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TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER, 24 1895.

Amusements and Lectures

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GRAND OPERA HOUSE-SATURDAY, TRAND OPERA HOUSE-STORM OF THE MARIE TAVARY Grand English Opera Company in a grand production of "The Huguehots"; over 100 artists in the organization. Seats on sale Thursday. Prices—First two rows circle, \$1 50; balance lower floor, \$1; first two rows balcony, \$1; balance balcony, 75c; gallery, 50c.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY REOPENS for season, Monday evening.
Sept. 23. Beginners classes as follows—Gentlemen, Mondays at 8 p m.; ladies, Tuesdays at 8
p.m.; ladies and children, Saturday afternoons
at 3 o'clook. Private tuition any hour beginning Sept. 1. Academy open evenings for application of pupils. Dayrox & McCormick,
members of N. A. M. of D. Academy, 4:6 Richmond street. Residence 241 Oxford street.

Meetings.

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N EMERGENCY MEETING OF UNION Lodge, No. 389, A. F. and A. M., will be held in Masonic Temple, this (Tue-day) evening, at 7:30 o'clock. Third degrees Visitors welcome. NEIL MCNEIL, W. M.; GEO. HAMP-TON, P. M., Secretary.

Domestics Wanted.

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GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED-Apply Mrs. ELLIOTT, 782 Wellington

WANTED-AT ONCE-EXPERIENCED housekeeper to take charge of house in the country. Apply "T. F.," this office. 5c WANTED-GOOD GENERAL SERVANT
—Apply Mrs. F. Barker, 86 Elmwood
avenue, London South. 5c

ENERAL SERVANT—IN FAMILY OF
A three; no washing or ironing. Aprly 302

GENERAL SERVANT WANTED - AP-PLY Ross House, East London. 4c Dwyer's Intelligence office. Cooks wanted to go out of the city. Also general servants and girls for all kinds of work at once. 591 Richmond street. 'Phone 1,121.

Male Help Wanted.

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WANTED-STRONG YOUTH TO TAKE care of horse. Apply 232 Dundas

MANTED-A FIRST-CLASS TRAVELd. Apply personal JOHN C. GREEN & CO.

ANTED — MACHINIST AND VISE hand. Apply McClary Manufacturing WRITTEN APPLICATIONS WILL BE

received up till the 1st of October for the position of janitor for the London West school. Duties of same can be seen at the schoolhouse. Applicants to state salary ex-pected. Address F. A. Jones, secretary School Board, London West.

A GENTS WANTED—\$20 PER WEEK— Apply to GEO, MARSHALL & Co., tea im-porters, 258 Dundas street.

Lost and Found.

Advertisements under this heading one cent per word for first insertion. Onehalf cent per word for each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than 10 words.

VILL THE GENTLEMAN WHO picked up lady's parasol that dropped from electric car near Ontario street, Friday morning, please leave at street car stables or this office.

Female Help Wanted.

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ANTED-GIRLS FOR TAILORING-Apply S. Coots, over Western Fair office, Richmond street. WANTED - YOUNG WOMAN - MUST NANTED - YOUNG WORLD Apply at know a little about cooking. Apply at Yates' oyster parlors, 4 and 5 Market Bazar.

ANTED - TWELVE GOOD VEST hands to work on the premises; good wages paid. Apply BURNS & LEWIS, wholesale clothiers, London, Ont.

Agents Wanted.

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TRUSTWORTHY PERSON TO TRAVEL —Salary \$780 and expenses, reference; inclose self-addressed envelope. H. E. Hess, president, Chicago, Ill.

GENTS WANTED — LOCAL AND traveling, ladies and gentlemen; big y guaranteed to competent salesmen. rite at once or call on us. Edwards Medicine Co., Ealing, London. Inclose stamp. 96n eed ANTED-AGENTS TO SOLICIT BUSI-NESS for the Home Life Association of Canada—assessment system. Good remunera-tion. Aprily L. W. Burke, Superintendent, No. 5 Masonie Temple.

Business Chances.

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OR SALE - GROCERY STOCK, FIX-TURES, delivery, etc.; best stand in city; stock light. Apply to LOVE & DIGNAN, 418 Talbot street.

Articles For Sale.

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PRIVATE SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FUR-NITUHE this week at 408 Burwell stree; Gu () NE 13-FOOT TURTLE BACK SHOOTING

boat and one small catboat. London boat works. L. Carly. FOR SALE-BLICKENSDERFER TYPE-WRITER-New; cost \$45. Will sell at a good reduction. Apply this office. 44tf

UMBER - WHOLESAL ONLY - CAR Agent. London. Ont

cent per word for first insertion. Onehalf cent per word for each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than 10 words.

Organ Company, 211 Dundas street. Apply Love & Dignan. 48tf wty

TO LET-HOUSE-126 KENT STREET-Ten rooms; modern conveniences. Apply GEORGE C. GUNN, barrister.

OARD WANTED FOR FAMILY OF three; could furnish own room. Address "Furniture," Advertiser office.

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TERMAN BEILITZ METHOD BY MR. W. S. Bleuthner at Miss Smithett's school, 340 Dundas street. ley street.

house, comprising in part: Plane by Mason & Risch, parlor suites, Brussels carpets, fancy tables, hall rack, extension table, sideboard, crockery, silverware, baseburner, Art-Garland coal and wood cook stove, Quick Sterling, gem jars, contents of two bedrooms out door effects. Sale at 10:30. NEIL COOPER, Auctioneer.

Forest fires are raging near Kingsley Falls, Que., and will make great loss for lumbermen.

Pattern and model making. J. BLYTHE, 310 Dundas street, Abbott Block.

driving belts at Playfair's mill, Middeath. H. H. Holmes pleaded not guilty to

murdering Ben Pietzel when arraigned at Philadelphia Monday. His trial will commence on Oct. 28.

the grain elevator men, the State Railway and Warehouse Commission declaring that the licenses of all the elevator owners dealing in grain through their own warehouses shall be revoked.

Spent Eleven Hours.

and the bull came at him, head down.

Today he went to see Farmer John Krozer, bruises and scratches.

"Yes," said Frazzi.

"Well, if you had taken it off and put it in your pocket the bull would have let you Frazzi get.

THE DUKE OF MARLBOROUGH. Charles Richard John Spencer Churchhill, the ninth Duke of Marlborough, who, in choosing for his wife an American girl, is following the fashion set by his father and uncle, the late Lord Randolph Churchill, will be 24 years old on Nov. 13 next. He at-

The young duke is a strong contrast Churchills, although he bears a family resemblance to the portraits of the first duke, who was the greatest general of his age. Like his father, he s somewhat below the average and slender, with a sallow complexion, a high forehead, aquiline nose and dark brown hair.

Have You Thought of It?

For four thousand years or more the world groaned, suffered and fumed about its corns, for there was no positive relief-no certain and painless cure until Dr. Scott Putnam gave to the world his great Corn Extractor. If there is suffering now it is a result of carelessness, for the remedy is at hand. Try Putnam's Corn Extractor. It is sure, painless and prompt. Beware of

cent per word for first insertion. One-half cent per word for each subse-quent insertion. No advertisement

Marquis of Lorne Cannot Get Along on \$50,000 a Year.

FOR SALE—HOUSE NO. 490 QUEBEC street, East London, part of purchase money may be paid in monthly installments; o. 55x335; fruit trees and berry bushes on lot. Apply Tennent & McDonough, barristers. 2n eod The Queen Wants Salisbury to Give Him a Sinecure.

Garibaldi's Veterans Parade in Italy-

Reviewed by King Humbert - A

Shakespearian Revival-Fright-

ful Cholera Ravages.

INVITATION TO PEARY.

Society proposes to invite Lieut. Peary,

the Arctic explorer, to deliver the opening address at the coming winter

SEVEN DROWNED.

London, Sept. 24.-A special dispatch

received from Geneva, Switzerland, re-

ports that a steamer ran into and sank

a rowboat there last evening, drown-

DEATH OF RAWSON SHAW.

London, Sept. 24.-Wm. Rawson

Shaw, member of Parliament for Hali-

fax, and successor to Isaac Butt,

leader of the party which started the

home rule movement, died at Ennis-

Berlin, Sept. 24.—Baron Von Kider-

en-Waschter, a personal friend of the Kaiser, has been nominated German

Minister at Copenhagen. This ap-

pointment is regarded as the keynote

of a policy on the part of Germany to closely watch the developments of

THE WAR IN MADAGASCAR.

Paris, Sept. 24.—The French Minister

of War has received a cable dispatch

from Col. Bailloud, in Madagascar,

asking that a fresh hospital ship be

sent to the Island for the use of the

troops during the coming winter. He

advises against the sending of Chinese coolies, fearing the introduction

of cholera, which has hitherto been

MRS. MAYBRICK'S CASE.

London, Sept. 24.—Baroness de Roque,

mother of Mrs. Florence Maybrick, who

is now at Rousau, is said to have com-

municated with her solicitors in re-

WILDE'S DEBTS IN COURT.

PALACE.

London, Sept. 24.—The St. James'

Gazette prints a dispatch from Con-

stantinople saying that the Turkish

police officials have discovered a plot

among Macedonians to destroy, by the

use of dynamite, the Yildiz Kiosk, the

palace of the Sultan, and the Govern-

ment buildings. As a result of the

discovery the most extensive precau-

tions have been taken at the Yildiz

Kiosk to prevent any damage to the

palace and possible injury to the Sul-

GARIBALDI'S VETERANS RE-

Rome, Sept. 24.-King Humbert yes-

terday reviewed the Garibaldi veterans

and others who took part in the wars

of the independence and unification of

Italy. The war veterans numbered

10,000 men and carried the colors of

200 companies or other military sub-

Prince of Naples and all the members

of the Ministry were present. The review was witnessed by an enormous

A TELEPHONE NOVELTY.

Berlin, Sept. 24.-The Emperor has

taken a new departure in the way of

communicating with his Ministers and

others while absent from Berlin. While

he is in Rominten he is followed where-

ever he goes by a telephone car, by the use of which he is enabled to speak

from any point of the chase with the

foresters, gamekeepers, etc., and also

to keep up close communication with

the Ministers and other state authori-

ties in Berlin and elsewhere. The Em-

porer will return to Berlin in the early

part of October, when the leaves of absence of all the Cabinet Ministers

divisions Queen Margharieta,

crowd of enthusiastic spectators.

session of the society.

ing seven persons.

corthy, age 85 years.

the Russo-French entente.

unknown on the island.

sed to review the case.

London, Sept. 24,-The Geographical

Fig. SALE—6 TWO-STORY BRICK Houses, from \$1,400 to \$4500; 2 one and one-half story frame, \$1,200 to \$4,500; 7 cottages \$250 to \$2,2000; house with grecery, sale or exchange; 20 farms. \$1,400 to \$9,000. J. F. SANGSTER, over C. P. R. ticket office.

Plot to Biow Up the Sultan's Palace Discovered.

Musical Instruction.

Real Estate For Sale.

Advertisements under this heading one

four acres, in good condition, near the city; good dwelling house, barn and greenhouse, between Hamilton and Gore road. Apply 880 Van street, city.

50 bw

less than 10 words.

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R. W. A. BLUETHNER
Will resume his plane and harmony
classes on Sept. 2 at his residence, 250 Queen's TR. THOMAS MARTIN HAS RESUMED avenue.

his plano lessons and receives pupils at his residence, 2.3 Dufferin avenue. For terms apply at above address. 94bc ywt CHARLES E. WHEELER, ORGANIST of St. Andrew's Church, late of Conservatory of Music, Leipsic, Germany, instructs in organ, plane, singing and harmony. 518 Richmond street.

R. CHAS. HALL RESUMES PIANO lessons Sept. 2, at his residence, 28 Stan-

AMES CRESSWELL, TEACHER OF violin. Pupils received at 421 King street

Laundries.

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TO WATCH RUSSIA AND FRANCE. WOP-SING - LAUNDRY - 252 DUNDAS street; orders called for and delivered. All work done by hand; satisfaction guaran-

AUCTION SALE, Wednesday, Sept. 25, at 267 Talbot Street.

R. NEIL COOPER has been instructed by Mrs. D. A. Denham to sell contents of house, comprising in part: Piano by Mason &

Sparks from the Wire.

Charles H. Langford, of Kerwood, is dead from the result of injuries received in a threshing accident two weeks

James Anderson was caught in the land, Ont., Saturday, and crushed to

there were no assets. Several friends, it was stated, had subscribed a sufficient sum to pay all the claims against The Chicago Board of Trade was Mr. Wilde except that of the largest victorious in its fight on Monday on creditor, who is a personal friend of he debtor. The examination was adjourned until Nov. 12. PLOT TO BLOW UP THE SULTAN'S

SKY ABOVE AND BULL BELOW.

Thus Frazzi and His Red Handkerchief

Washington Crossing, N. J., Sept. 24.— Antonio Frazzi has been wearing a bright red handkerchief around his neck as he goes to his work in the quarries near here. On the way yesterday he met, in the wildest part of his walk, an Alderney bull. The animal saw the handkerchief and shook his head angrily. Frazzi said: "Soh! Soh!

There was a hugh boulder near by and Frazzi rushed around this, the bull after him. Round and round they ran, the bull snorting and Frazzie shouting. Frazzie missed his footing and the bull had him in the air immediately, and when he came down, tossed him up again. The second toss landed him within reach of a tree. Frazzie climbed the tree, helped sot a little by the prodding horns of the bull. Seated out of reach he broke off branches and threw them. But the bull butted the trunk of the tree at intervals all day long and gave

Frazzie no chance to escape.

At sundown the bull walked away home and Frazzi descended from his perch where he had spent eleven miserable hours. who owns the bull; and showed him his

"And did you have that thing on?" inquired the farmer, pointing to the bright red handkerchief.

alone." And that was all the satisfaction

TO WELCOME DUNRAVEN. London, Sept. 24.-At a meeting of local shipipng men and others interested in the subject at Cardiff last evening, over which the mayor presided, the question of giving a public reception to Lord Dunraven on his return tained his majority four days after his to England was discussed and a resolution adopted in favor of showing in father, the late duke, died. some practical form appreciation of his in appearance to the general run of Lordship's repeated efforts to win the America's cup, and admiration for his pluck and patriotism in trying to main-

will cease.

tan.

a reception to his Lordship. SHAKESPEARIAN REVIVAL IN LONDON.

London, Sept. 24 .- By far the greatest dramatic event of recent years is the production of "Romeo and Juliet," on a scale fully equal to that of the 000,000.

best traditions of this famous theater. Mr. Robertson will be remembered by those Americans who witnessed his performances while supporting Mary Anderson and Henry Irving on the other side of the Atlantic. In this connection an old story is recalled that while he was in Mary Anderson's company he fell deeply in love with her, and that they were at one time engaged. Mr. Robertson's sterling character and individuality have won for him influential friends, and the interest in tonight's performance is something unprecedented. The demand for seats has been enough to fill the house four or five times over. Much interest also prevails in the Juliet of Mrs. Patrick Campbell. The papers have been for weeks condoling with Mrs. Campbell upon the fact that her impersonation of the part must inevitably be con-

Friar Laurence, Ian Robertson the doubtful. apothecary, and Dolores Drummond the nurse. The Shakespearean revival seems to have seized upon another of the promi-

trasted with that of the late Adelaide

Nellson, who is still remembered as the ideal Juliet of the English stage. Mr. Robertson, of course, will be the

nent London managers, and it is now intimated that both Mr. Willard and George Alexander have in contemplation productions of "Hamlet" in the near future.

LORNE'S LITTLE (?) INCOME. Queen Victoria is said to be anxious that Lord Salisbury should find some nice sinecure for her son-in-law, the Marquis of Lorne. There is reason to believe that the Marquis of Lorne's income, counting in the allowance which a grateful country voted to his wife, the Princess Louise, does not exceed \$50,000 a year, which is quite in-adequate to his position. Moreover, grown out of British administration in adequate to his position. Moreover, his prospects have been materially injured by the thoughtless conduct of his father, the aged Duke of Argyll, in taking unto himself a third wife. The new Duchess is young, and, in the or- country where they are as various and dinary course of nature, is bound to outlive her old and infirm husband. This means a yearly allowance for the dia to the date of Lord Dufferin's Dowager Duchess, which will have to withdrawal there has never been a come out of an estate which is by no day when the Viceregal Government means rich as it is. It is not surpris-ing to learn that there is already some the territory with the investigations of friction in this ducal family, and that the lold Duke and the young Duchess have been subjected to something like a boycott at Inverary Castle. The Duke of Argyll certainly cannot be accused of prodigality, save in the matter of wives. He lives the greater part of the year at Inverary, in feudal but sion of Irish agrarian questions. The frugal state, entertaining few visitors and finding in his books ample comand similar problems in India was not fort and occupation for his cultured leisure. It may be truthfully said that he has ten times the brains and a fifth of the income of most of his compeers, and if he were not a philosopose him envious, say, of the Duke of Sutherland, who is about to entertain the Duke and Duchess of York at

of pounds. gard to new and important evidence in the Maybrick case, which will be submitted to the Home Secretary, Sir This Duke is wealthy enough to entertain royal guests in royal state without inconvenience and without a haunting fear of impovishing his heirs Matthew White Ridley, who has promthereby. His castle, Dunrobin, is magnificent enough for a king, his town house is one of the finest in London, and he enjoys the unique distinction London, Sept. 24.—In a hearing of the Oscar Wilde bankruptcy case toof having a private railroad running through his Scotch territory, with his day, counsel for Mr. Wilde stated that own station near his own door. his debts amounted to \$3,591 and that

RAVAGES OF CHOLERA IN CHINA. William E. Curtis, who is the Washington correspondent of the Chicago Record, went to Japan in May last to study the commercial and industrial prospects afforded Americans in that country, and lately he has been in

China, which he describes as the pest-

breeding center of the universe. "The cholera has attained fearful proportions in China," said Mr. Curtis. The Chinese are dying by thousands. I passed through the streets of Pekin, Shanghai and Tien Tsen, and saw cholera victims dead and dying on every hand. It is no uncommon sight to see the dead bodies of cholera victims lying on the street on one block and in the next a lot of Chinese gorging themselves with raw cucumbers and melons. The cholera is all attributable to the filthy habits of the Chinese and the weather. In Pekin they have a plan of issuing permits for the removal of bodies outside the city walls. As is probably well known, no bodies are interred within the walls. To secure permission for the removal of the remains of a deceased mortal outside the walls of the city a cash is dropped in a box. A cash is a small brass coin worth one-twentieth of one cent. At night the cash receptacle is It contains from 2,000 full. pieces of coin, and when it is con-sidered that nearly all of these deaths result from cholera the enormous extent of the disease can be readily judged. The disease is as bad at Shanghai and Tien Tsen, and is also mowing down Chinese by the hundreds in other ports of the infected country." Mr. Curtis said that the cholera is confined almost exclusively to the native Chi-

BROKE HIS NECK.

Guelph, Ont., Sept. 24.-Patrick Kirvan, of Aboyne, met with a fatal accident on Saturday evening at John Mc-Gowan's mills, Alma. While he was unloading a lead of flax he fell through the rack and broke his neck. He was about 55 years old, and leaves a widow and ten children to mourn his loss.

SWALLOWED A BEE. Bridgeport, Conn., Sept. 24.-Mrs. Mary Wortzes, while eating a pear yesterday, swallowed a bee. As it went down it stung Mrs. Wortzes in the larynx. Almost instantly she lost her voice. Today her throat was badly swollen. Dr. James Brady succeeded in extracting the sting, but the patient is still unable to articulate.

Steamers Arrived.

Sept. 23. At From Lake Superior. Heath Point. Liverpool Grecian. London. Montreal Antwerp. New York tain the premier position of British Southampton .. Kaiser Wilhelm...New York.... craft and seamen among the yachtsmen and navigators of the world. A committee was appointed to arrange for

Great improvements have been recently made at the mouth of the River Vistula. The old branch into the Baltic has been straightened and shortened from ten miles to four and a half, and the channel broadened by at the Lyceum. It is stated that no less a sum than \$20,000 has been expended by Mr. Forbes Robertson upon is shut off by a lock. The changes this venture, and it goes without saying that the mounting of the play, the costuming, and the accessories will be

WHOLE NO. 12306.

Lord Dufferin to Permanently Retire

BRITAIN'S CREATEST DIPLOMAT.

A Useful Life Full of Triumph and Diff-

From Public Life.

culties-A Gifted Life.

London, Sept. 24.-There is no doubt that Lord Dufferin, the British ambassador at Paris, is desirous of retiring from diplomatic life, and it is an open secret in diplomatic circles that he will withdraw from the Elysee and from active service as soon as Lord Salisbury can settle the difficult question of his successor.

The probability is that the late autumn will witness the retirement of the most gifted of British diplomats. Romeo of the cast. Charles Coghlan will play Mercutio, W. Dennis Tybalt, A. Grenville Paris. Nutcombe Gould hold on a while longer. But this is There is, of course, a contingency of

Lord Dufferin is now in his seven-tieth year. His career has been long and splendid. No man since Talleyrand has had such qualifications for diplomacy. His experience of it has very greatly transcended that of the famous Frenchman.

No European or other diplomatist of this age has had anything like Lord Dufferin's opportunity of studying the borderland of civilization—those countries whose races are slowly melting down into nationalities of absolutism at its zenith, as at St. Petersburg, and in process of dissolution, as at Con-

stantinople. India was the seat of Lord Dufferin's greatest activities, and his most splendid achievements. The period of his Viceroyalty, 1884 to 1889, witnessed the solution of some of the most comportant task Dufferin brought all the experience gained during many years of active participation in the discuslost upon him.

SIR OLIVER'S RETURN.

Sir Oliver Mowat will sail from Liverpool on Thursday next, and is expected to arrive in Toronto two weeks from today. From letters received Dunrobin Castle at a cost of thousands by the family during the past few days it is learned that the Premier is in excellent health and greatly benefitted by his long holiday abroad. As already stated in the "Advertiser," there has not been the slightest foundation for the alarmist reports as to his health which have appeared in some quarters.

COMING DOMINION ELECTIONS.

"If Manitoba Will Do Something" They Will Not be Long Delayed. Winnipeg, Sept. 24.-Mr. C. H. Camp-

bell, Q.C., Conservative candidate for Winnipeg at the last elections, has returned from Ottawa. A reporter called upon Mr. Campbell and the following conversation ensued .

"When you were in Ontario, Mr. Campbell, what in your opinion was the state of feeling on the school question?" "Favorable to Manitoba being left alone

if the Province will do something towards settling the question with the minority. A great many staunch Ontario Liberals are not prepared to go the length that Mr. Greenway and his Cabinet have already And do you think there will be another

ession of the Dominion Parliament?"

I believe the Dominion Government will go to the country without much further de-

"Not unless the Manitoba Government

refuse to do something for the Catholic

minority. If that is settled satisfactorily,

MIDDLESEX COUNTY. Rev. N. Currie, of Wisconsin, brother of Rev. John Currie, filled the pulpit of Knox Church, Belmont, last

Sabbath with acceptance. The marriage of Philip Mohr and Miss Lizzie Cunningham was celebrated with eclat on Wednesday evening last at the residence of the bride's father, Belmont, in the presence of about 100 invited guests. The bride was gowned in a suit of cream cashmere. Miss Annie Cunningham, sister of the bride, officiated as bridesmaid, and Daniel Kunz, of Harrietsville, supported the groom. The nuptials were performed by Rev. S. W. Muxworthy, of Charing Cross.

At the Epworth League of Christian Endeavor of Glencoe on Friday evening officers were elected for the ensuing year. The following is the list: President, Miss M. L. Campbell; first vicepresident, Miss Emma Stevenson; second vice-president, Mr. H. W. Baker; secretary, Mr. N. Lynn; treasurer, Mr. J. N. Currie; assistant treasurer, Mr. L. Clark. Convener's committees— Look-out, Miss A. Bloom; prayer meet-ing, Miss H. Tremeer; social, Miss M. exsmith; missionary and temperance, Miss C. Evans; music, Mis L. Bartlett; flower and sick committee, Miss M. Lynn.

The Regina Leader chronicles the death of Robert Creamer, formerly of Belmont, Westminster, and father of Dr. J. M. Creamer, of Regina, and Dr. J. P. Creamer, of Qu'Appelle. The deceased gentleman was a victim of Bright's disease. He was not deemed to be dangerously affected, and until a 5 became seriously ill. On Saturday the end came, due directly to heart failure. Deceased, who had many friends in this district, was 64 years of age.

> CHILDREN LIKE USING ODORO-MA, thus forming habits that will insure them good sound teeth the rest of their lives.

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

Houses, Etc., To Let. Advertisements under this heading one

TO LET- THE TWO FLATS OVER BELL TT LET — COTTAGE ON HYMAN street.—Electric light, furnace, bath, 8 rooms. Possession at once. Apply S. B. Coon, 574 Waterloo street. TO LET-HOUSE NO. 183 SOUTH SIDE Lichfield. Inquire T. J. McDonough. Key at 191.

ANDLORDS—NOW IS THE TIME TO advertise your vacant houses. An Apventisement will secure a tenant; 15c each insertion or hix days for 75c.

Wanted.

Advertisements under this heading one cent per word for first insertion. Onehalf cent per word for each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than 10 words.

Educational.

Business Cards. Advertisements under this heading one

cent a word each insertion. No advertisement less than 10 words. ARE YOU BUILDING OR REPAIRING

A -Look at this. Pine lumber \$3.50 per thousand; pine shingles \$1.50 per thousand; pine lath 12 cents per bunch; cedar posts 13 cents each; match flooring \$18 per thousand; doors from \$1.55 cach; sash from 35 cents each. Call at yard, Pall Mall street, opposite C. P. R. Telephone \$23. L. SUTHERLAND. Telephone 832. J. A. SUTHERLAND.

A. REID—CABINET-MAKER—Furniture packed for shipping and storing. Repairing in all its branches. 357 l'albot street. COMMON SENSE - ONLY RELIABLE exterminator for roaches, bedbugs, rats, nice. No smell. All druggists. ywt SPECIAL — LADÍES' BLOUSES AND shirt waists washed by hand and finished in first-class style at CANADIAN ELECTRIC LAUNDRY. Tel. 490.

TOCKWELL'S STEAM DYE WORKS-259 Dundas street. Specialties: Ostrich feathers and garment dyeing and cleaning. Parcels called for and delivered. Telephone CEO. ROUGHLEY-FELT AND GRAVEL N roofer; repairing a specialty; estimates on application. 190 South street, London. Tele-

phone 888. PRINTING TYPE, INKS, PRESSES—Supplies of all kinds; new outfits our specialty. Toronto Type Foundry. 44 Bay street, Toronto, and 286 Portage avenue, Winnipeg. DICYCLE AND GENERAL REPAIRING

-Pattern and model making I British

O TO MRS. WOODLIFFE'S, 2º6 DUNDAS street, for your cut flowers, lettuce, parsley, celery, all kinds of green groceries and T. CORP - PAINTING, GLAZING, paper hanging and house decorating. 183 Oxford street. Telephone 758. I ONDON MARLBE AND GRANITE COMpany—Largest and best stock of granite monuments. Talbot and Fullarton streets.

AWN MOWERS SHARPENED—CHINA and glassware riveted. F. Haves, 308 Dundas street. MITH & GRANT, MANUFACTTUERS

of packing, egg and beer cases. Orders promptly attended to. 567 Bathurst street. OUIS FEDDERSEN, MAKER AND repairer of baby carriages and reed chairs, corner King and Ridout streets. OES YOUR LAWN MOWER NEED repairing? Drop a card to Perry David,

ksmith, 569 Richmond street. CARPENTERING AND JOBBING promptly attended to by B. Hutchinson, shop 441 Piccadilly street. TURNITURE REUPHOLSTERED -

Carpets cleaned a laid. GEO. ABEL 398 Talbot street. Orders omp.ly attended to

People's

Popular Columns

10 Words

An advertisement under any of the following headings will cost the above

Domestics Wanted, Male Help Wanted, Situations Wanted, Agents Wanted, Articles for Sale. Houses to Let, Real Estate for Sale, Lost and Found. Business Chances

Extra words pro rata.

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been delivered here. When the crude asphalt is picked out of the big pile, it is carried by means of elevator buckets up to the top of the building, where it is thrown into three large melting tanks, each of which hold about 2,000 pounds. These tanks are fitted with a number of steam coil pipes, and as soon as the asphalt is placed in them the steam is turned on, and the refining process begins. About the only foreign substance in the crude asphalt is water, but nearly 28 per cent of the entire weight is made up by the latter. In order to extract the water the black stuff is heated to 320 degrees Fahrenheit, and kept at that point until it is taken out and dumped into the mix-ing machine. When the water is extracted, residum oil to the extent of 20 per cent of the refined asphalt is placed in the tanks, and both are thoroughly by means of automatic air pumps, which keep the contents of each tank continually agitated. The mixture makes what is technically known as

asphaltic cement. While the crude asphalt is being thus treated, several other men are engaged in putting large quantities of fine, sharp sand through a couple of im-mense tanks, which are kept continually revolving in the midst of blast furnaces, and out of which the sand comes heated to a temperature of 350 degrees. It is carried by means of chain elevators up to the second floor. At a convenient location in this second floor is the mixing machine, a device which makes the process of amalgamating the asphaltic cement, sand and stone dust comparatively simple and easy. When a wagon is ready to be loaded with the top dressing for the pavement it is placed immediately below a chute leading from this mixing machine. Then a large measure of sand is thrown into the mixer, a moment later a big bucket of asphaltic cement is added, together with a small proportion of stone dust These three substances are thoroughly mixed at a heat considerably over 300 degrees, and then shot down into the wagon. This is repeated until the wagon is loaded, and the stuff is delivered on the streets wherever required at a temperature still of over 300 degrees. The top dressing is composed of about 3 per cent of stone dust, which has to be imported here, 80 to 86 per

cent of sand and the balance asphaltic London will be the permanent Canadian headquarters of the company, which will probably give steady employ-

WISCONSIN CYCLONE

lars Worth of Damage.

ment to a number of men here.

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 24.-Yesterday's storm was the severest experi-enced in Wisconsin for years. In the towns of Pleasant Valley and Clear Creek, near Eau Claire, a number of buildings were blown down in a small cyclone, entailing a loss of about \$25, 000. At Oconto many trees were up-cooted and many buildings blown down. At Merrill the buildings on the Fair grounds were demolished. The loss will be fully \$20,000. At Menominee over 100,000 feet of lumber were blown into the river and drifted away Reports from Whitehall, Arcadia, West Superior, Spencer, Marinette and many other places report much damage. It is estimated that the losses will amount to several hundred thousand dollars.

APT QUOTATION.

The old Tate and Brady version of the Psalms used to be as familiar to a former generation as was the Catechism. A good story was told not long ago of two noted Englishmen, Lord Palmerston and Bishop Wilberforce, in which the once popular Psalm-Book plays an important part:

These two eminent personages were visiting at a country house. On the morning of departure they were told that carriages were ready to take the departing guests to the railway station. Palmerston settled to go in one of these carriages, as he feared there would be rain; but the bishop, who was great pedestrian, preferred to walk. Before he had proceeded half way to the station a heavy shower of rain came on; yet the good bishop struggied on, when the carriage containing Lord Palmerston overtook him, and his lordship called out from its windows a part of the first verse of the Tate and Brady version of the First Psalm:

How blest is he who ne'er consents
By ill advice to walk.
But Bishop Wilberforce, with the usual twinkle in his eye, replied with the rest of the verse:

Nor stands in sinners' ways, nor sits Where men profancly talk.

And the bishop drew to one side, and proceeded to walk on.

NEW ZEALAND has a kind of green parrot called kea that attacks sheep, and is held up by evolutionists as one of the most striking instances of rapid adaptation on record. Mr. Wallace has argued that it deserted the forests and its natural food of berries, first for the pickings of the slaughter house, then for the live sheep, and finally, by an extraordinary refinement, it now only strikes for the delicate fat around the sheep's kidneys. A New Zealand sheep farmer has lately brutally demolished this fable. The kea, he says, is only found above the forest line, and does not feed on berries, but on the lichens on stones; it did not train itself to eat meat, but probably only took to it by accident, mistak-ing the long hair of unshorn sheep for inchen. It never touches the kidney now, but only wants blood, and strike sheep far back, not to reach a special delicacy, but because the sheep cannot reach it there. The only fact left to the evolutionists is that the parrot sometimes kills sheep.

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WHERE SOCIALISM FAILED.

Disastrous Results of an Experiment Conducted in Australia.

(From the New York Sun.) The French Foreign Office has recently issued a report on a socialistic experiment begun two years ago in Paraguay. The Paraguayan Government conceded to a colony of discouraged Australians just gone through the panic of 1893 a rich tract of 900 square miles on the river Tibiquari, upon condition that within six years 1,200 immigrant families should be settled there. everent on London's streets is in-teresting, it is no more so than an-teresting, it is no more so than another branch of the work—the refining of \$300 each. Any colonist withdrawing from the scheme was to lose all. The settlement was bap-

> year and in the wet season navigable only in flat boats. Equality of pay for all was a principle of the organization, and each was to live upon the goods of the community. The abrogation of all authority was declared by the constitution of the colony, but the managers took upon themselves the right to regulate the community and to exclude without the formality of a vote drunkards and id-

lers. They also surrounded themselves with a strong police force. The colony at once divided itself into two camps. One supported the energetic, though very moderately intelligent, old man that had made himself master of the colony. The other, made up of dissidents, eventually quit the colony and returned to Villa Rica, the port of debarkation. This took 85 persons from the community. They reported that mutual fear and incessant strife made New Australia an inferno rather than a paradise. The dissidents were on the point of returning to Australia in great distress when the Paraguayan Government conceded to them a new territory in the department of Gonzales. Here they began to pros-per, though with very small regard to the original principles of the col-

ony. Meanwhile there has occurred a second schism in the colony at New Australia. This time the director yielded to the schismatics, and, with 50 com-panions, settled in another part of the country. What was left of the original colony was a prey to continual bicker-ing, and in September, 1894, 25 colonists went to Buenos Ayres, where they became a charge upon the public charities. Those left behind reorganized the community and dropped the socialistic features. They chose for leaders the men they took to be the most in-telligent and broad-minded, and settled down with the determination to succeed by the use of the best agri-cultural methods without attempting to present to the world a society formed upon the socialistic ideal.

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Chicago, Ill., Sept. 24.—Eight boys and young men perished in the lake on Sunday afternoon. Sax young men went out on the lake off Lawrence avenue, Lakewood, in a boat. When 300 feet from shore all of them took off their clothes and jumped into the water. A big wave came rolling shoreward while they were swimming around the boat and swept them under. Two other fatalities occurred at the Two other fatalities occurred at the same hour off Hopedale avenue, in the same part of the city. Two boys aged 11 years were swimming when a towering wave broke over them, carrying them under.

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Reeve Macdonald Says the Village Is Not Bankrupt-Some Lively Speeches, But No Resolutions.

A mass meeting of the ratepayers of London West was held in Collins' Hall, Blackfriars street, last night, to allow of a public discussion on the question which has caused many a scene in the village council-the consolidation of the corporation's debentures. The meeting was unusually quiet compared with some held during the last municipal campaign, and every speaker was given a good hearing. The attendance did not exceed 75 ratepayers, and, judging by the way the applause went, the majority seemed to favor the views of the Hamilton party. No resolutions were passed, and the meeting broke up in disorder about 10:30.

Mr. W. H. Dell, on assuming the duties of chairman, said he wanted to see the deadlock in the council unlocked, as the salaries of the school teachers were about due and would have to be paid. If 23 mills and consolidation would carry the village through the year, he wanted to see it decided upon. If 26 mills and no consolidation would serve as well, he want ed it, as something would have to be done soon. He was tired of such humbug work as had been carried on. The village was without money, accounts were coming in, and if a settlement was not soon reached the public school would have to be closed.

Reeve Macdonald was the first member of the council to speak. He ridiculed the idea that London was bankrupt. The village was never in a better condition financially, the total debenture debt being \$39,500, the assessed value of property amounting to \$340,000 and the corporation had a \$1,000 judgment against the guarantee company. As to the formation of a sinking fund had been neglected by councils in the past, the council of 1894 had deputed him to make arrangements for the consolidation of the debentures. By effecting the change which he proposed the rate could be struck at 23 mills and a snug sum left over, and the council of next year could strike a 20 mill rate. On account of the deadlock the reeve was pestered almost to death. Two men have sued the village for damages sustained in an accident, for which, however, he did not believe the corporation was responsible. Again there were \$300 worth of coupons due since the 1st of the month, and no money was on hand to meet them.

Cries of "Murdock," brought the deputy reeve to the stump. Mr. Murdock said the chairman would have to answer one question before he would Mr. Dell had said there was a deadlock in the council, and he wantd to know where it was when the members stood three to two.

Mr. Dell-The deadlock exists on account of the reeve refusing to sign the

bylaw. Mr. Murdock said there were some men who wanted to gouge the village and pull the wool over the ratepayers' eyes. If the council of last and other years had done their duty properly the council of this year would have been all right. A bylaw was brought in the other night to appoint pedia in its entirety is now within the Meredith, Cameron & Judd village solicitors. That was another attempt to gouge the village, as (Mr. Murdock claimed) it would take all the money in the village to keep them going. Mr. Murdock refused to have anything to do with extending the debentures, as he favored leaving it with the ratepayers. as they came due. Striking the rate at 26 mills, and getting the taxes in. weighs over 5 pounds. at 26 mills, and getting the takes in.

He did not believe in boodling. He substantially bound. The type is large and the paper is of excellent qual-

lage had to pay the separate school

Mr. Murdock replied that a certain sum was levied as a separate school rate, but it had not been paid in the council had gone to the school board we will deliver 12 volumes at once on and wanted them to raise \$500 for interest on school debentures, but what had the school board to do with providing such moneys? It was simply another concocted scheme to make the estimate as large as possible.

Mr. Dell denied that any councilor

had gone to the school board on such a mission. He had never heard coupons mentioned

Mr. Murdock again took the platform, and getting rather warmed up in re debentures, said: It is the Canada Life that want the consolidation of the debentures. It is to their interest to put a screw upon us and in favor of a certain member of the council. (Laughter.)

hairman Ludwig spoke briefly from the school board's point of view. As he resumed his seat there were cries of "Moore," and "Hamilton," but the former coucilor wanted fair play, and asked to be allowed to speak last, as he was at the foot of the polls. The crowd wouldn't have it that way, and Mr. Moore took the platform. He thanked Mr. Murdock for his kind HOW PARENTS PROVOKE treatment, but he wanted to correct one point for which the deputy reeve had blamed him. Some twenty years ago \$4,000 had been borrowed to build a school, on the understanding that it was to be paid back in a certain time. Seventeen years had passed and not a copper was laid by for the wiping out of that debt. Since then several amounts had been borrowed and no provision made for their payment, until \$29,000 was due within a few years. Mr. Moore resurrected bygones, by stating that various statements had been made about the total debt of the corporation. Mr. Murdock said it was \$41,000. Mr. Scarrow, ex-deputy reevel had placed it at \$38,000, and Mr. W. T. ex-auditor, in a special report, had placed it at \$41,000.

Mr. Duff-I did not.
Mr. Moore-Well, I do not think it would be any trouble for the clerk to get the book.

Mr. Duff-No such figures are in my report, unless it was doctored after-

And in the midst of the cross-firing Clerk Simpson started home for the Councilor Moore continued in refer-

ence to the saving the corporation would effect by the change, and in the midst of a sentence he turned to the deputy reeve, who was in a front seat, and told him not to be nudging the man next to him, and to ask him (Moore) when he wanted to know any-

After a little crossing of swords be-tween Messrs. Moore and Murdock, the clerk returned with the information that the report of Mr. Duff was in the solicitor's office.

The announcement created a laugh among the small boy element. and 340 Richmond str drew a quick response from Mr. Hamil-

TALKING OVER THEIR TROUBLES. ton, that the solicitor's office was not the place for the village documents. Councilor Hamilton was the next speaker, and he ridiculed the consoli-London West Ratepayers Discuss the dation before taking the vote of the people. He had been threatened with removal from office and disqualifica-

tion, but he was not in the least afraid "I can see through the whole thing," he said. "I understand our reeve has committed himself. He has made the deal, and how to get out of it he does not know. It makes a fool of him, and this meeting is the last thought of a drowning man grasping at a straw. Don't you know of his craftiness and the ability of his supporter?"

Councilor Andrews briefly declared himself on the question, and the meeting broke up in disorder.

THE FARMER HANDICAPPED.

What Recent Trade Returns and Customs Decisions Mean.

According to an Ottawa paper the imports into Canada for July and August fell off by \$2,000,000, compared with the same months last year. The falling off is \$2,485,344 compared with the imports in July and August, 1894. The exports for July and August are published at \$24,876,000, compared with \$22,-559,000 in 1894, but they were \$26,256,000 in 1893. The figures, assuming them to be approximately correct, are not very encouraging to those who look to such returns as a partial index to reviving trade, because while the increase they show in the total trade over the same months in 1894 is only \$319,000, the decline below the same period in 1893 is no less than \$3,865,000. A significant feature of the trade of these two months is that while the imports declined by \$2,000,000 the tariff extracted an increased duty of \$318,000. In other words the people are too poor yet they are taxed more under Mr.Foster's revised tariff. Recent customs rulings have added taxes on to articles formerly admitted at a low rate of duty. For instance, feed mills, feed cutters, root cutters, straw and hay cutters, corn huskers and shellers were all ruled to come under the same item in the tariff as axes, scythes, lawn mowers and rakes at 35 per cent. It is a common thing to read and hear statements that the customs duty on agricultural implements and all such was reduced from 35 to 20 per cent in the revision of the tariff in 1894. This is not true. The following articles indispensable to the farmer, still pay 35 per cent: Shovels and spades, feed mills and feed cutters, scythes, axes, hoes, straw, root and hay cutters, hay knives, picks, and tools, corn huskers, pronged forks and garden rakes. The following are taxed 32 1-2 per cent: Curry combs. locks, butts, hinges, saws and other farmers' hardware. Such articles as portable hay presses are now taxed 30 per cent, along with pumps and windmills, but dried orange peel was last week ruled under the free list.

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NEW TOWNSHIP IN ONTARIO. The plan of the new township of Haycock, recently surveyed by Mr. T H. Deacon, shows about 23,000 acres of land and considerable water, comprising about 15 large-sized lakes, and a number of smaller ponds. The township is six miles square, but broken into by Black Sturgeon Lake on the northwest corner. Game is plentiful in the township. There is a good chance there for somebody to start a beaver farm. The new township is named Haycock, after the leader of the Patrons of Industry, in the Provincial Leg-

HOW PARENTS PROVOKE CHIL-DREN.

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(From the World,) The young Duke of Marlborough is coming into fair waters after a shadowed boyhood. His mother, one of the beautiful daughters of the Duke of Abercorn, and a sister of the Marchioness of Lansdowne, secured a divorce from his father, and he grew up with a divided parentage. His tather, a very able man, but wild in life, married a few years ago Mrs. Hammersley, wealthy New Yorker. Much of her money went to release the Churchill estates.

The young Duke is the ninth of a title, created in 1702. The sudden rise of John Churchill and the fame and fortune he left behind him are one of the romances of

history. An almost equal romance of our own time is the rise of the Vanderbilt family, now to be allied with the British peerage. Sixty years ago the old Commodore Vanderbilt was a steamboat man, as the phrase goes, in the vicinity of New York. From that he got into a line of his own, and then a railroad, and then a network of railways, and now his granddaughter is to bear one of the proudest names in England. And yet the old commodore can say to the old general, "Your son, the ninth in descent, is to wed my daughter, third from me. We both did the trick on our own merits, and our descendants reaped the benefit." Both were men remarkable for their force and shrewdness. Not many years ago the old to buy as much even as last summer, commodore got off the train at London, Ont., and was married at railway passenger speed.

The young Duke is 24 years of age, well educated, and moved the address in the Lords the other day, in reply to the Queen's speech. Then he struck for America, and now, a fortnight or so after his arrival, the match is announced.

Miss Consuela Vanderbilt, the affiance, has been, so we are told, very carefully educated, and is, by her training, far more English than American. Her mother, like her prospective husband's mother, secured a separation from Mr. W. K. Vanderbilt, who until lately was having a good time in Europe with a foreign lady.

We do not know whether our neighbors are proud of the match or not-whether they were proud of the capture of Miss Gould by a French count. At all events the Vanderbilts have now gone the Goulds one better. And, speaking of the Goulds, it must not be forgotten that Mrs. George Gould, who is now a recognized leader in New York society, and has the entree of the best in England, was in her girlhood, not many years ago, a Toronto girl, without any fortune but her face and her inherent capacities.

By this marriage two American girls become Duchess of Marlborough in succession, and twice in succession New York fortunes fall into the laps of the Churchills. And thus some of the thriftiness of Sarah Jennings still persists in her descendants.

ODD ITEMS FROM EVERYWHERE.

Prof. Bell has at his summer place a houseboat, with a trap door in the floor of the dining room, so that he can keep right on fishing when at meals. The vegetarian restaurant that was open-

ed in West 23rd street, New York, last winter has been closed up on account of a lack of sufficient patronage to pay expenses. A Philadelphia paper the other day printed the following advertisement:-"Wanted-to form the acquaintance of a consecrated Christian gentleman who can sing and play banjo or mandolin."

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The introduction of bicycle grooms in Paris has been followed by a new requirement from governesses engaged by fashionable mothers in the French city, viz., that they shall be competent to ride a wheel in the Bois with their young charges.

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-[PRINCE BISMARCK.

London, Tuesday, September 24. WILL GREAT BRITAIN AND RUS-SIA BECOME ALLIES AND

ABSORB CHINA?

Every now and again, for the last half-century, the relations between Great Britain and Russia have been strained. Both powers have big interests in the East, and each are constantly on the alert to prevent a competitor from getting ahead. Great Britain went to war in the Crimea to prevent Russia from absorbing Turkey, and thus make the Bosphorus and the Black Sea its southern boundary. Britain and her allies triumphed in that terrible struggle, and Russia was for a time beaten back. In later years the Russian armies were within seven miles of Constantinople when, at the still, and consented to a treaty which domination of his land by the Czar.

While thus baffled on the Bosphorus, Russia has not been idle. The great vide. Yet a worse fate might happen nation finding it impossible to expand to John Chinaman. and to get a seaport in Turkey, directthe Crimean war, she has absorbed whole, nationalities, and has extended her rough civilization into many thousand miles of territory where for centuries anarchy and rascality have held sway. She has built her trans-Caspian railroad to bring her closer to the Indian frontler, and is building her trans-Siberian railroad, which is now opened from Vladivostock to Lake Baikal, 2,300 miles, while the remaining 3,700 miles will be finished in three years

But a few years since the Gladstone Government was almost hounded out of power by jingo opponents who prefessed the belief that Russia was about | see who wins. to seize British India. In following a British example, Russia absorbed every badly-governed territory in central and eastern Asia, in order that she might colonize them and increase Russian trade and prestige. This policy resulted in her absorption of Russian Tartary, and brought her armies to the in their early school days. western gates of Afghanistan, and as the British taxpayers susidize the Ameer to remain friendly to them the arrival of Russian troops, even in Mills to Rev. Dr. McKay's last letter. neutral territory contiguous to Afghastan, alarmed many people in Great Britain. Gladstone rightly did not agree with those who advocated war against a power that had infringed on no British possession, and had merely followed British example.

But Russia is not satisfied with what she has attained. She now aims to get control of Western China, and has managed to make the Chinese Government her debtor to a large amount which, if in default, she may collect in territory. There has been and is now antagonism between Russia and Great Britain at many points, and foreign markets. Farmers generally we are told that if they cannot agree to a policy of mutual forbearance, they must fight. This is the view promuljournal which enjoys the confidence of will be impossible to show that there must say: To give up this is more than | profitable market for soft-fed hogs. guage is in marked contrast with the ain when Gladstone was engaged in rectifying the Russo-Afghan boundary. But still more significant is the declaration of the Spectator that "the people of the United Kingdom have abandoned the idea of keeping Russia out of Constantinople, or an open port on the Mediterranean;" that while they "have carefully emptied their revolver, public sentiment is in favor of it. The they are still fitfully waving it in the mon prudence;" and that they should come to "a complete understanding with Russia," not merely "in regard to Constantinople and India, but also as said, though he deserved the greatest is warranted by the fact that, despite which prohibit the fortification of Seed before, and it has, at the same time fortified the commercial city of Batoum. Once on a time, this would have

tener than twice before they fight nowadays, and in this they exhibit wisdom. The remarkable proposition of the London Spectator is thus printed:

"Here, again, it is a case of Russia's desire for an open port. Russia wants a port or ports in the North Pacific, which shall not be closed by ice for several months in the year. It is a most ... 1 00 legitimate and most natural wish. Unfortunately it has been our short-sighted policy to oppose it, with the result that we have again earned the enmity of Russia from a most insufficient cause. Why we should desire to prevent Russia from having free access to the sea in the Pacific, it is exceedingly difficult to discover. As long as we maintain our naval strength-and if we do not do that we are altogether lost—the possession by Russia of open ADVERTISER PRINTING Co., ports is in no way an injury. Indeed, Russia with open ports is more vulnerable to the power which commands the sea, than Russia with ice-closed har-What, then, we should do to

ecure an understanding with Russia is roughly and broadly this: We should ay to her: We abandon frankly and finally all attempts to prevent your access to the Mediterranean, and we do the like in the case of the North Pacific, on the understanding that you give up the policy of threatening the Indian frontier and of working with France to injure our interests in Africa and elsewhere. Further, we are prepared to come to a detailed arrangement as to your and our expansion in Asia generally. For example, so long as our trade interests are saved from injury, we shall make no objection to your absorbing portions of nordisclaiming any desire for the part of the | dog in the manger," and pointing out the immense advantage Russia would reap and how little would be asked of her in return, the Spectator closes its remarkable disquisition with the possible to come to such an underhe does he will secure the gratitude

has marked out for our friendship." This is nothing more nor less than an invitation to divide China between demand of Great Britain, they stood the two great powers. But China. Japan, and the other European nagave the Turk another lease of life tions are yet to be heard from. War in Europe, and prevented the complete | may only be averted by such a division, but we are much afraid that war would result from the attempt to di-

free and strong, and not entangled in

onable enmity with a power that nature

Rev. Dr. Dann, the new assistant pastor of St. Paul's Church, city, very properly denounced the anonymous letter writers who bombarded him with opportunity to begin his work. The anonymous letter should be discountenanced by everyone. The "Advertiser" prints no anonymous letters.

Even a baseball umpire has rights. One of them has gone into court to establish his character as a fair-minded man. It is umpire vs. crank. We shall

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Tomorrow the "Advertiser" will contain a trenchant reply by Hon. David

keting too many "thick fat" hogs, and Kent dealers have been notified that their hogs will not be acceptable in ment. It is alleged that the farmers have been feeding beans to their pigs, and that with such feed it is next to impossible to produce the "long lean" description of hogs which the packers should heed the advice of the packers. command the highest prices, and avoid disappointment. It is well to be-

The hot wave has undoubtedly caught

ment reform in New York city, says that though a prohibitionist in prindoctor is amenable to reason.

Much has been written about th success of the Western Fair, but there the far East." This language of praise-Mr. Thomas A. Browne, the famous city as it has never been arm- through so much labor, much of it routine, but all essential to the success of the show, with so little friction. Mr. been deemed equivalent to a declara- Browne is indeed a model secretarywar, but the powers think of- a better word would be "manager."

LIGHTNING AND BARNS.

In view of the large number of barns struck by lightning during the last few days, a correspondent asks us if there is greater danger of barns being burned by lightning when they are filled with produce than when they are empty. Mr. McAdie, a United

States Government official, after exhaustive inquiry, submits these facts: Last year, prior to Aug. 1, 223 persons were reported as killed by flightning in this country; after that date, 113; dwellings struck, before Aug. 1, 173; after, 87; churches, before, 10; after, 15; barns, before, 130; after, 138. It thus appears that while much more than half the year's damage done by lightning in other directions occurred prior to the date mentioned, a trifle more than half the injury to barns from that cause came afterward. Mr. McAdie mentions three possible reasons for this increased peril after harvesting the crops: 1. The stalks of grass and growing grain serve as tiny lightning rods, and relieve the electric strain between sky and earth, but when they have been out down only the buildings and trees are left to serve that purpose. 2. A full barn is warmer, and hence more readily ignited than an empty one. 3. The vapor in the warm air, rising from a barn filled with new hay, attracts the electric current and invites a discharge

These figures show the necessity for barns being insured, or for possible lesses being provided for otherwise. London township farmer tells us that he does not insure his buildings or stock, taking his chances, by the saving of insurance premiums, to come out ahead in the long run. Is he prudent? The qestion is one worthy of earnest discussion.

We would like to hear from our farmer readers.

GLUT OF LABOR EASILY CREATED Men are wanted. The activity in the iron trade makes it necesary to employ all available men. To a free trader this situation is particularly satisfactory. Brisk trade and steady employment at good wages of all capable workmen is just what the free trader considers an excellent industrial condition. This condition has followed a reduction of the tariff on iron and steel goods of from 30 to 35 per cent. Now, the high protectionists of the Mc-Kinley school in Pennsylvania and elsewhere do not like this, and if the workingmen do not like it, there is a way to change it. It is simply to re-enact the McKinley tariff law. There will be no more complaint about scarcity of capable men then.-Utica (N. Y.) Observer.

Mr. Percy Lindley, 30 Fleet street, has compiled for the Great Eastern Railway Company a valuable illus-It will have a big circulation.

"Peter Steele, the Cricketer," is the latest volume of the Colonial Library. issued by Macmillan & Co., London and New York, and published in Canada by the Copp, Clark Company, Torento. It is a lively story, illustrative of English sporting life, and will, no doubt, have many readers in the Do-

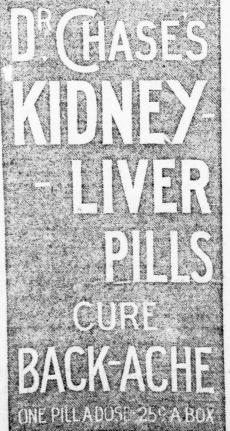
A very convenient pocket size are the new novels now issued by T. Fisher Unwin, Paternoster Row, London, England. His last issue is that lively story, "The Spectre of Strathannan," told in W. E. Norris' most attractive style. Price, 1s 6d.

The thousands of Canadian friends of the late J. Jackson Wray will no doubt take an early opportunity to possess his last and most powerfullywritten tale, "The Red, Red Wine," It is a story intended to demonstrate the evils of intemperance. The author was one of the ablest advocates of temperance, and in his book he has left a legacy that will be appreciated by very many. The scene of the story, which appeals to the heart, is laid in East Yorkshire, Mr. Wray's native district, and the narrative is most striking. Dr. Wm. Briggs, publisher, Toronto, presents the story in an attractive volume, with a full-page portrait of the author,

"The Jewel of Yuys Galon" is a story of remarkable adventure in search of buried treasure, by Owen Rhoscomyl, published by Longmans, Freen & Co., New York. It is attractively written and fittingly illustrated There were Welsh pirates, and this story tells all about them.

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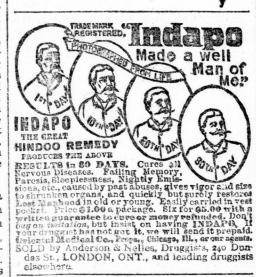
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International Cricket Match at Philadelphia.

Year. Galt Is Tired of the Alleged Amateurism

Professional Baseball in Canada Next

- Windsor Races - Latest Sporting News.

CRICKET. THE ENGLISHMEN WON.

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 24.-The Oxford-Cambridge cricketers defeated the Gentlemen of Philadelphia in the match which had been in progress since Friday, and which ended yesterday. The Philadelphians scored 234 runs in their first inning, and 138 in the second—a total of 372. The Englishmen made 156 runs in their first inning, and when they went in for their second inning they wanted 217 runs to win. They scored 220 runs, with two wickets to spare. The heat throughout the match was terrific. Thirty-five hundred people were present to see the concluding day's play. Next Friday, Saturday and Monday the Englishmen will play their third and deciding match with the Gentlemen of Philadelphia on the grounds of the Merion Cricket Club, at Haverford Station, Pa.

SEPALL. NATIONAL LEAGUE-MONDAY. Boston 9, Brooklyn 7. Philadelphia 4, Baltimore 12. New York 7, Washington 9. Pittsburg 11, Louisville 4.

St. Louis 6, Cincinnati 15. Toronto World: As the baseball season has closed, the Toronto players who have summered in the country are beginning to return to town. Jack Humphreys had a great season up in Galt, and is back looking well. He will likely return to the same place next year. Galt is tired of the so-called amateur game, and next year will have a professional team, to be managed by Chub Collins, of Dundas. Another town that will branch out in the professional line is Cobourg, the home of the ex-champions. They are already negotiating for several first-class players, and will be granted entrance to the Canadian

League. As Guelph and London also favor the profesisonal idea, there is no doubt but the Canadian League will be compose entirely next season of professional

First Baseman Elliott and Pitcher Burnett, of the Galt club, are in the city taking a course at the dental col-lege. Besides Caldwell, of Galt, is at 'Varsity. All three are well known association football men, and will be great acquisition to both the nine and the eleven. It remains to be seen what Hamilton and the Crescents will

A movement is on foot to form a joint stock company to organize a strong baseball club for next season, says the St. Thomas Times. The intention is to sell shares at \$30 each, and raise about \$1,500. Atlantic Park will be secured, fenced in, stands erected and the grounds put in proper shape. It is probable that Wood, pitcher of the Guelph club; Humphreys, shortstop of the Galt team; Lyons, Handley, McDonald, Hutchinson, and other fast players will be secured, and the club put in the Canadian League. A team can be organized that will be a pennant winner.

THE ROL A carp that weighed 47 1-2 pounds was caught on a line and killed with a load of buckshot in the upper Delaware River, near Bristol, Pa., a few days ago. It was hooked by Mr. Wm. Hibbs, who, after playing it for ten minutes, tied a fence rail to the and threw the rail into the river. Then he went home for his gun. Returning with a neighbor, he rowed in search of lis prize, and soon found the fence rail, with the line and fish attached. The big carp had tired itself out, and it was hauled to the surface and killed

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THE WHEEL. Jim Shillinglaw, of Sarnia, did five miles on the river road Friday in 11 minutes, 1 second. Angus McLeod

holds the present five-mile, class B, record, made on the track in 11:44 2-5, which is considerably slower. WOMEN AND CYCLING.

Mrs. Crawford, the Paris correspondent of the Daily News, says that a Paris morning paper has applied to a number of "emancipated" ladies for their opinion on the question, "Which, the skirt or the knickerbockers, is the best garment, from the triple stand-point of beauty, health and propriety?" Among the ladies are Mesdames Sara Bernhardt, Brandes and Eugenie Buffet. Curiously enough, Madame Bernhardt does not go into the aesthetic consideration. She confines herself to the moral. She, who is a wanderer on the face of the earth, and has such a passion for wandering, thinks it best for her sex to keep sedentary. The cycle, she fears, is going to make more sweeping changes than anyone dreams of. All those young girls and women, to whom space is not more than to birds, are sure to be disgusted with confinement to their houses. The habit of utter liberty which the cycle gives will show itself in other ways than cycling. Madame Bernhardt has seen what the free education of America leads to. She only hopes that French girlhood will be kept on old-fashioned French lines. Balaam's blessing could not have fallen more unexpectedly than these words of Madame Sara Bernhardt.

WINDSOR RACES. Windsor Race Track, Sept. 23.—The cold wave that reached here today did not affect the attendance.

First race, 7 furlongs—Fakir 1, Lepros Lyon 2, Lotus 3. Time, 1:29 1-2.

Second race, 6 furlongs—Del Coroncnado 1, Doubtful 2, Georgie Smith 3.

Third race, 5 1-2 furlongs-Belle Foster 1, Santa Cruz 2, Mother of Pearl 3. Fourth race, 7 furlongs—Chiquita 1, Bonnie True 2, E. H. Shirley 3. Time,

Fifth race, 1 mile-Dockstader 1, Montepenso 2, Spendoline 3. Time,

1:43 1-2. NEWMARKET RACES BEGIN. Newmarket, England, Sept. 24.-The Newmarket first October meeting opened today, and among the events scheduled was the triennial produce stakes, for which only three horses ran. Mr. Charles Day Rose's entry, St. Hilliare, a bay colt by St. Simon, out of Distant Shore (Distant Shore is the name selected by Mr. Rose for his Ammerican cup challenger), was one of the entries. Following is the result: Lord Durham's bay colt Son o' Mine, by Isonomy out of Alibech, first; Mr. Charles Day Rose's bay colt St. Hilliare, by St. Simon out of Distant Shore, second; Mr. E. C. Clayton's bay colt Simon Burn, by St. Simon out of St. Helen, third.

FO TRALL There may be three sets of rules in the coming football season, but arnica and splints will continue to be as popular as ever.

ATHLETICS.

THE CORBETT-FITZSIMMONS

FIGHT.

Austin, Texas, Sept. 24.—It was learned last night that Attorney-General his partner disappeared?" asked Mr. Crane is arranging to sue out an inunction in the district court of Dallas county to restrain the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight. If the judge grants the injunction, which he doubtless will, then the fight management in self-defense must appeal later to the court of criminal appeals with a full bench, and thus play directly into the hands of the State, because to get it before this full bench for a decision is exactly what the State wants, as it is believed a full bench of the court will reverse Chief Justice Hurts' individual opinion. It is well known Gov. Culbertson does not propose to accept Judge Hurts' opinion as final and says he wants a full court's opinion or nothing.

IT'S AWAY DOWN.

Water in the Reservoir Four Feet, Four Inches Deep.

Situation Growing Serious-Commissioners Looking After Another Pend cross the River.

Again the situation at the city w works is becoming serious.

The water in the reservoir today was slowly going down. Yesterday there was five feet. This drop has occurred nothwithstanding the fact that the Grand Trunk has commenced to pump its supply from the river.

The commissioners have decided to take immediate steps to consider ways and means to surmount the difficulty. They have visited the property on the north side of the river and are talking over the advisability of securing Redmond's pond, which contains 80 feet of water and which is about 85 feet above the pump house. The commissioners think that by clearing off fourteen or fifteen feet of vegetable matter from the surface of the pond the water will be found of the purest quality. It is doubtless the feeder of many springs which bubble out in that locality, and if this proves so it may be made into a reserve reservoir, its altitude providing ample pressure. That some-thing will have to be done without de-lay is certain, and the commissioners are fully alive to the situation. The pumps at he station are being used alternately and can more than

handle the supply. CHESHIRE held the palm for several years for having the largest apple tree in the country. It fell a few years farm of Mr. Walter Brooks, in the east part of the town, stands an apple tree which we feel sure has few, if any, The spread of the branches is about 80 feet, and the trunk from four to four and a half feet in diameter. Several huge limbs in a variety of shapes grow from the trunk. This tree has borne over 120 bushels of apples in a season, and is adjudged to be about 150 years old."-Hartford Courant.

AS JOHN SANGER'S circus procession was passing along the streets at | from London for the statue. Edmonton, Eng., one of the elephants caught sight of a baker's cart, on the top of which was a basket containing some loaves of bread. He at once lifted the basket to the ground, and, finding leaves in it, he handed one to each of leaves in it, he handed one to each of of Buckingham had Queen Victoria as his companions, and appropriated the his guest at Stowe. The costliness of third himself.

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

IT WAS SLICK.

How James Wilson and a Pal "Did" Farmer Blaikie

Out of \$65 On a Trick Lock Game—It Was Blaikie's First Bet-Wilson Guilty of Larceny.

Farmer James Blaikie, lot 19, con. 3, of Westminster township, was in the Police Court this morning to relate how he was done out of \$65 in a trick lock by James Wilson and a pal. It was on Sept. 14 that Farmer Blaikie drove to town, and after putting up at the Hodgins House, went to transact some business. When he reached the corner of King and Talbot streets, Blaikie was accosted by a well dressed, smooth shaven young man, who wanted to purchase some heavy draft horses. As luck would have it, Blaikie did not have his heavy draft in town, but at the stranger's request he went to the Hodgins' stables to see one which he (Wilson) said he was thinking of buying. When the stall was reached the horse was sone, but Wilson gave 2 plausible excuse for its absence, and at the same time produced a lock, stating that he had recently lost a horse near St. Marys, but hoped that the lock, which was a new arrangement, would prevent further robberies. "Do you suppose you could open it?" was Wilson's first remark to the far-

mer after producing the lock.

"Well, I do not know" replied
Blaikie. "I hardly ever use them."

"Well," rejoined Wilson, "I will show
you how it is done," and Wilson put the
key into the prepared to evened and key into the proper slot, opened and closed the lock, and then let Blaikie

do the same.
"Then I will show you how it cannot be done," continued Wilson, as he removed a cover on the face of the lock and a tall man appeared and wanted to wager that he (Blaikie) could not open it.

"Blaikie was sure he could, especially after he had just been shown, and didn't hesitate a little bit in putting up his stuff when the stranger wanted to bet \$10, \$25—or double that amount—that he couldn't. Wilson urged Blaikle to put up, stating that the strange man had more money than he knew what to do with. The yeoman produced one \$50bill and three \$5 bills—a total of \$65. The pal handed his money to Wilson, and the latter took Blaikie's money. no resistance being offered. After the cash had been staked Blaikie took the lock, got the key ready, the tall man announced that the opening was to be effected before ten could be counted. Blaikie kept one eye on his money, and the other on the lock, and when the word was given began to open the lock. It did not work as easily as be-When ten was counted the pal fore. grabbed the money and ran through the stable and away, while Blaikle stood dumbfounded at the loss of his

Such was the story as Mr. Blaikle told it on oath. A pronounced modification of the story he had given when he first informed the police of his being gulled. His relation of the story

McKillop. Well," said Blaikie, "I just told him it was not right; that my money was gone."

"You knew that you were betting?" said Mr. Frank Love, who appeared for "Well," said Blaikie, "I didn't know.

I suppose so."
Q.—And if you had won you would have expected the money to be handed over to you A.-Well, I guess I would.

The P. M .- Are you in the habit of Blaikie-No; never did it before.

Q .- And this was your first venture? A.-Yes (with a shake of the head.) and it will be my last.

Mr. McKillop said that the case was one of theft, and not of robbery, as no force was exercised to secure Blaikie's

Wilson elected summary trial, and was found guilty of larceny. "There is not a shadow of a doubt but that there was an arrangement between this man and his confederate to get Blaikie's money. But I do not see how they came to pick on Blaikie," concluded

the magistrate. Wilson was further remanded for a day for sentence. Wm. White, a Grand Trunk brake-

man, was fined \$5 or 20 days for assaulting Wm. Booth. The case of Edward Morkin, of King commenced. street, charged with selling liquor duronly four feet four inches deep and was ing prohibited hours, was adjourned for week at the request of the crown. The principal witness for the prosecution, Robert Warwick, cannot be found. The case will be disposed of next Tuesday, unless evidence is offered to show that Warwick is being kept to stay

> Three young men attempted to raise a disturbance in the Grigg House yesterday afternoon and were promptly ejected by the athletic proprietor. One was fined \$2 for being drunk and disorderly, and ordered to pay \$3 50 in damages. The others were discharged. Alex. Jackson, vagrant, was discharged.

PROMINENT PATRON INJURED. Accident to Grand Trustee Lockie Wilson-Nearly Killed.

Cornwall, Sept. 24.-Mr. James L. Wilson, grand trustee of the Patrons of Industry, met with a very serious accident the Peterboro. other daynear Alexandria while cutting com for his silo. The corn-cutter began to run too rapidly, and when Mr. Wilson sprang forward to check the speed the brake broke, and the big belt, coming off the wheel, wound around his legs and dragged him to the wheel of the cutter, feet foremost. He was whirled around several times before the ago, but the correspondent has found cutter could be stopped. His escape from another to take its place. "On the death was almost miraculous. One of his death was almost miraculous. One of his him. ankles was badly dislocated, and his legs, arms, and held were badly cut and bruised. It will be some time before he will be able to go about, as the shaking up was

> LORD ROBERTS OF KANDAHAR is to have a brass monument at Calcutta while he is yet alive. old-fashioned brass muzzle-loading cannon have just been sent to India

> IT costs something to have an emperor for a friend. The recent visit of Kaiser William to Lord Lonsdale cost, it is said, \$200,000. This is not quite as bad as was the case in which the Duke her reception was so great as to bankrupt him.

> THE once great violinist, Joachim, is said to have once visited a barber in London to get his hair cut. He is in the habit of wearing it rather long be-hind, and intimated as much to the barber, whereupon that individual promptly replied. "I wouldn't wear it too long, mister. If you do, you'll look just like one o' them fiddlin' chaps.'

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A Windsor Man Falls From a Steamer and Disappears.

Blackmailing in St. Thomas-Valuable Horse Killed at Port Stanley-A Woman Who Has Traveled-Fined for Selling a Necktie.

The West Lambton Fair opened at Sarnia today. Miss Arnold, Chatham, has gone

Moosejaw, N. W. T., to live. The Brantford Bicycle Supply Company seeks incorporation. Capital, \$25,-Hector Mackenzie, of Petrolea, died

of consumption at Calgary on Friday night. There have been 145 cases of typhoid fever in Brantford since the season

The creditors of Thomas Penfold, 1 quor dealer, St. Thomas, have accepted 35 cents on the dollar. On Oct. 18 the citizens of Stratford

will vote on a bylaw to raise \$30,000 to give that city sewerage. Edward Graham, of Wyoming, who came to Manitoba on the recent excursion, died at Cypress River. The corner stone of the new Anglican Wallaceburg, was laid today

by Rev. Rural Dean Smith, of Mor-

peth. Frank McNulty, late of St. Thomas, is the Republican candidate for the State Legislature in Woodbury county,

Mrs. Alex. McNaughton, who was born in Scotland in 1813, died in Woodstock Saturday. She came to this country in 1830.

Guelph's electric railway system collapsed through the burning of an armature Saturday. The accident will stop the cars till repairs can arrive from

Alex. Currie, gents' furnisher, Sarnia, forced there. John Nicholls, of Windsor, aged 30,

fell off the steamer Wales at the dock there yesterday at 2 a.m., and could not be found. He leaves a wife, child and father, who were dependent upon Charles B. Heath, of Stratford, was

dashed against a telephone pole by his runaway horse yesterday. The base of his skull was fractured. He was injured internally and his recovery is doubt-Diphtheria is still raging in Gosfield and Colchester townships, Essex county, and the Provincial Board of Health

has been appealed to. In one school section there are 23 cases and 8 deaths have already occurred. The medical heath officer of Chatham stated on Saturday that the carcass of a cow afflicted with an aggravated type of of lump jaw, or cancer, had been cut up by a city butcher and

sold over the counter. The Galt Poultry Club have elected the following officers: President, Q. Minto; vice-president, W. McNaughton; chairman, J. Loughead; committee, H. Pageto, J. Caldwell, R. Lamb; secretary-treasurer, J. Powley.

Two young Norwich ladies, while returning from Christian Endeavor meeting the other night, were attacked by a strange man, who tried to kiss them. They screamed and fled. Other women there complain of similar treatment. St. Thomas W. C. T. U. has elected

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SMALLMAN & INGRAM

A good-looking woman has been blackmailing a number of St. Thomas men, married and single, for three nonths. She enticed them to her rooms and then demanded money from them on threat of exposure in police court. She has made a good deal of money. On Saturday the valuable trotter Garnet, owned by Mr. Thomas Donley, Grand Central Hotel, St. Thomas, was found in a fifteen-foot well at Port Stanley, having broken through the beards in the night. The horse, which was once valued at \$1,000, died shortly afterwards from his injuries.

Shadrach Billings met with a painful accident at George Garrow's plan-ing mill at St. Thomas yesterday. He was engaged in sinking panels in a staircase, and while drawing them back his left hand got caught in the shaper knives, and his hand was lacerated in a fearful manner. The doctors found it necessary to amputate the four fingers. A Winnipeg dispatch says: Norman Chittick, of Walkerton, Ont., aged 23, fell 80 feet from an elevator this morning and was instantly killed. He and Fred Armstrong were working together when the accident happened. Both were standing on a scaffold at the time. The scaffold gave way, and both fell. Armstrong grabbed on to the ledge eight feet below, while Chittick

fell to the ground, where his brains were dashed out. Mrs. Bull, whose husband died at Dunbar, Natal, South Africa, last December, has come to reside at Stratford with her daughter, Mrs. T. J. May. Though no longer a young lady, Mrs. Bull undertook the whole journey of 11,000 miles alone. In her younger days she circled the world three times, and was in every continent on the globe except America, where she had never been until she arrived at Montreal on

Ontario joint stock letters patent have been issued by the Ontario Government incorporating C. C. Kippen and F. M. Scarf, bankers; N. Mills, barrister; W. C. Crawford, merchant, and G. E. Gurd, lumberman, all of Tilbury Center, into the Tilbury Peninsular Oil and Gas Company (Ltd.), with a total capital stock of \$20,000, in \$50 shares. The object of the company is to explore for and sink wells for the production of oil, etc., for manufacturing, heating and lighting purposes.

NEW BREEDS OF CATTLE.

It Is Proposed to Use Them to Give Strength to Jerseys.

(From the Beston Herald.) At the great fair of the Bay State Agricultural Society, in connection with the Worcester Agricultural Society, every recognized breed of cattle had its representatives on the ground, and besides these, there are some cattle which have never before been seen in this country, and about which progressive farmers are exhibiting a very in-tense interest. These are the Normandy and Simmenthal cattle, just imported from France and Switzerland, respectively, by Mr. Theodore A. Havemeyer, of the famous Mountain Side

farm at Mahwah, N. J. Mr. Havemeyer has for a long time been one of the most persistent advocates of the especial merit of the Jersey breed as dairy stock, but, in common with many other intelligent breeders, he has discovered that the close in-breeding, early breeding and overbreeding of this stock has resulted in a loss of stamina and constitution which threatens to render it useless for practical work. He has, therefore, sought out the two breeds which promise to furnish a new stock of vigor to the breed without reducing its superfor butter characteristics.

There are ten of each breed in the herd, and their appearance in the pens justifies the hope that their vigor may be reinforced upon the more effeminate steck with which they are to be crossed. The Simmenthal cattle have been bred pure in the canton of Simmen, Switzerland, for more than 200 years, They are celebrated for their enormous production of milk and butter on little else than pasture in summer and hay rrh, bad officers for the ensuing year as follows: else than pasture in summer and hay ywt Mrs. D. M. Tait, president; Mrs. W. E. ir. winter. These animals are the pets

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mandy cow in preference to all others. It is certain that she is not only the best he can get, but that she has been developed to pay a handsome profit for feed and labor expended.

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times in the snow itself. The milk of the Normandy cattle is famous for its delicious flavor, and the butter not only for its delicate flavor, but for its granular appearance. The yearly yield is from 7,000 to 8,000 pounds of milk, making from this 300 to 350

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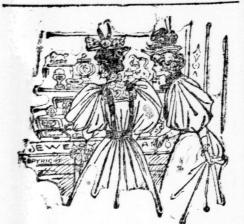
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London Money Market. LONDON. Sept. 24. 4 p.m.—Closing.—Consols, 1072 for money, 107 13-16 account; Canadian Pacific, 594; Eric. 134; Eric. sec., 808; Illinois Central, 1054; Mexican ordinary, 21; St. Paul, common, 794; New York Central, 1054; Pennsylvania, 578; Reading, 108; Mexican Central new 4°c 71; her cilver 30s 9-166; money. rennsylvama, of; theading, 10; incatean certain new 4's, 71; har silver, 30s 9-16d; money, a per cent; open market discount for short bills, 4 per cent; open market discount for 3 months' bills, 4 per cent.

COMMERCIAL

Local Market.

(Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.) London, Tuesday, Sept. 24. The receipts in grain were wheat, oats and barley. Oats in fair supply at 70c to 73c; sales made mostly at 71c to 72c. Wheat in light supply, with a good demand, at 95c to \$1 per cental, or 57c to 60c per bushel. All the barley offered sold for feeding at 70 cto 73c per cental. No peas or corn offered. Fruit and vegetables in good supply. Hay receipts equal to the demand, selling at \$12 to \$14 per ton. Quotations:

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GRAIN.

Wheat, white, fall 100 lbs......\$95 to

Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs......\$95 to

Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs......\$95 to

Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs 95 to	L 00
Oats, per 100 lbs 70 to	73
Peas, per 100 lbs 85 to	90
Corn, per 100 lbs 1 00 to	1 00
Barley, per 100 lbs 70 to	75
Rye. per 100 lbs 90 to	95
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs 90 to	1 00
Beans, per bu 90 to	1 00
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.	
Apples, per bag 70 to	90
Potatoes, per bag 25 to	35
Carrots. per bu 20 to	30
Turnips, per bu 15 to	20
Parsnips, per bu	35
Onions, per bu 50 to	60
MEAT, HIDES, ETC.	
Beef, quarters, per lb to	54
Mutton quarters, per lb to	7
Veal, quarters, per lb to	5
Lamb, quarter 9 to	10
Dressed hogs, 100 lb 5 50 to	6 00
Hides. No. 1, per lb 8 to	8
Hides, No. 2, per lb 7 to	8
Hides, No. 3, per lb 6 to	7
Calfskins, green 8 to	5
Calfskins, dry.each 5 to	6
HAY AND SEEDS.	
Hay, per ton	13 00
Straw, per load 2 00 to	3 00
Clover seed, red per bu 0 00 to	0 00
Clover seed, Alsike, per bu 0 00 to	0 00
Timothy seed, per bu 2 70 to	2 75
Hungarianseed, per ou 80 to	1 00
Millet seed, per bu 80 to	1 00
PROVISIONS.	
Eggs. fresh, single doz 12 to	13
Eggs, fresh, basket, per doz 11 to	12
Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz 10 to	3
Butter, single rolls, per lb 20 to	2
Butter, per lb, 1 lb rolls, baskets, 18 to	2
Butter, per lb. large rolls or	
crocks 17 to	1
Butter, per lb, tubs or firkins 10 to	1
Cheese, per ib 7% to	
Lard, per lb 10 to	1
Ducks, per pair 70 to	0
Chickens, per pair 50 to	7

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Oil Markets.

PETROLEA.
Petrolea, Sept. 24.—Oil opened and closed

English Markets. (Beerbohm's Report by Cable.)

Cargoes off coast—Wheat steady; corn quiet.
Cargoes on passage—Wheat nominally unchanged; corn quiet but steady.
Knglish country markets and English country markets firm French country markets quiet but steady.

LIVERPOOL. Sept. 24—12:45 p.m.
Wheat—Spot quiet; demand moderate; futures quiet but steady; near and distant positions ld blobe. tions id higher. Corn—Spot quiet: futures quiet; near posi-tions id lower, and distant positions un-

changed.

Bacon—Steady; demand fair; Cumberland
cut, 28 to 30 lbs, 44s.

Short ribs—28 lbs, 34s 6d; long clear, light,
38 to 45 lbs, 35s; long clear heavy, 55 lbs, 34s;
short clear middles heavy, 55 lbs, 31s; clear

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 18 lbs, 32s. '
Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, 48s td.
Tallow—Fine North American nominal.
Beef—Extra India mess, 76s 3d; prime mess,

Pork-Prime mess fine western, 58s 9d; do medium, 51s 3d. Lard-Dull; prime western, 30s; refined in pails, 32s. Cheese—Dull; demand poor; finest American white (new), 37s; finest American colored (new),

Butter-Finest United States, 70s; good 558. Turpentine s; irits-20s 6d.

Rosin—Common, 4s. Cotton seed oil—Liverpool refined, 17s 9d. Linseed oil-21s 6d Petroleum—Refined, 7\d.
Retrigerator beef—Fore quarter, 3\d; hind

ouarter, 6id. Bleaching powder-Hard wood, f. o. b., Liverpool, £7.

erpool, £7.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast), £1 15s.

Receipts during the past three days—Wheat,
\$19,000 centals, including \$4,000 American; corn,
20,700 centals American. Weather warm and

Liverpool, Sept. 24, 4:16 p.m, Liverpool. Sept. 24, 4:16 p.m., Wheat—Spot quiet; demand moderate; No. 2 red winter, 4s 10d; No. 2 red spring, 4s 11d; No. 1 hard Manitoba, 4s 11d; No. 1 California, 4s 11d; futures opened quiet but steady with near and distant positions 1d higher; closed firm with near and distant positions 1d higher; business about equally distributed; Sept. and Oct.. 4s 11d; Nov., 4s 11dd; Dec., 4s 11dd; Jan., 5s 4d. Feb., 5s 4d.

d; Feb., 5s id.

Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed new, 3s

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Flour-Steady: demand fair; freely supplied; St. Louis fancy winter, 6s 6d.

American Grain and Provision Reports

NEW YORK. New York, Sept. 23,—Flour—Receipts, 32,000 New York, Sept. 23.—Flour—Receipts, 32.000 packages; exports, 2,000 packages; sales, 9,000 packages; barely steady. Winter wheat, low grades, \$2 15 to \$2 50; do fair to fancy, \$2 60 to \$3 25; do, patents, \$3 30 to \$3 50; Minn. clear, \$2 50 to \$2 90; do, straights, \$3 to \$3 25; do patents, \$3 20 to \$4 10; low extras, \$2 50; city mills, \$3 85 to \$4 10; do, patents, \$4 10 to \$4 35; rye mixtures, \$2 60 to \$2 80; rye flour steady at \$2 55 to \$3 10.

Ruck wheat flour—Small sales at \$1 90.

Buckwheat flour—Small sales at \$1 99. Cornmosl—Yellow western, \$2 60 to \$2 65. Rye—Dull; western, 44c to 45c; State, 46c to Barley-Nominal; No. 2 Milwaukee, 46c to 50c; western, 45c to 50c.

Barley Malt — Nominal; Canada countrymade, 85c to 90c; western, 65c to 70c; two-rowed State, 70c; six-rowed do, 75c to 80c. State, 70c; six-rowed do, 75c to 80c.

Wheat—Receipts, 197,000 bu; exports, 53,000 bu; sales, 1,550,000 bu futures; 40,000 bu spot; spots firm; No. 2 red, store and elevator, 64c to 62c; afloat, 63c; f. o. b., 62c to 63dc; ungraded red, 56c to 64c; No. 1 northern, 63c; options firm and dull; No. 2 red May, 67c; Sept. 61c; Oct. 62lc; Do. 64c; No. 1 northern, 63c; options firm and dull; No. 2 red May, 67c; Spt. 61kc; Oct., 62kc; Dec., 64c.
Corn—Receipts, 118,000 bu; exports, 163,000 bu; sales 290,000 bu futures; 133,000 bu spot; spots easier; No. 2, 37kc to 884c, elevator; 38kc affoat; options easier; Sept., 37kc; Oct., 37kc; Dec., 35kc

May, 34½c.

Oats—Receipts, 126,000 bu; exports, none; sales, 10,000 bu futures; 58,000 bu spet; spots quiet; No. 2, 2½c to 2½c; No. 2 white, 28c; No. 2 Chicago, 25½c; mixed western, 2½c to 26c; white do and white State, 25c to 32c; options dull and weaker; Sept., 22½c; Oct., 23½c; Dec., 2½c.

Feed Bran—72½c to 77½c.

Middlings—85c to 90c.

Rye feed—80c to 85c.

Hay—Steady at 85c to 90c.

Hay—Steady, at 85c to 90c. Hops—Steady; State, 3c to 7c; do new, 7c to Beef-Steady; family, \$9 to \$12; extra mess,

Cut meats-Steady; pickled bellies, 6%c; do shoulders, 51c; do hams, 9c to 91c; middles, nominal ominal. Lard—Steady; western steam; \$6 221. Pork—Weak; mess, \$9 75 to \$10. Eggs—Quiet; State and Pennsylvania, 16c to

c; western fresh, 15c to 16kc. Tallow—Firm; city, 4kc bid; country, 4kc to Petroleum—In moderate demand; refined, \$7 10; do in bulk, \$4 55 to \$4 69. Potatoes—Weak and dull; New York Bur-

Potatoes—Weak and dull; New York Burbank, \$1 to \$1 12.
Rice—Firm; \$\frac{3}{2}c\$ to 6c.
Molassea—Firm; 26c to 32c:
Coffee—Options firm; sales 11,000 bags, including Sept., \$15 25 to \$15 35; Oct., \$15 15 to \$15 20; Dec., \$14 85 to \$14 90; Jan., \$14 70 to \$14 75; March, \$14 30 to \$14 35; spot steady, 152c.
Sugar—Firm: Standard "A." 4\frac{3}{2}c to 4 9-16c; confectioners" "A." 4\frac{1}{2}c to 4 7-16c cut-loaf and crushed, 5c to 5 3-16c; powdered, 4\frac{3}{2}c to 4 13-16c; granulated, 4\frac{3}{2}c to 4 -16l1c.
BUFFALO.

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Buffalo, Sept. 24.—Wheat—Spring wheat—Higher; No. 1 bard, 66½c; No. 1 northern, 63½c.
Winterwheat—Pull; No. 2 red. 65c.
Corn—Dull; No. 2 yellow, 37½c; No. 3 yellow, 37c; No. 2 corn. 36c to 36½c. Oats—Dull; No 2 white, 25½c; No. 3 white, 24c; No. 2 mixed, 23½c.

DETROIT.

Detroit, Sept. 24.—No. 1 white wheat—Cash, 63c; No. 2 red, cash, 63c; Dac., 6.4c; May, 664c. TOLEDO.
Toledo, Sept. 24.—Wheat—Cash, 64c; Dec., 65c; May, 674c. Oats-21c.

MILWAUKEE. Milwaukee, Sept. 24.-Wheat-Cash, 571c; Dec., 581c.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 23.—The last minute of today's session was more excling than the balance of the day in the wheat market. There was a decided flurry during the 60 seconds, and prices rose to per bushel. Buying was the result of a decision of the warehouse comprised to the burner to the period of the warehouse comprised to the burner to the devator controversy. mission touching the elevator controversy.

The opinion handed down was adverse to the warehouse men who have been dealing in the grain market, but it is understood that the matter will now go into court. Corn steady. Oats dull.

The leading futures closed as follows:
Wheat—Sept., 57½c; Dec., 58½c to 58½c; May, Corn—Sept., 311c; Oct., 303c; Dec., 273c; May, 75c. Oats—Sept., 185c; Oct., 185c; May, 203c.

Oats—Sept., 1840; Ook., 2940.
Pork—Oct., \$7 90; Jan., \$940.
Lard—Oct., \$5 80; Jan., \$5 80.
Short Ribs—Oct., \$5; Jan., \$6 85.
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Cash quotations were as follows: Flour dull; No. 2 spring wheat, 57% to 58%; No. 2 red wheat, 57% to 59e; No. 2 corn, 31% to 31%; No. 2 oats, 19% to 19%; No. 2 rye, 38%; No. 2 barley, 42c nominal: mess pork, \$8 to \$8 50; lard, \$5 80 to \$5 82%; short ribs sides, \$5 to \$5 12%; dry salted shoulders, \$575 to \$5 87%; short

clear sides, \$5 62½ to \$5 7	
Receipts-	45.000
Flour 9,000	w neat 45,000
Corn339,600	Oats 48,000
Rye 2,000	Barley 96,000
Shipments-	102 000
Flour 15,000	w neat 108,000
Corn443,000	Oats232,000
Rye	Barley 40,00
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New York, Sept. 24-Noon-Flour recelpts, 21,100 bbls; sales, 3,200 packages; State and western firmer. Wheat—Receipts, 222,200 bu; sales, 1, 000,000 bu; opened steady and advanced excitedly on a scare of shorts, helped by small Russian shipments and firm cables; May, 67 3-4c @ 68 1-2c. Corn-Receipts, 146,000 bu; sales, 100,-

000; quiet, but firmer, with wheat; Sept.. 37 5-8c; Oct., 38 1-4c @ 38 3-8c. Oats-Receipts, 24,000 bu; sales, 5,000 bu; quiet, but steady. Track, white, 25c @ 32c; Dec. 24 3-8c @ 24 1-2c. Beef—Dull.

Pork-Quiet. Lard-Easy; prime western, steam, \$6 17 1-2; nominal. Butter-Receipts, 10,654 packages; firm; State dairy, 12c @ 20c; western, do, 9 1-2c @ 13c; Elgins, 22c; State creamery, 21 1-2c @ 22c; western, do,

13c @ 22c; imitation, do, 11c @ 12c. Cheese—Receipts, 4,353 packages; steady; State large, 5 1-2c @ 7 1-2c; small, 6c @ 8 3-8c; part skims, 2 1-2c @ 6c; full skims, 2c 17c; western, 16c @ 16 1-2c.

Eggs — Receipts, 15,793 packages; steady; State and Pennsylvania, 16c @ Sugar-Firm.

Petroleum-Dull. Coffee-Quiet; No. 7, 15 7-8c. Hops—Unchanged. Lead—Firm; bullion price, \$3 15; ex-

change price, \$3 35.
CHICAGO.
Chicago, Sept. 24.—Wheat started firm today; cables were higher; northwest-

ern receipts were more moderate; the world's shipments were 2,000,000 bu less than reported yesterday, and it was evident that the pit was short. Dec. opened 1-4c higher at 58 5-8c, sold from 58 3-8c @ 59 3-4c, and reacted to 59 1-8c. Dairy Markets. LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, Sept. 23.-Cheese dull, demand poor; finest American white (new), 37s; finest American colored (new), 37s 6d. Butter—Finest United States, 70s; good, 55s. NEW YORK.

NEW YORK.

New York, Sept 23.—Butter—Best grades firm; State dairy, 12c to 20c; do creamery, 21½c to 22c; western dairy, 9½c to 13c; do creamery, 13c to 22c; do factory, 8c to 12½c; Elgins, 22c.

Cheese—Firm; State large, 5½c to 7½c; do fancy, 7½c to 7½c; do small, 6c to 8½c; part skims, 2½c to 6c; full skims, 2c.

UTICA, N. Y. Utica, Sept. 23.—The following sales of cheese were made: 200 boxes at 62c; 2,400 boxes at 63c; 1,180 boxes at 7c; 90 boxes at 7dc; 135 boxes at 7c; 70 boxes at 7dc; 715 boxes at 7dc; 664 boxes at 74c: 515 boxes on commission. Butter—Sales: 142 packages of creamery but-ter at 201c to 211c, mostly at 211c. ham, have returned home, after spend-

LITTLE FALLS. Little Falls, Sept. 23.—1,056 boxes of cheese, arge, at 7c: 1.870 boxes of small and twins at lc. Butter-Sales: 26 packages of dairy butter at 18c to 19c; 29 packages of creamery butter at

WATERTOWN.

Watertown, N. Y., Sept. 23.—Cheese market more active. Sales: 4,000 boxes. Leading and ruling on large cheese 7c. Leading and ruling on small 7½c. Sales of cheese at Canton Saturday, 1,500 twins at 8c; 1,100 sage at 8½c; 700 July and August cheese sold at 7c.

Butter sold at 19½c to 10c; the latter for small tubs.

On 'Change

On 'Change. Special to C. E. Turner, broker, Ma-

Nov., 38 44d Dec., 3s 54d; Jan., 3s 3d; Feb., 3s | advices big clearances, falling off in receipts at winter wheat markets. Bradstreet's report showed a big increase, but this was expected. The market seems to have gotten out of the rut

and is doing some better.

Corn shorts were fair buyers of May, strength in wheat causing them some uneasiness. Provisions were firm but dull, trade going into far options. Chicago Exchange.

Reported by C. E. Turner, broker, Masonic Temple. Onen, High, Low, Close 588 624 274 285 184 WHEAT-Dec May.... Dec.... CORN-May May PORK-Oct 9 35 5 75 5 77 4 95 4 82 Jan.... Oct.... LARD-S. RIBS-Oct..... Jan....

Live Stock Markets. MONTREAL.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Sept. 23.—There were about 300 head of butchers' cattle, 50 calves and 1,000 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the East End abbatoir today. The butchers were out in considerable numbers, but were not caring to add much to their present stock of dead meat, as the weather is too warm for keeping meat on hand, and the consumption is falling off. Trade was dull and prices extremely low, with the probability that a considerable number of cattle and sheep will have to be held over for a future market. A few choice Manitoba cattle were sold at \$\frac{3}{2}c\$ per lb; do, common dry cows and thrifty young stock sold at from \$2\tau cows and thrifty young stock sold at from \$2\tau cows and some of the leaner beasts at less than \$2c\$ per lb. Calves were not plentiful and good large ones sold at from \$\frac{3}{2}c\$ to \$\frac{3}{2}c\$ each, with common calves at from \$\frac{3}{2}c\$ to \$\frac{3}{2}c\$ each. Fat hogs sell at about \$\frac{4}{2}c\$ per lb for good large sheep, and the others sell at from \$2c\$ to 3c do. Good lambs sell at about \$\frac{3}{2}c\$ per lb. There were 600 live hogs at both abbattoirs this morning, and business was expected on a basis of \$\frac{4}{2}c\$.

CHICAGO. Chicago, Sept. 24.-Hogs-Receipts, 20,000. Market 5c to 10c lower. Light, \$3 75 @ \$4 30; mixed, \$3 70 @ \$4 30; heavy, \$3 60 @ \$4 25. Cattle—Receipts, 8,000. Market slow. Most grades, 5c to 10c lower. **B**eeves, \$3 40 @ \$5 55; cows and heifers, \$1 50 @ \$3 70; Texans, \$2 75 @ \$4; westerns, \$3 90 @ \$4 40; stockers and feeders, \$2 30 @

business was expected on a basis of \$4 50.

\$4 10. Sheep-Receipts, 14,000. Market slow and weak.

EAST BUFFALO. East Buffalo, Sept. 24.—Cattle receipts were all consigned through since last report, but there were four or five loads held over from yesterday, which included there loads of good heavy

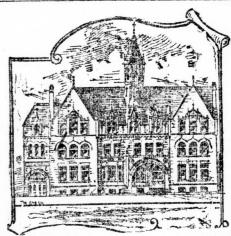
steers. Hogs-Receipts, 10 cars; market very dull; Yorkers, fair to choice, \$4 30 @ \$4 40; heavy grassy ends, \$3 90 @ \$4 15; pigs, good to choice, \$4 20 @ \$4 30. Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 5 cars; market dull and lower; lambs, choice to prime, \$4 35 @ \$4 60; culls and common, \$2 50 @ \$3 15; Canada lambs, fair to prime, \$4 25 @ \$4 65; sheep, hoice to selected export wethers, \$4 10 @ \$4 15; culls and common sheep, \$1 40 @ \$2 25.

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The "Advertiser" hopes to add to this list from day to day.

To-Day's Meetings AND ENTERTAINMENTS ADVERTISED IN

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

-The planks on Blackfriars bridge are very loose and need nailing. -George James has obtained a permit from Engineer Graydon to erect a frame cottage on English street, cost \$700.

-Mr. Beck's high jumper, Hurricane, will try to beat his record of 6 feet, 6 inches, at the Gymkhana on Oct. 2. -The electric railway rails on Central avenue are all laid and Adelaide street is nearly equipped. The circuit will be ready for the trolleys in about ten days.

-Miss Mary Mulligan, of London, sang "Ave Marie" at the services in St. Joseph's Church, Chatham, Sunday. -Rev. H. C. Speller, Sarnia, wheeled from that town to London today. -Mrs. John Peters and son, of Chat-

ing a week with Miss Gyde, Horton She spoke very highly of our beautiful Forest City and the Western -The following gentlemen have been

recent illness, caused by eating canned be able to carry his sextette of artists salmon. She has been removed home. Her away with him heartfree from this

sister is also rapidly recovering. -Conductor Geo. Berry of the C. P. R., THE BLAKE RECEPTION.

night.

-A Ridgetown correspondent says: Mr. H. T. Johnston has accepted a responsible position in a large grocery in London. Mr. Johnson will be missed very much by the Liberal Association and by the Methodist Church, in both of which organizations he was an active worker.

-Bishop O'Connor of London will hold his annual conference with the priests of his diocese today at Dr. Kilroy's house, Stratford. The conference is held at Stratford this year instead of at London. A large number of priests will be in attendance.

-A. B. Jury, formerly of this city, and recently organist in Elm Street Methodist Church, Toronto, has been presented with a farewell address highly praising him for his many good qualities and also with a handsome silver service of six pieces. persons participated in the gathering.

-Mr. J. H. Glass, of 881 Dundas street, is suffering painfully from a mysterious poisoning of the right hand, contracted while gardening the other night. The hand has swelled enormously and has had to be lanced more than once. As a result, Mr. Glass has been since unable to handle his correspondence and will not be fit for duty for a few days yet.

-The sleeping car New Mexico became derailed at the Richmond street crossing of the Grand Trunk about noon today, and almost two hours were occupied in replacing it. The car was being shunted on to the eastbound express and was hauled a considerable distance by the yard engine after it left the rails. Ties were badly torn, some side tracks demolished and a switch damaged. The sleeper was also injured.

-The "Advertiser" today paid duty on electrotypes from the States at an enormous rate. Twelve electros, measuring 24 square inches each, made a total of 288 square inches. The duty is 2 cents per square inch, making the total tax \$5 76. The value of the electros would probably be between \$2 and \$3, and at the old rate of 20 per cent the duty would have been about 60 cents. The present taxation is about 250 per cent.

-The first sitting of the weekly high court for London since the summer va-cation was held before Chief Justice Armour this morning. In Cornwell vs. Steer Mr. W. H. Bartram made an appeal to set aside an order of Judge Edward Elliott for security of costs in the case of a legacy. Wilson, contra. Appeal dismissed with costs. A motion by Mr. Geo. C. Gibbons for costs in re the Masonic Mutual was postponed for week owing to the absence of Dr. Hunter, registrar of friendly socities.

-Our Bishop Baldwin has been preaching in Montreal to vast crowds. Of him the Star says: "Standing room was at a premium in Christ Church Cathedral last evening, a large congregation having assembled to hear the Bishop of Huron, the Right Rev. Dr. Baldwin. The nave, aisles, transepts aud lower chancel were completely filled, and many were forced to turn away, not being able to secure seats. Bishop Baldwin has lost none of his oldtime magnetic eloquence. For over an hour last evening he held the rapt attention of his hearers, moving them by the force of his arguments and graphic illustration." London first!

-An Ingersoll dispatch says: Thos. Fenton, aged 35, of Banner, went to London on Saturday to have a lump sentenced yesterday a removed from his neck and died while undergoing the operation. About ten years ago, while working at a thresh-ing machine, Mr. Fenton's neck was cut, leaving a lump which gradually grew, and for about a year he has been troubled with it. A few days ago it began to get worse, and he was informed by his doctor that unless an operation was performed he would only ive a few days. The funeral took place today from his late residence at Banner and was attended by Court Marquis of Lorne, A. O. F., of Ingersoll, of which the deceased was a member. His mother and brother, William Fen-

ton, reside in Ingersolf. Mrs. M. T. Buchanan is a sister of deceased. -Speaking of the appointment of Mr. J. A. Dickinson, of Stratford, to the London Collegiate Institute, the Stratford Herald says: "It seems to be part of Stratford's luck to keep a good staff of collegiate teachers for London to grab. Mr. Dickinson is the second teacher whom London within a very short period has decoyed from Stratford." The Beacon says: "Mr. Dickinson came here from Guelph in January, 1891, and assumed the position of commercial master. He has been highly successful in his profession, and the trustees will experience some difficulty in getting a man capable of filling his position. Throughout the city, and especially in connection with the Central Methodist Church, the departing teacher will be greatly missed. He is a worker in the Sabbath school and a member of the choir. His friends will be pleased to know that the change in Mr. Dickinson's position carries with it an in-

crease in salary of \$100." FREE LIBRARY OPENING. The new Free Library will be open for reading purposes in less than a month, arrangements having been made to secure a complete supply of magazines and the best periodicals. It will be New Years, however, before books may be secured by the public though the Mechanics' Institute vol-umes may be read on the premises much sooner. The work of cataloguing

is long and laborious. THE EARLY CLOSING MOVEMENT. The Early Clesing Association of London, which has for its object the earlier closing of stores on Saturday nights, met yesterday at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, President Walker in the chair. An influential delegation from the Grocers' Association was present. The responsibility for the late closing rests not with the merchants, but with purchasers. Two lines of action are being taken. Endeavor will be made to have all employers pay employes on some day other than Saturday, as many now do; also to induce all who sympathize with clerks, salesladies and delivery men (who now sometimes work till midnight) to make their purchases earlier.

FOUR FAMOUS TENORS.

Never has an opera company traveled through the United States with as complete and perfect a list of great male artists as Chas. H. Pratt has engaged for the Tavary Opera Company this year, which appears at the Grand Saturday night next. Chev. Albert L. Guille, the famous French tenor; Payne Clark, the greatest English tenor on the operatic stage; F. Michelena, the idealic and handsome lyric tenor; Max Eugene, the grand English baritone; Signor Abramhoff, the basso profundo, from the Royal Opera House, Berlin, and the Metropolitan, New York; C. Wm. Schuster, the fine-looking basso cantanta—is it any wonder society is all agog to hear and see these great artists from the world of poetry and song. It is hoped Manager Pratt will

scene of conquest.



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deep regret that, owing to insomnia and nervous prostration, it would be utterly impossible for him to take part in the demonstration at Massey Hall. The committee received this intelligence with sincere sympathy for Mr Blake, and expressed exceeding regret that the thousands who had hoped to to meet him on the evening of the 30th should be grievously disappointed. This disappointment would be all the greater from the fact that the committee had every assurance, from the universal interest manifested in the preparations, that the reception would be an unqualified success. The committee expressed an earnest hope that a temporary and much-needed rest and change would restore Mr. Blake to his usual health, and render him again able to resume the work in which his splendid talents and indomitable energy have done so much to ensure suc-

ANOTHER RECORD BROKEN By the New York Central-Fastest Time

Ever Made. Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 24.—The New York Central has again broken the record for fast time. This morning a special consisting of three coaches and drawn by No. 999 left Albany at 6 o'clock and arrived here at 8:12, thus making the run of 148 miles in 132 min-utes. This beats the world's record for this distance.

BUSH FIRES IN QUEBEC. Athabasca Station, Que., Sept. 24.— Extensive bush fires raged all day yesterday in the vicinity of Brault's Mill and Aston. At Brault's Mill eight or nine houses, the mill and three loaded cars were burned. At Aston a number of houses have been consumed. Telegraph wires being down, make it hard

work to get particulars. THE FARMER'S PREDICAMENT. There ain't no use in kickin', Fur here's the case complete;

When wheat will bring a dollar We haven't any wheat. The Buffalo Express today announces that the Vanderbilts have obtained con-

Leslie Dixon, of Leith, aged 74, was sentenced yesterday at Owen Sound to seven years in the penitentiary for setting his own stable on fire, a neighbor's house being destroyed in consequence. Dixon was despondent, and though of a religious turn, occasionally took to liquor.

Steamers Arrived. Sept. 24. At From ObdamNew YorkRottendam ODOROMA is the best mouth tonic in the world.

Too Late to Classify. YMKHANA - QUEEN'S PARK RACE track, Oct. 2; racing, steeplechasing, high jumping; commencing 2:15 sharp.

RAILWAY TIME TABLES

GRAND TRUNK-Southern Division Summer Time Table. CORRECTED June 9, 1895.

ARRIVE. | DEPART

MAIN LINE-Going East.

*Lehigh Express (B). 4:02 a.m. 4:07 a m Wabash Express 4:15 a.m. 4:20 a.m. Accommodation 8:10 a.m Atlantic Express (A) 12:17 p.m. 12:30 p.m

 Atlantic Express (A)
 12:17 p.m.

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 10:45 a.m.
 2:45 p.m.

 *Wabash Express (A)
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 7:20 p.m.

 Detroit Express
 11:20 p.m.

 MAIN LINE-Going West. ABRIVE. | DEPART †Chicago Express (A)...... 2:23 a.m. 7:05 a.m. | Chicago Express (A) | 2.25 a.m. | 7:05 a.m | Lehigh Express . | 10:55 a.m. | 11:12 a.m. | 11:20 a.m. | Accommodation | 12:20 p.m. | 2:25 p.m. | 4ccommodation | 9:50 p.m. | 7:20 p.m. | Sarnia Branch.

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 Sarnia Branch. ARRIVE. | DEPART Accommodation.....Lehigh Express (B).....

11:00 a.n Accommodation 7:35 p.m 7:10 p.m Pacific Express (B)..... Loudon, Huron and Bruce. ARRIVE, DEPART Express..... 9:45 a.m | 8:05 a.m Mail..... 6:25 p.m. 4:30 p.m St. Marys and Stratford Branch. ARRIVE. DEPART

 Express.
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 Express.
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 Express-Mixed.
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 5:55 p.m.

Toronto Branch. Hamilton-Departa.m. | a.m. | a.m. | p.m. | p. Hamilton-Arrive-* These trains for Montreal.

† These trains from Montreal:
(A) Runs daily, Sundays included.
(B) Runs daily, Sundays included, but makes no intermediate stops on Sundays.
(c) Carries passengers between London and Paris only.

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[Note-Train leaving London at 2:30 p.m. runs to St. Thomas only, except Wednesday

Trains South No1|No3 No5|No7 No. Stations. A.M. P.M. A M. P.M. P.M. Sarnia (G. T. R.).... 5:10 7:00 7:42 7:47 7:00 5:00 3:30 Trains North. No 2 No 4 No 6 A.M. P.M. P.M. 8:25 12:05 6:35 8:35 12:22 6:45

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Blythehurst's busy tongues wagged an excited buzz of comments when it became known for a fact that the old manor hiuse in Witches' Walk was taken. The place had an eerie look and a reputation for being haunted. But the new tenants were not disturbed by the faint, far-off, dark whispers that reached their ears unasked.

The new family consisted of Arthur Whitting, a humorous writer and something of a recluse-bachelor-and his spinster sister, Miss Florimel, who kept house for her dreamy and un-practical brother. That same determined lady was also in the habit of thrusting her brother out for a "constitutional" regularly after breakfast each morning, deaf to his meek en-treaties that he might be allowed to "finish that chapter first." And it was during one of these strolls that he was first awakened to the startling fact that his manor house was "ha'nted" by the following little occurrence: He passed a field and stumbled upon worthy Farmer Mayhew.

"You're fr'm the old manor house, hain't you?" observed Mayhew, with a curious glance of his shrewd gray eyes from under the big rim of his

Mr. Whitting replied that he was. "Never see anything queer yet o'

"Any-I beg your pardon?" faltered Mr. Whitting, with a puzzled stare.
"Why, man alive! Man, didn't you know the place is ha'nted? Has been ever sence a young gal—twin she was, too, the rector's twin daughter, and powerful pretty—was struck dead by lightnin' in the little back room with the vines runnin' all over the winder and the porch under it? No? Well,

And he proceeded to edify the new owner of the manor house with a hair-raising chapter of horrors too lengthy

to be quoted here. Arthur Whitting, the humorist forgot his pet jokes now. This was no joking matter. If the servants should get tainted with this silly superstition the recollected with a start having seen Stephens cast a nervous glance behind him in the library at dusk last evening), they would be giving notice next, and if there was anything he hated it was having new servants

Half an hour later, Mr. Whitting hot with his energetic homeward tramp, although a crisp October breeze was blowing, burst into the kitchen and confronted Stephens.

"Here, you! listen to what I tell you, now, and see you heed it, or I'll make you; do you hear? No matter what silly babble you may hear from these country gawks, don't believe it -it's nonsense.

"About the-the-ghost, sir?" faltered Stephens, in a whisper, with a sheepish look behind at the yawning Whitting laid a forcible hand

on the fellow's coat collar by way of a gentle reminder. 'You blockhead. If I ever see you locking like that again I'll-I'll shake You're old enough to know better. No giving notice, mind. If you threaten to leave I'll lock you up. You can tell your wife the same thing from me. I'm not going to have my house-hold demoralized by a lot of idle talk." While Mr. Whitting was talking Miss

Florimel entered the room.
"Why, Arthur," she cried, "what has disturbed you." Arthur deigned not to enlighten her then, but plunged at once into a vigorous plan of his own for setting his household and example.

Florimel, my dear," he said, "I am thinking of changing my sleeping apartment. I shall take the little chamber in the wing—the back one on the ground floor, with the porch outside and the vines running all over the window. Be good enough to have the room thrown open and aired today. I shall occupy it tomorrow night."

Mr. Whitting had rented the manor house as the last occupants left it-furnished. The rector, its owner, had placed it in the hands of an agent immediately after the sad accident that befell his daughter, and had taken the rest of his family abroad. It had not urred to Mr. Whitting that the next night was that deliciously horrible gala night of the spooks, Hallowe'en. Stephens quaked in his shoes as he

lighted his master to the ground floor chamber at 9 o'clock, and the latter turned a disapproving eye on his trem-bling hands as the spluttering candle held quivered nervously, and the fellow stared superstitiously into the black gulf beyond the rays of light. When he was alone he speedily lost himself in his book. So absorbed was he that he did not hear Miss Whit-ting's low tap at the door until it was repeated more emphatically and her voice said through the keyhole

"Arthur, if you have not yet retired, open the door. I have something for

When he had obeyed he was confronted by his sister and a dainty tray of smoking pippins.

'Have you clean forgotten that this is Hallowe'en?" prattled Miss Florimel, cheerily. "Why, Art! What a sleepy head you are growing to be, with your everlasting books and inkpots-in your old age, I was going to say, but 48 is young. I am 55 tmyself, and see how I have to exert my faculties for us both!

I've kept it ever since I could remember, and—. There, now, do close that book, and sit down and toast your feet by the fire and drink the ale while it's warm. Good night, dear."

Mr. Whitting blew out the candle and pulled the curtains aside to let in the bright moonlight. But the thick vine tendrils outside, still loaded down with their luxurious leafage of crimson and freckled gold, barred the way so that only a gleam of silvery light struggled through into the inner darkness. There was a suspicious dimness in the glass as seen by the uncertain light, too, which suggested dust—the bachelor's pet abhorrence. He drew a long track down the obscured pane with his forefinger. Yes, the glass was thick with it. He threw up the sash, and, penknife in hand, began the work of destruction. In ten minutes' time not a single tendril remained clinging to the window, through which a flood of fairest moonlight poured, subdued a little by the thick veil of

Suddenly as he lingered there looking out upon the pleasant landscape, he was conscious of a faint, dim profile between himself and the outer world. He rubbed his eyes and looked again ntently. It was gone-no, the faintest shadow of a shape still remained, like a thought undefined. He snatched his flannel penwiper off the desk and hastily rubbed it over the dusty glass, that he might see more clearly. Then he quickly threw up the sash and steped out on to the little porch beneath.

Not a moving thing in sight. "Pshaw!" he muttered to himself, with an impatient laugh at his folly, 'has the silly tattle of the country turned my brain too, I wonder?"

But soon that unpleasant consciousness of a mysterious presence intruded on the would-be sleeper again, this time strongly. With a low exclamation of disgust at himself and everything in general, he raised himself upon his elbow and looked toward the window, with difficulty restraining a positive start as he did so, for, clearer than before, it appeared again—a distinct face and figure, apprently standing just outside the window pane, in a position sidewise to him.

Mr. Whitting could not have described it, so unreal was the experience, even while the spell was on. He leaned a little forward to see the eyes. they open? Only on the faces of sleeping children was that expression of utter oblivion to be seen. This was not the face of a child, but that of a oung maiden.

I'll see how long this thing will last," quoth Mr. Whitting grimly, to himself. "If she can stand it out there in the cold with a thin frock on, surely I can stand it in here. We'll see who gives up first."

(To be Continued.)

Weak and Nervous

Describes the condition of thousands of people Describes the condition of thousands of people at this season. They have no appetite, cannot sleep, and complain of the prostrating effect of warmer weather. This condition may be remedied by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which creates an appetite and tones up all the organs. It gives good health by making the blood pure.

Ecod's Pills are the best after-dinner pills, Assis digestion, cure headache.

Brest will probably be soon made once more the starting point of French steamers for New York. Nearly a day will be saved thereby in the voyage.

THERE IS NOT a more dangerous class of disorders than those which af-fect the breathing organs. Nullify this danger with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oila pulmonic of acknowledged efficacy. It cures screness and lameness when applied externally. neck and crick in the back; and, as an inward specific, possesses most sub-Donatello's famous altar in the Church of St. Anthony at Padua is to be reconstructed according to the original plan, making use of the fragments and bronze figures belonging to it, which are now scattered all over the

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The Bishop of Carlisle boasts that he "can sew a button on better than any woman." The late Bishop of Worcester learned to knit, so as to be able to take up his wife's dropped stitches when she grew old. A Natural Beautifier.

Karl's Clover Root Tea purifies the blood and gives a clear and beautiful complexion. For sale by W. T. Strong. Wife (returning home)-How is this. John—what made you put the children to bed so soon? Because they disturb-ed me in my writing, dear." "And did they allow you to undress them quiet-ly?" "No, that one in the ly?" "No, that one in the corner screamed dreadfully." "That one in the corner? (Goes and peeps.) Why, bless

me, what have you done, John?-that's Freddy Smith from next door!" The Best Cough Cure

isShiloh's Cure. A neglected cough is danger ous. Step it at once with Shiloh's Cure. For sale by W. T. Strong. "All right, don't be in a hurry." "Well," call him away." "I have only just bought him, and forgot to ask his name. Just wait a minute whilst I

go round to the shop to inquire." We have no hesitation in saying that Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial is without doubt the best medicine ever introduced for dysentery, diarrhea, cholera and all summer complaints, sea sickness, etc. It promptly gives relief, and never fails to effect a positive cure. Mothers should never be without a bottle when their children are teething.

A Street Scene-Help! help! Take your dog away, he is biting my leg." How to Cure Skin Diseases.

Simply apply "Swayne's Ointment." No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, etc., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other remedy. Ask your druggist for "Swayne's Ointment." Lyman, Sons & Co., Montreal, wholesale

A very small boy was trying to lead a big St. Bernard up the road. "What are you going to do with that dog?"
asked a kindly gentleman. "I can't
make up my mind," was the answer,
"not till I find out what the dog thinks

doing with me." DYSPEPSIA OR INDIGESTION is occasioned by the want of action in the biliary ducts, loss of vitality in the stomach to secrete the gastric juices, without which digestion cannot go on; also, being the principal cause of Headache. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills taken before going to bed, for a while, never fail to give relief and effect a cure. Mr. "You ought to be ashamed—we haven't missed keeping Hallowe'en in at least 45 years—you haven't, that is.

Seasonable Goods!

Cooked Ham, Canned Beef Tongue, Potted Meats for Sandwiches, Scotch Herring in Tins, Finest Brands of Sardines, Olives, Pickles, Sauces, etc.

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The Scrap Bag

The September brides are sweet creatures. They can trip it with any assortment remembered in previous years, and the October darlings will be obliged to put on airs to live up to their immediate predecessors. Never has the conventional bridal gown been as swagger as it is this autumn, never has the dressmaker been so fertile in resources, and it is, indeed, a monstrously plain young woman who doesn't look "perfectly dear" in the voluminosity now in fashion. It is a great pity that girls can't be married this fall, while there are such delightful things to be bought by papa's cash.

A delicious odor of wild grape stewing over the kitchen fire for future jelly pervades many a household these days. There is no fragrance quite like it; certainly none that carries along such a sense of old-fashioned comfort, or suggests the country with its changing woodland more delightfully.

As I came down the budding lane, The birds a-singing free, There came along an old witch-wife,

And shrilly called to me. 'Oh, buy a charm, young maid!" she

said. "Oh, buy a charm of me, To chain thy sweetheart to thy side Though he is on the sea.'

'I will not do it, dame," I said

"If false at heart he be, I'd rather have a charm to keep His face afar from me!" 'Oh, buy a charm, young maid!" she said,

To break the curse of foes of thine Who might work ill to thee." I will not do it, dame," I said, "If foul at heart they be, A deeper curse is laid on them

"Oh, buy a charm of me,

Than aught they lay on me." Oh, buy a charm, young maid," she said,

"A potent charm of me, To bind the strong heart of thy friend In love and loyalty." 'I will not do it, dame," I laughed;

"The charm could never be Could make or break the chain that binds My friend's strong heart to me."

MARGARET GILMAN GEORGE.

Some writers of sea songs were poor sailors. "I'm on the Sea! I'm on the Sea!" wrote "Barry Cornwall," as if life on the ocean wave were a joy. But it was his imagination that wrote that song, for he was the sickest of sailors

and detested the sea. "I had it from Mrs. Proctor," says Santley, the singer, "who told me that she used to tease him, humming a strain of his jovial sea song as he lay, a very log, huddled in shawls and a tarpaulin, crossing the channel, with as well as swelled barely sufficient animation utter, 'My dear, don't.' "

> "Which of your studies do you like best, Fred?" asked his father. "I like geography best. I don't like arithmetic; it's too thinkingsome."

A lapse of gallantry occurred the other day in Prof. Tait's class at Edinburgh. Under the new regime the front bench is allotted to ladies, and it happened that on this day the fair students numbered eight. The subject of discussion was, I think, crystals and their geometric forms. "An octahedron, gentlemen," went on the professor, "is a body with eight plain faces. For example-" A rude and reactionary male at the back saw his opportunity. "Front bench," he shouted.

Thomas Hardy's latest novel will be famous for its aliases. It was at first "The Simpletons"; it is now "Hearts Insurgent," and in book form it will be "Jude the Obscure."

A rumor that long earrings are to be the next "return" drives the believer in "cultured taste" to say wicked words about Dame Fashion. She is a jade if this barbaric absurdity ever comes into vogue again. Very few girls have their ears tored nowadays; indeed, no girl who belongs in the swim by right of tirth and education wishes to decorate herself with earrings. If, perhaps, some woman has had her ears pierced she wears a solitaire screwed against the flesh, and that is all, any other style of ornament having been deemed bad form for several years. Let long earrings alone, fair ones.

Doctor-The bicycle gives people the best exercise in the world. Patient-But I can't afford to ride a

Doctor-Oh, you don't need to ride one; just dodge them .- The Herald, New York.

Mr. Gruffpop (angrily)-How dare you, sir, kiss my daughter, under my

Jack Dashley-Excuse my awkwardness. I meant to kiss her under hers.

DAILY HINTS TO HOUSE-KEEPERS.

BREAKFAST-Peaches and Bananas. Veal Cutlets. Baked Potatoes. Rice. Corn Bread. Rasp-berry Jam. Butter Toast. Coffee.

DINNER—Beef Braise. Cauli-flower. Mashed Potatoes. String Beans. Lettuce and Cucumber Salad. Orange Marmalade. Bread. Cottage Pudding.

SUPPER—Poached Eggs on Toast.

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CAULIFLOWER. Take off all outside leaves: wash thoroughly. Put in bag and boil gently half an hour in salted water. Pour over melted butter with a spoonful of cream, or make a white sauce. Cook together one ounce of flour and two ounces of butter; add one pint of sweet cream or milk, simmer five minutes. Season to taste with salt and pepper.

The influence of a sweet-minded woman on those around her is al-most boundless. Beauty is an in-: significant power compared with ; this,

"Ahoy, there, Marie, how did you like the sail? Choppy, wasn't it?"

"Well, I should think so. There was an awful squall and the boat spanked and pounded so we got drenched. Coming home we could not run, but had to tack, and came within an ace of running on the bar."

In bewilderment I listened to the approaching voices. What did they mean by talking in that fashion? Turning to look at them I saw two maidens fair, dressed in nautical garb and wearing the



TO RIVAL JACK TAR.

insignia of the Defender. The mystery was explained-they had gone to the races and were yacht crazy.

As I say, these two maidens fair were dressed in nautical garb. White serge formed the gown of one, made with skirt and jacket. A bright red shirt wais? and a white yachting cap were worn with this suit.

The other gown was characteristic of the wearer. She was a bonnie girl, divinely tall, divinely fair. Her figure was too gracefully rounded to admit of any concealment and a tight-fitting bodice was her selection. The suit was a blue duck. An immense white sailor collar was edged with blue braid, and a blue silk tie was knotted in nautical fashion. A white sailor hat with blue ribbon covered the golden hair.

FASHIONS OF FRANCE.

The Newest Ideas and Designs in Parisian Modes.

In the work rooms of Paris are busy brains and tireless hands laboring ceaselessly at the problem of what shall be worn when the last balloon sleeve has been pricked by autumn's winds-if, invexed questions this of the sleeve is most vexing; and at this moment the dressmakers of the whole world are on pilgrimages to Paris, and there their days are spent from ten o'clock to four in said work rooms, where tentative models are passed and re-passed before them like

magie lantern slides. There they are dashing blindly at rouge et noir, and laying their money for luck, knowing not in the least what the end may be. They buy their models and take them home, but the ball will not cease rolling till frost-time and neither favor nor love can tell beforehand how many breadths will be accepted as correct in a skirt. Neither she knows that makes nor she that will wear.

The character of the dress is formed largely by the hat. It is wide in front, where it seems weighted with trimmings: it is wide at the sides where the trimming is built out to the edge and beyond; and it. turns up high behind with the effect of an enormous Spanish black comb, and this comb has set flat against it a garniture of flowers. At times it seems to be the width that dominates and at others the weight of the front or the height of the back. Its analysis is subtle and evasive. There have been hats higher and hats wider; but there have never been any more surprising and complex. A part of its effect is due to its position on the head; it is worn tipped low over the face, so low that the brim cuts across the disc of the eyes. Then this high flowered back comb and the eyes glancing out from beneath the shade have an effect of extreme coquetry. The apparently modest produced by the really complex has resulted in the extremely piquant, and hereby it may be noted that the dressmaker's art has in nowise lost its grip.

A Peculiar Style of Hair Dressing. A peculiar style of hair dressing has

just been introduced. It is called the Boticelli, being named after the old master. The hair bulges out on each side of the head low down, growing wide as it descends, being either waved or plain, so that the face peers from between as well as from under, thus aiding the effect upon it of the hat. The face looks delicate and appealing. There is here an instance where mere arrangement of dress gives to every woman a grace and charm of expression that she does not

possess by nature. A beautiful or ugly face makes no difference to this sort of charm; for the senses hold to immediate phenomena, and the sesnses are entranced by this complex coquetry; if after analysis discovers that the woman is plain there will ensue no disappointment, but the additional flavor of surprise. The epicure finds olives much better than preserves, and a pink and white complexion is tame beside these subtleties. Here, indeed, is the triumph of art.

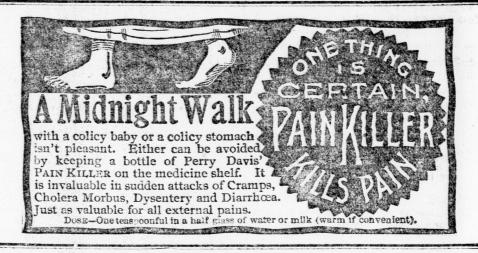
The Smallest Coin.

Which is at the same time the smallest coin and the coin of least value at present current in Europe? In the absence of a knowledge of any smaller and more worthless, I shoud be inclined, writes a correspondent, to award the palm to the Greek lepton, a specimen of which has recently come into my hands. The lepton is, according to the decimal monetary system current in countries belonging to the Latin union, the hundredth part of a drachma. Now, the Greek drachma is, while nominally the equivalent of the franc or the lira, at present worth less than six pence, the rate of exchange about a fortnight ago being 42.60 drachmas to an English sovereign. The lepton is, therefore, approximately worth about one-fifth of an English farthing.

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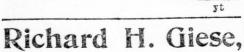
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SUFFERING FOR FAME.

Explorer Peary and His Crew Nearly Perished in the Arctic-A Failure. St. Johns, Nfid., Sept. 24.-Full deof the dreadful sufferings of Peary, Lee and Henson are now becoming public. It is cause for won-der how they survived. No other case is known where Arctic explorers deliberately took their lives in their hands, and ventured upon a fost exacting enterprise, with the full knowledge that their supply of food was insufficient and that they would probably perish in the attempt. Peary's disappointment over the unsatisfactory termination of the expedition is unconcealed, but all admit that he is not responsible for the failure. No human being could have done more to make the expedition a success. Had he had more men, or even sufficient provisions he would have accomplish-ed much. All the members of the ed much. All the members of the expedition will leave for New York by

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FAIR AND COOL. Toronto, Sept. 23-11 p.m.—The storm center, which was north of Lake Superior last night, has moved east to the Gulf of St, Lawrence. It has caused a moderate to fresh westerly gale on the lakes, and a fresh to strong westerly gale along the St. Law-rence, while in the Maritime Provinces the winds have been fresh southwesterly. The weather has been fair throughout the Do-

Minimum and Maximum temperatures: Edmonton, 42-64; Calgary, 42-60; Prince Albert, 22-62; Qu'Appelle, 28-62; Winnipeg, 28-62; Toronto, 49-76; Montreal, 62-86; Quebec, 66-88; Chatham, 69-90; Halifax, 54-80.

PROBABILITIES. Toronto, Sept. 24-1 a. m.-Winds

mostly westerly and southwesterly, fair and cool.

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St. Eugene, Ont., Sept. 24.—The 13-year-old son of Mr. S. Labrosse, of this place, while harnessing a horse on Sunday, was kicked by the animal and died in a few minutes.

A BOOTBLACK'S PROTECTIVE LEAGUE.

Albany, N. Y., Sept. 24.-The United Bootblacks' Protective League, with its headquarters in New York city, was incorporated yesterday. Its purpose is for the mutual protection of the bootblack fraternity and to promote social intercourse among them. The intention of the incorporators is to extend the league through the State. There are twenty directors, principally Ital-

Something for Everybody.

Anything that combines style with comfort is sure to be popular, and this is true of Fibre Chamois. It gives the necessary stylish stiffness to ladies' sleeves and skirts and when used in underskirts, jackets, capes or outing suits provides as well an absolutely wind proof warmth. For children's wraps it is admirable, because its uncrushable nature keeps them in shape, while its light weight prevents the garment from being a burden, though splendid warmth is provided. In men's clothing it takes the place of canvas or haircloth, giving body and stiffness at the same time that it makes the coat or vest so warm that you can brave the elements and defy the fiercest winds in perfect

NEW DRUG STORE.

Mr. J. G. Shuff, the well known druggist of the East End, enjoying an enviable reputation as a skilled chemist, has opened out a beautiful new Drug Store corner Dundas and William streets, next block west from his old stand. The new store has a commanding appearance, different in style from any other city store, and the internal arrangements are most perfect.

Kindling Wood .- Don't get up in the morning and try to light your fire without kindling. Six bundles for a quarter, sent up with your coal or wood orders. Bowman & Co., Bathurst street. Red

Jones-A man's success is according to the square of his honesty. Brown— Do you mean that the less square the honesty the greater the success.

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. In dredging the harbor of Swinemunde, on the Island of Usedom, a church bell weigning 500 pounds was fished out whole, with the broken half of another bell. From the inscriptions they are believed to have been stolen during the 30 years' war, and to have been sunk with the vessel that bore

DYSPEPSIA AND INDIGESTION. C. W. Snow & Co. S. C. W. Snow & Co., Syracuse, N.Y., write: "Please send us ten gross of Pills. We are selling more of Parmelee's Pills than any other pill we keep. They have a great reputation for the cure of Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint." Mr. Charles A. Smith, Lindsay, writes: "Parmelee's Pills are an excellent medicine. My sister has been troubled with severe been dealer. been troubled with severe headache, yw' but these Pills have cured her."

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-Geo. M. Reid goes to New York on business at the end of this week. -Manley Dickson, formerly of this city, now enjoys a lucrative practice as a lawyer

-Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Brown and son, of Williamsport, Pa., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. Stevens, Simcoe street. -Miss Mabel Peck, of Windsor, returned

home Saturday evening, having spent Fair week with Miss Ida Adams, King street, -City Clerk Kingston has arrived home from Buffalo, accompanied by his son Fred,

who is recovering from his attack of typhoid -Arthur M. Ross, son of the late A. M. Ross, oil refiner, East London, is now vicepresident of the American Food Co., New York City.

-Miss Nellie Stevenson, of Detroit, has returned home, after a pleasant two months' vacation with her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Gould, 170 Adelaide street. -Mr. A. Isaac, street watering inspector,

this year grew a cotton plant in his garden

on King street, East London. Mr. Isaac's son, who now resides in the South, sent him -Rev. J. W. Pedley, of Vancouver, B. C., will be tendered a ministerial banquet been pastor in this city over 35 years ago. by the clergyman of that city before leaving At that time, in the vigor of youth, a strong to take charge of the First Congregational

-Ald. McCully, Wallis and Wright, and City Engineer Campbell, of St. Thomas, the deputation appointed to inquire into electric railway matters, were in the city yesterday inspecting the road. They were well

pleased with it. -The Blenheim correspondent of the Chatham Banner says: "Our townspeople who have returned from the fair at London report having seen a splendid exhibition and were well pleased with their reception in the Forest City."

-Miss Lizzle Karney, daughter of Mr. P. Karney, Woodstock, returned home from this city Monday. Miss M. Karney, who has been visiting at Mr. Frizell's for the last week, returned to Woodstock on Monday, Miss Frizell accompanying her.

-The 7th Fusiliers paraded at the drill shed last night and had a route march from the sheds to Queen's avenue, where a few battalion movements were executed. They returned to the armorfes by way of Victoria Park. The orders were then read and the regiment dismissed.

—This is about the best time for bi-cycling of the entire year. It is neither too hot nor to cold, and the scenery along the country roads is unsurpassed. But all times of the year are good for bicycling except the dead of winter, and if improvements in bicycles continue we shall soon have a bicycle on

-The "R. G. Stewart," which has been running between Port Stanley and Cleveland during the summer, made her last trip on Saturday night. She had a large number of passengers and several carloads of freight. The Stewart did quite an extensive business both in passenger traffic and freight. Captain Phillips, of Detroit, commanded her, and Mr. Lewis, of Mt. Clemens, Mich., acted as purser. The boat is owned at Duluth.

-The G.T.R. has lately been trying a new style of locomotive fitted with patented devices, the most important of which are two cylinders, one 19 and the other 29 inches, and so arranged that the steam is used in the larger one after it has done its work in the smaller. When tested the engine drew 46 loaded cars from Brockville to Montreal, with a consumption of four and a half tons of coal. An ordinary engine hauling half that number of cars the same distance uses five tons of coal.

-A sharper named E. W. Graham, Toronto, was arrested in Stratford yesterday as she was about to board a train for London. The woman had given her name as Miss Anna C. Gorman, president of the Dominion Y. W. C. A., Toronto, and visited a number of citizens soliciting subscriptions on behalf of the association. Her list purported to be headed by W. J. Ferguson. and on the strength of his name others were induced to subscribe. It afterwards transpired that Mr. Ferguson's name had been forged, and suspicion was aroused, which was increased by the subsequent discovery that the woman had registered at the Windsor Hotel under the name of E. W. Graham, Toronto. The prisoner acknowledged hav-ing worked other towns and said she intended to do London.

BAND CONCERT TONIGHT.

The Hussars' Fand will perform the following programme on Victoria Park this (Tuesday) evening, weather permitting: March—Detroit Journal. W. C. G. Wright
Lancers—Doris Bucalos i
Descriptive Piece—Napoleon R. De Lacy
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hall of the First Presbyterian Church. Vice-President Rev. M. P. Talling occupied the chair. Matters relating to church extension were discussed, after which an interesting discussion took place on a paper read by Mr. Talling on the proper attitude of the church towards such questions as early closing, secret societies, the liquor traffic, etc. It was a very good meeting. LATEST BUSINESS CHANGES.

Chas J. Sonhi, stamping and embossing, Toronto, assigned; Farmer Bros., photographers, Hamilton, sold cut; J. L. Winter, printer, Lindsay, dead; Robert Widdis, carriagemaker, Lyn, dead; R. Archibald, blacksmith, Marksville, sold out; E. F. R. Zoellner, furniture manufacturer, Mount Forest, assigned; N. B. Irish, hotel, Orillia, sold out; H. H. Pigeon, drygoods, Ottawa, wants an extension; T. Pinfold, liquors, St. Thomas, offering 35 cents; Landry & Tomlinson, butchers, Sault Ste. Marie, dissolved; J. M. McVlcar, tailor, Sault Ste. Marie, assigned; A. R. Johnston, Toronto township, assigned; F. Meltan, tinware, Bismarck, succeeded by J. E. Westcott.

BRIGHTER DAYS AGAIN. Rev. W. F. Clarke, of Guelph, preached in the First Congregational church on Sunday. The reverend gentleman is advanced in years and not now in charge of a church. He is an old-time Congregationalist, having At that time, in the vigor of youth, a strong church developed under his ministry. It will be a pleasant experience if the First Congregational Church should again reach a position of prominence under their new pastor, Rev. James Pedley, of Vancouver, B. C., who is considered one of the brightest young minds in the Congregational body. Mr. Clarke's morning sermon was taken from the text in Acts xx., 22-24, Paul's address to the Ephesian elders. It was an extempore effort full of pathos and comm on sense, earnestly and freely delivered. In the evening his subject was, "The two cardinal points in religion." A sermon for the times from the text Luke xviii., 2.

MANY DISAPPOINTED.

Toronto Fair Visitors Hoped to See the Manufacture of a Well-Known Product.

Toronto (Special), Sept. 23.—Many regrets were expressed by visitors to the Industrial Fair that the Dodd's Medicine Company of this city did not have a display of their well-known Dodd's Kidney Pills, the remedy which has by this time become so widely and favorably known for the absolute cure of all complaints of the kidneys even in the most acute stages. A rumor was current that a public exhibition of the manufacture of the remedy of the remedy would be given, but the restricted space this year prevented the possibility of such a scheme. Those who went away disappointed at not seeing the manufacture of their favorite remedy will have to wait till next

WHISKY TRAIN ON FIRE. Peoria, Iill., Sept. 24.—The Big Four whisky train, bound east, met with a serious accident near Leroy. A car of spirits coupled behind the caboose was discovered to be on fire, and a fast run was made to the next water tank, where Conductor Joe Murphy and Brakeman John Muldoon endeavored to extinguish the flames, Sudenly there was a terrific explosion, and the car was blown to atoms, it being impossible afterwards to find a stick of timber six inches long. The men were hurled some distance from the wreck, both being terribly burned, and there is small hope of their recovery.

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