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London, Tuesday, Sept. 18.

AN ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT TENDER ACCEPTED.

The City Council last night agreed to accept an amended tender from the Royal Electric Light Company, of which Hunt Brothers are the managers, and there is every prospect that at an early date the city will own its own electric light plant.

Some strange developments, as yet unexplained, took place at the Council meeting. The three tenders—from the Royal, Edison and Ball respectively—were considered in Committee of the Whole, Ald. Thomas in the chair. By a vote of 7 to 5, the Edison Company's tender was accepted. The Committee refused to allow the Royal Company to amend its tender, so as to reduce its guarantee of annual expense. When the matter reached the Council, however, the Royal agent was allowed to amend the tender, and the tender submitted by him was adopted.

For the purpose of comparison we give a brief summary of the respective tenders as submitted to the meeting last night. Of the three plans suggested, that known as No. 1 was adopted. The cost was placed as follows:

Cost of plant.	Cost of running.	Cost of power and appliances.	Total cost of plant.
Royal.....\$19,025	\$21,750 00	\$6,750 00	\$47,525 00
Edison.....19,700	9,672 50	4,252 00	\$33,624 50
Ball.....16,000	11,257 50	5,275 00	\$32,532 50

The Royal promised 5 circuits, 5 dynamos, 240 lamps, 3 boilers and 2 engines aggregating 250 horse power. The Edison offered 5 circuits, 5 dynamos, 240 lamps, 2 boilers and 2 engines of 100 horse power each. The Ball Company's offer embraced 4 or 6 circuits, 4 dynamos, 240 lamps, 2 boilers and 2 engines—horse power not stated.

This was how the tenders stood when the Council came to finally dispose of them. Then it was that the Royal Company, by a stroke of diplomacy, resolved to make a big strike to win favor. Its friends in the Council managed to have the guaranteed cost of running the plant offered by it reduced from \$21,750 to \$10,000 a year. The motion to adopt the amended tender was carried, and the Royal Company's plant will therefore be purchased unless Ald. Boyd, the champion of the Ball Company, manages to secure a reconsideration of the whole question at the next meeting of the Council, in accordance with the motion which he placed on the paper, which does not appear to be probable.

Taking into account the fact that the guaranteed cost of running the Edison plant was \$2,000 a year less than promised by the Royal Company, and nearly the same amount less than the Ball Company's tender, the Advertiser has been inclined to favor the Edison Company, and it yet thinks that the Council would have done well to stick by the decision of the Committee of the Whole. We have misgivings about the whole thing, but we have not been told how it comes about that the Royal Company is able to reduce its estimate of running expenses by nearly 50 per cent, since its original tender was put in, but in view of the change it will be the duty of the Council and its advisers to adhere closely to the contract, and see that in a matter of so vital importance to the city no slipshod work is permitted. There has been, as many citizens are no doubt aware, a great deal of talk about the manner in which the preliminaries have been gone about, and it has been hinted that interested parties were endeavoring to take advantage of the taxpayers.

The aldermen will do well to keep their wits about them and see that the contract now entered into, if ratified by bylaw, is carried out in its entirety. There must be no amendment to the terms agreed upon, and the Council must see to it that ample guarantees for a proper fulfillment of the contract are given, and that the electric light plant is in every sense first-class. The taxpayers cannot afford to have any bungling in so important an enterprise.

FEDERATION RATIFIED.

If there were any doubt on the attitude of the Methodist Church, towards the scheme for confederating Victoria College with the Provincial University, it will be removed by a perusal of the vote in the General Conference at Montreal last night. The motion in favor of federation, proposed by Rev. Dr. Douglas, was carried by a majority of 171 to 70. When the motion favoring federation was adopted in last General Conference, the minority was much larger; but the movement has gained strength since then, and it is now made evident that the Church having once resolved on becoming a power

in the moulding of national education does not mean to turn back.

There cannot be a doubt that while the Methodist Church will be able to supply better and less costly educational facilities to its members and adherents, the University will be greatly strengthened by the addition of the educating forces of this great and growing Christian body.

Federation being an accomplished fact, something remains to be done. The University should be provided in name as well as in nature. At present, its title is "The University of Toronto," but being a purely Provincial institution that name is too contracted. Steps cannot too soon be taken to have the designation changed to "The University of Ontario." May we ask some energetic member of the Methodist General Conference to make a move in this direction?

PROTECTION OF CHILDREN.

Legislation for the protection of children aims not only to defend them against all forms of active cruelty and abuse, but to take them from parents or guardians who do not properly care for and educate them. An infant from the time of its birth has a legal status, having an individuality separate from its parents, with distinct rights of person and property. Parental custody and control must be exercised under the authority and supervision of the State. The difficulties in the way of securing the rights of children are a reluctance on the part of neighbors to prosecute and sympathy for a mother, however depraved she may be, who is deprived of her child. The States of Michigan and Indiana are experimenting with statutes passed at recent sessions of their respective legislatures, which have created a "Board of Children's Guardians," with power to take under its control children under 15 who are neglected or cruelly treated by their parents. In Massachusetts selection of towns of 5,000 inhabitants are required to make complaint concerning children who from any cause are liable to lead idle and dissolute lives, and in the State of New York a similar statute is enacted. Other States are observing the operation of these laws, with a view to adopting analogous preventives of pauperism and crime.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

—In the consumption of patent medicines it is said that Constantinople takes the lead.

—Many of our modern nervous diseases are due to excessive and wholly superfluous noise. Bands and hand organs, locomotives and street noises of every description are fraught with harm to the sick and discomfort to everybody. Perhaps the factory steam whistle is of all useless sounds the least endurable.

—The story sent from Montreal that Prince George had been arrested in a row at that city was not true, and R. N. O'Brien, correspondent in Montreal for Dunlop's News Agency has been arrested, charged with libeling the Prince by telegraphing the report. The canard had wide circulation, as such stories are apt to have.

—Dr. O. W. Holmes attributes the good health and mental vigor he enjoys in this his 81st year to the extreme care he takes of himself. He lives by inflexible rule, and his meals are studies of prudence and digestion. His reading, writing, exercise and recreation each has its allotted time, and the possessor of these firmly settled hygienic habits thinks sometimes that he may live to be 100.

—"Handsome is as handsome does" is not true in Connecticut. A young lady engaged to teach in the Normal School at New Britain in that State, whose fitness for the place could not be questioned, was on her arrival paid a month's salary and her expenses, and sent back home to Ohio, for no other reason than that she was too "homely." And yet it is generally supposed that brains, not beauty, is the chief requirement in a teacher.

—Returning travelers from the West allege that Winnipeg is on the eve of an other boom. The Tribune of that city, wisely, we think, gives the boomers Punch's advice to those about to get married—"Don't." The temptation to vacant lot owners to stimulate a boom is great, nevertheless artificial enhancement of value is always demoralizing. Many Londoners have reason to remember and to regret Winnipeg's last inflation.

—The Methodist General Conference showed what can be done by the cultivation of a spirit of forbearance. Dr. Douglas, the great tactician of the assembly, prepared his college federation resolution with the special object of conciliating all parties. He took the leaders in both camps into his confidence; he convinced them of the reasonableness of his proposition, and finally attained a general concord, which promises to be lasting. The Church is to be congratulated.

—Among the press notices attached to the advertisement of a baker's dozen of new novels occur such phrases as "a story whose dark, powerful and dramatic feeling stands alone"; "most striking production"; "suave and polished style"; "powerfully original and interesting"; "wonderful insight"; "a gem of the purest water"; "most intense interest"; "strange and exciting"; "altogether wonderful"; "every page is original and striking"; "written with prodigious force and vigor"; "strikingly dramatic, strongly sensational"; "a brilliant novel"; "most fascinating and interesting"; with a good sprinkling of other epithets very little less picturesque, and all this about a parcel of books destined to be forgotten in a year or two. It is enough to make a really great and self-respecting piece of literature wish to be—blest—"with faint praise."

—Let us learn not only to see ourselves as others see us, but to see others as they see themselves. La Nouvelle Revue de Paris is shocked at the idea that Russia can

be considered barbarous. For this strange impression it blames the "fantastic narratives of an American reporter named Kennan," and compares these "pretended horrors" to the "very real horrors" which in Ireland accompany the expulsion of tenants. Another foreign paper published in Constantinople declares that the great danger which threatens the youth is that they learn to read books which are translated from the French and English languages. The young Turks are urged to abandon these iniquitous practices, and to acquaint themselves with their own glorious Ottoman history, and divinely inspired Mussulman philosophy.

—The Listowel Banner indorses the Advertiser's demand for a law making voting obligatory on every elector, but goes a step further and favors a law prohibiting personal canvassing and the hauling of voters to the polls. "Let candidates do their canvassing in public meetings only, and the electors will soon come to regard a personal request as an insult to their intelligence, as in truth it essentially is." One thing at a time, good contemporary. Let us have a trial of obligatory voting. If it does not secure all the objects which are necessary to purity and simplicity and efficiency in recording popular opinion, there would be little difficulty in obtaining an extension of the law. Obligatory voting would undoubtedly be a blow at the distasteful personal canvass now necessitated, as well as at the hunt for backward voters on election day. Making every man responsible for the polling of his own vote would also take an immense amount of work from the shoulders of the candidates which they would not undertake and of which they should be relieved.

OTHER NEWSPAPERS.

STEADY FLOODING A PRELUDE.
Hamilton Herald.

Did you ever observe that some of the stupidest boys at school developed into the shrewdest and most successful men?

COMPULSORY BALLOTING.

Wallace Herald-Record.
A few weeks ago we reproduced an article from the London Advertiser advocating compulsory voting and suggesting a plausible scheme by which it could be tested. The Hamilton Spectator and a few other brainy journals ridiculed the idea as impracticable and undesirable. But why impracticable? Men are compelled to do many things much more onerous than going to a poll and dropping a vote into a ballot box. Men are compelled to serve on juries, on school boards, to give evidence in court and to pay taxes. The penalty for refusing is a fine or commitment, so the penalty for not voting would be didactic and salutary. We can see nothing impracticable about that. Of course in case that the views of neither candidate coincided with those of the voter, a blank ballot dropped into the box would be all that could be insisted on. The results of such compulsion would be a lively interest in public affairs by every voter, less intimidation, less bribery and corruption by the candidates, and a more intelligent and elevated in the political economy of the nation. Is not this desirable? Surely it is, and eminently so. We hope the Advertiser will persist in pressing its views upon the Government until the end aimed at, be achieved, when the laws of the country will regard a man's attendance at the polling booth as important as his taxes or his jury duty. Perhaps "compulsory balloting" would express the reform advocated better than "compulsory voting," but whatever term be used the aim cannot be misunderstood, and should not be discouraged by a Government whose boast is unswerving loyalty to the principle of every true reform.

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Commissioner.

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E. C. Long, of St. Paul, has sold Johnstone, the pacer, to Charles F. Dunbar, of Buffalo, for \$8,000.

Two horses in which Brantford turfmen are interested have been doing creditable performances lately. Stamina, a 2-year-old, by Patton, won last year's Brantford race, made a mile in 2:37, and this 2-year-old record has in turn been broken by Bineassee, bred by Brewa Wilkes (also the sire of Dr. Stewart's Fred Wilkes, of Brantford), who went the mile on a half-mile track in 2:37.

THE LONDON HUNT.

The annual meeting of the London Hunt was held last evening in the reading room of the Townshend House, and the affair of the past year was wound up and arrangements for the coming year's sport were discussed. Among those present were: Messrs. Gill, Dunson, Niven, Maj. Smith, Kilgour, Beck, O'Neill, Martin, Abbott, Leighorne, Brown, Geo. Burns (secretary) and Col. Smith. Major A. M. Smith, president, filled the chair. The proceedings were marked by the greatest enthusiasm and harmony.

The master (Dr. J. S. Niven) read the annual report, which served to show the flourishing condition of the affairs of the Hunt. It announced that there were 33 active and 83 associate members. The number of runs during the season was 21, during which there was no damage done to farmers' crops save in one instance, the game men and the members being off the best of terms. New and commodious kennels had been erected with eighteen old hounds therein and thirteen pups. Last year the club was in debt \$800, while this year \$71 would clear them, with \$25 in the bank. The toboggan slide was stated to be in first-class order and a good patronage insured for the coming winter. The Doctor also referred to the co-operation of his fellow-officers in felicitous terms. The report was adopted.

The following gentlemen were elected as new members: Associate—Messrs. A. Freer, T. J. McDonough, M. Lewis, Thos. Cowan, Hume Cronyn, A. Munro, Geo. Macbeth and Fred Collett. Active—Hon. John Corliss.

The reports of the Treasurer and the Secretary of the House Committee were read and adopted.

Votes of thanks were passed to Col. Smith, Capt. Denison, Mr. Adam Beck, Dr. Niven and their fellow-officers of the club.

It was decided to hold the annual ball the last week in November.

The election of officers for the ensuing term resulted as follows:

President—Geo. C. Gibbons.

First Vice-President—Dr. H. R. Abbott.

Second Vice-President—Dr. J. S. Niven.

Treasurer—W. C. L. Gill.

Secretary—Geo. F. Burns.

Huntsman—John Falcher.

Executive Committee—Messrs. A. Beck, Capt. S. A. Denison, Dr. George Wilson, W. T. Strong and J. H. Brown.

House Committee—Messrs. H. R. Abbott, W. T. Strong and Geo. F. Burns.

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LIGHTING LONDON.**The Royal Company's Tender Taken as Amended.****Irregular Proceedings During the Discussion at the Council Board.****A Breeze Raised on the Subject of Ward Improvements—Work to be Stopped.**

There was not a vacant chair at the Council Board last evening, when the business was well under way. The chief item was the awarding of the electric light contract, and after sitting for over four hours it was finally decided to give the contract to the Royal Electric Light Company. The Board was divided 10 to 9 in favor of the tender, which was accepted, while a similar request from the other companies was not entertained.

The following were present: Mayor Taylor, Aldermen Wyatt, Heaman, Taylor, O'Meara, Moule, Wallace, Skinner, Jones, Garratt, Glass, Boyd, Dreaney, Bartlett, Anderson, Lane, Thomas and Shaw. The City Clerk, Mr. Kingston, was also present.

The world's five-mile amateur record was broken by Rich, of the New York Athletic Club. The English record was 13:57 4-5, the American 14:07 2-5, and Rich made it in 13:51 3-5.

The one-mile world's record was broken by Windle. The record was 2:24 on a solid tire and 2:26 4-5 on a pneumatic tire. Windle made it in 2:24 on a solid tire.

Berle made a mile in 3:30 on a solid tire. England's solid tire record was 2:24 1-5 and the American 2 seconds slower. This also smashed the pneumatic record, 2:22 4-5.

THE TORONTO INDUSTRIAL.**Citizens' Day Enjoyed by an Immense Crowd—The Largest Attendance Yet Recorded.**

Citizens' day at the Fair—given good weather—always sees the largest attendance of any day during the two weeks, but yesterday's numbers eclipsed the record. More people attended the exhibition yesterday than on any previous day. The receipts were \$15,498, against \$12,194 on the same day last year. Increase for yesterday, \$3,304; total increase to date, \$1,950. The Fair usually has a guest of the day. Yesterday he was President Van Horne, of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and the vice-president, Capt. McMaster, showed him over the grounds and buildings during the morning. The fair people became very much interested in the railway president's expressions of admiration.

At the directors' lunch President Van Horne, Assistant Manager Shaugnessy, Solicitor Hon. R. M. Wells, and the District Superintendent of the Canadian Pacific Railway, were the guests of the day. In the horse ring there was a varied program. Besides the entertainment furnished by the specialty artists and the Wild West people, there were horse races, bicycle, donkey and dog races, and the light hunters' jumping competition. The dog show was the feature of the afternoon. The half holiday in the city gave the opportunity to thousands of people to visit the Fair, but the crowds came largely from the Province and every part was represented. The railways say they never carried so many people into the city as yesterday. The C. P. R. passenger traffic was also tremendously increased.

NOTABLE EXHIBITS.**OUR NATIONAL FOODS.**

The choicest breakfast cereal and hygienic foods in the world, as is now generally admitted, are those of the National Food Company of Toronto, who make a very attractive exhibit in the main building. Their preparations of wheat, oats, corn, barley and other cereals are not only most attractive in appearance but they are perfectly cooked and digested by a patented process, which renders them so easy of digestion that people troubled with dyspepsia, diabetes, etc., are greatly relieved by living on these foods. While they are an every-day food for the whole nation to live on, intelligent thinking people are charmed by these foods. The contrast of Aberdeen upon seeing it, expressed the highest appreciation of their merits, and requested samples to be sent to her.

Wheat "Seab" or White Head.

There appeared during the present season in many portions of Ohio a disease attacking the heads and kernels of wheat, which caused a serious shrinkage in the yield. The farmers who suffered by it first observed its presence just as the heads were beginning to mature. At that time the upper or lower half had prematurely withered, leaving the rest green, the whitened part having on many of the glumes more or less distinct orange covering of the mycelium of a fungus. This disease has been noticed in various parts of the country for many years; its occurrence has not been recorded. Dr. C. M. Mead, who has made a careful examination of the fungus, pronounces it to be a species of Fusarium, and apparently the one described by W. G. Smith as F. culmorum.

The effect of this fungus on the kernels attacked by it is most disastrous. They become mere shells covered inside and outside with mycelium, and in passing through the thrasher are blown away with the chaff. The disease often causes a shrinkage in yield of from one-third to one-half.

We have no hesitation in saying that Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Corral is without doubt the best medicine ever used for dysentery, diarrhoea, cholera and all summer complaints, sea sickness, etc. It promptly gives relief and never fails to effect a permanent cure. Mothers should keep it by them as a life-saver when their children are teething.

Why will you allow a cough to lacerate your throat or lungs and run the risk of illness, consumption, grave, when by the timely use of Bickle's Anti-Consumption Syrup the pain can be allayed and the danger avoided? This Syrup is pleasant to the taste, and unsurpassed for relieving, cooling and curing all affection of the throat and lungs, coughs, colds, bronchitis, etc.

Hubert Herkimer is painting a portrait of Queen Victoria. The Queen is not sitting for the portrait, which is being painted from a statue modeled three years ago by Gilbert.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.

When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.

When she became Man, she clung to Castoria.

When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

He who can give his many a good neighbor. (French Proverb.)

Nothing impure or injurious contaminates the popular antidote to pain, throat and lung remedy, and general corrective, Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. It may be used without the slightest apprehension of any other than salutary consequences. Coughs, rheumatism, earache, bruises, cuts and sores succumb to its action.

I'll be meek, and learn to reverence even this poor myself.

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Education, Police Commissioners and Hospital Trust Submitted for Adoption.

Clauses Nos. 1, 2 and 3 were passed without discussion.

Ald. Wallace objected to the striking off and said that a mistake was made in the company should have been assessed for personal property.

A letter of the City Solicitor was put in to show that there was no chance of getting the assessment out of the company, so the clause was passed.

The other clauses up to No. 9 were also passed, but when No. 9 was read Ald. O'Meara moved that it be struck off. He thought it was unfair to stop the work of improvement in a ward that had money to its credit. The Engineer should have reported how the cost of improvements was running up, but he had failed to do so and in consequence the Council did not know how they stood until the work was ordered stopped.

Ald. Skinner contended that it would be unwise to press a motion to continue the work when the Chamberlain had said that there was no longer any money for that purpose in the treasury.

Ald. Jones explained that No. 3 ward had not had any more than its share of appropriations.

Ald. Anderson contended that discussion on ward appropriation was out of order until the Engineer's report on the subject was presented. He hoped that the report when presented would be complete as he was convinced that the work had been done in some of the wards for which none of the aldermen would take the responsibility.

Ald. Lane said he could readily see why the aldermen were not inclined to talk on appropriations when Ald. Jones had expended over \$6,000 in No. 3 ward.

Ald. Boyd supported the clause of the report. He was convinced that Ald. Jones had done his duty and could have stopped some months before and still have been ahead.

Ald. O'Meara protested that such a way of doing business was adding more to the robbery house of the poor. "No work," he said, "could go down without the order of the Engineer, and when it was wanted in my ward the Engineer would not sign the order. The Engineer does not do his duty, and I will show it. I will move for his dismissal and the appointment of a man in the office that will do his duty faithfully."

The clause was carried.

Clause No. 12 was amended so that Mrs. Portwood received \$10 remission on her property.

Ald. Skinner moved in amendment to clause No. 13 that Mrs. Sarah Tweedie's taxes be thrown off, as she had no money, and if the taxes were imposed the property would be sold. Carried. The amended clause passed and the report adopted as amended.

THE DONNELLY FOND NUISANCE.

Ald. Taylor presented a report from the Board of Health, recommending that the Council authorize No. 2 Committee to have plans for the drainage of the pond.

The pond is situated at the head of Colborne street, drained by an eight-inch tile, at a probable cost of \$350.

Ald. Jones moved that the Engineer be instructed to call for the tenders and have the work proceeded with at once.

Ald. Fitzgerald contended that some other system should be adopted than having the city draining private individuals' property.

Ald. O'Meara thought that in justice to the people of the vicinity the pond should be drained. There was more or less sickness in that neighborhood which could be traced to that source.

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ance, but this very day was to prove her
mistaken.

After breakfast John lingered at the fire
talking to Diana, never talking his eyes off
her. Susan watched him thinking.

"Eh, how she loves him, and he never
sees it! Men are blind, that they are.
He'll find it out before long, though, and
there will be two people in the world who
have got what they want, and what they
deserve, too. For, after all, she has given
up something for him."

"I have been wondering, Mr. Carth-
wright," said Diana, "if it would be con-
venient to you to take me to the station
to-day?"

He did not say the words that were at his
tongue's end, only,

"It will be always convenient to me to
do whatever you wish."

"You are very kind. I want to go to
Whitfield, to a friend I have there, a Mrs.
Cartwright,--her husband is a clergyman--
and I will stay with her until Mrs. Burdett
returns to London. Don't you think that
will be best?"

Her appeal to his judgment made him
smile and he said,

"Whatever you wish will be best; but
this journey is unforeseen. Have you money
enough?"

"Thank you. As it happens, I am quite
safe on that head."

"What about your possessions?"

"I can arrange about that later. What
time are the trains from Garshall to Belling-
ham?"

He saw that she was nervous and anxious
to be gone; and much though he longed to
keep her, he did not move by a sudden impulse,
she stooped and kissed Susan's cheek, and
Susan returned the kiss. Perhaps Diana had
read Susan's secret, as Susan had read hers.

(To be Continued.)

FUN, FACTS AND FICTION.

"Hair Magic."

Is a good name of Dr. Dorenwender's German
preparation for the hair. It really works like
magic. All who have used it pronounce it to
be unequalled for remedying the loss of vitality of
the hair roots, restoring gray hair, removing
dandruff, etc. Just try it. It is first-class. All
druggists sell it.

A Brooklyn woman, who ran away from
her husband, ended an impassioned letter
with the words: "Adieu. Adieu. Adieu."
Don't forget to powder the baby with
scent powder.

Carter's Little Liver Pills must not be con-
founded with common Cathartic or Purgative
Pills, as they are entirely unlike in every
respect. One trial will prove their superiority.

Charles P. Lindley, of St. Louis, who is
now 72 years old, began his career as a com-
mercial traveler at the age of 18 for a Meri-
den, Conn., factory. It is believed that
Mr. Lindley's claims as the pioneer drum-
mer cannot be beaten.

Among the pains and aches cured with
marvelous rapidity with Dr. Thomas'
Electric Oil, is ear-ache. The young are
especially subject to it, and the discom-
fort of this Oil as a family remedy is en-
hanced by the fact that it is admirably
adapted not only to the above ailment, but
also to the hurts, disorders of the bowels,
and affections of the throat, to which the
young are especially subject.

The romance of diamond mining is all
gone. It is now a matter of excavating
vast beds of blue clay by machinery, wash-
ing it and sifting out the diamonds, which,
after being sorted for size, are sold by bulk
in weight. The men who do the actual
work are mere laborers, and their pay is
proportionately small.

A man's wife should always be the same,
especially to her husband; but if she is weak
and nervous, and uses Carter's Iron Pills, she
cannot be, for they will make her "feel like a
queen," and she will be as strong as they all say, and
her husband's joy, too.

One of the sights daily seen on the streets
of Arlington, Ga., is a cat and pig following
each other about. They have formed an at-
tachment for each other and are inseparable.
If any one tries to separate them the
cat will make a circuit and get back to the
pig.

Worms cause feverishness, moaning and
restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves'
worm Expeller is pleasant, sure and ef-
fectual. If your druggist has none in
stock, get him to procure it for you.

One postmaster in Georgia is now a firm
believer in the saying that "a stitch in time
saves nine." There was a hole in the roof
of his office, and rain getting through stuck
together about \$200 worth of stamps.

THAT THICK COUGH can be so quickly
cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it. W.
T. Strong, 184 Dundas street, London.

Of 50,000 guesses of the weight of a big
cake of soap on exhibition in Detroit, only
four, strange to say, were correct. The
weight was 1,122 pounds.

WILL YOU SUFFER FROM Dyspepsia and
Liver Complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guar-
anteed to cure you. W. T. Strong, 184 Dundas
street, London.

Twenty million acres of land in the
United States are held by foreigners, it is
stated.

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS, made miserable by
that terrible cough, Shiloh's Cure is the
remedy for you. W. T. Strong, 184 Dundas
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The Chinese are said to endure changes
of climate better than any other race.

CATARH CURER, health and sweet breath
secured by Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price
50 cents. Nasal Injector free. W. T. Strong,
184 Dundas street, London.

A Strathroy girl she had a mind
That understood each why and may be,
But with all her gifts she wasn't liked,
And hadn't a mind to mind the baby.

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

"We have been licensed as a local
preacher," writes a Georgia editor. "We
had to get somewhere where we could take
up a collection."

The use of calomel for derangements of
the liver has ruined many a fine constitution.
Those who, for similar troubles, have had
Ayer's Pills testify to their efficacy in thor-
oughly remedying the malady, without injury to
the system.

Rider Haggard's first book was a complete
failure. It was "Cotway and His White
Neighbor." He made £10 on his second,
"Dawn."

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Johnnie--My pop is richer'n your pop.
Freddy--Mebbe he is, but he'll never get
back the money he lent my pop.

To Nervous Debilitated Men.

If you will send us your address we will
mail you our illustrated pamphlet explain-
ing all about Dr. Dye's Celebrated Electro-
Voltaic Belt and Appliances, and their
charming effects upon the nervous, de-
bilitated system, and how they will quickly
restore you to vigor and manhood.
Pamphlet free. If you are thus afflicted,
we will send you a Belt and Appliances on
trial.

VOLTAIC BELT COMPANY, Marshall,
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For Sale by all Druggists.

Price, \$1.00 per bottle.

THE NEW PAGE OF HONOR.

Hon. Maurice Charles Andrew Drum-
mond, whose appointment as a Page of
Honor to the Queen has been gazetted, is a
son of Lord Strathallan, and was born in
1877. The Queen's Pages are (the
London correspondent writes) a select corps
of infants chosen from the less exalted
parts of the peerage, generally sons of her
Majesty's friends. Their sole duty is to
attend the Queen on occasions of public
ceremony, when they wear a picturesque
uniform of scarlet and drive to the palace
in big red coaches. The appointment used
to lead as a matter of course to a commis-
sion in the Guards, but the educational
bigotry of this iron time have submitted
even these court darlings of the palace to
the humiliating ordeal of a test examina-
tion.

A Disappointment.

She--So, Jack, your rich uncle is dead,
and I suppose you will inherit a good share
of the property. I know he promised to
remember you in his will.

He--No, I am just as poor as ever. My
uncle kept his word.

She--Why, what do you mean?

He--This is what he will said: I
promised to remember my nephew Jack in
making my will. I remember the young
scamp so clearly that I shall not leave him
a cent.

The Retort Discomfited.

"Leave the house," said the irate doctor.
"I couldn't hope to take the house with
me, with so heavy a mortgage on it," re-
torted the creditor--but he did take it
later on.

Uncle Clover--What's that?

His Nephew--That's a tandem!

Uncle Clover--And why does it need
another horse to pull the one he is riding?

Distress after eating, heartburn, sick head-
ache and indigestion are cured by Hood's
Sarsaparilla. It also creates a good appetite.

The Head Surgeon

Of the Lubon Medical Company is now at
Toronto, Canada, and may be consulted
either in person or by letter on all chronic
diseases peculiar to man. Men, young,
old, or middle-aged, who find them-
selves nervous, weak and exhausted, who are
broken down from excess or overwork, re-
sulting in many of the following symptoms:
Mental depression, premature old age, loss
of vitality, loss of memory, bad dreams,
dimness of sight, palpitation of the heart,
emissions, lack of energy, pain in the kid-
neys, headache, pimples on the face or body,
itching or peculiar sensation about the
scrotum, wasting of the organs, dizziness,
spots before the eyes, twitching of the mus-
cles, eyelids and elsewhere, bashfulness,
deposits in the urine, loss of will power,
tenderness of the scalp and spine, weak and
babbling muscles, desire to sleep, failure to be
rejoiced by sleep, constipation, dullness of
hearing, loss of voice, desire for solitude,
excitability of temper, sunken eyes sur-
rounded with leaden circles, cold looking
skin, etc., are all symptoms of nervous
debility that lead to insanity and death
unless cured. The spring or vital force
wanes in consequence. Those who through
abuse committed in ignorance may be
permanently cured. Send your address for
book on all diseases peculiar to man.

Address M. V. LUBON, 50 Front Street
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sealed. Heart disease, the symptoms of
which are faint spells, purple lips, num-
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heart with beats strong, rapid and irregu-
lar, the second heart beat quicker than the
first, pain about the breast bone, etc., can
be cured. No cure, no pay. Send for
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Vitalized air, electricity or cocaine for pain-
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Dried beef, sausages, bolognas, black
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New stock, new store. M. A. ANDREWS,
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Rheumatism. Rheumatism.

Rheumatism, sciatica, lumbago, etc., can
be cured by taking Kern's Rheumatic Cure.
Price \$1 at all druggists.

Lawson's cabinet, \$2 per dozen; Lawson's
cart-de-visite, \$1 25 per dozen; Lawson's
submarine, \$1 per dozen. Corner Park and
Queen's avenue, for one month only.

Get some of the paper and envelopes that
are being sold cheap at Allister's bookstore,
180 Dundas street.

Baggage smasher says Scarrows Trunks beat
them all; Trunks and Valises at factory price
repairing a specialty. 27 Dundas street.

Chival suites, in walnut and oak, now in,
also new stock of fancy tables plain for en-
amel painting, at Trafford's, 91 King street,
west of market.

Window Shades--Just received, a large
assortment of decorated painted linen
window shades already tacked on roller
and ready to hang to be sold at the low
price of 65 cents. Great bargains in picture
frames. Large assortment of new designs
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"El Padre" Cigars have no rival. Ten
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their superiority over all others. 94-101 York
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Teeth extracted without pain. Conscious-
ness retained during the entire opera-
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A justly celebrated specific for the
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A-head of everything

that can be used for washing
and cleaning, is PEARLINE.

If your work is heavy, it is a
necessity; if your work is light,
it is a luxury. It lessens the
labor of washing, and helps
everywhere in the household.

There's nothing so harmless
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