900, at 12.15 p. m., and that no blame is attached to any one. The jury recommended that the railway company be more stringent in future with boys jumping on and off trains.

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New York Aldermen heartily wel-comed the Boer peace delegates. William Ray, Toronto, was elected Grand Regent by the Ontario Council, Royal Archnum.

The Mansion House fund in old London for the relief of the Ottawa fire sufferers has reached £43,000. The Presbyterian Synod of Toronto and Kingston passed a resolution de ploring the increase of political cor-

Mrs. Mooney was acquitted at Que-bec of the charge of complicity with David Dube in the murder of her hus-

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WAR NOTES.

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that he did not see Pritchett; that his only readson in coming to St. Thomas was to make a few bets. His testimony throughout, like that of O'Gorman, was a flat denial of the Pritchett allegations. He said he never went personally, nor sent any one to his house, and swore that he never had any conversation with Pritchett regarding West Elgin or any other election, and said without hesitation that he never was inside of his hotel to his knowledge. He also swore that he never paid Pritchett a ten cent piece for election affairs, and denied meeting him in Detroit in January. He never had any interview with him regarding the West Elgin enquiry.

No. 7 division was where Edward Crodon, also of London, acted as D. R. O. He was introduced to the sheriff as a immberman living in St. Thomas East. He procured the ballot box, and says he conducted the poll fairly. Something very strange in re-

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BRITISH CANNON SUPERIOR TO ANY IN THE WORLD.

At the banquet of the Iron and Steel Institute in old London, George J Goschen, first lord of the admiralty, responding to the toast "Army and Navy," said the government fully recognized that the finer the troops sent out to battle for the country the greater was the obligation to provide for them the best means of success

Therefore, he continued, they had not forgotten and must not forget the manufacturers of armor plate and of implements of war and other scientists whom they had pressed into the ranks to aid in solving the terrible problem they had to face.

"We have formidable competitors," he said, "in Herr Krupp and in the works at Le Creusot and in the United States, but we may rely upon the inventive genius and pertinacity of English manufacturers and scientists to secure results which are so vital to the British Empire."

Mr. Goschen emphatically denied the statements made in the French chamber of deputies regarding the quality and propelling power of British guns, declaring that these would hit harder and had greater bursting power than the French. He announced that the government had decided to appoint a scientific committee of inquiry to examine all smokeless propellants and all desirable modifications of the existing guns, adding "And the government is not going to be strangled in the toils of red tape in this undertaking.'

THE GOVERNMENT OF PORTO RICO.

The Government of the Island of Porto Rico is to be exercised by a Governor, an Executive Council and a House of Delegates. The Governor and Executive Council are to be appointed by the President; the House of Delegates is to be elected by the people. The Governor is vested with the general powers of a Governor of a Territory of the United States. The Executive Council, consisting of a Secretary, Attorney-General, Treasurer. Auditor, Commissioner of the Interior, a Commissioner of Education and five other members, is vested with the legislative powers of an upper chamber, and is authorized to determine the qualifications for popular suffrage, and such regulations respecting registration as it deems expedient. Five members of this Council must be Porto Ricans. The House of Delegates is to be composed of thirty-five memof the seven districts into which the island is to be divided by the Executive Council; but no person is eligible to membership unless he is twenty-five years of age and is able to write either the Spanish or the English language, or is possessed in his own right of taxable property situated in Porto Rico. No franchises of a public or quasipublic nature can be granted, except with the approval of Congress. A resident Commissioner is to be elected by popular suffrage, who shall reside at Washington, to represent the Porto Rican Government there. He must be a bonn-fide citizen of Porto Rico, and able to read and write the English language.

THE PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND CASE.

It seems that if anything illegal is to be done, if the rights of the people are to be trampled on, if electors are to be thwarted, if representative government is to be turned into a farce, if Russian and Turkish methods of ruling are to be adopted, the Liberal governments of this country, Dominion and Provincial alike, cannot help resorting to these methods to keep themselves in office. It seems to be anything high-handed or bad to keep themselves in power from the corrupt machine gang in Ontario to the most outrageous coercion in Prince Edward Island.

In the latter case it appears that Mr. Wise, a former Liberal and colleague of the Premier, Farquharson, has for some time been dissatisfied with the conduct of the party. Towards the close of last session he voted want of confidences On February 28th last he informed Mr. Farquharson that he could not support him. Mr. Farquharson claimed that Wise was acting against the wishes of his constituents, whereupon Mr. Wise offered to resign his seat and test the feeling of the people, on condition that he (Farquharson) would immediately issue a writ end bring on the election which condition was embodied in the resignation which Wise at once wrote out, signed, and delivered to Farquson to transmit to the Speaker.

Two or three days later Farquharson met Wise and told him that the resignation could not be acted upon unless the condition was eliminated. There upon Wise signed an unconditional resignation on the solemn understanding that the writ would be immediately is

In the face of this solemn promis the Premier implemented the resignation, but did not open the constituency by bringing on the election. Mr. Wise,

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feeling that he had been over-reached and an attempt made to cheat the people out of their representation, claimed that equitably he was still a member and took his seat.

In ejecting him, the Speaker has acted most high-handedly, and will probably have to answer for it in a court of justice, as in the Woodworth case in Nova Scotia.

The case of Henry G. Pineau is a Parliamentary scandal of a character rarely perpetrated in Canada. He was elected about nine months ago as a pronounced opponent of the Farquharson Administration, having been nominated by a Conservative convention and ehlected in a severe party contest. In February last he was tampered with by agents of the Federal and Provincial governments, and induced to go to Ottawa to arrange for going to Paris on the staff of Mr. Tarte. For nearly two weeks he hung around the capital, and, finally, Mr. Tarte went to Paris without him, when he was spirited away to the United States. Next he appeared in Charlottetown and entered the House of Assembly, and voted in direct opposition to the mandate he received from the people a few

months ago. Two constituencies are deliberately deprived of their voice in the affairs of the island. The Government have secured a majority of one, but they have lost every vestige of responsibil-

Remember every time you buy a gallon of coal oil that you are contributing five cents to the coffers of the Standard Oil Company, who have been given a monopoly in Canada by the Laurier government. This company have just appropriated on their watered stock of \$100,000,000 some \$10,000,000 more of dividends, making a total of \$30,000,000 in six months. Rockefeller is doing pretty bers, elected biennially, five from each well, thank you, in both this country and the States

> Poor Sir Charles is quietly working away at his parliamentary duties quite unmindful of the frantic squeat ing which our esteemed but hysterical acquaintance, the Banner, is indulging in over him daily. Banner readers get Sir Charles served up day in and day out, hot and cold, done in every imaginable style. It is the worst attack of Tupperphobia the exorgan of the Chatham Liberals has yet had. Still this may, perhaps, be accounted for by the approach of the full moon.

They tell us that no effectivie law can be timed against trusts and combines. It is all fudge! If two or more persons agree to gether to extort money from a specified in dividual that is conspiracy and the conspirators can be jailed for long terms. But if two or more persons conspire together to extort money from a number of persons not particularly specified that is all legal and proper and they can go on and rob just as nuch as they like. The public at large are legitimate prey. Yet there are people champs enough to argue that one class of extortioners cannot be made as amenable to justice as another.

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Melba, the prima donna, is an excellent whistler, and is reported as saying that she always whistles the music of a new part before trying to sing it. The record of the greatest number of notes struck by a musician it twelve hours is said to have been made by

E. H. R. Green, son of "Hetty" Green, has organized a tarpoon fishing club and built a \$25,000 club house on Tex Mustang Island, near Rockport Senator Hanna is one of the members

Paderewski, who struck 1,030,300

The captain of a big Atlantic liner, after many calculations, has come to the conclusion that the general size of a fog in the Atlantic is about thirty miles in diameter.

It is getting to be the fashion to address and stamp envelopes on the back. With the directions written across the folds the letter cannot be opened by an unauthorized person without the fact being noted.

Much amusement was caused by the fact that the Marquis of Salisbury, on his reappearance in the House of Lords had his usually long hair closely cropped, with the result, as one paper says, of "transforming him from a Cavalier into a Roundhead."

PHILOSOPHICAL NOTES.

The man who is always late has his shortcomings.

Women have few friendships; love is more to their liking.

Men who live by their wits have no visible means of support. Philosophy enables us to make light

of our neighbor's troubles. Some men walk home, some ride and some simply hang on the straps. Theories are impracticable plans for

doing things that are impossible. Distance doesn't lend enchantment to one's view of an expected inheri-

When an actress marries her manager the management usually changes hands.

Politicians resemble shoes in one respect; the higher grade are not ma chine made. A male boxer puts up his "dukes,"

therefore a female boxer should put up her "duchesses." Your personal history doesn't have to

repeat itself; your neighbors will at tend to that. It may be foolish to kick against the inevitable, but one seldom discovers that it is the inevitable until after the

kick has been duly registered.-Chi

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

cago News.

Gray hairs that can be counted don't

Trouble never troubles the contented

The woman who marries for spite lawariably get it.

All things come quicker to the man who meets them half way. When some actors attempt to there is no place like home.

The receiver is often as bad as the original board ofdi rectors. Satan is the father of lies and matrimony is the mother of excuses. The only swell thing about some men

is located directly under their hats. "Every man for himself," is a doctrine that girls do not take any stock

Starting for heaven on a gravestone recommendation is pretty risky business. The wise man never loses his repu-

tation by attempting to answer foolquestions. Some of the ancients were pretty

swift, but Samson was the first to get gate on him. Man proposes, and later on he sometimes wonders how he managed to

make such a fool of himself. "Evil iswrou ght by want of thought," says the poet. Very true, and much is wrought by thoughts of

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"I became so weak," says Mr. Loss "that the least excitement would throw me into a cold perspiration, and I would take additional cold. and I would take additional cold. While sitting at my desk one afteroon something seemed to give way, and I felt my lungs fill up. I gave a little cough, and threw out GREAT MOUTHFULS OF BLOOD." Mr. Loss will tell enquirers that after he had been reduce d to what he believed a hopeless condition, through frequent hemorrhages, he submitted his case to Doctors Shultz and Camelon, who soon restored him to perfect health.

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of 85 Second street, had a hairbreadth escape from being killed by a street car, because she was so deaf she didn't hear it coming. She has been entirely cured of deafness and chronic

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Township Councils.

DOVER COUNCIL.

The council met May 1st; members all present.
The following communications were

read:—
From J. E. Thomas, Manager of the Bank of Commerce, stating that the balance to the credit of the township

on March 31st was \$3,182.61.

From A. B. Carscallen, solicitor for William O'Mara, calling the attention of the council to the fact that the notice of the municipality to remove fences off the road on the 16th con-cession of Doyer has not in every case been obeyed, and requesting that the matter be attended to at once.

From the reeve, a notice served on him by Thomas Campbell, under the Ditches and Watercourses Act.

From Mr. McDonell, notice to the reeve re inspecting the Henderson-Hebert Drain in re Geo. Kime's griev-

was choking and gasping with asth-ma, when he went to Doctors Shultz and Camelon. He hadn't had a good night's sleep for 10 years. Now he is From William A. McDonald and others, a petition for a drain on 13th Con. road, from dredge out to the mid-New Baltimore: "I had been a long and great sufferer from Chronic Dysdle of lot 12.

From Alex. Askin, Jr., asking to have the surplus on the Dyer drain refunded to the ratepayers.

From William Payne, a notice that the Cadotte drain needs repairing. From Cornelius Handsor and others, a petition for a drain on the northrest side of the 18th concession road

Mr. Wright reported verbally on the from a road ditch.

from a road ditch.

From Mr. Caron, treasurer, certified statements that James Rankin, collector for Divisions 1 and 4, and H. N. Bechard, collector for Divisions 2 and 3, had returned their rolls for 1899, and accounted for the total amounts of same amounts of same.

From the trustees of S. S. No. 14,

an application to borrow \$500 for a term of five years for school purposes. Moved by Wright and Trudell, that the grievance of William Jackson re straightening his fence at the south-OUR "FREE OFFER IS OPEN TO ALL east end of the given road at the west line of his lot, be referred to the com-

missioner of the 4th divisions, and report.—Carried.

Moved by O'Neil and Trudell, that the grievance of Charles A. Emery, re a ditch on part of Big Point road at his lot, be referred to the commissioner of the 3rd division, and report.

Moved by Lewis and O'Neill, that the

Moved by Lewis and O Neil, that the reeve be appointed to attend, on be-half of the township, on the notice of Thomas Campbell, under the Ditches and Watercourses Act.—Carried... Barred P. Rocks Moved by Wright and O'Neil, that the matter of painting and repairing the town hall and draining the yard be referred to the caretaker to have the same done on the most favorable

terms.—Carried.

Moved by Lewis and O'Neil, that the Court of revision on the Henderson-Hebert drain adjourn till May 28th. -Carried.

Moved by Wright and O'Neil, that the clerk be instructed to notify Wm. O'Mara, John Morden, John Boswell, Perry Handsor and John Cooper, that unless they remove their fences off the 16th concession road allowance not later than the 15th of June next, legal proceedings will be taken in the mat-

ter.—Carried.

Moved by Wright and Trudell, that
the grievance of John C. Bishop be laid over till next meeting of council .-

Moved by Mr Wright, seconded by Mr. O'Neil, that Robert Glover be refunded \$1 log tax, the dog having been shot after be ing assessed.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Trudell, seconded by Mr.

Lewis, that the clerk be instructed to notify Francis Mott by registered letter, that unless he deliver up on the order of Mr. Wright, commissioner of the 3rd division, not later than May 10th, the tile which he removed from the road ditch without authority, said tile being township property, legal proceedings will be taken, and that Mr. Wright be instructed to attend to the matter forthwith after that date.

Moved by Mr. O'Neil, seconded by Mr. Wright, that the requisition of the trustees of school section No. 14 to issue debentures for \$500 for five years for school purposes, be entertained and the clerk be instructed to prepare a by-law for next meeting of the

Moved by Mr. O'Neil, seconded by Mr. Trudell, that the grievance of Theophite Pilotte be referred to the commissioner of the 3rd division with power!-Carried. Moved by Mr. Lewis, seconded by Mr. Wright, that the grievances of Cephrone Conture and Daniel Primeau be referred to the commissioner of the 2nd division with

power.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Trudell, seconded by Mr. Lewis, that Thomas Reaume be paid \$5 for work at pump house and drain in Dolson Creek, as per Commissioner Antaya's order, and charged to said drain account. - Carr

Moved by Mr. Wright, seconded by Mr.
vis, that the notice of William Payne to
repair part of the Cadotte drain be entertained and that Mr. McGeorge be instruct-

Moved by Wright and Lewis, that the petition of Wm. A. McDonald and others for a drain along the 13th con. road, be referred to the clerk, and if signed by the required majority that Mr. McGeorge be instructed to examine the perritory and report.—

Moved by O'Neil and Lewis, that the grievance of John McLaren be re-ferred to the commissioner of the 3rd division and report.—Calried. The matter of refunding surplus on Dyer drain was deferred till the de-

entures are paid off, Moved by O'Neil and Wright, that James Rankin, collector for divisions 1 and 4, having returned his roll and accounted for the total amount of

accounted for the total amount or same as per treasurer's certificate, be paid his salary.—Carried.

Moved by Trudell and Lewis, that H. N. Bechard, collector for divisions 2 and 3, be paid his salary, as he has returned his roll and accounted for the full amount of same as per the treasurer's certified statement. treasurer's certified statement. -

J. WELSH, Clerk.

Instead of the bicycle driving the horse cut of business the two have come to an understanding and do well together. It is curious how these things do clash for a time and the settle down to both work out the inevitable destiny of man.

Distance doesn't lend enchantment to one's view of an expected inheri-

HOW TO RUN CORRECTLY. Serviceable Advice by a Fe

-A Couple of Don'ts. Anything faster than a Walk stiff, measured steps is considered by most people undignified, probably begood, easy, graceful stride for run-ning—is a thing almost impossible to To see many, even of our young men, speeding after a car or attempting to eatch the last boat is a sight to make Mercury, the swift messenger of the gods, weep for very shame and to make an old trainer curl his lip with honest contempt.

A speedy and graceful gait, physical instructors say, is easily acquir-ed. But attention must be paid to the proper position one should as-

amount of progression with a maximum velocity and a minimum expenditure of bodily energy. The correct position to be assume when running is set forth clearly by Randolph Faries, the intercoile iate mile and half mile champion runner, former president of the Imercollegi ate Amateur Athletic Association

physical education at the University

of Pennsylvania.
"When running," declared this authority, "no matter what the dis-tance, the arms, or, more properly speaking, the upper extremeties, should be used chiefly from the shoul-der with precision, and should swing in harmony with the legs or lower extremetics. The right arm should move with the left leg, and the left arm with the right leg, in order to maintain perfect balance and to gain greater speed. The trunk and head should be allowed to assume their natural position, which, if a person carries himself properly, will be in the erect posture or nearly so. The runner ought never to lean forward.

"All distances under and including one mile should be run upon the toes, while distances over one mile should be run upon the ball of the foot, or the part just back of the toes. Runners should put their feet out in front of them in a perfectly straight line, making the advanced step with one foot when the other is directly beneath the body, keeping each arm in its relative position and the legs close together, in order to concentrate energy. A good stride will cover about seven feet, seven feet two inches, seven feet four inches or seven feet six inches. It is a great mistake to overstride, because in so doing an unnecessary amount of en ergy is wasted, and fatigue comes on more quickly. If one is able to stride seven feet at first he is doing It is best to increase the stride by inches. In this way a good stride may be obtained without un-

duly taxing the muscles 'Never kick your heels up behind ou-that is, behind the axis of the body-because it will cause a loss of locomotion and also of time by making the legs trail through a greater space, unnecessarily. As one progresses, alighting first upon one set of toes and then upon the other, or ball of the foot, as the case may be, great care should be exercised in coming down upon the ground lightly. If attention be paid to this the body will escape much tarring which

ONE WAY TO MAKE A WILL.

An Odd Case That Came Up in an English Court.

A most ingenious, and, to use Sir Francis Jeune's words, "on the whole, satisfactory," method of making a will was disclosed in the case of Moore vs. Moore, heard before the President yesterday, says The London Daily Mail.

The plaintiff, "Count" A. J. Moore M.P. for Londonderry, as executor, propounded the will of his sister, Miss Edith Marion Moore, who died last August. The defendants were

two near relatives. A month prior to her death the de ceased lady hatl a stroke of paralysis, which resulted in her being un able to express herself by words. In obtain her wishes with respect to her will two sets of cards were printed, one setting out her va-

rious property, and the second the names of her relations. Her solicitor dealt out the cards, When the name of Arthur John Moore was turned up she intimated by signs that she wished him to have her Ballyconny estate in Ireland. The shuffling of the cards continued in the same way, until she had dispos-

ed of all her possessions.

Then came the choice of executar The cards were again shuffled, and as soon as her brother's name was turned up she indicated by signs that he her selection. She wanted second executor to be appointed, and the names of her other relatives were shown her on the cards, but she She attempted to write down, but it could not be read. She then agreed that her brother was to

be Her sole executor. Sir Francis Jeune pronounced for the will, the costs to come out of the estate. His lordship remarked that, so far as he knew, it reprewishes of the testatrix.

Mr. Van Alstyne-Shall we invite

Mr. Wadleigh to our next dinner? Mrs. Van Astyne—No, indeed." Mr. Van Alstyne—Why not? Don't ou think he is very entertaining? Mrs. Van Alstyne-That's just the He always tells stories that make our butler laugh. - Somerville

Footpad-Money or your life! Book Agent-Sorry I haven't a cop; my life, sir, but let me show you

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know what vaudeville, is, "Yes. It's the place where papa

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are not a good subject." Men always begin to differ when they begin to think.—Ram's Horn. "He's a member of the Eccentric "Eccentric Club? I never heard of it." "No? That's a unique organization." "How so?" "I never Club." invited Dewey to any of its banquets.

SIDE YIEWS OF LIFE.

There is no vacation in the school of

experience. Some people never accomplish any thing because they have too much pa-tience with themselves.

Some women fancy they hate flattery when all they hate is the awkward ness of the flatterer.

Nothing worries a girl more than to discover that the man after her own heart isn't after it at all. Originality is simply a new way of

expressing an old thought.

Where Bullets are Thickest Cornoral (to class of recruits)-On the field of battle a good soldier will always be found where the bullets are thickest; do you understand that,

Private Magee-Yis Corporal. Corporal-Well, where would you be found on the battlefield?

Private Magee--Well, corporal, should say in the ammunition wagon

Johnny-Willie Jones says he don't care if school keeps or not. Jimmie-I bet he does, all the same Johnny-No, he don't. He got expelled yesterday.

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'Are you a prohibitionist?" asked bystander, taking him cordially by the "No, sir," was the contemptuous re

ply, "I sell milk."-Ohio State Journal.

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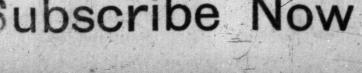
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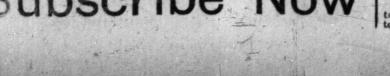
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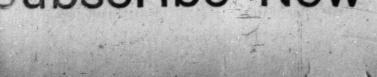
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THE PROBABILITIES.

Toonrto, May 11, 10 a. m.-Moderate to fresh southeasterly to south-westerly winds; a few local showers to-day. Saturday, fair and warm-

Bicycle repairs at Brisco's. . . tf Good smart boy wanted. Apply to W. F. Cornish.

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To Rent!-Church of England Old Cemetery, Apply to Rector or War-

A social will be given at the First Presbyter and Charch this evening, at which there will be given a good pro-gram, also games and refreshments. Silver collection at the door:

To-morrow, Saturday, May 12, Stone the Hatter offers you the choice of any Stiff or Soft Hat in the store for \$2. You cannot afford to let this opportunity pass. Sile for one day only. Stone & Co., Garner House Block. Night works brings forth all lurking eye defects. The individual approaching "failure age" will first notice something wrong when engaged in night reading, or other nocturnal work by artificial light. Gradually work by artificial light. Gradually bringing more light to bear upon the subject he soon finds the light needed is a good pair of good glasses, properly adjusted. This is where I come in with the light of my optical knowledge. Can I help you? E. J. MacIntyre, leading optician, opposite Grand Operaclouse, Chatham.

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J. P. Taylor, one of the grocers' commit-tee appointed to interview the bakers, stat-ed this morning that some of the bakers had de this morning that some of the bakers had been seen in regard to four cent bread. Owing to absence from town, however, all could not be interviewed but those approched had all signified their intention of giving four cent bread provided the other fell in line. Fred Ward talking on the subject said that that the bakers had signified their intention of holding a meeting on Monday to discuss the matter. They will, consider the advisability of making pound and a half loaves to compete with the London bread. The bread-makers were considering the advisability of doing this some time ago but the expense in buying new pans deterred them. Now, however, they claim that they will have to do it. At least Mr. Ward says so.

Mrs. C. R. Atkinson, Sr., continue to improve and her entire recovery is now looked for. Dr. T. K. Holmes, of this city, has been elected a director of the Traders' Fire In-

surance Co., of Torouto. Walter Bonn, Wallaceburg, entered the Public General Hospital last evening suf-fering with a diseased bone of the index

Tancrede J. Doyle, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at St. Joseph's Hospital this week, was very ill last evening, but is somewhat bet-

Miss Macklem, Sylvan Tower, Rose drie, has acknowledged the receipt of sixty nine dollars from the ladies of this city as a contribution to the In-dia Famine Fund.

The second fatality resulting from the St. Louis street car strike occurred yesterday. Flora Seigfried, a young young woman, was hit by a flying brick, and killed. The day before a toting striker was shot dead by an

The T. H. Taylor Company have just made a shipment of 20 cases of their famous tweeds and homespuns. The orders were all from Eastern Ontario dealers, who have tried and know the merits of the famous brands of cloth by this mill.

Lost-Between Cowan's store and

Piggott's office, on Thursday, May 10th, a sum of money in five dollar 10th, a sum of money in five dollar bills. A reward will be given for its return to the Planet office. 3t
Stone the Hatter offers you your choice of any fast in the store to-morrow for \$2.00. All the latest shapes and colors included. No reserve. The finest goods that money can buy are here. Stone & To Garrier House.

Stone & Co., Garner House. Douglas Stevens has received a let-Douglas Stevens has received a let-ter from his brother Will, in which he states that, in company with Archie Campbell, Jr., he is leaving for Ed-monton. The two, through the influ-ence of A. Campbell, M. P., had secur-ed positions on a Government survey

It is proposed to commemorate on the 14th of September next the 21st anniversary of the opening of the Ot-tawa Normal school, by a re-union of the ex-pupifs. Principal McCabe has written Inspector McCall, of this city, as many ex-students as possible, so that invitations to attend may be sent them. asking him to obtain the names of

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New York, May 8-Edward Clifford, he railroad detective, who shot Supt. Wattson, of the West Shore railroad, in March, 1895, because he had discharged him, was finally hanged in Jersey City. He was sentenced to death seven times, but legal stays were secured on every occasion but the

An American vessel will leave New York to-day with a cargo of grain for the Indian famine sufferers.

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Main Force Eleven Miles Further Away-Roused Boer Army Demoralized.

London, May 11. - Lord Roberts ca bles the War Office from Riet Spruit under date of May 10, evening, as fol-

"We have had a successful day and have driven the enemy from point to point. French, with Porter's and Dickson's brigades of cavalry and Hutton's mounted infantry, crossed the Zand at Vermenten's kraal and then worked around in a northeasterly direction to Maatschappy, being opposed continuously by the enemy. Pole-Carew's division and Gordon's cavalry brigade, augmented by 'J' battery of the Royal Horse artillery, and by Henry's and Ross' mounted infantry, crossed the river by a drift near the railway bridge. My quarters accompanied this force.

force.
"With the infantry portion we are "With the infantry portion we are eight miles north of the river. The cavalry and mounted infantry are at Ventersburg Road station, and Tucker's division is at Deelfonteinnord. Ian Hamilton's force and Broadwood's cavalry brigade were making for the cross roads near Ventersburg when I last heard from them. Hamilton's column met with stubborn resistance, and Smith-Dorien's brigade was engaged for some hours in protecting the read for some hours in protecting the read

"The only casualties reported at present are: Killed, fank and file, 4; wounded, 5. No returns yet received from the cavalry or Hamilton's force." So quickly has Lord Roberts advanced that his cavalry is only 22 miles from Kroonstadt, while the main army is only 11 miles behind them. Hence, in about a day, the British will be within striking distance of the Orange Free State headquar-ters. The critics differ widely in opinions as to whether any determined stand will be made there by the Boers. London, May 11.—A special from Riet Spruit, dated May 10, describing the successful crossing of the Zand

river, says:

"Gen. Hamilton's scouts had on two
previous days ascertained the Boer postion and strength. On Wednesday night the Cheshire regiment crossed the river, entrenched themselves and prepared to hold the passage for the

regiments following them.
"At daybreak on Thursday the main body crossed at two or three points. The mounted infantry were then in action, driving off the advanced Boers preparatory to a general forward movement. The Boer right first gave way, but Tucker and Hamilton had a tougher task on the left. The Boers had six guns and served them well, working with great determination; but the British worked up closer and closer, their guns meantime firing inces-

and the latter were already losing heart from the demonstration on their flank, but they kept up a rapid, hough wild, fire. "At this moment the final charge

was ordered, and away went the Lan-cashires, and the Sussex regiment again, but the Boers could not stand and they fairly bolted, and the route of the Boers along the whole line was

Well-known Chatham Q.C., Appointed Drainage Referee.

J. B. Rankin, Q. C., this morning receivd the commission appointing him drainage referee for the province. It has been known for some time that the appointment would go either to Mr. Rankin or A. H. Clarke, Q. C., of Windsor, both of whom were Q. C., of Windsor, both of whom were known to be thoroughly conversant with the drainage laws of Ontario. The Ontario Government, however, at first proffered the absurdly small remuneration of \$2,000 a year, for which sum they expected the appointee to give up his private practice. This Mr. Rankin, it is understood, refused to hear of. Then they offered him the judgeship at the same salary, he to be allowed to retain his private practice except in the matter of drainage cases. On these conditions Mr. Rankin agreed to accept the office and at a meeting of the Cabinet in Toronto on Tuesday his appointment was duly confirmed. The selection of Mr. Rankin does credit to the Government. He is kin does credit to the Government. He is eminently fitted for the post of drainage reeminently fitted for the post of drainage re-feree, having had a very extended exper-ience in cases of the discription which will now come under his judicial notice. There will be no division of opinion concerning his fitness and ability and all sections of the community will join in congratulating him

VERY FINE CONCERT.

The cor cert in Christ Church lecture The concert in Christ Church lecture hall last night, under the direction of Prof. E. J. Forsythe, the energetic and efficient leader of the chair, drew a large and critical audience, who were thoroughly delighted with the proprogram presented. H. Ruthven Macdonald, of London, formerly of Chatham, was the star of the evening. Mr. Macdonald has a magnificent voice, and last night he dispayed it to the best advantage. The audience voice, and last night he dispalyed it to the best advantage. The audience was very appreciative, so much so indeed that they trespassed on good nature. Nine times Mr. Macdonald sang, and then he gave the audience a recitation. There were other capable and accomplished musicians, however, who also assisted in making the affair a success. J. W. Wilson gave an excellent flute solo, Henry McCaw'a very fine violin solo, Mrs. John Cooper, a much appreciated vocal ever, who also assisted in making the affair a success. J. W. Wilson gave an excellent flute solo, Henry McCaw'a very fine violin solo, Mrs. John Cooper, a much appreciated, vocal selection, and Miss McCosh and Miss Barassin recitations which were much appreciated. Prof. Forsythe also joined Mr. Macdonald in a duet. One of the features of the program was the quartette by Mrs. John Cooper and Misses Blight, Simpson and Ross. It proved a delightful number.

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By Helen Thorneycroft Fowler, author of "Concerning Isabel Carnaby", "A Double Thread", Etc.

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he Green Flag

Fine Stationery We show the finest line of writing tablets and fine note papers to be found in the city. "French Crepon' and "Neoula Blue" are two new papers that

Is all That is Keeping the Prince Edward Ministry in Power.

Turbulent Scenes in the House-The Premier Makes Threats

Charlottetown, P. E. I., May 11-The house met at noon yesterday with closed doors while reading the journals. The journals read that Mr. Wise had been removed from the house and placed behind the bar. The opposi-tion charged that this was untrue; that, in fact, Mr. Wise was removed and imprisoned in the speaker's room and moved that the journals be amended. Hot and violent discussions took place, ending with the motion being lost by a vote of 14 to 13. Pineau voting with the government. The speaker had several times. to give rulings, Committees were then appointed. The afternoon sesthen appanted. The afternoon session was also very violent, arising out of a vote of the premier to appoint two more door-keepers to preserve order, alleging that they were necessary owing to the tactics of the opposition. Most of the afternoon to the motion during the company of the afternoon to the company of the afternoon seems of the company of noon was spent on this motion, dur-ing the course of which Mr. McWil-liams charged that Conservatives had set Wise drunk. He was compelled santly.

"The East Lancashire and Sussex regiments by 11 o'clock had worked well to the front. The order was given, and like a fiash the two regiments that he did not wish to charge any member of the opposition. The sprang forward simultaneously, and in a few minutes had secured two commanding ridges.

The advanced line was now within 1,200 yards of the Boer main trench, and the latter were already being they will not desist in their course. placing opposition members in jail if they did not desist in their course. Members of the opposition laughed at the threat, and Mr. Shaw humorously replied to him. The premier's motion was carried by 14 to 12, Pineau again oting with the government.

ARMY HOUSES WANTED.

The undersigned will be at the Wm. Gray & Sons Co., Chatham, Sat-urday, May 12th. to buy the balance of horses required by Major Dent for the British army. They must be strong, well-bred horses, 14.1 to 15.1 hands, from six to nine years and sound. No greys wanted. WALTER HARLAND SMITH.

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UNITE AT LAST.

Edinburgh, May 11. — After four years' degotiations, the United Presbyetrian Church Synod, has unanimously resolved in favor of a union with the Free Church. The latter will pass a similar resolution during the present month, and the incorporat-ing assembly will meet in Edinburgh in October.

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2 Big Specials for Saturday, May 12th

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Men's

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HOME RULE DEAD

Lord Salisbury Says the Boer War Teaches Britain

That it Would be Madness to Allow an Unfriendly Government Power to Make Trouble

London, May 10.-The annual grand habitation of the Primrose League was held in Albert Hall yesterday af-

was held in Albert Hall yesterday afternoon.

Lord Salisbury, who presided, commented on the remarkable change which had taken place in the latter half of the century in the views of the people regarding the empire. They had formerly repelled it as a burden, and that doctrine had been carried to such extremes by a man of splendid genius—Gladstone—that it had produced a strong reaction, which started after the disaster of Majuba Hill and the death of Gen. Gordon. The death of Gordon has been avenged. Perhaps it was too soon to say the great humiliation of Majuba had been effaced or that the great wrong had been righted, but he felt they were on the road to accomplish that end. Under the brilliant guidance of Lord Roberts, 200,000 solders—a larger army—than had ever before been sent across the same expanse of sea—were now engaged in reducing to obediency to the Queen those territories which ought never to have been released, and to restorto have been released, and to restor-ing to South Africa the only chance it had of peace, development and ranquility.

THE IRISH PROBLEM. The premier referred to the diffi-

and intricate Irish problem, and salt and intricate Irish problem, and said:—"Mr. Gladstone, in an evil moment for the fame of the country and for his party, attached himself to the idea of the separation of England and Ireland. There had been a long struggle; but no one can say the home rule cause presents any elements of sanguine anticipation for the future. It might be said that the Irish idea sanguine anticipation for the future. It might be said that the Irish idea would be realized, and that Mr Gladstone's aspirations would be fulfilled. But I do not believe that the causes which have once been well beaten have reappeared to any purpose in English history. Apart, however, from the fate of former struggles, I am still assured that there is no hope of the predominant partner ever assenting to give Ireland practical independence. We have learned something from the South African war, how a disloyal government, in spite thing from the South African war, how a disloyal government, in spite of warnings could accumulate armaments against the most powerful combatant, and thus secure a terrible advantage. We now know better than we did ten years ago what a risk it would be if we gave a disloyal government in Ireland the power of accumulating armaments against this country. Mr. Gladstone shattered his own party so that for a moment they were erased and a powerless factor in English politics.

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"And it must not be imagined that the effacement is likely to be permanent. Hereafter external affairs will occupy a considerably larger place among the problems we have to colve. Not necessarily because in themselves they are important, but if we look around we can see the elements and causes of menace and ments and causes of menace and perils to-day accumulating, and they may accumulate to such a point as to require our earnest and most active efforts to repel them. I am nervous at using language of such a kind, lest it should be thought I am indicating that something is known to the forthat something is known to the for-eign office, by pointing out this pos-sible danger. But I wish most em-phatically to say I have no idea of that kind, The state of affairs, as I know it, and so far as the govern-ment is concerned is peaceful. It is impossible to speak too highly of the

CALM NEUTRALITY which has been observed by all the governments of the world." The premier's remarks were greet-

ed with loud cheers. Continuing, Lord Salisbury said: "A certain section of their sub-jects-not, I hope, a very large, though a very noisy one,—has at the present moment a great pre-judice against this country. It does not, however, follow that we have no precautions to take. Governments may come and go, and feel-ings may change from year to year. That root of bitterness against England, which I am unable to explain may be mere caprice to satisfy the exigencies of journalists to-day, or it may indicate a deep-seated feeling which later we may have to reckon which later we may have to reckon with. There can be no security nor confidence in the feelings or sympathy of other nations except through the efficiency of our defence and the strength of our own right and. Everywhere the power of defense is increasing, and who knows but and these things may be united in one great wave to dash upon our shores?

The premier then urged the necessity of precaution in time, remarking

sity of precaution in time, remarking that the material for military aggresthat the material for military aggression was yearly increasing in power and efficiency in every one of the great nations, adding:—'In every case in history the great maritime power has been paralyzed-killed, not by disasters suffered in its provinces, but by a blow directed at the heart. The British navy, of course, ought to be sufficient. But are we wise in placing all our eggs in one basket!

"As to land defence, so far as I

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can see, anything in the nature of a conscription is not a remedy the country is prepared to accept. Therefore, we must induce the people to voluntarily put themselves in a position to defend their homes and country. The Primrose League can do much to foster the creation of clubs. If once the feeling could be propagated that it is the duty of every able-bodied Englishman to make himself competent to meet an invading enemy, we would have a defensive force which would make the chances of an assailant so bad that no assailant would appear."

This statement was also greeted with loud applause.

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After a resolution urging British After a resolution urging British subjects to prepare in times of peace, so as to be ready to play their part in time of Imperial emergency, had been carried by acclamation, the meeting adjourned.

New ideas in American Collars every week at The 2 T's.

What is Going on in Baseball and Other Athletic Games.

lews, Local and Telegraphic, Gather ed From Reliable Sources.

Corbett and Jeffries fight to-night. Little oney is offered on the former.

BASEBALL.

FIRST LEAGUE GAME. London, May 11.—The Chatham ball club opened the league season at London yesterday with a defeat. The Maple City players did not show up at their best against the pennant winners of last year. Their fielding was all right but they failed to bat Cooper to any extent. Black, however, casims they will round into better form in a day or two. The day was cold and raw and only about 400 people witnessed the game. Wilson pitched for the Chatham club and was hit pretty steadily. Following is the London, May 11.-The Chatham ball was hit pretty steadily. Following is the

Neal, l.... O'Connell, ss..... Handiboe, 3b..... Grimshaw, 1b. Conklin, m Fullmer, 2b......

Pickard out, not batting in turn. Score by innings:

.000100051 Two base hits-Mohler 2, Radeliffe, Har Three base hits—Jones. Home run—Hart Stolen bases—Mohler, Jones 2, Raddliffe Stolen bases—Mohler, Jones 2, Radeine, Cope 2, Cooper, O'Connell. Bases on balls — by Wilson 6, by Cooper 5, by Freeland 6. Hit by pitcher—by Cooper 2, by Wilson 2, by Freeland 1. Wild pitch—Freeland . Struck out—by Cooper 12, by Freeland 1. Double play—Neal to Fullmer. Umpire, Popkay. Time of game 2.10. STOLEN BASES.

Well, the season's opened, anyway Shortstop Tim O'Connell purloined Chatham's only base. What's that old adage about the

"Bad Beginning ?" Never mind. Wait till we get those conceited Cockneys down here. Don't forget that there are a hundred odd games, to be played out yet. We can shake with Port Huron. It's We can shake with Port Huron. a big consolation that there are others. Shades of Sammy Crawford! And

Chatham was let down for five shabby Boyd is a clever waiter. He worked the London pitchers for three bases

Kostal is billed to pitch for London to-day, while Habel will be the Reds slab artist. It would have been a shame, any

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how, to have taken that first game from the poor Londons.

Little Lefifielder Neal was respon-sible for the major end of a clever double play to Fullmer. Handiboe on third made several phenomenal captures, while O'Connell played a perfect fielding game.

If we weren't at the bottom at the start we'd never be able to demon strate how quickly we can climb. After all, it does look as though that young man Cooper could pitch, not withstanding his enlarged cranium.

There is no call for an anvil chorus yet. Sive your prophecies and your hammers till later on in the season.

These opening days always were a hoodoo to the Reds. Never yet did they break into the schedule with a distortion. That eighth inning is considerable

of a consolation. It even brought the smiles back to the long faces of the fans who crowded round the Merrill bulletin taking in the returns by in-

National League.

Wet grounds caused postponement of the

Rapids-Saginaw game at Grand National League

At Pittsburg—
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Chicago....0 0 0 2 1 0 1 0 0— 4 9 1 Batteries-Tannehill and Zimmer; Taylor and Chance. Umpire, Swartwood.

At Cleveland - Cleveland 12, Milwaukee 5. At Indianapolis-Indianapolis 10, Chicag At Detroit-Detroit 3, Kansas City 2.

FOOTBALL

The Ridgetown Standard this week in its report of the recent Chatham-Ridgetown Peninsular League match pauses during the course of its learned exposition on the game to remark:

"How Chatham happened to defeat

Not at all, old man. You she have been there with your football encyclopedia under your arm and your goggles gracing your nasal appendage. You might really have been threatened You might really have been threatened with intelligence on the matter. Captain Laurie, of the Chathams, plays the game and conducts his campaign with his head as well as his feet. He was cool under apparently adverse circumstances and conducted the Chatham, cause with an excellent judgment, which had its inevitable result in success. Why. Mr. Football Know-It-All, of the Standard, the Glencoe Transcript in its account of the defeat of your own team ascribes the defeat of your own team ascribes

pithilý: "Chatham defeated Ridgetown at Chatham on Siturding 1 to 0, Ridge-town kindly putting the ball through for them early in the game. Then Chatham played defence as they did

But perhaps the dual campaign duties of aggression and defence never struck our Standard friend.

There are about seven players in the Chatham team who are gentlemen and try to play a gentlemanly game; but the other four do not know the first principle of play or how to conduct themselves in a sportsmanlike man-

ner,—Ridgetown Sandard.

The unfortunate individual, who discovered the foregoing paragraph in the useful wrapping paper in which his old shoes were returned from the cobbler's, has much to answer for. He made it public by repeating it. Now there is said to be a bitter rivalry existing among the eleven players on the Chatham team as to who are deserving of the Sandurd's enconiums. It should avoid cause for such strife in future by being more explicit.

The Chatham team again showed that it was impossible for them to play football like true sportsmen, by making the grounds several yards short to save their wind. The move was a decided disadvantage to the

Ridgetown players —Ridgetown Plain-Realer. "Weel, weel," said an old Scotchman "Weel, weel," said an old Stotchman on one occasion, when he met a Southerner, who answered his queries by telling him he had travelled all the why to the Muskoka district to catch a few fish, "there's nae doot that it taks a' kind o' folk to mak a world." Had he stambled on the Plaindealer's foregoing aphorism, the stalward son of Stota might have added that there are various imaginary methods of explaining defeat.

Only one shot was made on Glenco goal and that went through. About 17 were made on Chatham goal, but

Sowerby stopped 'em all. — Glencoe Transcript. Not a bad sort of goal custodian that the Maple City club sports. Wonder if he can be one of the Ridgetown Standard's "We Are Seven?"

In the course of g well-written and unprejudiced report of the recent game the Ridgetown Dominion gives credit to the players of both teams for good work, and remarks that although Chatham is now one goal in the lead, the game at Ridgetown next Siturday may change the appearance of things somewhat. Captain Laurie concurs in this opinion. One goal is really too meagre a majority to satisfy the local club for both games.



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FOUR CENT BREAD.

The Grocers Raise a Vigorous Kick For it.

Are Desirous of Shutting Out the London Product-A Committee Appointed.

The Retail Grocers Association of the The Retail Grocers Association of the Maple city met in the old town hall yesterday afternoon. There were present, J. D. Stark, Ex-Ald. Dyer, School Trustee J. A. Wilson, Ex-Ald. George Heyward, J. P. Taylor, A. J. Wilson, H. H. Malcolmson, T. W. Smithe, W. F Cornish, Mr. Everitt, E. C. Gammiage, Ex-Ald. Weaver and Ex-Ald. Wm. Potter.

President Wilson occupied the chair and Secretary Dyer performed the duties of

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The chairman stated that the meeting had The chairman stated that the meeting had been called to see if anything could be done to induce the bakers to drop bread a half cent a loaf. The grocers were now paying 4½ cents a loaf and seiling it at 5 cents to customers. Mr. Wilson thought that a deputation could secure four cent bread. When flour was higher than it is now the bakers sold the grocers bread at four cents. Ald Heyward—I don't sell bread but I think the best way would be to have a committee of five interview the bakers. I should think, howeve, that you wou'd prefer to sell the Chatham bread at 4½ cents rather than the London bread. The foreign bread is higher priced.

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Mr. Dyer You can't get people to believe it. Of the Chatham bread customers get 36 lbs. for \$1 as against 30 lbs. for \$1 of London bread. Ald. Heyward—I would move that a committee of five be appointed to wait on the bakers.

Mr. Dyer-In case they won't, what will we do?

Mr. Stark—I move that we don't take any at all until the bakers come to our terms. I have shipped two or three already.

Mr. Taylor—No; that won't do. The bakers have kept some of the grocers straight who were selling at cost and we owe them some thanks.

Mr. Stark—Some bakers are selling bread at the house for 5 cents a loaf.

Mr. Heyward—I think the London

bread is a curse. The peddler of it should have a license.

Mr. Cornish—He has a license but the

clerk says it will be refunded unless the other merchants pay up.

Mr. Dyer—We certainly can't make any-Mr. Dyer—We certainly can't make anything at 44c.
Mr. Corplish—Chatham bread is being sold in Thamesville at 4 cents.
Mr. Dyer—One of my customers, who lives near Tupperville, gets Chatham bread there for 5 cents a loaf.
Mr. Taylor seconded Mr. Heyward's motion, and it carried.
Mr. Wilson then nominated Messrs.
Stark Dyer. Taylor, A. J. Wilson, and

Stark, Dyer, Taylor, A. J. Wilson, and Potter, a committee to wait on the bakers. If the request of the grocers is refused, another meeting will be held to consider the refusal. Mr. Heyward reported that the

man who had been trying to start trading stamps again, had met with such a cool reception that he had left Mr Wilson asked what would be done in the matter of biscuits in tins. The grocers had been notified of a raise of two orbits per tin. The biscuits now cost 24 cents a tin. After some discussion it was decided that the selling price would regulate itself it is a received that the time itself. It is expected that the tins will now sell at 30 cents.

The grocers spoke strongly against the way in which the freight bills are made out here on railroads.

Mr. Weaver.—I would move that badges be secured for the purpose of distinguishing the grocers when they attend the funeral of one of their number.

Mr. Heyward—How much is in the treasury?

Mr. Dyer-Two dollars.
Mr. Weaver-We can easily put Mr. Heyward-We might not need har. Heyward we might not need badges in many a year.
"If you keep going the way you are now, you aren't likely to last very long," retorted Mr. Weaver,
The motion didn't get a seconder, and the meeting adjourned to the call of Secretary Dyer.

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grown-up style one day and said that

that he wanted Amy's consent to their

marriage, she had to be serious with him. She told him he must prepare

himself for some profession, since country life was, as he protested, so distasteful to him. Oh, he had a lot

being beneath him, and he had acquired a sight of extravagant habits,

and he talked a lot of nonsense about

and he talked a lot of honsense about the advantages of city life being neces-sary to him, and he never let Amy rest until he persuaded her to go fo Washington city and use her influence

with some friends there to get him a position under the Government. He

is studying law now very hard, and promises to make a fine man. Don't

think I do not love and admire him, honey, because I tell you of his faults.

He is the life of the house when he

comes home each vacation, and is devoted to Jule. I trust they will be happy, though I often fear Arthur is too selfish to make a good husband."

At this point in the narrative they

were interrupted by a visit from Mr.

Ever since the memorable evening

when he had driven. Edith out to Mrs.

Harold's home the minister had experienced a stronger attraction in that direction, though he told himself that

it was only the summer season, a sky of Italian softness overhead and the

sweet breath of the yellow jessamine that lured him forth to the country

As Edith ran upstairs to put aside

her sewing she mentally reviewed the recent conversation with Mrs. White.

It was a tale of fortitude, perseverance

and submission which put to shame

her own intolerance of suffering, and she fell to wondering if there was in-

deed a Supreme Being, the love of whom could infuse into her heart the

same peace and resignation so legible in her aunt's careworn face. But Mrs. Harold, she reflected, amid all her

trials had been sustained by sympathy. whereas her secret trouble was of such

a nature that none might share it. In

passionate rebellion against the cruelty

of fate, she paced the floor, realizing

in all its wretchedness the eternal iso voice was heard calling her all over

was much later in the evening

when Edith made her apperance in the

parlor. She could hear Steele's ring-ing voice outside the door, for he was

an incessant talker, and being not only

ar intelligent, reading man, but of an energetic, stirring nature and acute perceptive faculties, his observation

during his visits about the parish furnished him with numerous illustrations

Edith tried to slip in unobserved, for

she liked to listen in quiet retirement from participation in the conversation

to the minister's brilliant anecdotes.

but the moment the door opened Juliet

"Edith, we want you to sing for Mr. Steele. I've been telling him all the

evening what a glorious voice you have."

She had not anticipated this attack, and was totally unprepared to offer

resistance. All eyes were turned upon her, and the easiest, indeed the only

way out of the difficulty, was to com-ply with the demand. Ere she could

have framed an excuse to the minister's eager seconding of Juliet's proposition,

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her cousin had the music book ope at her favorite song. Longfellow

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accosted her with vivacious imperative

of every subject he discussed.

the house.

of high-minded notions about

and Juliet loved each other, and

"Ajax is the little mother bird," she explained quite naively, as she caressed the pigeon on her wrist; "only I named before she went to setting, and it's all the same. I have every denomination in my pigeon-house, Edith," con-tinued the lively girl. "Pompety, up there, is a Methodist. You can see him ranting up and down, spreading his tail and rustling it like a silk dress. Garibaldi is a Catholic, and makes his devotions at short intervals, very low. You can fancy him telling the beads hidden away in his nest. But Whop-per-jaw Charlie, my precious Whopper (I twisted his bill feeding him when he was a little fellow), he's a Turk, a regular old intidel, while his wife is a good little thing. She is begging him to say his prayers now. Just listen; you can hear him, say as plainly as anything, 'I won't, I won't, I won't; I'll er whup you," and she mimicked the cooing sound till Edith laughed at this

odd interpretation.

From the chicken yard Juliet carried her to see the pigs fed, and while her cousin shrank from the jostling grunting scramble which ensued, she performed an original dance in the herm formed an original dance in the barn. declaring that the variations of her squealing favorites from bass to high treble were sweeter music to her ears than the Marine Band could ever pro-

In the afternoon Mr. White took a holiday from farm superintendence and carried both the girls to the woods for a ramble. The fresh air, the exercise, above all, the affection by which she was surrouned, acted like a When Edith retired that night healthily tired, it was to sleep soundly and dream of the little creek bordered with wild lilies, of yellow jessamine hanging in rich festoons, of the vivid white of the dogwood, and, loveliest of all, of groves of crabapple trees in full bloom.

CHAPTER V.

DISCORD AND HARMONY. The day began to speed away in cheerful monotony. Beside the new interests of farm life, Edith began the more pleasant study of her relatives. From certain compassionate expres sions which Mrs. White always employed in speaking of her aunt in a voice calculated to excite curiosity, the girl guessed that the good lady wished to be questioned about Mrs. Harold. Nor was she mistaken in this supposition. The frail; delicate woman was the idel of both the old people, and they loved to sound her praises. One evening a week after her arrival Edith chose her time when Mrs. Harold had gone to lie down after a busy day, and Juliet was reading to her, and began her efforts to draw from Mrs. White the information she longed to gain.

The old lady yielded directly to the invitation to make herself entertaining, much pleased at this opportunity to gratify her loquacity.

Mrs. White seemed to have a habit of pitying every one. Edith reflected with some amusement as the old lady

"You see, it was a great mistake buying the plantation. They did not live here steadily when the Colonel was alive, but left it all to the management of an overseer; so Amy did not know what to do, with reduced means, too. Mr. White, he went over



offered to help; said he might as well tend to both places while he was about it; and she was so grateful Never a murmur at the will of Provi-dence have I heard from her lips. Her submission and faith were just lovely.
Well, next thing we knew our house
was burnt to the ground by a skirmishing party of Sherman's troops when
he came through Georgia. We stood
hid in the woods and watched it burn.
They did it just for mischief too the

They did it just for mischief, too, the heartless wretches." Mrs. White paused, as if the recital of their wrongs might betray her into

of their wroigs might betray her into saying something violent. Edith set her lips tight together. She had been educated to regard the sufferings and poverty consequent upon the war, which the Southern people endured as a just punishment for their folly in wickedly trying to break the union of the nation, and her prejudice was too strong to permit her to listen patiently to opposite opinions.

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"Arthur Rutledge, my dear," Mrs. White returned, lowering her voice confidentially, "is Juliet's beau. He was Col. Harold's ward, and he lived with us till old enough to go to college. Dear me, but Amy had a trial in that boy. When he was a little fellow he was the most restless, noisy child I ever saw. But he was her weakness, and she gratified his every whim till he grew to be a great, headstrong boy and she was obliged to send him to school. The discipline did him good, too, and when he graduated from the university we were all very proud of him. He was so tall and handsome, and had such pretty manners. He used to treat Juliet like a baby because she was so much younger than himself, but when he came home from college she was sixteen and developing into a very pretty girl. He kept saying he could not realize that she was the same little thing he used to tease and pet, and I saw what was coming next. But Amy was so innocent I had to tell her. Well, she only smilled in her aniet way and said. Leave it to time.

the rippling sound stirred her beyond resistance, and forgetful of the pres-ence of any other auditor than the home circle her voice broke forth al "I stood on the bridge at midnight."

Juliet had practised her part per-fectly. The plane zever rose once above the low, clear voice of the sing-er, but swelled in volume as she approached the deepest contralto, never wavering once upon those notes so difficult for a female voice to render perfectly, but producing them with a fulness of sound and exquisite sweet-ness. They are the notes for pathes or sentiment, and as Steele listened the far-off, sorrowful look of the gir seemed in accord with this feeling appreciation of Longfellow's sentiment a sentiment for age rather than youth to express, for it spoke of a depth of sadness tempered and chastened by experience, of self-pity lost, the contemplation of the wors of others.

There was a general hush pervading the room as the beautiful voice dies away. Steele was too deeply moved to speak, and in the silence Edith ex

perienced that painful reaction from over-strained feeling which made her regard her song as a failure. Her cheeks were flushed with unnecessary shame when Mr. White called out: "Now let's have 'Dinna Forget!"

She sang it in desperation, bu

though her voice was as sweet in the little Scotch ballad, the intrusion of a mere love song upon the deeper fee-ings awakened was out of place. "Oh, Jule, did it sound very bad?" she managed to ask the first time they

were alone that night.
"Bad!" echoed her cousin. "It wa lovely. Mr. Steele was charmed, jus as I knew he would be. And, Edith isn't he splendid?",
"Very pleasant."

"Oh, Edith, you always qualify wha you say. Why can't you say, as I do. that people are splendid, glorious"— "But I have not seen him but three

Juliet raised her eyebrows as ifintimate "Is not that often enough?" but she refrained from comment, and finding her love for exaggeration could not be gratified in that quarter, she skipped away, leaving her cousin to reflect upon the incidents of the even-ing. Had she heard Ernest Steele's usiastic description of her musica gift to his mother and sister next day she would have been fully convinced that her singing had not been a failure, even if his warm pressure hand and thanks at parting had no him the greatest pleasure.

CHAPTER VI.

DR: EGERTON TAKES EDITH BY SURPRISE Owing to the strict seclusion in which the family lived, the parlor was the least frequented apartment in the house. Edith soon discovered this fact and formed the habit of retiring to this safe retreat whenever she wished to be alone. The inclination to morbid brooding could not be conquered at once amid the brighter influences that surrounded her. At times the happiness of this reaceful home seemed to mock her enforced isolation, and the wretchedness of her lot rushed over her like a flood of bitter waters. Then she would shrink from the family, feel-ing her presence a contamination, while her constantly recurring moods of de jection became a source of commen

and perplexity.

One day about three months after her arrival she refused a long ride in the country with her aunt and cousin though she had no excuse to offer, and Juliet retired in mortification that her persuasions had not prevailed, reporting to her mother that Edith had "one of her hatchil spells upon her." The girl watched them drive away with wistful eyes, and then let her arms fall upon the window sill with a deep In such hours of loneliness sh would often live over again that meet ing on the cars with one who seeme



"She rose to her feet to meet Dr. Egerton."
self. Why his face rose before her
with vivid distinctness she did not try
to analyze, but she began to encourage
the memory of Dr. Egerton. A peculiar sense of his nearness that afternoon made her lapse into constant
reveries as she tried to read. The wide
window commanded a fine view of the
gay flower garden, with its background
of dense forest trees, but it was at
the sky that she looked dreamily, wondering at its intense blue, which the
Northern heavens could never rival.

The book before her had been chosen
for its doctrinal character. for its doctrinal character.

To be Continued.

Where Lafayette is Buried.

"We visited the Convent du Sacre-Coeur, in the Rue de Picpus, where Lafayette is buried," writes "Edith" from Paris to the Ladies" Home Jourpal. "Here birds of passage, like our-telves, seldom come. At the end of a rose-grown garden is a little cemetery where bearers of some of the oldest names in France lie buried. Now only names in France lie buried. Now only descendants of those who died on the guillotine are eligible to a grave there, and in one corner, in the shadow of the great wall, are the graves of Larayette and his wife. Beyond the first cemetery is a second where the bodies of thirteen hundred aristocratic victims of the Revolution were buried."

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Owing to the conditions existing and the fact that St. Helena furnishes a climate more conducive to health, and more suitable quarters, the military authorities have deemed it best to forward about 1,500 prisoners to that ishnd.

GEORGIE'S PA

Says That Pretty Soon Their Will be Show for a Man to Get Honor.

"Paw," maw ast when we Got to eating Breckfust yistady, "why are they Trying to put Sumbuddy out of the Senate and making so much Fuss

about it Laitely?"

"It's a nawfle sad case," paw sed. "What show are they going to be pritty soon for a man that wants to Get onner and pays all they ask for it, if they Go to taking it Away from him afterwards? You See a man starts out in life Getting to be a millyunare, and He keeps so bizzy doing it that he Hazzent enny time to waste lerning mutch about grammar or making speaches, but the First thing you no he Wakes up Some morning and Says

to His wife: "Now I'm fifty years old and Have aitey millyun dollars, but What's the Good? I ain't ever Been onnerd by my fello Sitazuns. If they would Electme to the Senut, when I die congress. Would a Jurn over Sundy to Sho its Respect. That's sumthing worth living for. So I gess I'll go over to the Capitle this morning and See if I can't hire the legislacher to onner me. I can spare the munny as Well as not, and mebby sum of the Poor fellows mite need it enny way. What I want most in life is Onner. Without onner I never can go to My grave happy. Munny is good to Have around, but if you can have it and onner, too, you go in Better sosiety. When the Legisla cher elects a man to the senut it shows he is The state's faverit Son. It shows He is a man the people luv to onner, and everybuddy Puts their trust in Him. So I guess I'll go Over and By the Crowd that wants to Vote for other peeple and get to be onnered. It's a nobul thing to feel Down in Your hart that the people put their well fair and a chance to Get on the inside when the shugger market is Going to go up in your hands and the Crown of onner on your brow, and Being I have the

munny to Spair I mite as well be the One to Have all this Glory!"
"Yes," maw anserd, "but they can't prove enny munny was paid to Get

"I no it," paw Told her. "A Senatur is too Nobul to Do Sutch a thing. What would onner amount to if you had to Go and by it like you would sassidge at a meat Market? No! the men that Was Doing the voting Spurned the offer, and some of them Sed they new How they could Lose a few Hundred thousand around whare the peeple that wouldn't take Bribes could find it. So pritty soon they began to think he was the State's faverit son,

and he Got onnered."
"Well," maw sed, "I don't see mutch difference between getting onner That way and paying for it rite Out by the yard or pound or which Ever way it

"I don't s'pose you do," paw says "That's the trubble with Wimmen. They can't see these fine points Like the men we Hire to make laws with Loup holes in them. So that's why I say wimmen won't Ever stand enny sho in polliticks till they Lurn a few lessons from those that got onnered without being cot at it."—Georgie, in Chicago Times-Herald.

Where Hypnotism Didn't Work. "I think," said the careworn, sad eyed citizen to the professor of hypnotism, "ef you could manage to git Maria under the influence of them ere hypnotic, an' jest leave her so would git 'long all right atterwards. I want you to sorted change the mater of her-git her so that she'll reckernize my rights an' be in subjection, as the Scripter commands. You kin do

that, can't you?" "I certainly can," said the profes-But just then a woman who had been taking up tickets at the door

came forward. "Look here," she said to the professo?, "what are you doing there—jab-bering with that feller when there ain't enough tickets sold to pay the gas bill? Git on the outside this minute, an' go to work, you lazy-triff-

"Air you his wife, ma'am?" meekly inquired the careworn citizen.
"Yes!" snapped the woman. H
you got anything to say about it?" "Nuthin' at all, Ma'am-nuthin' at all! I wuz only jest waitin' here for my own wife!"-Atlanta

Fold the arms of thy Faith, I say, but not of thy action; bethink thee of something that thou oughtest to do, and go and do it, if it be but the sweeping of a room, or the preparing of a meal, or a visit to a friend; heed not thy feelings; do thy work.—George Macdonald.

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CLERICAL HUMOR

It was the wise Bulwer who said: When an error once gets into the world it is astonishing how hard it is to get it out. You may beat it about the head until it seems to have given up the ghost, and then the next day meet it on the street as healthy, as

ity-else how shall truth prevail? Now, the generally received idea of the old Scotch Presbyterian clergy is that they were a gloomy and mo set, wedded to a stern routine of life, inflexibly opposed to social enjoy-ments, innocent of a witticism and totally incapable of practicing a practical joke. One would almost as soon suspect John Knox of swearing as of smiling, or bold David Ferguson of picking pockets as of poking fun. As a matter of fact, the old Scotch

Reformers were as generous in sentiment as they were firm in doctrines, as Demonstrative in love as they strict in devotion, and therewithal as fond of good puns as of sound preaching. Why, John Knox himself was in private life abundantly genial, and was a favorite not only with Queen Mary Stuart, in spite of the strict manner in which he kept her conscience, but with all her gay and live-

ly maids of honor. George Buchanan, though connected with a work and era of violent measures and harsh means, was a hearty humorist. When he was discharging the duties of preceptor to the young prince who afterward became James of England, he discovered his royal pupil's weakness in complying with every request presented to him. One day he handed two papers to the juvenile monarch which he requested him to sign. James readily signed his name to the documents without reading either, or asking particularly about their contents.

In one of the papers James formally transferred the royal authority to his tutor for the term of fifteen days. Buchanan now began to assume the state and importance of a sovereign. Being addressed with the usual salutation by one of the courtiers, he announced that he would expect to be addressed with more ceremony since he had obtained the dignity of the crown. The young King, who was present, began to suspect that the stern preceptor had suddenly lost his reason, and asked for an explanation.

"There is the instrument," explained Buchanan, placing the document before his pupil, "by which I have received from you my sovereignty for fifteen days." Buchanan improved the occasion by administering to the inexperienced monarch a suitable lecture on his habitual rashness: In 1608 King James published his

famous "Book of Sports," and think-ing to render the Presbyterian form of worship less rigid ordered that certain of the sports therein commended should be played in the several churchyards every Sunday at the close of divine service. John Ross, a minister of Blairgowrie, adopted a novel method of withstanding the royal ordinance. He was a strong, athletic man, and seemed much interested in creations enjoined by the mon-Football was selected by parishioners of Blairgowrie from the list of "Sunday games."

When the services of the church were completed Mr. Ross appeared among his people in the churchyard, and joined them in their sport. None of the assemblage kicked more eagerly at the football than did the reverend incumbent. But constant misfortune seemed to attend him; every kick missed the ball and fell heavily on the ankles of those who stood near. Apologies were promptly tendered, and, of course, received, though every Sugday many of the parishioners returned home halting. Finally it was agreed that on account of the minister's awkwardness the games should be abandoned. Thus the ingenious divine gained his end and prevented compliance with the obnoxious order It was the inflexible Dr. McCubbin who, when suffering dreadfully from toothache, advanced the witty argument that no more convincing proof could exist of the truth that man sinned and fell by eating the forbidden fruit than that the teeth, from infancy to old age, were, above all the rest of the body, the seat of the most painful disease. Nevertheless the good doctor loved good eating, and, for that matter, good wine and wit as

well. On one occasion Lord Douglas invited him to dinner at Douglas Castle to meet Lord Braxfield, the noted Judge. Braxfield was disappointed to Judge. Braxfield was disappointed to find there was no claret, and asked His Lordship if there was any in his cellar. The peer answered that there was, but that his butler had pronounced it unsound. "Let's pree't." said. Braxfield. It was produced and pronounced excellent. Braxfield proposed to the distinguished doctor that, since to the disfingrished doctor that, since an anathema had gone forth against this particular wine, he absolve it "Your Lordship is a good judge in civil law," replied Dr. McCubbin, "but you are not so familiar. I perceive with the laws of the church. We never absolve till after three several appearances." The claret of the host suffered accordingly.

A Thrust. "I believe we mothers cannot be to careful. Whenever there is any dif-ficulty between my husband and me,

send the children outdoors imme "Very prudent; but, on the other hand, is it good for the children to be obliged to be on the streets from morning to night?"

mething of a Rint. "Stolen kisses are the sweetest," h

"How I dislike a man who doesn't practise what he preaches," she returned. Occasionally a ran has to be jarred before he realizes what is going on.

Her One Condition. "Can you love a man who's old?"
"Yes, if he has also one more letter add to that."
"Another letter?" "G, dear, to make old gold."-Pick-

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ever." Nevertheless, errors of all sorts should be clubbed at every opportun-TI ALT III

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stay away.

In the case against Robert H. Perrin, lately of Wallaceburg, who was also missing, the first witness was Charles Beeston, deputy sheriff of Kent county. Witness went to Wallaceburg with a summons for Perrin. Went to the hotel where Perrin used to work, but he had "got a tip" and had decamped. He afterwards heard of him being back in Wallaceburg, and went there again, but without avail.

a.vail. Thomas Hennigan, of Waltaceburg sworn, said: "I am proprietor of an hotel in Wallaceburg. Perrin used to board at my place. He left me suddenly on the day the sheriff came to my place and asked for Burns and Perrin. That have an account to the suddenly of the suddenly o That was on a Siturday Perrin came back the follownight. ing Sanday night, but I have not seen him since." Richard Burns, sworn, said, "I

in Wallaceburg and knew th Perrin. I last saw him two or three weeks ago, when we had a talk. Perrin knew the sheriff was after him. We both went to Roberts' Landing, across the river from Port Lambton, and subsequently separated. I never saw Perrin get money from any one. In response to examination by Mr. Idington, witness steadfastly denied having any conversation with Perrin

about money. Edward Male, bartender, of Wal laceburg, was called and examined. He knew nothing about Perrin getting any money, nor of any such practices in which he figured. Richard Burns was recalled and sub

jected to a severe examination by Mr. Idington, but stood by his previous Charges against Perrin and Burn were dismissed.

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WALL CEBURG. May 11.—The "Busy Bees" gave a very successful social at the residence of J. W. Steinhoff on Wednesday ev-

a few visited Detroit yesterday.

The R. C. Britain is having her boil er placed in her at Lee's H. Green left for Dresden last ev ening.

B. Baughman and family have removed to Chatham.

M. Cameron, after a few months

residence in Loraine, Ohio, has remov-

TILBURY. May 11.-H. E. Hunsberger left yesterday for Haldimand county.
The M. C. R. is extending its switch

over Canal St., making an additiona rack to cross.

Miss Minnie Campbell has returned from a short visit to her home in Brantford. John Cloes, of Kingsville, is in town this week.

Tilbury East council will meet on Wednesday, May 36, as a court of re-vision on the township assessment Toll.

E. E. Anderson, inspector of agencies of the Continental Life Insurance Co., Toronto, was in town yesterday. John Richardson expects to begin his new milk route on Monday next, when he will have tickets for sale to all prospective customers.

John Miller left this week for Sult Ste Marie where he averests to seeme

Ste. Marie where he expects to secure employment.

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But the Authori les There Promptly Ran Mim Out of the Country Again.

Ottawa, May 11.—In the Commons yes-terday Mr. Taylor, the Opposition whip, drew the attention of the Government to the deportation of a Canadian from the United States under the United States alien labor law. He read a letter from a young man in Ogdensburg, N.Y., setting forth that a Canadian named John White, employed in a store in Ogdensbug, after he had brought his wife and family over, had been deported back to Canadian side under pain of imprisonment. The writer thought it was "an opportune time to make those howling Grits declare themselves on this question." Mr. Taylor said that the Government had placed on the statute books what was called an "alien" labor law, for it was nothing e'se and never intended to be anything else. It was arranged that while anything else. It was arranged that while the international negotiations were in pro-gress there should be mutual suspension of the alien law on both sides, but here were the Americans enforcing theirs, while the Canadian Government allowed Americans to come to Canada every day to obtain em-ployment. Had the bill which he himself introduced been allowed to pass it would be

The Prime Minister rep ied that this was the second instance which had been brought to his notice of a Canadian subject being deported under color of enforcing the alien labor law. The other case had been brought up by the leader of the Opposition. The latter case was certainly one which called for diplomatic action and protest to the Government at Washington, who were going altogether beyond the scope of the United States alien labor law, to the injury of Canadian subjects.

DRESDEN

May 11.-Mabel Hichman, Dawn, aged 15 years, died sudddenly yes-terday after a short illness. Dr. J. N. Byers who was in attendance had but left the patient for a few moments and reported her as recovering when death occurred.

L. R. Guild will close his photograph studio to morrow for one month.

John Robinson, who was kicked by horse recently and had three ribs broken, i

James Huston, who has been residing in Camden for some time, has moved back to Master Irvine Wiley is recovering from slight illness
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resident of one of the neighbor ing townships, came into this city on sport intent some few weeks ago. He promptly fell in with two of Chatham's fair dames with corrugated reputations and they proeeded to divorce him from his long green pank notes and incidently at the same time to make him forget in the oblivion of plea sure certain portions of the 20th chapter of Exodus. This is quite surprising since he is a leading church member. Be that as it may, however, this sportive benedict in ompany with the two divinities went out to a house on Park avenue where an evening of pleasure was spent. All went merry as a marriage bell. In the morning the rural visitor wended his way homeward and thought no more of his evening's sport.

A few days afterwards he was horrified to house he had visited stating that one of his enamored dames had swiped a diamond enamored dames had swiped a diamond worth \$35 and unless the gem was returned or the loss made good there would be trouble. The venerable sport was not so much surprised at his companions being accused of theft as he was troubled lest his wife should discover his perfidy and he should be discover his perfidy and he should be disgraced in the community. He hitched up his fast road horse and drove to this city to consult a lawyer. The lawyer said it was clearly a case of blackmail and

he could easily settle it. "Take the \$35 and give it to the woman," cried the terrified victim. "Give her any-thing she asks but avoid the exposure."

The lawyer took the money and went out to interview the hostess above referred to. He didn't start off by tendering the money.

He didn't start off by tendering the money. He talked police court, how necessary it would be to call in the police, and appeared anxious for anything but a settlemens. What he harped on was the necessity for a thorough investigation, with the object of bringing to justice the guilty ones.

The lawyer diagnosed the case correctly. The woman got frightened. She didn't want any exposure. She admitted there had been no theft and no diamond to steal. She simply wanted to play the old chap she said for a "sucker" to the tune of \$35. She thought that was about his limit or she would have gone higher.

thought that was about his limit or she would have gone higher.

After a long interview the lawyer finally consented to let the matter rest if she would sign a document setting forth the facts. This she was only to willing to do if nothing more would he said about it.

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Concerted action will be taken by the Ontario and New York State au-thorities to prevent the "dynamiting" of fish in the St. Lawrence River.

of fish in the St. Lawrence River.

To prevent any hostile action such as the Welland Canal outrage the Ontario Government have provided the parlyment buildings with outside watchmen.

The Netherlands Peace Spainty has addressed an appeal to President Mc-Kinley, begging him to further the peaceful object of the Boer mission, to put a stop to the pernicious war in South Africa.

Deniel Douglas, colored, of Owen

Daniel Douglas, colored, of Owen Sound, was sentenced by Judge Creasor to six months in the Central Prison for maining the seven-year-old child of James Crouch through reckless and furious driving. According to Sir Edward Clarke, for-merly Solicitor-General of England, Wm. Weir, President of the Banque Ville Marie, now undergoing sentence of two years for presenting a false statement to the Government, was wrongly condemned. Sir Edward be-lieves that the indictment was faulty. Chatham, May 11th, 1900.

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