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JUNE MUST BE

It must keep up the pace with other months this year, every department must swing into line, and to this end we have made special prepara-tions. Detroit, Toronto, and Montreal have been visited by one buyer in search of special lines, and we think we have succeeded in collecting the most tempting array you have ever looked at.

Fifty Pieces New Ginghams.

Extra fine Zephyr Ginghams in pretty stripes, checks and plain colors, every wanted shade, special for waists and dresses at 12 1-2c.

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A special showing of embroidered spots, lace stripes and mercerized effects, light, medium and heavy weights, special value at per yard 12 1-2c., 20c., 25c.

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25 pcs. Japan Corded Wash Silks in exquisite shades of sky, pink, rose oxblood, Mauve, grey and plain white, on sale very special at per yard, 36 Cents.

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All wool, plain and nicker Voiles in very new shades of grey, green, pine, black, cream, etc., special for summer gowns at per yard, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

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French Printed Foulard Silks, in very new designs, washable, suitable for waists and dress gowns, regular value 85c and \$1, on sale extra special at 75 Cents.

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The prettiest material for summer gowns you can see anywhere, imported direct from France, dainty exquisite colorings at per yd 30c., 35c., 40c., and 50c.

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New White Lace Gloves.

Ladies' White Cotton Lace Gloves, sizes 6 to 8 inclusive, wash well, very neat designs, special value at per pair, 35 Cents.

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Men's fine cotton sox, guaranteed Men's fine cotton sox, guaranteed colors, in neat fancy stripes, plain tans and black, special value at per pair, 12 1-2c. and 25c.

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Salaries of Three Members of the Staff.

Good Work Receives Recognition-Another Junior Teacher to be Engaged in the Fall.

"We, the internal management committee, do hereby recommend the re-engagement of the whole staff at present salaries, with the exceptions of Messrs. Collins and Sissons, who

of Messrs. Collins and Sissons, who shall receive a raise of \$50 per annum, and Mr. Lane, who shall receive a raise of \$25 per annum."

Sush was the final report of the committee at the meeting of the Collegiate Institute Board yesterday afternoon in Secretary Harris' office, Fifth streeet. The report was adopted

opted.

In the first report made Mr. Lane's name had not been mentioned for a

Dr. Thornton thought that as Mr Dr. Thornton thought that as Mr. Lane was a specialist, as well as the other specialists at the school, who receive \$1,200 per year, he should receive a half bundred raise, at least, which would make his salary \$1,100. Dr. Battisby said they were now paying more than had ever before been paid in that department.

Other members of the Board thought Mr. Lane should receive some recognition, so it was agreed to make it \$25.

The following accounts were pass

A. Harbert, \$1.00. W. Turner, \$21.31. Gas Co., \$95.75. Sadie Dunlop, \$1.50. J. Hendershott, \$2.00.

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J. Hendershott, \$2.00.
Evelyn McLean, \$1.50.
G. W. Sulman, \$2.50.
Typewriter's repairs, \$3.20.
J. & J. Oldershaw, \$44.00.
J. B. Rankin, K. C., read a letter from Cot. Peters stating that bonds would have to be signed by three of the Board for the two Lee-Enfield rifles required by the cadets for target practise.

All the members seemed anxious to side-step this responsibility. Mr. side-step this responsibility. Mr. Rankin moved that the three sports

Rankin moved that the three sports of the Board, namely, the Chairman, J. W. White, ex-Ald. John Liddy and Secretary Harris sign the bond.

Mr. Liddy moved an amendment that Messrs. Smith, Battisby and Rankin be the bondsmen.

It was finelly decided to have the Secretary and Chairman sign for the whole Board.

The enrollment for May was 225 and an average attendance of 199.

Mr. Liddy thought the C. C. I. wasn't turning out pupils as fast as it ought or as many as were coming in.

in.

Mr. Paterson explained that the school was growing and the tendency was increase. Pupils could not be turned out if they wished to come. "I think I'm safe in saying we'll need a new teacher, a junior, in the fall,"

thins a new teacher, a juntos, ... he added.

The matter of the new teacher, also of the heating, was left until the special meeting on June 15.

VICTIMS OF THE FLOODS.

LATER REPORTS SHOW LOSS-ES WERE EXAGGERATED.

w Believed That the Dead at Ka sas City and Topeka Number Fifty in All.

Topeka, Kan., June 2. - It is now believed that the total number of lives lost in the flood here will not exceed twenty. No lives were lost and only eight buildings were destroyed in the fires. Early reports were unavoidably exaggerated. The burning of lumber piles gave the impression that the whole of the north part of the city was going, and no one was found who placed his estimate of the loss of life under the hundreds. With the smoke cleared away, the Kansas River falling and communication by boat less difficult, additional information was received this morning, and the reduction in the estimated loss of life followed. About 200 people are still at North To-peka, 150 of them being in the upper story of the woollen mill. They are

peka, 150 of them being in the upper story of the woollen mill. They are well fed.

Kansas City, Mo., June 2.—The total death list in this vicinity, according to the statements of the Chief of Police of both Kansas Cities, is thirty-four. These deaths occurred at different points, no two of them taking place at any one point.

Down in the wholesale district people at dusk were waving white cloths to attract attention. The condition of some of these people is pitiable. They have been held prisoners for two days, threatened with death by drowning, and at one time by fire For the most part they were without food, and for twenty-four hours without drinking water. Every effort is being made, and they will all be saved, unless the water rises more. The rain is falling heavily, more stormy weather is sweeping up from the west, and the insatiable river is holding its own. It is practically stationary, but what the flood has it keeps, and there is no certain promise of when it will recede.

COUNTY COUNCIL HOLD SESSION

C. C. I. Board Increase the Proceedings at the Meeting of Kent's Commissioners on County Matters.

> Full Attendance of the Mem bers-Business Transacted with Despatch

The June Session of the County Council opened yesterday. Warden Robinson and Commissioners Sifton, Hornal, McCoy, Somers, Reycraft, Handy, Chinnick, Grant, Haggart, Vester, Sturgis, French and Ross were

Vester, Sturgis, French and Ross were all present.

Warden Robinson addressed the Council. He asked the members to give their careful consideration to the auditors' report, which had been laid over till this meeting. He then took up the county treasurer's estimate of funds required. He said that at least \$35,000 would have to be raised this year, and he thought by carrying over a few items in the current expense account that \$35,000 could be made to do and the levying of a similar amount next year would clear the county and cover the deficit caused by the shortage. The Warden also advised that all grants be made at the June session, as the making of grants at other sessions put the affairs of the county in a muddled condition. The estimates as furnished by Treasurer Fleming covered the deficit of the late treasurer and provided for the amount of wild land taxes collected and never returned to the various propried these

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ed and never returned to the various municipalities. No arrangement had been made for raising the interest on this money so retained.

The matter of the delivery of the four children of Mrs. Mary Wood over to the Children's Aid Society was brought 'before the Council. Judge Woods, in handing the children over to the society, had ordered that their keep be provided for by the County Council, in accordance with 'he statute. The matter was referred to the

Council, in accordance with the statute. The matter was referred to the Finance committee.

John Vester asked if the Council had to pay their keep.

John Vester said that the Council had to pay it

Mr. Chinnick said that Raleigh Tp. had paid for two children, but not for long. It was easy to get homes for children. Mr. French said that at first it was

Mr. French said that at first it was thought that the townships were liable under the act, but now the act is construed to make the county liable. The children in question didn't belong to Camden, but had liyed in Dresden, Chathum Tp. and Camden.

Capt. Fred C. Dennison wrote from Stewart Post Office. He said that he permission to raise a squadron of mounted infantry in connection with the Mounted Rifles, and he desired the County Council to pass a resolution asking the Minister of Militia to authorize the formation of the squad-

authorize the formation of the squad-ron. Mr. Dennison holds a commis-sion in the Governor-General's body-guard. Referred to Petition and Legislature.

islature.

A petition was received asking that School Section No. 9 be divided, and another petition was received asking that the school section be not divided. Referred to the Education committee. Mr. Sturgis gave notice that he would movethat the Council reconsider a grant made to the Tp. of Camden in 1902.

Mr. Ross gave notice that he would move for a grant to repair or build two bridges on the county line be-tween Essex and Kent, and also to petition the Legislature re an amend-

ment to the Municipal Act.

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Mr. Ross gave notice that he would move in regard to petitioning parliament to establish a squadrom of mounted infantry in Kent County.

Mr. Vester moved that the Council adjourn till 2 o'clock, Tuesday, to give the Equalization committee a chance to meet. The committee had a lot to do this year, as it had been a number of years since there had been an equalization of assessment in the county by the Judge, and Mr. Vester hinted that there was a possibility of some changes being made this year.

Mr. French asked that the whole Council meet to-morrow to hear the solicitors of the different parties interested in the dispute arising over School Section No. 9, Chatham Tp. He desired to have the whole Council hear both sides, as the Education committee was not a majority, of the Council.

Mr. Vester said that he wasn't sat-

Council.

Mr. Vester said that he wasn't satisfied to have the Equalization com-mittee vote without all the members being present and he made a motion in accordance with Mr. French's re-

being present and he made a motion in accordance with Mr. French's request.

PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY.

Delegates Travel in a Special C. P. R.
Train.

Toronto, June 2.— The majority of the delegates to the Presbyterian General Assembly in Vancouver will travel by a special C. P. R. train, which will leave here this afternoon at 1.45. It will consist of three first-class sleepers, three tourist sleepers, and a special dining-car.

A Foolish Venture.

Halifax, June 1.—Capt. E. T. Waise, a native of the United States, started from Sydney to-day to cross the Atlantic in a boat of eleven feet nine inches, being the smallest boat ever used for an undertaking of this kind.

KING ST. WEST WILL HAVE ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT

Decision of the City Council Last Evening—Tender Accepted and Work Will Proceed-The Civic Estimates Submitted-Other Business.

An asphalt block pavement will be put down on King street west.

This was the decision arrived at by the City Council at their meeting last evening. The matter was the subject of considerable discussion before a decision was finally arrived

Chairman Mounteer, of the Board of Works, brought the matter up in his report, although he did not want to give the King street ratepayers something they did not want. He recommended that as initiatory procceedings had been taken for asphalt block, that the Council continue the work and put down an asphalt block pavement. He was supported strongly in this by Ald. Marshall.

A letter from the city solicitor advised the Council that they could proceed now to put down either an asphalt block pavement or a sheet asphalt pavement. A petition for sheet asphalt signed by a majority of the ratepayers of the street, yet not sufficiently signed, had been received, but the Council could go ahead with

either in spite of all petitions. Several of the aldermen in the course of the decision did not regard the solicitor's opinion seriously in arriving at their own conclusion.

The Mayor-If you go on at all with the work you ought to go on at once.

Ald. Mounteer-We recommend that the tender of the Forest City Paving Company for asphalt block be accepted.

Ald. Martin was in favor of leaving the matter over until next Council night, when a vote from the ratepayers of the street could be obtained In this he was supported by Ald. Scul lard. Ald. Martin spoke at great length and with much energy, referring several times to the "aristocracy who were seated in the Council room.'

Ald. Mounteer-There are a great many on the street opposing any pavement.

Ald. Marshall-I will vote with the report. We don't want to have any misunderstanding over this pavement. The city is now paying for works which another party should be paying for.

Ald. Mounteer-The matter has held off so long that the companies who have tendered are waiting for their checks and it is not right to hold

them back. The Mayor-We would be no farther ahead in two weeks.

The vote was then put and Ald. Mounteer"s motion for asphalt block carried.

There was a full attendance at the

meeting.
The statement of license district The statement of license district No. 2 of Kent was referred to Fin-A petition for an asphalt block

A petition for an asphalt block pavement on Lacroix street was reported sufficiently signed. Referred to engineer for report.

D. J. McDonald, of the C. P. R. Hotel, complained of a poor sidewalk. Referred to Board of Works. A petition for a sewer on West street was referred to the Clerk.

street was referred to the Clerk.
A petition largely signed, asking the
Council to petition the Government
to fill in the creek was received.
A petition for a sewer on Wellington street was sufficiently signed and
referred to the engineer.
Chas. Kellar asked permission to
cut down a tree. Referred to Chief

Holmes.

The James Morris Brass Company quoted mocking-bird whistles at \$47.50. A communication re the labor question was referred to the Board of Works.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Ald. Marshall, for the Finance committee, reported as follows:
1. That the News account of \$62.40

1. That the News account of \$62.49-be paid when certified to.
2. That The Planet account for \$49.59 be paid when certified to.
3. That Geo. Jamieson's account for \$6.30 be paid when certified to.
4. That the C. B. C. account for \$620 be paid if correct.

4. That the C. B. C. account for \$10 be paid if correct.
5. That J. H. Blackburn's account; \$2.50, be paid.
6. They we petition the local member to appose the bill re municipal taystion.

ber to apose the bill re municipal taxation.

7. We advise the sale of the wood at the Home of the Friendless for \$40 to Mary C. Brady.

8. That the account of S. C. Bogart, \$3.00, be paid.

The report was adopted.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Mouniceer, for the Board of Works, reported as follows: 1. That the Council fill in a point on Water street to be used as a park,

on water street to be used as a park, cost \$15.

2. Re communication of J. Besant re a chocked sewer, we have had it flushed.

3. That the account of J. Horning for \$7.20 be paid.

4. Re the tender of the Chatham Paying Company, they wight to de-

4. He the tender of the Chatham Paving Company, they wish to de-posit cash. We made arrangements whereby 15 per cent. of the actual cost of the walks will be held back and that they deposit \$500 in the city frequency.

city treasury.

5. Re request to appoint J. Leber inspector of the sidewalk on West street, the engineer will inspect the walk.

6. Re the tenders for the Duluth the street even we recommend that the

street sewer, we recommend that the tender of Richard Stevens be ac-

7. As initiatory proceedings have been taken for an asphalt block pave-ment on King street west, we re-Continued on Page Five

Girl's Strap Slippers.

A large variety of Girl's Strap Slippers has been put into stock at prices from

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TUESDAY, JUNE 2.

CHANCE FOR CHATHAM.

The St. Thomas centennial celebration committee held its final meeting in the city hall on Saturday evening and found, after all accounts were passed, that there was a surplus of over \$600.

The only financial assistance the committee received, outside of the contributions of enterprising citizens, was a grant of \$500 from the St Thomas City Council.

The expenses were large. The securing of two large regiments of soldiers, the elaborate civic decorations and illuminatione, the myriad and one special attractions engaged-all netted an enormous bill.

Yet St. Thomas has a surplus of

St. Thomas has reaped other advantages-many of them so obvious that it seems unnecessary to enumerate them. "Onlooker" points many of them out in an article in The Times. The celebration brought thousands of peo- and his estate will not come under the ple to the city, and every visitor represented the leaving of at least one dollar-and many dollars in most cases-in circulation in St. Thomas.

It would perhaps be safe to say, too, that on an average every residential street in the city entertained visitors People had invited their friends from a distance to witness the celebration and incidentally pay them a visit This meant increased purchases from the grocers, bakers, butchers and confectioners, and let loose an unusual flood of provision money. Was that a bad thing for the city?

The hotels and restaurants are large purchasers of supplies, and they were taxed to their utmost to feed the multitude in addition to disposing of every inch of sleeping accommodation.

The livery stable men also reaped a harvest; vendors of refreshments and notions of various kinds made money and spent it. During the four days of the celebration during which the street cars were operated, the street

ready, and will yet derive from the celebration, is that of extensive and deverable advertising. The press all over the Province and Dominion described Province and Dom voted columns every day, under large head-lines, to the proceedings in St. Thomas. Dozens of weekly papers have since published approving comments regarding the city, its people and the way in which so extensive a celebration was carried out. Hundreds of visitors were there who nevwaiting for the County Council to semble Monday.

"Tom Lee, who lives opposite my place, found an old well recently," stated Mr. Chinnick. "The well is to over 40 years of age and how much older nobody seems to know, as the old settlers cannot remember it. Mr. Lee had built a new house and while built, progressive city, and directly or indirectly this will redound to its

done, the Maple City can do-and do even more successfully. No Canadian city of its size has the possibilities of Chatham: none has such an army of enterprising and progressive citizens. All it wants is some indefatigable moving spirit to "take hold" and get the project under way.

We have talked enough about our Old Boys' Reunions and kindred enterprises. Everyone talks and everyone favors them. What's the matter with getting together now and doing something practical?

And just think of the fine swell pavements we could show at a big celebration next year.

It's pretty nearly time that the Government was doing something for Chatham's crack regiment. How is it that every other military centre can get a first class armory, while Chatham is ignored? Mr. Stephens has the floor.

The moment the Toronto Globe learned that Col. Matheson had a strong suspicion that the \$3,000 paid to Gamey came from the Sullivan-Shannon timber deal it dropped its oft repeated editorial query "Where money come from?" Globe will have no further use for the question and will be quite willing to let it go to pot since it has discovered that an answer to this question is sure to be disastrous to the Ross Gov-

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The Detroit Tribune puts into the following pathetic meter its experience with sheet asphalt paving: Little holes in asphalt, little cracks and dents, make a \$30,000 pavement look like 30 cents.

AN UNCONTESTED WILL.

Hamilton Spectator. If Premier Ross has no legacy to leave his children except the good name of his government, as Johnston said, he may depend upon it that his will will not be contested by his heirs provisions of the Succession Duties

PRESENTATION

Miss Nellie Gammage, who for some years has been connected in many dif-ferent departments with Park St. Epworth League and its work, and an able and enthusiastic worker, having resigned from office, was presented with a nicely worded address and a pair of beautiful hand-painted plates. Will Shillington read the address in a very feeling manner and the presen-tation was made by Miss Galloway. Many expressed sorrow at losing so valued a member, but all were hearty in their well-wishes for future happi

\$100 REWARD, \$109.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and been able to cure in all its stages and, that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical! fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. street cars were operated, the street railway—owned by the people of St. Thomas—took in a total of \$1,132.17, and would have realized twice that amount had the service been a better one.

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AN OLD WELL

County Commissioner Chinnick was hatting with his colleagues while raiting for the County Council to

built, progressive city, and directly or indirectly this will redound to its credit.

The citizens of St. Thomas are so thoroughly delighted with the success of their enterprise that they have decided to deposit their surplus of \$600 as a nest egg for celebrating the centennial of the city in similar style in 1910. All of which shows that they are not weary in well doing and are actively cognizant of the manifold advantages which have accrued from the recent celebration.

The Planet has pointed out before that what St. Thomas can and has done, the Maple City can do—and do the secure of the sections of the section of the sections of the section Lee had built a new house and, while

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JUNE WEDDING

St. Joseph's Church was this morning the scene of a very pretty wedding, when, at seven o'clock, Miss Maude E. St. Amour and Sylvester C. Ryan were united in the holy bonds of

matrimony by Rev. Fr. James.

The bride's dress was of cream peau de soir over cream taffeta silk, trim-

de soir over cream taffeta silk, trimmed with hand-made lace, wearing a bridal veil and carrying bridal roses. The young bride looked charming.

Miss Minnie Kileen was bridesmaid, and wore blue organdie, trimmed with point lace, and carried pink roses.

After the marriage ceremony the bridal party drove to the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Wm. H. Crowe, St. Clair street, where about twenty-live sat down to a sumptuous wedding breakfast. The guests then adjourned to the parlor and were served with

ed to the parlor and were served with wedding cake and wine. On her return from the church Mrs. Ryan was received by five maids attired in pink and white organdie.

The groom's assistant in the cere-mony was Wm. McGrail, of this city. The groom's present to the bride was a pearl crescent, while the bridesmaid received a gold locket and chain, and the five young ladies who acted as maids each was the recipient

of an opal stick-pin.
The happy young couple left on the 12.42 G. T. R. for their home, 437 Trumbell Ave., Detroit, amid the best wishes of their many friends.

The materials of work are as important as the work itself. The name of Phidias would be unknown to-day had Phidias wrought in wax.

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At 50c—Colored waists, of fine per-cale print and fancy muslins, made up in latest styles, some lace trim-med, choice range of patterns, sizes 32 to 44 inches, special each

At 69c-Best quality percale waists, in splendid range of stripe patterns, pretty colorings, fast dyes, sizes 32 to 42 inches, special each

At \$1.25—Fine batiste waists, colors sky, pink, navy and linen, all-over white embroidered fronts and tucked back and sleeves, some with rows of white embroidery on front, back, sleeves, collar, and cuffs, regular \$1.50 to \$1.75 values, special each

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Bicycles for hire at Brisco's. tf The Rev. Mr. McLintock has re-

"When Boys were Men"-in the Big Saturday Planet. Don't miss it. Tommy Coogan, grandson of Major

Tommy Coogan, grantson of Major Coogan, is the page at this session of the County Council.

You will enjoy "When Boys were Men" in Saturday's Planet. It's both clever and fascinating.

C. L. Malpass, of London, England, and F. Mitchell, of Manchester, Eng-land, are guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Dennis Perry, Tupperville, was in the city in the interests of the new school section proposed in school sec-

It is to laugh to see Jack Dauber,

that irrepressible funny comedian, play the part of the tramp in "A Breezy Time" at the Grand to-night. One of the best serial stories even published in this district will be com-menced in the Big Saturday Planet this week. It's well worth reading.

Fitz & Webster's laugh producing railroad will sell excursion tickets at very low rates to see their newest, "A Breezy Time" at the Opera House to-night.

Refrigerators, screen doors, cream freezers, lawn mowers, lammocks and bicycles. Full fresh assortment at low prices. Geo. Stephens & Co.

Tom Swan, an old Chatham boy, but now of Flint, Mich., is spending a few days in the city renewing old acquaintances. Tom is now one of Flint's enterprising young business Wanted! An experienced hardware man and a machine agent to canvass and sell machinery in the country. Ap-

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miss it. Remember, in the Big Sat urday Planet. Readers of The Planet have a treat awaiting them in the new serial story, "When Boys Were Men," which commences in Saturday's issue.

All reading notices of local nouncements must be received at this office not later than noon of the day which it is desired that they ap pear in The Planet.

pear in The Planet.

Owing to the horse shows and races in Toronto, Mr. Walter Harland Smith has been unable to come to Chatham himself. He, however, will be here personally next Saturday to buy all kinds of good horses. As usual, the buying will be done at The Wm. Gray & Sons Co.

On the Sons Co.

Pocket book Lost !- A small, reddish pocketbook, in Chatham or the county, about the 26th of May. The book contained about four dollars in silver and

tained about four dollars in silver and about thirty-one dollars in bills, and a small ring. A liberal reward will be paid for its return or for such information as will lead to its recovery. Address Planet. Idlw In the case of John W. Campbell vs. the Township of Howard for damages caused by an overflow of water from McGregor Creek, Walter Mills, barrister, of Ridgetown, has taken out an order before Drainage Referee J. B. Rankin, K. C., for directions as to the mode of procedure in the future conduct of the case. No one has been appointed yet to represent the defendant. the defendant.

the defendant.
County Commissioner John Vester has lived on the Communication Road two miles south of Bleaheim for over 40 years. In December, 1862, Mr. Vester purchased 50 acres of woods at \$8 per acra. At the time there was nothing but bush from the Rice place to Blenheim, except two small clearings. Mr. Vester paid \$1,800 for the second 50 acres he purchased. It was all woods, too. He now owns 217 acres and has one of the finest farms in the County.

"Do minstrels take in this town?" inquired the advance agent of the Colossal Black Cork troupe. "Well, the last that were here did." esponded the innkeeper sourly.

You cannot tell by the size of a man's home the size of his happiness .- Tal-

Mrs. Moffatt.

"I would have spells of Rheumatism, and at times it would give me great distress in my back and side. Many a time I have had to receive an injection time I have had to receive an injection to relieve the pain. I obtained a vial of Munyon's Rheumatism Cure at the free distribution, and I am now feeling quite well. I have had no pains since, and can move around quite freely. I am very glad to give my experience for the benefit of anyone who may be suffering in a similar manner."—Mrs. F. Moffatt, 128 Mutual street, Toronto. Your druggist will recommend Munyon's Rheumatism Cure; ask him about it. Only 25c a vial.

Horses In Venice

It is said that some of the Vene-tlans—those who have never been to the mainland—have never seen a horse in all their lives. A showman once brought one to a fair and called it a monster, and the factory hands paid a quarter to see the marvel.



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Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsistings between us, the undersigned, in business carried on at the city of Chatham, was dissolved by mutual consent, on the 30th day of April, 1903. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to W. E. Rispin at 115 King street, Chatham, and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented to the said W. E. Rispin, who is authorized to act for us in the winding up of the partnership.

Dated at Chatham this 23rd day of May, A. D., 1903.

of May, A. D., 1903.
G. K. ATKINSON,
W. E. RISPIN.

special each

TO CONTHAUTORS

Sealed bulk and separate tenders will be received up till one o'clock p. m., Saturday, June 6th next, at the offices of the architects, for all the several works required in the erection of abrick school house, to be erected in School Section No. 1, better known as the Charteris School

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Plans and specifications to be seen

at the offices of the architects.

Address all tenders to F. W. Charteris, Esq., Sec.-Treas., Chatham P. O., marked "Tender for Charteris' School House."

J. L. WILSON & SON,

Architects

May 23rd, 1903.

Notice to Contractors

Scaled separate or bulk tenders addressed to Mrs. J. Ferguson will be received at the office of the undersigned until Wednesday, June 3rd, for the various trades required in the erection and completion of a brick veneered residence, about four miles from the city of Chatham.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

A. M. PIEER,

Architect, Chatham Ont.

EXECUTOR'S SALE.

Pursuant to the powers vested in the Vendor, there will be sold by pub-lic auction, by Andrew Thomson, Esq., Auctioneer, at the Garner House, Chatham, on Saturday, the 13th day of June, 1903, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, the following desirable residence property adjoining the City of Chatham:—

the City of Chatham:—
All and singular that certain parcel or tract, of land and premises, situate, lying and being on the South
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Side of Park Avenue, in the Township of Harwich, in the County of Kent, being composed of that part of Lot number Two in the Second concession of said township, containing ten acres of land, formerly owned and occupied by the late Mrs. John E. Brooke.

Terms of Sale:—Ten per ceut. of the purchase money is to be paid at the time of sale and the remainder within two weeks thereafter without interest. Further particulars will be made known at the time of sale, or may be had on application to the undersigned.

Large white brick residence, stone foundation, 11 rooms, spacious basement and attic; frame stable; small frame dwelling house; ten acres of land with large orchard; just outside city limits; low taxes.

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Vendor's Solicitor,

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May 29th, 1903.

A. O. U. W.

The brethren of Peninsular Lodge, No. 2, A. O. U. W., will attend Divine Service on Sunday, June 7th, at Holy Trinity Church, meeting at their lodge room at 6.30 p. m. room at 6.30 p. m.
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It is only within a few years that Ceylon

has come to be known as a tea growing country. It has taken people some time to

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LUCUBRATION OVER A WELL-KNOWN PHRASE RECENTLY REVAMPED.

Man's Life of More Value Than the Things of Life-Life Robbed of Dignity When It Leses and Wastes Itself in the Over-Absorbing Effort at Making a Living.

Abserbing Effect at Making a Living.

A correspondent, who describes himself as "one of the unfortunates that make a living by selling groceries," enquires as to the meaning of the sentence in a recent editorial in The Globe: "Over too many men the epitaph, mutatis mutandis, might be inscribed, 'Born a man, died a grocer.' "That paper answers as follows: The meaning is made plain by the related sentence: "They devote themselves to their trade, or business, or profession so selfishly or so sordidly that many of their faculties suffer atrophy." That is to say, a man's life is of more value than the things of life, and he robs life of its dignity and misses its mark who its dignity and misses its mark who wastes and loses life itself in the over-absorbing effort at making

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Business circles are crowded with Business circles are crowded with men who are sacrificing the essential elements of their manhood on the ruthless altar of their trade. It is not that the stress and tension of their life is increasing. Every man who has anything to do with modern city life feels the strain of it. The burden becomes a curse when a man shuts out of his life all else and gives himself unreservedly to the man shuts out of his life all else and gives himself unreservedly to the devouring routine of his crade. To care for nothing else in life, to shut out all large human interests, to feel no oneness with mankind, to cherish no hopes for one's self or one's fellows or one's country, to be content in being only a bit of machinery in the great grinding mill of trade—that is at once a crime against himself. A man cannot do the best for his occupation, dignifying it, improving it, enriching it with new ideas and better methods, unless he keeps his own manhood independent of and nobler than the dependent of and nobler than the things he does. Not to know his manhood's worth is to belittle that worth, and, changing the terms to suit the individual, the old-time epitaph would serve: Born a man, died a grocer.

The Professional's Greater Crime

Professional men are in the same danger as business men, and their surrender to the gross and material in life is the greater crime. Their educational career in school and university, if it were truly educative, should safeguard them against narrowness, and even their professional training should make for breadth of culture. But in everyday life many teachers and physicians lawyers and preachers have little in lawyers and preachers have little in-terest in the throb and passion of life outside their own little profes-sional sphere. The books they read are not to feed their own life, but to supply the needs of their profes-sion. Their interest in literature dies, and they stand aloof from the social and intellectual life of men. Their professional service suffers be-cause of their loss of vitality, and the epitaph is theirs, too: Born a the epitaph is theirs, too: Born a man, died a—teacher, or physician, or lawyer, or preacher. Nowhere is this atrophy more gen-

eral or more hurtful than in politics and public service. Not a few poli-ticians are blinded by partyism, and their views of life are narrowed by self-interest and superficial study.
They deal with the problems of government, but they have never considered the first principles of government. Externally they touch world wide issues, but they are without understanding. They know nothing of what Rosebery meant when he spoke of "statesmen of the imagina tion"; they are politicians of the ward, and the polling-booth, and the patronage. Manbood dies out of their politics, and with it dies patriotism, and their epitaph Born a man, died a politician.

Keep Life From Being Warped.

And all this suggests to the individual himself, to the home, to the Church, and to the State, the high and pressing duty of keeping life from being warped and desolated and undone by the too close and too constant touch of the things of life. A man may make money, and build a great house, and buy all the apparatus of culture, the paintings, the statuary, the hooks, the music, but if his emotions are wasted, if his if his emotions are wasted, if his facul i s are benumbed, if his power of appreciating the true and the beautiful is atrophied, in trying to gain the things of life he lost life itself. This is the tragedy of everyday life. And to save us from that fate we have schools and universities for our youth, and for after years we have literature, and history, and philosophy, and the great study of life itself, by which, even in narrowest lives and most sordid enrowes. rowest lives and most sordid will make us less forlorn." To know how to do life's commonest duties without losing life's wonder and its bloom—that is the true philosophy

The proposal to restock the west-ern counties of Ontario with quail, as set *forth in the report of the Game Commissioners, recalls some local efforts that have been made in this direction. A couple of years ago the Woodstock Gun Club secured quite a number of birds and turned them loose in this neighborhood. them loose in this neighborhood. Since then scarcely a trace of the birds has been seen. A few reports reached town about the success of some pot-hunter; but that was all. It is considered probable that most of the birds perished during the first winter, and the rest dispersed. It is said that none of the birds were over seen in the section in which they were liberated.—Woodstock Express

find out that the soft balmy climate and rich soil were especially adapted for the tea plant. Once they found out however, it did not take them long to discover that Ceylon Tea was the most fragrant and delicious tasting tea grown in the world. Just as there are grades of everything, however, there are grades of Ceylon Tea, and BlueRibbon Ceylon Tea is grown in the most favorable localities in Ceylon for the best tea. It is "hill" tea, from the upland district of the interior, where the climate is cool and the tender shoots and leaves extract to the utmost from the fertile soil the properties that make it rich, thick, creamy tea with a fragrant aroma that whispers of the spice-laden breezes of Ceylon. When Blue Ribbon Tea is picked it undergoes a strictly scientific and careful treatment until it appears before you on your table. We are careful in retaining its qualities so they will reach you unimpaired. Red Label Black, Mixed Forty Cents Ceylon Green Quality should be Fifty

dignant taxpayer who had been trying in vain to have his assessment reduced "but I can't even get a hearing." "Perhaps," suggested his friend, "you don't stand in with the officeholders."

"I stand in line an hour or two every day, if that's what you mean, and it doesn't do a bit of good."

A Tea Legend.

One ancient legend says that the virtues of tea were learned by accident by a Chinese monarch, King Shen Nung. "the divine husbandman," who flour-ished forty centuries ago and who in boiling water over a fire made from the tea branches on which the latter still hung allowed some of the latter to fall into the pot.

The Polygiet Menu.

La Montt-It is quite an innovation for that cafe proprietor to have his menu in English, French and Latin.

La Moyne-It's economy. When an English dish is left over, he gives it a French name and if it is still around to the third day he charges it to Latin. on the third day he changes it to Latin.

A Safe Time to Cross. "Well, well," said the old lady living nland, when she heard that her favorte grandson was going to Europe, "it's een a dry summer, and the sea won't e so deep as common."

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Trading on the Niger.

'I was anxious to buy some fruit from a native woman who came down to the ship, and to this end I produced a handful of coppers which I had brought out from England. I first showed her five, then six, seven and eight, but she pushed them all aside in a most unceremonious manner. More by way of a joke than anything else, I then produced a three penny piece, which she at once accepted, giving me in return just twice as much as I had asked for my eight coppers. I also discovered that she had a great partiality for white glass bottles. I happened to have about half a dozen empty soda water bottles, for which she gave me the same number of eggs. I afterward found that any white glass bottle had this purchasing power all over Nigeria. The natives send them to Bida, where they are melted and made into rings about three or four inches in diameter, to be worn either as armlets or anklets."

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TO-NIGHT.

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The Sons of Scotland will hold their regular meeting at 8.

Public School Board, Harrison Hall

regular meeting, at 8 Chatham Lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. F., Oddfellows' Temple, at 8.

C. B. C. Moonlight Excursion, Str City of Chatham, at 7.30.

Fitz & Webster's "A Breezy Time," a very popular Farce Comedy, at the Grand. Curtain at 8.15.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W. Toronto, June 2.-10 a.m.-Moderate easterly winds, fine and moderately warm to-day and Wednesday

The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau;

Thermometer 58. Highest yesterday 70. Lowest yesterday 54. Direction of wind, east.

Local Briefs

Robert Watson, of Mull, was in the G. W. Ashwell, of Dresden, was in

the city yesterday. Thomas W. Crowe, of Wallaceburg,

ement yesterday in town. Geo. Cleaveland, of Cedar Springs, was in the city yesterday.

The Sons of Scotland will hold their regular meeting to-night. Sylvanus Shaw, of Dresden, visited his mother here yesterday.

H. M. Pardo, of Cedar Springs, was Chaiham visitor yesterday.

"When Boys were Men"-in the Big Saturday Planet. Don't miss it. Smart boy wanted at once to work at trimming. Apply to The Wm. Gray & Sons Co. 2td

D. O'Leary and Wm. McNernie, of Wallaceburg, were Chatham visistors yesterday.

Miss Maude Marshall sang a solo in St. Joseph's Church both morning and afternoon on Sunday last.

Mrs. Hutton, of Au Sable, Mich., is in the city attending the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Louise Sturman. Mr Pheland, of Chicago, arrived in the city this morning and has com-menced installing the new machinery in C E. Lister's cold storage plant.

Misses Ida McKerrall, Marie McCormick, Eva Phillip and Nettie Stephenson, of Detroit, have returned home, after visiting friends and relatives in the Maple City.

"There 2 T's, Trudell & Tobey, 2 D's, Deloge & Doyle, 2 H's, Hogan & Howe, and there will soon be 2 P's, Primeau & Peltier, doing business in Chatham, said Henry Primeau this morning "This goes to show that Chatham never does things by halves."

The L. E. & D. R. R. service to Erieau, will commence Monday, June 15th. Trains will run the same as last gear, with the exception of the mid-day, which has been cancelled. A change is to be made in the rates this year, but commutation ticket rates will not be changed. For further par-ticulars apply to L. E. Tillson, local agent.

J. H. Broad has returned from Madock, where he went to visit his cous-ian, Sam. Farrell, who served through-cout the South African war. Mr. Far-rell presented his cousin with some of the cigarettes presented to the diers from King Edward, and as Mr. Broad is not a smoker he brought them to The Planet. It is needless to say they were much appreciated.

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PHONE 295 F re and Plate Glass Insurance.

There was no meeting of the Separate School Board last night, there being no quorum. A special meeting will be held next Thursday evening at eight o'clock.

The Manson Campbell Company have taken the contract for the building of 5,000 incubators for an American firm. The incubators will be built at the Detroit factory.

There was a large attendance at the meeting of the Non Coms. of the Regiment last evening in the Mess Rooms: Printing and booth commit-tees were appointed for the moonlight excursion on June 26.

At the meeting of the Park street

At the meeting of the Park street Epworth League last evening Dr. A. A. Hicks gave a very interesting talk on the topic. Harry Jordan had the meeting in charge. Miss Dunkley sang a solo and Miss Carnovsky gave an instrumental solo.

C. E. Beeston reported to the police that a number of windows at Holy Trinity church had been broken. Officer Henry Darr went up to investigate and found that nine of the stained glass panes had been broken evidently by a boy with a sling shot. The damage is about \$5. Officer Darr is on the trail of the culprit.

A poorly dressed tramp had a very

Darr is on the trail of the culprit.

A poorly dressed tramp had a very narrow escape from death at the C.

P. R. station this afternoon. He was stealing a ride and came into Chatham on the one o'clock flyer riding on one of the coach steps. When he came to the station he attempted to alight before the train stopped, and, as a result, was nearly thrown under the wheels. He was not noticed to board the train again, so that there is a the train again, so that there is a new tramp in town.

AMES FAILED

Prominent Toronto Brokerage Firm Reported to Have **Suspended Operations**

(Via L. J. Atwater's Wire). Toronto, June 2.-Rumor had it at noon to-day that the brokerage firm of A. E. Ames & Co., long established reputable, had, at eleven o'clock, closed up its offices. A notice on the door said that "A. E. Ames & Co. have suspended payments, owing to the severe market of late."

'Tis said that Mr. Ames has gone rather heavily into Twin City railway stock, which has taken a very rapid fall lately.

A. E. Ames is a son-in-law of Geo. A. Cox president of the Bank of Commerce.

Some Chatham people are said to be interested in the Ames failure.

The failure of Mr. Ames will prove nost disastrous and far-reaching. He is president of the Metropoltan Bank and head of many other monetary institutions in Toronto and was reputed to be worth several millions. It will be the most unfortunate failure Canada has experienced for

The companies in which he is largely interested have been the leading promoters of the several new industries which have been developed in Canada during the past few years. It is feared they will be all more or less affected.

PRAISE 24TH

Congratulatory Letter to Col. J. B Rankin.

Lieut.-Col. J. B. Rankin has re-ceived the following letter, which speaks for itself. It was read to the 24th Regiment after parade last even-St. Thomas, Ont., June 1, '03.

J. B. Rankin, Esq., Lieutenant Colonel, Commanding 24th Regiment, Chatham, Ont.: Dear Colonel,-I am requested

General committee of the Talbot Centenial Celebration, to thank you, and through you, your officers and men, for your visit here on the 24th and 25th ult. Your Regiment certainly presented a very fine ap-pearance and went a long way to-ward making the celebration the suc-cess it was. The men were certainly well behaved and were a credit to you and your city.

you and your city.

I am very pleased to say that our celebration was a financial success. I have shipped the tents back to London as requested, and have paid the freight charges on the same. The full two hundred dollars will be sent to your naymaster by our treasurer. o your paymaster by our treasurer

in a day or two.

Trusting we may in the future have the pleasure of welcoming the 24th the pleasure of in our city, I am,
Yours truly,
HENRY ROE,
Secret

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THE RAILWAY COMMISSION.

Mr. Blair's Bill Under Discussion Mr. Borden's Tariff Amendments.

Ottawa, June 2 .- Mr. Blair's railway commission bill got well under way yesterday, and some nineteen sections have been disposed of. There appears to be no disposition to criticize the bill on party lines, so that it will probably not occupy as much time as at first seemed probable. Tonight Mr. Borden gave notice of an amendment to supply, calling for increased duties on iron and steel. Sir Frederick Borden withdrew his bill to amend the militia act. The two suggested amendments to the fruit marks act were lost on division.

The following private bills passed their final stages:

their final stages:—
Respecting certain trust funds of the Diocese of Moosonee—Mr. Osler.
Respecting the Hamilton & Lake Erie Power Co. and to change its name to the Jordan Light, Heat & Power Co.—Mr. German.
To incorporate the Pacific Bank of Canada (reported)—Mr. Galliber

Canada (reported)—Mr. Galliher. Respecting the United Empire Life Insurance Company—Lieut.-Colonel

An act to incorporate the City & County Bank of Canada—Mr. Rosa-

The bill respecting the Canadian Steel Company (Mr. given second reading and referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Mr. Smith (Wentworth) moved the second reading of his bill to amend the fruit marks act. He explained that its object was to have fruit gradthat its object was to have fruit graded by inspectors, so that the grower or packer would not have to mark the grade of his own fruit. As the act was worded packers were sometimes obliged to grade their fruit too low, for fear of rendering themselves liable to fine. The inspection would be paid for by the parties asking for it. Hon. Sydney Fisher claimed that there were serious objections to the passage of the amendment. He pointed out that the Fruit Growers' Association had not asked for the amendment, but endorsed the act as it now stands. He insisted that the packer was the only man who could properly grade the fruit. He also pointed out the difficulty of securing competent inspectors tulty of securing competent inspectors at the season when they would be required. He pointed out many serious difficulties in the operation of the pro-

posed amendment.

Mr. Holmes, referring to a case in his own county, where the packer had infringed the provisions of the act, stated that the penalty imposed, in the

opinion of the fruit-growers in the county, was altogether inadequate to the gravity of the offence.

Hon. Mr. Fisher agreed that in cases of the nature referred to the penalty should be ten times as much as had been inflicted. The second reading of the bill was declared lost on division.

On motion to adjourn, Mr. Borden gave notice that on the next motion to go into supply he would move the following amendment:—This House is of opinion that the tariff of customs duties should give such protection to iron and steel industries as will not only secure to our own producers and manufacturers the Canadian market in articles now produced or manufactured in this country, but will also develop and sustain the manufacture in velop and sustain the manufacture in Canada of other iron and steel products, which at present are imported in large quantities from other countries; and that the present tariff of customs duties should be now readjusted on this principle. He said that he would not move this necessarily as a vote of want of confidence, but in the hope that the Government would favor the suggestion made, notwithstanding Mr. Fielding's statements in the budget speech.

The House adjourned at 11.10.

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Sept Lard	1687	1717	1685	1702	
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comes of years' experience in serving comfortable people. The greatest suit sale in the history of this store is now on. Regular \$8, \$7.50 and \$6.50 lines, on sale at \$5.00 for your choice. We started Saturday morning with over two hundred suits to select from, comprising nobby pat terns, tweeds and plain serges, every garment made from all-wool cloths, big selection yet, sizes 33 to 44.

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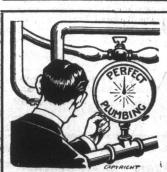
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KING ST. WEST BLOCK PAVEMENT

Continued from Page 1. commend that the tender of the Forest City Paving Company be accepted.

8. That Horn Bros. be given the contract for the King St. sewer at 9. That R. Stevens be given the contract for the Fifth St. sewer at \$264.

10. That the Engineer draw up estimates for two iron bridges over The report was adopted.

INDUSTRIAL COMMITTEE.
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He also reported that the managers of a large American concern contemplated coming to Chatham to inspect the city with a view to establishing a plant here. He was voted \$50 to cover incidentals.

The report was adopted.

It was decided to tear up all of the sidewalks condemned by the Engineer. A petition for a brick pavement on Third St. was sufficiently signed and referred to the Engineer.

It was decided to put down the brick pavement on Wellington street from Queen to Lacroix.

It was rumored around the Board that W. J. Kitchen had purchased the interests of Wm. Chrysler in the Chatham Paving Co. Their contract is not yet signed and they will have to sign it within the next 48 hours or the contract will be given to the next lowest tender.

Alds. McCoig, Scullard and Mounteer were appointed a committee to look into the matter of filling up the creek, and will report at the next meeting.

It was decided to return all of the

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checks accompanying tenders not accepted.

The Finance committee will consider ways and means for building two bridges over the creek.

The Mayor reported that Messrs. J. E. Thomas, T. R. Harris and William Ross have been appointed judges in the competition for the prizes given by the Mayor to the owners of the best kept lawns and gardens in the city. Anyone who wishes to enter the city. Anyone who wishes to enter the competition should send their name to any of the above named judges. By-laws re the Wilson Ave. sewer, the Charteris St. sidewalk and the poll

tex collector appointment were put through their readings and passed. The following is a statement of the expenditure of this year compared

WELL EARNED POPULARITY

J. J. Burns says Dodd's Kidney Pills Saved His Life

Could Scarcely Sit, Sleep or Walk When He Started to use Them— His Trouble Gone for Good. Darnley, P. E. I., June 1.-(Special).

-The popularity of Dodd's Kidney Pills in Prince Edward Island has been earned by cures complete and been earned by cures complete and permanent. John J. Burns, Lot 18, Darnkey, is one of the cured, and his story is a splendid example of the work Dodd's Kidney Pills are doing.

"For over eight years," says Mr. Burns, "I suffered from what the doctors pronounced Chronic Inflammation of the Loins and Kidneys. In the year 1896 it got so bad that I could scarcely walk, sit or sleep. I was about to give up when an advertisement led me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills and they did a wonderful work for me.

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"I belong to the I. O. F. and any member can vouch for my condition and that Dodd's Kidney Pills cured

me."
Dodd's Kidney Pills never fail to cure any form of Kidney Disease once and for all.

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We have light weight goods that have fashion and quality. The best we could buy. Really good material, worked into **First-class Suits** by workmen who know how to get fashionable effects, is what you want.

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Muslin De Soie, - 35 cents up 49 cents up Chiffons from -2 cents up 5 cents up Veiling, roc and - 15 cents up

C. A. Cooksley.

Opposite the Market Square. . +++++++++++++++++++++++++++

with that of last year, prepared by Finance Minister Marshall:—

The reason that the Board of Works expenditure is so much more this year than last is owing to the different way of keeping the books this year. ACCOUNTS.

The following accounts were pass-

ed:—
Pay sheets, \$296.05.
R. G. Fleming, \$2.39,
Geo. Jamieson, 60c.
Blonde Bros., \$5.
Mrs. Lee, \$6.
Bell Telephone Co., 25c.
Queen City Oil Co., \$6.79.
Waterworks Dept., \$120.33.
Bark Bros., \$44.70.
U. S. Carbon Co., Ref., \$100.
W. J. Moore, \$8.
W. J. Blake, \$6.
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Geo. Thomas, \$9.
Horace Rogers, \$9.
Stanley Turner, \$5.40.
Geo. Stephens & Co., Ref., \$13.08.
St. Joseph's Hospital, Ref., \$10.
Con. E. Shea, \$3.
Miss Tissiman, Ref., \$21.38.
24th Regiment Band, Ref., \$22.
C. P. R. Co., \$11.56.
Geo. Heaman, sweeper, \$300. Geo. Heaman, sweeper, \$300. Fred. Spencer, \$6. Geo. Stephens & Co., \$16.67.

BEATH IN THE CYCLONE.

TWO HUNDRED REPORTED KILLED AT GAINESVILLE, GA.

Cotton Mills Blown Down and Eighty People Buried Under the Ruins-Stores Wrecked.

Atlanta, Ga., June 2.—Governor Terrell has issued a proclamation saying about 200 were dead at Gainesrille and 1,000 in need of aid. He calls on Georgians to send relief. Gainesville, Ga., June 2.-A cyclone

of terrific force struck this city shorty before noon yesterday. Probably 200 persons were killed, and the circling wind fore the roofs from the hotels and other large buildings and destroy-ed the Gainesville Cotton Mills. The greatest loss of life is reported in the destruction of the cotton mills, where

greatest loss of life is reported in the destruction of the cotton mills, where about eighty persons are thought to have lost their lives, while scores of others are injured. Eighteen persons were killed between the centre of the town and the railroad station, where lour large stores were blown down. The storm had driven many persons into these stores for refuge.

There were 500 persons at work in the cotton mill when the cyclone struck. It was a three-story building. The first story was left standing, but badly wrecked. The second and third floors were completely demolished, and the employees were caught under the wreckage and mangled. It is estimated that there are at least 75 bodies under the wreckage of the third floor, and it is not known how many persons on the second floor of the building were killed. The roof of the electric car barn was lifted, and the building badly damaged. The railroad depot suffered also badly damaged: The railroad depot suffered also.

The Southern Depot was blown

down.

The Gainesville Iron Works were demolished and several people perished

in the wreck.

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The old Piedmont Hotel, now used as a school and apartment house, was razed, and half a dozen or more people were killed in it.

The Richmond Hotel was wrecked and several perished along with it.

One hundred and twenty-five cottages, a school house, and a church were blown away in the negro section of the town.

Five brick stores on the main street were swept away.

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In all, two hundred buildings were demolished.

The cyclone went from Gainesville to New Holland, and it is believed many people were killed there.

Neither the Arlington nor the Brenau College was in the track of the tornado, and they are therefore safe with their occupants.

You will enjoy "When Boys were Men" in Saturday's Planet, It's both clever and fascinating. The regular meeting of Parthenon Lodge, No. 267, A. F. & A. M. will be held to-morrow evening.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

GORDON Store

Continues and improves in its Bargain Specialties this first week in June. The great Wrapper and Dressing Sacque Sale continues this week, when we offer you dollar wrappers at 69c. and all the way up to \$2.50 values at equal reductions. You cannot miss such advantages in your favor.

New Mercerized Vestings-White, Brown and White, Black and White and evening shades, ranging in price rom 25c. to 75c. per yd.

Laced and Striped White Muslin for Walsts-5c, 61/4, 10, 121/2 c

We are giving a great offer just now. A well filled purse for 25c. See our Window Full. Great values in Walst Sets from 20c. to 42c. a set.

You want a Muslin Dress for circus day. We can show you a splendid lot of patterns in corded dimities at 10c. per yd, and American Organdies in choice patterns and colors, from 121/2c. up to 25c. per yard.

Mourning Muslins and Mourning Prints, no finer goods to be found, 10c. up. Gurtainings - Nottingham Laces, Madras Muslins, Bobbinets, Swisses Coin Spots, Brussels Nets and every up-to-date window draping.

Women's Balbriggan Underwear-Our starter in vests is 5c., thousands sold; then 8c, 10c., 12½c, 15c. and upward—cream or white. Knit to Fit-A new improved undergarment from neck to ankles, just patented, the

sweetest comfort imaginable, \$3.50. Summer Millinery. The designs for June are remarkably stylish and handsome. Our new Burnt Straw Models and Mahogany Brown Chip-sea side and travelling hats, with the gauzey chiffon effects and many more, while in appropriate girlish headwear we aim to excell.

Wm.Gordon. -Standard Designer, 10c See Our June Standard Patterns ...

LADIES' GUILD

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Guild of Christ Church was held in the S. S. Hall, Wednesday afternoon, May 20th, for the election of officers for the coming year; the following being present:—Mesdames Kellar, McCosh, Bray, Richards, Waddell, Fisher, Barassin, Moore, Harper, Glass, Polson, and Rev. Mr. McCosh.

After the reading of both the sectary's and treasurer's reports, which were adopted, Mr. McCosh took the chair, and the following officers were elected for the coming year:—

Pres.—Mrs. A Shackleton.
Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Kellar.
Treas.—Mrs. Fisher.
Sec y.—Mrs. Polson.
It was decided by the ladies to use the money now on hand for cleaning and decorating the interior of the church, this having been a very successful function. cessful financial year, the amount being about \$450.

SMALL-POX OUTBREAK

Four cases of small-pox have been discovered in the Township of Orford, five miles beyond Thamesville, to-wards Bothwell. Dr. Hall visited the wards Bothwell. Dr. Hall visited the place on Saturday and pronounces the disease small-pox in a well marked stage. There are three cases, two in one family and one in another, and it seems very likely at present that the disease will spread.

The infection was started by a farm laborer who caught the disease in or near Ridgetown. He was taken ill with fever and a physician pronounced it influenza. Three days afterwards a rash broke put over the man's body, yet nothing was done.

afterwards a rash broke out over the man's body, yet nothing was done. Ten days afterward the school teacher was taken ill and a scholar in the school was also soon after taken ill. All of these cases were pronounced influenza by the physician. Dr. Fraser, of Thamesville, first pronounced the disease small-pox and his statements were corroborated by Dr. Hall. Dr. Graham, the M. H. O., is at present on his way to England, but Dr. McMerrick, of Bothwell, is acting in his place. The disease has been exposed for two weeks. The school has been closed.

Heart Palpitated.

FAINT AND DIZZY SPELLS.

FELT WEAK AND NERVOUS.

COULD SCARCELY EAT.

TWO BOXES OF

MILBURN'S **HEART** and NERVE **PILLS**

Gured Mrs. Edmond Brown, inwood, Ont., when she had almost given up hope of ever getting well again.

She writes: "I was so run down that I was not able to do my work, was short of breath, had a sour somach every night and could scarcely eat. My heart palpitated, I had faint and dizzy spells and felt weak and nervous all the time. My husband got me a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills but I told him it was no use, that I had given up hope of ever being cured. He however persuaded me to take them and before I had used hall the box I began to feel better. Two boxes made a new woman of me and I have beer well and have been able to do my work ever since."

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A farce comedy brim full and bubbling over with mirth and music. Presented by a superior company of comedians and pretty girls. Reserved seats at Central Drug Store. Prices: 25c., 35c., 50c., 75c.

New Gem Safety

Your barber is always with you if you have a Gem Safety Razor. You cannot cut yourself, safe, convenient and clean when travelling, a luxury for the cleanly man. Complete in

Tin Case, \$2.00.

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Fleury's Plows. Wortman & Ward's, wortman & Ward's, Beil Rollers, M. H. (Wisner) Drills, Daisy Corn Planters, Gale Cultivators, M. H. Mowers, Keystone Loaders

Side Delivery Rakes (for hay and beans). Massey-Harris Binders, Massey-Harris Corn Binders, Milwaukee Huskers, Brantford Wind Mills

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE.

Sewing Machines, Washing Machines, Bicycles, Harness and Buggies

GEO. STEPHENS & CO.

One of the best serial stories ever published in this district will be commenced in the Rig Saturday Planet this week. It's well worth reading.

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

All reading notices of local an-nouncements must be received at this office not later than noon of the day on which it is desired that they ap pear in The Planet.

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OUR WASH GOODS SECTION

IS NOW AT ITS BEST.

PRINTS In light and dark patterns-5c. to 12 1-2c.

Our

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25C. 5oc.

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GINGHAMS In all the new stripes and colorings, 10, 121, 150

Muslins, Lawns AND Silk Organdies In all daintiest patterns as well as the more staple

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the best in the City.

THIBODEAU & JACQUES, KING ST., CHATHAM.

It Is Usually the Result of Long Nes

In almost every daily paper are to be seen several announcements that some-body has died suddenly. These sudden Ceaths are more liable to be men than women. Mr. So-and-so fell dead on the street or in his office while writing letters or preparing a sermon or doing something or other. "Found Dead In His Room" is becoming a very com-mon headline. These deaths are hardly ever accounted for. Generally some-thing is said about the heart - some vague insinuation that the heart was not acting in a proper manner—but, as a rule, no explanation which is really rational is furnished.

It is a well known fact that the hear is a muscle. If the muscles of the body are allowed to become flabby, the he also becomes flabby. A flabby hear may be trusted to pump the blood through the system ordinarily, but : sudden fright or emergency, a sudden expenditure of energy, as in running up steps or any other unusual exercise is liable to overpower the heart. suddenly stops, and the man falls dead.

Tobacco tends to produce a flabby heart; whisky tends to produce enlargement of the heart; lazy, indolent habits weaken the heart and thin the ventricles. That man who indites editorials, dictates letters, but takes no muscular exercise, is in danger of falling dead. The life insurance man bet ter steer clear of him. It is of vastly more importance to know what his hab-its are with reference to physical exercise than to know whether his grandmother died of heart disease or his grandfather had rheumatism. The docor might a great deal better interview his wife and discover how the man be haves himself than to examine the blood for microbes or the urine for urate crystals.

If a man must be strenuous, let him be strenuous all round. He should take a little strenuous physical exercise ev-ery day as well as strenuous mental work. It is even dangerous to neglect to take daily physical exercise. Fatty degeneration is killing more men toway than is smallpox.

MUSINGS.

Wit that wounds is the cruel surgery

Heaven help the man whose friends are all enemie

If you must refuse a favor, learn the art of being polite about it. very best bands and orchestras it's possible for money to obtain, with special arrangements made for this band only. This organization has what no other band in connection with a farce comedy has, and that is, every man has been engaged as a specialist for his particular instrument, thus making a complete band of soloists.

The money that makes one mare go often makes the other mare stop. · You have not lost your fortune a

long as you have not lost your life. Make chums of your wife and chil-dren and know the whole charm of

There is no such thing as ease within the belief of men and women whose hearts are unselfish.

Men of small minds are slow to se in any man more than they are capable of seeing in themselves,

You can bet your boots, my boy, your don't fool him; you fool yourself.

To be important is one thing; to look important is another thing, but to feel important, there you have the fellow who really enjoys his own society.— Schoolmaster.

Finnish Grammar.

Finnish grammar is of a difficulty absolutely repulsive. None of the other languages of the same group is half so hard. Hungarian—nay, even Turkish, despite the vexatious initial impediment of the Arabic alphabet—is easy in comparison. The syntax is at once provokingly elaborate and per-plexingly obscure. It possesses fifteen distinct cases and four and twenty differentiated infinitive forms; but, on the other hand, there is no real distinction between nouns, adjectives, adverbs, prepositions, infinitives and par-ticiples, so that the student must not be startled by finding infinitives regu-larly declined like nouns, and nouns taking upon them degrees of comparison like adjectives.

Spaniels.

Spaniels, of which there are many breeds, are supposed to have first come from Spain, from which circumstance is derived their distinctive name Charles L was an ardent admirer of a small variety of this animal, and from that arose the designation of his pets, known the world over as King Charles Blenheim or Marlborough spaniels, which greatly resemble the latter in form and general appearance, get their English name from Blenheim palace in Oxfordshire, where the breed has been preserved since the beginning of the eighteenth century.

Stamina Needed.

The one indispensable quality of success in these days of tremendous competition is stamina. The young man who lacks that will never get far. He will soon be forced out of the race and sidetracked. Those who have pos ed it have conquered innumerable difficulties.-Success.

Incurable.

We hear of six newspaper editors who recently inherited fortunes. Trou ble is, when such things happen, they generally enlarge the paper and get poor and happy again six month

The First Requisite Ascum-Haven't you got a job yet? Layzee-No. I'm still waiting for something to turn up. Ascum-What you need to turn up are our sleeves.

Gets There Just the Same. You often hear it said a woman has intuition. As a matter of fact, it is sus-

If You Fail to Remove Your Burden of Disease in June, Your Life is Not Secure.

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Will Do For You What It Did For Mr. J. B. Butts.

THE STAGE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Supplied to The Planet by Pres

Agents.)

Fitz & Webster's "A Breezy

Time" at the Grand

To-Night.

PRAISES FOR THE BAND.

"A Breezy Time" has one of the

You talk about "A Breezy Time," why a Kansas cyclone is not in it with it. The founders must have ex-

perienced some such an event to have

compiled so many funny events. You laugh—you don't cry—you just simply holler and yell.

"A Breezy Time" is not a one-man show, by any means, but the east is made up of a whole load of funny comedians and pretty girls, whose festive jollity will make you forget you have any troubles.

It is to laugh to see Jack Dauber, that irrepressibly funny comedian, play the part of the tramp in "A

Plenty of singing, dancing and rusical novelties will be found this eason in "A Breezy Time."

From the time the curtain rises in

the first act, until the final act, there are just 150 moments; in that 150 moments there are 300 laughs. See "A Breezy Time." You will beach.

Quick Wit.

Regnier, the French actor, had once to call out to a fellow actor who was

expected to enter from the right wing,

'Ha, ha-there you are!" For some un-

accountable reason, however, the actor came on the stage on the left side, and

Regnier, without being in the least dis-

concerted, gave his call and added,

with a smile, "I saw you in the looking

"Can any little boy or girl tell me the meaning of the word widow?" asked the teacher. "Well, Willie?" to

an urchin who waved his hand vigor

"A widow," said Willie breathlessly,

is a man's wife that's lost her hus-

At the Chatham Grand:-

"A Breezy Time" to-night.

There was never a remedy so highly recommended for making sick people well in summer time as Paine's Celery Compound. It successfully grapples with all the ailments common in summer time, and never fails to remove long standing and chronic diseases that have baffled the skill of physicians. When Paine's Celery Compound is used, there is no long waiting for results. It tones the stomach, improves the appetite, as sists digestion, gives sweet sleep, excites the bowels to healthy action, expels all foul humors from the blood and braces the nervous system. Mr. J. B. Butts, Spadina Ave., Toronto, Ont., says:—

"I had a very bad attack of la grippe, which left me with a nervous and brokendown system; I also suf-

HONORS FOR CANADIANS. Receive Imperial Service Order.

London, June 1 .-- A long list of appointments to the Imperial Service Order, which is the King's direct recognition of merit, is gazetted. There are twelve Canadian Companions of the order, namely:—J. M. Courtney, Deputy Minister of the Department of Finance and Secretary of the Treasury

Finance and Secretary of the Treasury Board, Dominion of Canada.

W. G. Parmalee, Deputy Minister of Trade and Commerce, and Chief Inspector of Chinese Immigration, Dominion of Canada.

Eugene Tache, Deputy Minister of Lands, Mines and Fisheries (Quebec). Charles S. Jones, Chief Clerk of Patents for Ontario.

Col. D. A. Macdonald, R. O., Chief Superintendent of Military Stores.

Augustus Power, K.C., Chief Clerk of the Department of Justice.

Kivas Tully, Consulting Engineer and Architect, Public Works Department, Ontario.

Martin Murphy, Provincial Engineer, Department of Public Works and Mines, Nova Scotia.

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James S. Beck, Auditor-General,
New Brunswick.
Col. R. Wolfenden, King's Printer,
British Columbia.
S. W. McMichael, Chief Inspector
of Customs for the Dominion of Canada. Toronto.

ada, Toronto.

Frederick Montizambert, M.D., F.
R.C.S., Director-General of Public

R.C.S., Director-General of Public Health, Ottawa.

A medal of the order is granted to seven Canadians: Robert Winton, Jean Gauthier, Robert Rivers, lighthouse keepers; James Barnes, postman, Toronto; Patrick Denneney, lockman; Alexander Adams, laborer, in the Department of Railways and Canals.

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there are just 150 moments; in that 150 moments there are 300 laughs. See "A Breezy Time" You will laugh.

"A Breezy Time" is built for laughing purposes only. After seeing "A Breezy Time" and can't laugh see and laugh see and health virtues and basilty virtues. ness and health virtues. Any food worthy of a place in the home should be cooked and eaten while hot. Here is the difference: Cold fad foods produce colic and stomach troubles Malt Breakfast Food eaten hot, imparts life and vim. All Grocers.

"Give the devil his due, my dear," he

"Well," replied the little wife, "it's hard to give you up. John, but-the will of Providence be done!"-Atlanta Constitution.

He Didn't Understand. Spartacus-Have you been watching ne curlo sale?

Smartlens-No. 1 dien't know there was such a vessel in the harbor.-Balti-A Pessimist. Lawson-Do you believe in luck?

Dawson (grumpily)-Yes; bad luck!-

Somerville Journal.

A Triumph in Medicine

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THE NEW GOWNS They Show a Distinct Improv

Dresses show a distinct improve both in color schemes and in cut Broad shoulders are now the rule, and this is atoned for by the long perpendicular lines of the trimmings. Circular lines are used on the shirred skirts of voile and eolienne, but even these dip considerably in the front to give a long effect.

Graduated flounces are only used to give the outward sweep which a long skirt requires. These flounces are so skillfully concealed under trimmings and embroideries that they can only be detected by looking at the underside of the cloth.

Trains are not quite so long. On the other hand, the sides and front of the skirt are longer. Waists are made with fullness in the

front and at the wrist or elbows



BLACK CREPE DE CHINE GOWN.

Drawn lace is very smart, also maltese, and, in fact, these lighter laces are to a great extent supplanting the Irish weaves, which are more suited for outer wraps and cloth gowns than thin materials.

From Paris we have a quantity of rough linen hand embroidered blouses. These are for country and river wear and are made with a high neckband with a turnover Prussian collar and neat little stock and tie. Some, too, are made with a high neckband of fine batiste embroidered in different colors, with insertions of hand beadings and veinings. These are very dainty, are practical for washing purposes and look delightfully fresh.

The illustration shows a smart crepe de chine dress trimmed with black and white embroidery.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

WHAT IS WORN.

Long Dust Coats For Motoring-The New Embroideries.

Long dust coats for motoring have perfectly flat trimmings, as lace, frill, etc., hold too much dust.

Quite a protective veil for motoring

can be arranged by one small veil of chiffon draped closely around the face to just below the mouth and over this



WAIST OF ECRU CREPE DE CHINE. fine lisse veiling with black spots drawn less tightly. This has been found sufficient even in dusty weather and keeps the face warm despite keen

winds.

The embroideries this season are lovely and costly, but clever fingers can make charming imitations. Medallions of printed muslin are laid on silk and inclosed in lace, which would bear very close inspection, and really the finer muslins are like painted lisse. A pretty ball gown worn at quite an important function had an exquisite trail of apparently painted flowers which were actually cut out from muslin and appliqued with fine embroidery silk. Modes are becoming daily more com-plicated. The best of all fashion is apparently simple, but herein lies a great

deception, for there never was a time when more attention was given to every detail of dress.

The cut shows a smart waist of ecru

crepe de chine trimmed with fine tucks and strappings of the same. ZUDIO CHOLLET.



Mrs. Fairbanks tells how neglect of warning symptoms will soon prostrate a woman. She thinks woman's safeguard is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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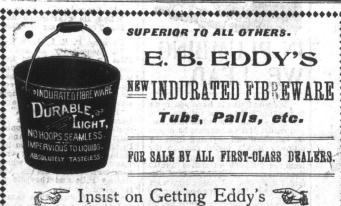
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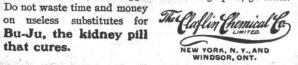
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The Boys' Example.

It was a sultry afternoon, and the teacher of a geography class was en-deavoring to get a few good answers before closing the lesson. "Now, boys, the word 'stan' at the end of a word means 'place of.' Thus we have Afghanistan, the place of the Afghans; also Hindustan, the place of the Hindoos. Now, can any one give another

"Yes, sir," said the smallest boy proudly; "I can. Umbrellastan, the place for umbrellas!"

A Strange Cat Tale. An Angora cat sat quietly in his home Combing his long hair with a catacomb. Then, lest he should suffer from dampness

or fog,
He threw on his fire another catalog.
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Then shook up his caterpillar in his cat's cradle.

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THE SALT IN THE SEA. Some Interesting Observations on

The very fact that the waters of oceans are salty is a wonder within it-self. That such is the case everybody knows, but why? Rivers are not salt, neither are some of the very largest of inland seas, yet one school of scientists will tell you that these same seas (lakes) are the remains of what was once a universal ocean, that there was once an upheaval of the land and that all the waters settled in basins except that which drained off. If this is a fact, why are these lakes or seas now fresh? Don't tell me, says an investigator, that it is because they have been evaporating through the long centuries and that the vacancy has been sup-plied by fresh waters from rivers. Great Salt lake is no less salty now than it was 3,000 years ago and prob-

ably a great deal more so.

The water of the Caribbean sea is dense compared with that of the Atlantic in the vicinity of the Cape Verde islands, the proportion being eleven to twenty-one. Why is this? It is cer-tainly a fact that they are both of one body of water. The variety of saline matter found in all sea water is universally the same. There is another fact which should be mentioned while we are classifying sea water-that is this: When the saltness of oceans is refer-red to, it must not be understood as being the table salt of commerce (chloride of sodium), for there are many other salts in the solution. Expert hy-drographers tell us that there are enough of these various salts held in suspension in the waters of the oceans to cover the whole landed surface of the globe to a depth of 1,500 feet—in other words, that there is 60,000,000,-000,000,000 tons so held in suspension! The sea is salt by reason of the earth washings which are poured into it.

MAXIMS OF SUCCESS.

The truest wisdom is a resolute determination.-Napoleon I.

Things don't turn up in this world until somebody turns them up.-James A. Garfield. The one serviceable, safe, certain,

remunerative, attainable quality in every study and pursuit is the quality of ntion.-Charles Dickens. The talent of success is nothing more than doing what you can do well and

doing well whatever you do, without a thought of fame.—Longfellow. Never don't do nothin' which isn't your fort, for ef you do you'll find yourself splashin' around in the kanawl, figuratively speakin'. - Artemus

I never did anything worth doing by accident. Anything I have begun is always on my mind, and I am not easy while away from it until it is finished.

-Thomas A. Edison. Never desert your line of talent. Be what nature intended you for, and you will succeed; be anything else, and you will be ten thousand times worse than nothing.-

Thunderstorms.
Thunderstorms are more frequent in Java than in any other part of the world, there being an average of nine ty-seven days in each year upon which they occur. Next to Java comes Suma-tra, which never has less than eightysix "thunder days" per year. Then come Hindustan with 56, Borneo with 54, the African Gold Coast with 52 and the region around Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, with 51. The European list is headsil, with 51. The European list is neau-ed by Italy, with 38 thunder days out of the 365 on an average. Austria has 23; Baden, Wurttemberg and Hungary each average 22; Silesia, Bavaria and Belgium have 21; Holland and Saxony 18; France, Austria and south Russia 16; Great Britain and Switzerland only 7. At Cairo, Egypt, and in north Russia and in Sweden and Norway the average is only 4 per year. In Finland and east Turkestan thunderstorms are wholly unknown.

The average compositor has a most intense dislike for contractions and rarely puts one in his pages when it can be avoided. When he and the reporter disagree as to the meaning of some abbreviation, the result is sometimes amusing.

A good example of this occurred in a

southern city where a popular touring orchestra was giving a Sunday night concert. Naturally their selections were principally of a sacred character, Next morning the Daily - announced:

"The second part opened with a splendid rendition of the 'Overture From the Twelfth Massachusetts, by Mozart.'".

Followed the Example of Cato. In the first year of the last century London affected great admiration for Cato's suicide, the feeling being aroused by Addison's play. A gentleman named Budgell, after witnessing its performance, threw himself into the Thames on his way home. His body was recovered, and on it was found a scrap of paper with these words: "What Cato did and Addison approved must needs be right."

Always the Mode.
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"Yet there is some satisfaction in not

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FOOTBALL

It will be with much regret that Chatham football enthusiasts hear that Percy Piggott, the able left half back of the local team, will have to temporarily quit the game. It is not likely that he will be in final games with Sandwich this season. Mr. Piggott is one of Chatham's best players and his absence will be deeply regretted.

Sandwich and Chatham have been unable to agree on dates for the final games for the Walker trophy, so it is now in the hands of the president, Mr. P. B. Fetterly, of this city, and the secretary, Mr. Joe Butler, of Windsor, to settle the dates. They are meeting to-day in Windsor, when dates will be settled.

LACROSSE

There will be a lacrosse practise this evening. The game with Rod-ney has been postponed from Thurs-day till Friday afternoon at three

THE TURF

The Seagram Cup, value \$1,000, was won on Saturday last at the Woodbine, Toronto, by the four-year-old colt Easy Street, sired by Long Street, who is the premier stallion at Belle Meade, Kentucky. Long Street is full brother of St. Martin, the thoroughbred stallion owned by Caleb Wheeler of this city.

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Attendance—4,609.

AMERICAN LEAGUE SCORES. At Washington-

Results at Woodbine.

Woodbine Park, Toronto, June 2.— The following are the results of the racing yesterday:— First Race— 4 1-2 furlongs—I, Poppy Leaf; 2, Sky Blue; 3, Lillianette. Time,

57 1-2. Second Race-7 -8 mile-1, Lapidus; 2, Animosity; 3, Molly Peyton. Time,

2, Animosis, 3, Mori Person, 1, 30 3?4

Third Race—5 1-2 furlongs—1, Messina; 2, Stella W.; 3, Hallucination. Time, 1.10 3-4

Fourth Race—1 1-16 miles—1, Wire In; 2, Andy Williams; 3, Chamblee. Time, 1.49 1-2.

Fith Race—About 1 3-4 miles—1, Rurnan; 2, Billy Ray; 3, Memorist.

Fifth Race—About 1 3-4 miles—I, Burnap; 2, Billy Ray; 3, Memorist. Time, 3.35 1-4. Sixth Race—I mile—I, Flara; 2, Tommy Hill; 3, Caithness. Time, 144 1-2.

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FIRE AT TILLSONBURG.

THREE ACRES OF THE TOWN BURNED OVER.

Spread by the Wind-Farm Buildings Two Miles Away Burned-Eleven Stores and Twelve Residences

Tilsonburg, June 2.—The worst conflagration in the history of Tilsonburg occurred yesterday, when eleven business places and twelve residences were destroyed and as many more considerably damaged. The fire started about noon in the rear of Buckberrough's large blacksmith shop, it is supposed, by some children playing with matches. The fire then spread to Darrow's foundry and then to the barn of W. Parker and E. J. House. In a very short time the flames had caught the dwellings of ex-Mayor Sinclair, Mrs. R. H. Armstrong and four others owned by Wm. Parker and occupied by C. H. Denton, Mr. Fowlk, Mrs. W. Harris, J. Hillman and one new house just completed.

By this time the rear of Mr. Parker's hear and the

house just completed.

By this time the rear of Mr. Parker's house and butcher shop and the stores of J. M. Clark, J. E. Weston, P. P. Newell, residence and store of Thomas Fero, office of W. Brady, V. S., and Town Clerk Raynes were in flames. Inside of two hours the fine brick block of Dr. Sinclair and buildings covering over three acres were all burned to the ground.

The high wind was carrying great flakes of cinders to the west, and many dwellings were ignited from them. Four fine residences on Washington avenue caught on fire and were also destroyed. They belonged to Messrs. J. E. House, S. H. Betts, J. I. McMehan and A. H. Robertson. Heroic work of the citizens saved the homes of Rev. Mr. Bosworth and G. T. R. Agent Stinson. In the block west of this J. E. Devlin's barn and George Carle's stable were consumed. The cinders were carried for miles into the country and caused great havoc on the farm of Mr. were consumed. The cinders were carried for miles into the country and caused great havoc on the farm of Mr. F. Sanders at least two miles away. His barns and sheds were destroyed and his house was only saved by hard work. The wide street, Broadway, saved the west side of the town from being wiped out also. Several places were on fire at different times, McDonald & Laws' block having a close call. The plate glass windows in the stores on the west side were nearly all ruined by the heat, J. McIntyre's being the only one to escape. The roofs of houses on the west side all suffered considerably, but the bucket brigades kept the fire under control. Onlookers witnessed many sad and pitiful scenes as the fire leaped from building to building. Women and children were crying at the thought of losing their homes. Hundreds of willing hands were carrying out the furniture

losing their homes. Hundreds of willing hands were carrying out the furniture, and many thoughtless people
dumped precious articles on the streets
and boulevards, which were smashed
into atoms. The goods were carried
hither and thither, and as the flames
followed them they had to be removed to new quarters. In this way
many articles were lost.

DETAINED AT QUEBEC.

Forty-two of the Lake Champlain's Passengers Have Trachoma.

Quebec, June 2. Forty-two foreign immigrants who were landed at this port Sunday from the steamer Lake Champlain were sent to the Jeffrey Hale and Hotel Dieu Hospitals. Yesterday the medical examination of immigrants who arrived by the Lake Champiain showed rived by the Lake Champiain showed that forty-two steerage passengers destined to settle in Canada and the United States were infected with trahodoma. They were classed as detained immigrants for a minute examination in order to discover whether they would be allowed for remain or be deported. This information was communicated to them. When they threatened to become turbulent Mr. Doyle, local immigration agent, lost no time in acting, as he requested the services of the Provincial police, and, under guard of a detachment from this force. vices of the Provincial police, and, under guard of a detachment from this force, the infected immigrants were taken to the city hospitals, where they will re-main until their cases are looked into, with the prospect of being returned to Russia at the expense of the steamship company which brought them to Quebec.

INSULT TO THE FLAG.

British Emblem Hauled Down by Philadelphia Mob. Philadelphia, June 2. - The plac-

ing of a British flag on a pole from the second story front win-dow of the residence of William Ran-1.44 1-2.
Seventh Race — 5 1-2 furlongs—I, kins, at 3.444 North Phillip street, caused a small riot on Saturday morning. There were many American flags displayed on the same street, and the sight of the British emblem on Memsight of the British emblem on Mem-prial Day angered the crowd. A mob-of several hundred persons soon gath-ered and demanded that the flag be taken down. Rankins was out of the house at the time, but his wife made no move to appease the crowd. "Get a rope," shouted a man in the mob, and volunteers ran for it. The mob, and volunteers ran for it. The rope was quickly thrown over the lagpole, and amid the shouts and execrations of the excited mob the British emblem was hauled down. This done, the crowd made no move toward dispersing, but waited for the man of the house to return. Threats of violence were made against his ife. Scenting trouble, cooler-headed men in the crowd rushed to the house of Police Sergeant Brown, who lives near by, and informed him of Rankins' danger. Brown reached there just as he saw Rankins turning the corner. He quickly approached Rankins and getting him into a cigar store explained to him how Decoration Day is regarded in this city. He told Rankins of his danger, and buying an American flag induced the threatened man to carry it in his hand as he went home. Brown and Rankins walked down the street together, and the graying the national emblem, let him pass unmolested into his house.

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