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3 Cans Mustard Sardines (10c. can) 25
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### Stock Collars

To clear out our stock of fancy wash stocks, and ties we place on our entire assortment to-night

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Ladies' extra fine pure white lisle thread vests, no sleeves, high neck, lace trimmed, fancy weave, extra value, at regular prices at 40c and 50c each, on sale to-night and Monday very special at

## New Wrapperettes

pieces of new wrapperettes for fall, pretty designs, good colors, fine qualities. It would be policy for you to secure a length while the selection is large and complete, Prices are per yard, 10c and

St. Petersburg, Aug. 27.—After our weeks' interval the Japanese have resumed their advance against Gen. Kuropatkin's positions. The opposing armies are in contact east and south of Liaoyang and fighting has been in progress since Wednes-day. The advices at hand are too meagre to enable the officials to form a correct opinion as to whether it will result in a general engagement, but the extent and character of the Japanese movement leads to that conclusion. Since the rains ceased a week ago there have been continued intimations that Gen. Kuropatkin was about to assume the offensive, but instead of that it was the Japanese who attacked the Russian Control of the c sian commander's eastern and south-

-Fighting Has Been Going on at

Liandiansian For the Past Three Days

-First Intelligible and Succinct Ac-

Kantzertun, 7 miles southeast of Liaoyang, Aug. 27.—The Japanese are advancing along the whole line of the Russian eastern front. On Aug. 24 there was a rifle skirmish and the next day the Japanese artillery opened fire. On both days the firing ceased at dusk, and the small energy displayed by the Japanese might have been taken to indicate that it was merely a demonstration or a reconnaissance in force. On the morning of the 26th, however, the rifle and artillery fire was renewed with an energy that left no doubt that a severe battle was intended. The Japanese pushed their attack against the Russian right flank and centering their fire on the first battery of the third brigade. Three officers and several men were wounded early in the day, but the Along the Whole Line. wounded early in the day, but the battery held its position and replied to the Japanese fire with such mark-ed effect that Gen. Ivanoff, who comed effect that Gen. Ivanoff, who commands Lieut.-Gen. Kellerjs corps, sent a congratulatory message to its commander. The Japanese several times attempted to cross the Tankcho (Liank River), but only a few succeeded and these were forced to hide in the fields of Chinese corn. At 2 p. m. the artillery fire became as hot as it was at Valangow, but if fluctuated considerably, and occasionally the Russian fire almost silenced that of the Japanese. Rain fell in torrents at 4 o'clock.

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St. Petersburg, Aug. 27.-Emperor Nicholas has received the follow

or Nicholas has received the following despatch, under date of Aug. 25, from Gen. Kuropatkin:

"On Aug. 24 the Japanese delivered an attack in the Valley of Sundakhya from Tantzuputzy. The Japanese advance was checked at 3 p.m. at Liaodintau by a Russian company, five men being wounded.

"The same day, two Russian company.

"The same day two Russian com-panies resisted the advance of the enemy in superior force at Sunoin-pu. The Japanese suspended opera-tions. The Russian losses were one officer wounded and fifty-three men killed or wounded.

killed or wounded.

"On the evening of Aug. 24, the
Japanese having repulsed our outposts, occupied the heights to the
southeast of Liandiansian and constructed earthworks and entrench-

structed earthworks and entrenchments on the heights.
"At 5.40 a.m., Aug. 25, one of the enemy's batteries opened fire on the village of Kofintza. A Russian battery returned the fire successfully, notwithstanding the considerable distance of the Japanese guns, and silenced the latter, compelling the gunners to take to cover.

Japs Forced to Retire. "Since the morning of Aug. 25, a force of the enemy, consisting of one brigade of infantry, with four batteries, has marched through the Sundakhya Valley and repulsed two companies of our troops. In advancing down the valley one company of Japanese advance guard came under the fire of our battery, apparently suffering heavy loss, and was forced to retire.

"On the morning of Aug. 25, the enemy placed in position two batteries in front of Liandiansian and hombarded our advance post position. After a brisk exchange of fire the enemy's infantry appeared from Erbakhe, moving towards Kaminsa. In the artillery duel which ensued our batteries silenced the Japanese guns. "Since the morning of Aug. 25, a

guns.
"About 11 a.m. our advance post "About 11 a.m. our advance post remained on the main position, and the Japanese infantry occupied the wooded heights west of Kaminsa, near Tassintun. Towards noon, Japanese guns were observed near Erbakhe with a division of infantry. Four batteries were seen to be concentrated between Kaminsa and Katassai. About 2 p. m., a Japanese mountain battery, which was advancing along a ridge toward Tassintun, was held up by our guns and was prevented from occupying the

sintun, was held up by our guns and three-quarters of a mile away and could not tell just what the man threw from his boat. The wind died out and he did not investigate.

Don't run yourself down. Others will cheerfully do it for you.

"What's a bachelor girl, Pop?"

"That's what you call an bid maid to her face."

sintun, was held up by our guns and was prevented from occupying the position held by another battery which was silenced after suffering heavy loss.

"At 3 p.m. large bodies of the enemy were observed constructing enemy were observed constructing enemy was of Kaminsa, but retired. At 5 p.m. a Japanese force of at least two divisions of infantry was

advancing against the Russian posi-

SITUATION AT PORT ADTHUD Russians Driven Back Inch By Inch, But End Is at Hand.

Che Foo, Aug. 27.—According to information from trustworthy sources the present position at Port Arthur is as follows:

Eastward from Takushan to the

Eastward from Takushan to the Wolf Mountains the country is in that occupation of the Japanese, who have mounted 300 heavy guns besides field artillery. The guns include ten 6-inch quick firers, manued by a nava. brigade, and also weapons brought from the principal forts of defence in Japan. They are able to shell the town.

The Russians, besides heavy guns.

The Russians, besides heavy guns, have constantly at work 100 light pieces of quick firers To the westward of Ewshan fort. which has been captured, a read leads to the parade ground, but the infantry are unable to advance on account of land mines.

## Between Two Fires.

From the heights the Japaness are able to shell the eastward forts, which are thus caught between two

but Liaotishan fort is still in the hands of the Russians. To the north the Japanese are at Paliencheng. Their infantry and ad-

vanced guards have pressed several times beyond the inner forts, but have been repulsed. There are Japanese spies in Port Arthur engaged in cutting the electric circuits connecting the land mines. The besiegers cannot advance eastward until the forts are

The capture of Etseshan is regarded as opening a successful way to the westward. The attack is being pressed on all

sides simultaneously and the Russians are fighting inch by inch.
Some Chinamen, whose junks, left
Port Arthur eighteen hours ago, confirm the capture of Etseshan. The whole of the west coast of the penin-sula is now in the occupation of the Japanese, who examine all junks leaving the harbor

## Ships Under Fire.

They maintain a heavy shell fire, making the position of the ships in the harbor untenable. the harbor untenable.

Fighting is continuous, and the belligerents are unable to bury their dead. Hence the effluvia from the decompostion of the bodies is making life in the town enhearable.

The harbor is described as boiling with the splash of falling shells. It is estimated that three thousand projectiles have been received in three efficies.

jectiles have been received in three days. Never was such a line of intrenchments and wire entanglement as that constructed near the town.

## Three Numbered Five.

A Russian, who has intimate knowledge of Port Arthur fortifica-tions, explains that there are three forts known as No. 5. This accounts for the various and conflicting ports regarding fighting at No. 5. The Fall Inevitable.

Boston, Aug. 27.—The fall of Port Arthur is inevitable, according to Baron Kentaro Keneko, the special envoy of the Mikado of Japan to the country. Baron Kentaro added in a statement to the press yesterday that the capture of the fort was certain to come, not only because Japan planned to spend, if necessary, from 40,000 to 50,000 men in its capture, but because also, the whole population of Japan regards it as a point of national honor that the port should be retaken from the Russians and returned to the nation in-to whose possession it rightfully came ten years ago.

### Baltic Fleet on the Move.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 27.-The Baltic fleet, which sailed from Cron-stadt Thursday night on a ten days' trial cruise, consisted of twenty warships. The fleet consists of the battleships Souveroff (flagship), Borodine, Alexander III., Oslaabia and Orel, the cruisers Dmitri Donand Otel, the cruisers Dimit Don-skoi, Aurora, Zemtchug, Izumrud and Almaz, and the transports Okean and Kamtchatka, with a number of torpedo boat destroyers. While it is officially stated that the

fleet is bound on a trial cruise, it is believed by many people that the warships will not return to Cron-stadt unless in the case of a serious breakdown, but that they will put into Libau, where they will be joined by auxiliary cruisers, colliers and torpedo boat destroyers, built at Libau and Reval, and there await the ultimate start for the Far East.

Montreal, Aug. 27.—It can now be definitely announced that the directors of the C.P.R. have decided to ask the Government and the shareholders of the company to authorize an issue of new common stock to the amount of \$25,500,000. Notices to that effect were sent out rested for that effect were sent out yesterday, and October 5th at noon was set as the time for the shareholders to meet here at the head offices of the company and record their votes. It is expected that the annual meeting will be held on the same date.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 27.—It is reported that Samsonoff, the assassi of M. Von Plehve has been sentenced to death, and that the sentence is to death, and that the sentence is now before the Emperor. The re-ports which have been circulated about Samsonoff having escaped, and also that he was dead are declared

## OIL WELLS IN FLAMES GAVE PATRIOTIC PROOF

Great Fires in Louisiana and in Belgium.

Wells\_Tanks Containing 26,500,000 Gallons of Oil Burning-Started in Bus-Company's Tanks-C.P.R. Liner Lake Michigan in Danger.

Antwerp, Belgium, Aug. 27.—The oil tanks at Hoboken, three miles from here, containing about 26,500,000 gallons of petroleum, are ablaze, together will all the sheds, wagons, and paraphernalia. The free started at the Russian companies wagons, and paraphernalia. The fire-started at the Russian companies tanks, through the ignition of escaping gas, and the flames quickly spread to the Standard Oil Company's tanks. A high wind fanned the fire. Troops are assisting the firemen to localize the conflagration. Estimates of losses run into millions of francs.

Seven Persons Burned.

London, Aug. 27.—A despatch to a news agency from Antwerp says that seven workmen perished in the oil fire at Hoboken, and that only two out of forty oil tanks were saved. The loss is estimated at \$2,400,000

### C.P.R. Liner in Danger.

London, Aug. 27.—(C. A. P.)—The petroleum blaze at the South Docks, Antwerp, caused the C. P. R. Liner Lake Michigan at one time to be in

Crowley, La., Aug. 27.—The biggest fire in the history of the mammoth oil fields is raging. Thursday Morse Well No 8 came in a boiling gusher, pouring out a volume of oil at the rate of 10,000 barrels a day. The loss is placed at \$100,000.

The fire caught from a spark emanating from friction and rapidly spread to other wells. Four oil tanks each of which had a capacity of 1,200 barrels, caught fire and burned. Two were full of oil and two were Two were full of oil and two were empty. Four standard rigs, the property of the Morse Company, also were destroyed. During the afternoon the fire was confined to the Morse Wells Nos. 7 and 8. Large lakes of oil which had formed when the Morse No. 8 came in, caught fire. Eight lines of steam pipes have been laid to the burning wells and more are being prepared.

### being prepared Killed By Train

Toronto, Aug. 27.—Dominique Vanturo, a G.T.R. sectionman, while working at the foot of Brock avenue yesterday morning, was run down by the Stratford train and instantly killed. The train was running 20

Walkerville, Aug. 27.—Alexander A. Parrot, a laborer, was standing on the wharf Thursday, when a on the wharf Thursday, when a heavy gangway on the steamer United Empire was lowered without warning, which fell on him, crushing him to the ground, and rendering him unconscious. He was sent to Hotel Dieu, Windsor, where he died the same evening. Parrot was about 40 years of age and is survived by years of age, and is survived by a widow and several children.

### THAT DOUBLE DROWNING.

Further Particulars of the Sad Accident

Sault Ste. Marie, Aug. 27.—Further particulars of the double drowning here show that the accident occurred in St. Mary's River, near Topsail Island, at about 5 o'clock in the evening. Both the victims were inexperienced boatmen, and it is doubtful if they realized the danger incurred in going upon the river at the time. They had planned for a sailboat ride, and in spite of the fact that a gale of 60 miles an hour was coming off Lake Superior, and white caps were running at least six feet high, they were undaunted. They went down the river a short distance below the liguthouse, had turned about and were heading up Sault Ste. Marie, Aug. 27 .- Furdistance below the liguthouse, had turned about and were heading up stream when the accident occurred. At this point, the current is very strong, and when the wind caught the sail with a jerk the boat was suddenly capsized, and both young men sank without making a cry that could be heard on shore, where they were being watched by several they were being watched by several

persons.

The boat used by Patterson and Hill was a light canoe, in which provision was made for hoisting a

Herbert Delamere Hill was born in Strathroy, and was in his 24th year. He was the only child of Ven-erable Archdeacon Hill of St. Thomas.
The other young man, James Cole-

brooke Patterson, was the son of Hon. J. C. Patterson, ex-Lieuten-ant-Governor of Manitoba, and ex-Minister of Militia and Defence in the Cabinet of Sir John Thompson. He had been in Sault Ste. Marie for

### Pointed & Revolver.

Hamilton, Aug. 27.—John E. Roth pointed a revolver at William Morden in Barton township, where both men reside, and threatened to put Mr. Morden out of business by means of the weapon, so it is alleged, and last evening. Detective Donald Campbell gathered the man with the revolver into the toils. Roth had the weapon in his possession when arrested.

Patience may be a virtue, but it's often akin to stupidity.

## Lord Dundonald Appreciated Exigencies of Situation.

Sir Charles Tupper Declares That the Incident Has Not Blown Over-Former Canadian Premier Heartily Approv of the Conduct of the Ex-General-Officer-Commanding of the Canadia

London, Aug. 27.—(C.A.P.)—Sir Charles Tupper sailed for Canada Thursday by the steamer Bavarian. He was interviewed at Liverpool and asked if the Dundonald incident had blown over. Sir Charles replied that it had not it had not. Lord Dundonald considered that the militia should not in any way be mixed up with politics, so that all classes might join the citizen soldiery with the object, if necessity arose, of defending their country, which Sir Charles considered the weakest spot in the Empire. In propounding his policy in regard to the militia, Lord Dundonald knew he would be retired. He did not complain that he had been unjustly treated, but Lord Dundonald had had the courage of his convictions, and Lord Dundonald con the courage of his convictions, and in expressing them publicly had mag-manimously sacrificed himself in the interests of Canada and the Empire. Lord Dundonald had achieved his object, that of making and raising a strong militia, the crucial question in the Dominion. In the views expressed Lord Dundonald had carried pressed Lord Dundonald had carried with him the thinking people of Canada, the bone and sinew of the country, and the effect would be for the lasting good of Canada. Sir Charles entirely approved of the attitude of Lord Dundonald and was convinced that no man in anything like a similar position had declared. like a similar position had done se much to advance the real; better and higher interests of Canada. Of all men who had occupied the position vacated by Lord Dundonald no one had given such patriotic and Imperialistic proof of his appreciation of the exigencies of the situation. Trouble With Hutton.

London, Aug. 27.—(C.A.P.)—Minister of Defence Dawson, in Premier Watson's Labor Cabinet, answering General Hutton, charges the general with gross insolence when interviewing the Minister on official questions. According to Dawson, Hutton refused to take his word concerning the authorship of official minutes, endeavored to spend three times the Parliamentary amount, and retained in barracks documents required in the Minister's office.

Many a young man's brightness is eclipsed by his neckties and waist-coats.

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Have you had your share of the good things at this Great Shoe Treat?

If not, heed our warning and come at once for, when the lights go out on Wednesday Night, it will be everlastingly too late. Buy now and save re-

Here are some of the bargains that

25 pairs Womens \$4.00 Shoes for \$3.00 3.00 " 3.50 40 pairs Mens \$5 Shoes for \$4.00 3 "

11111 = The Shoe Man

## JOHN McCONNELL, Park Street, Phone 190.

Trent Valley Canal, Ottawa, Aug. 27.—Collingwood Schreiber, C.M.G., Deputy Minister of Railways and Canals, will leave on Monday to make an inspection of the Trent Valley Canal. Before re-turning to the capital Mr. Schreiber will visit the Canadian Canal at the Soo. Gerald L. Law, C. E., 191 Soo. Gerald L. Law, C. E., 191 Slater street, recently engaged on the C.P.R. western construction, left Thursely with a party to survey the Trent Canal between Port Hope and Rice Lake.

Saw Baby Cast Into Lake.

Toronto, Aug. 27.—At the coroner's inquest last night into the murder of the infant found dead in Coatsworth's Cut Richard Taylor, fisherman, testified to seeing the baby cast into the lake, Aug. 2. He was three-quarters of a mile away and could not tell just what the man threw from his boat. The wind died out and he did not investigate.

## CHURCH - CHIMES

HOURS OF SERVICE.

Christ Church—11 a.m., 7 p.m. First Presbyterian—11 and 7. Holy Trinity—11 and 7. St. Andrew's—11 and 7. St. Joseph's R. C.—8.36, 10.30, 7.30, Victoria Ave. Methodist—11 and 7. William St. Baptist-11 and 7. Park St. Methodist-11 and 7. Seventh Day Adventists-3 and Latter Day Saints—11 and 7. Campbell A. M. E.—11 and 7.30. First Baptist—11 and 7.30. St. John's A. U. M. P.—11 and 7. British Methodist-11 and 7.30. Union A M E .-- 11 and 7.30.

Pastors and others who contribute news items to this department of Saturday's Planet will confer a favor by seeing to it that their "copy" reaches this office not later than Friday at 4 p. m. Matter received later than that hour cannot be guaranteed insertion.

International Bible Lesson for Tomororw-Elijah Discouraged - First Kings 19, 1-8.

Golden Text, Psl. 120, 1-"In distress I cried unto the Lord. and He heard me."

There were 850 dead prophets of Baal absent from Jezebel's supper tables that evening, as Ahab related the events of that wonderful day's work; but Jezebel's wrath was not quenched, but kindled and flamed quenched, but kindled and flamed against Elijah, as she swore by her gods to have Elijah's life on the morrow. The man who could say so bravely, "As Jehovah liveth, before whom I stand," withdrew his eye from his God and looked at the mad queen—just as d'eter walking or the water turned his eye from his Lord and looked at the waves—and immediately he was helpless, as any other man, powerless for God and good, and fled for his life, which alone under the juniper tree he asks God to take from him, for he finds he is no better than others.

The best of God's servants are apt to forget that He puts His treasure in earthen vessels, that the exceeding greatness of the power may be of God and not from ourselves.--Second Cor., 4, 7-8.9. It is easy to over-es-timate or under-estimate the frail

earthen vessel, our body. But God does not want Elijah in heaven, but on earth, to finish his course. He will take him there in a chariot of fire in Ilis own time. Now grace and food and sleep, and away from man and alone with God, who ministering angels have him ministering angels have him in charge, fit Elijah for further service. On Mount Horeb God reveals Himselt more fully to the prophet, whom He then sends to annoint Hazel to be king over Syria, Jehu to be king over Israel and the Prophet Elisha to be were true to God.

Reader, how is it with thee in this

generation ? CHURCH NOTES.

First Presbyterian. Rev. Mr. Munso, of Ridgetown, will occupy the pulpit of the First Pres-byterian Church on both occasions to-

Bible Class and Sunday School to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Wednesday evening at 8.

Rev. R. McCosh will conduct the services and preach on both occasions to-morrow.

o'clock; Bible class for young men at the same hour. afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The pastor, Rev. Dr. Battisby, will preach, morning and evening, to-

morrow. Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 to-morrow afternoon.

Regular weekly prayer meeting of Wednesday evening at 8.

Holy Trinity. Rev. T. Beverley Smith will occup the pulpit morning and evening to morrow. Sunday School and Bible Class to

morrow afternoon at 3. Victoria Ave. Methodist. Short services will be the rule dur

ing hot weather. The pastor, Rev. F. E. Melott, will conduct the services and preach on both occasions to-morrow.

Classes meet to morrow morning at 10 o'clock and 12 noon. atte ay school to-morrow afternoon dest will rigolook.
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doubt be pworth League meets on Fring at 8 o'clock.

'ABOU' Park St. Methodist. Thatham pa. W. Budd will conduct both Forest out of and preach to-morrow.

Incidiate semings for Christian fellowship ed together in in Hall. the banks of School at 3 p. m. S. School in Robinson is School at 3 p. m. S. School in Robinson in Eall, Bible Class in the Church, Rocks, and Men's Club in the Vestry.

Mt. Foreid-week service Wednesday even-of Bran's at 8.

Frank Young Men's Club Friday evening

Frank Young Men's Club Friday evening on hot 8, in S. S. Hall.

at ine Epworth League Monday evening at catche, in S. S. Hall. William St. Baptist.

Rev. Wm. Spencer, of Ridgetown, will conduct the services to-morrow, In morning and evening.

Sunday School and Bible Class to morrow afternoon at 3. Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at &. The B. Y. P. U. meets in the lecture

Latter Day Saints. Services will be held as usual to-morrow at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Prayer service at 3 p. m. Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8. Religeo Society meets Friday even-

Campbell A. M. E. Rev. T. H. Henderson, B. A., pas-tor. Quarterly meeting day services as follows:—
10 a. m.—Love feast and general

class. 11.30 a. m.—Preaching by pastor. 3.30 and 7.30 p. m.—Preaching by Rev. Peter Brooks.

Reception of probationers into full nembership at the afternoon service. Holy Communion will be administer-

Seats free. All welcome. Sunday School at 3 p. m. Converts' prayer meeting at 6.30 to norrow evening. A. U. M. P.

A. U. M. P.

Usual services will be held in St.
John's A. U. M. P. Church to-morrow
as follows:—At 11 a. m., Scripture
lesson and preaching by the pastor,
Rev. A. B. Selvey. S. S. at 3 p. m.
At 6.30 prayer meeting and song service by the Spencer Lodge, and sermon by the pastor.

Class meeting in connection with
the A. U. M. P. Church is held every
Tuesday evening.

Tuesday evening.

Union A. M. E. Sunday services as usual in the Union A. M. E. Church, Forest St., North Chatham; Rev. R. L. Holden, pastor.

Salvation Army. Salvation Army, Union Depot—Knee drill at 7 a. m., meeting for promotion of holiness at 11 a. m., Christian felowship meeting at 3 p. m., soul winning service at 7.30 p. m. All services for citizens and soldiers.

Capt. Richardson, of Ridgetown, will conduct the services at the vation Army on Saturday night and Sunday. The Captain is an old "man-'o-war's-man" and spent nine years in His Majesty's navy.

Adjutant and Mrs. Bloss, of Chatham, have gone to Windsor to conduct the week-end meetings of the Salvation Army there.

- First Baptist. The pastor, Rev. T. Jesse H nder-son, will conduct the services and preach on both occasions to-morrow.
Morning subject, "Being in the Spirit
on the Lord's Day and It's Result";
evening, 'The Change and Brevity of the Human Life as Portrayed by th Four Seasons,"

Sabbath School at 12.30. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. British Methodist.

Services will be held as usual in the British Methodist Church tomorrow.

Prayer meeting will be held in the British Methodist Church on Wednesday evening at 7.30.

HER REWARD.

"The brute!" exclaimed the bride

of a year.

"Have a cup of tea, dear," said her dearest friend, "and tell me all about it. What has he been doing now !"

"My pet,' he remarked, 'I believe promised you a surprise on an oc-

casion like this."
"'Yes, darling,' I answered. 'O, do'
tell me what it is?"
"'I shall discharge the cook at the
end of the month,' he said."—New

Prayer meeting wo-morrow morro- CANADA AND THE BLACKing at 10. WATCH

> The Famous Highland Regiment's First Visit to this Country.

The coming visit of the famous Brass and P.pe Bands of the Black Watch or 42nd Royal Highlanders to Canada is not the first time that this regiment will have been in this country. One has to go back to the middle of the 18th century, one hundred and fifty years ago, to recall their previous visit, and the glorious part they bore in securing Canada for the British Empire. It is a very in the British Empire. It is a very in-teresting co-incidence also that the famous name of the Royal Highland Regiment was conferred upon the Black Watch on account of their magnificent services at Fort Ticon-deroga. The story of their magnifi-cent struggle there will be of great

After taking part in several minor engagements, in the spring of 1758, the 42nd was ordered to join a body of troops selected to attack Ticonderoga, under General Abercromby. The fort could only be approached from one side, which was strongly entrenched, the garrison numbering some five thousand men. The assome five thousand men. The assome five thousand men. The assaulting columns were unable to force themselves through the abbattis, on account of the many obstacles, that had been placed in theriway, whereupon the Black Watch rushed forward from the reserve, hewed their way through the obstacles with their broadswords and, no ledders having heen provided made. ladders having been provided, made strenuous efforts to carry the breast-work, partly by mounting on each other's shoulders and partly by placing their feet in holes which they dug with their swords and bayonets. After a desperate struggle of four hours' duration General Abercromby ordered retreat, an order which

ordered terries, an order when had not to be thrice repeated before the Highlanders would withdraw.

As an eye-witness described them, "They appeared like lions breaking from their chains, and, though unable to carry the fort, they earned immortal glory."

In this engagement they lost eight officers, 9 sergeants, and 207 men killed; 17 officers, 10 sergeants and men were wounded His Majesty George II. recognizing their splendid bravery and sacrifice, conferred upon the "Black Watch" the title of the Royal Highland Regi-

ment. In July, 1759, the second battalion joined the first at Ticonderoga,which along with Crown Point and Isle Aux Noix, was evacuated by the French In the campaign of 1760, the first and second battalions were largely instrumental in conquering Canada for the British, taking a leading part in the capture of Montreal.

This famous band will visit Chat ham Monday afternoon, September 12th,

Not D. McLachlan of Chatham

Mr. D. McLachlan, Principal of the Canada Business College, and whose ad. appears elsewhere in this paper, asks us to bring before our readers, the fact that he has no connection with any other business college in Canada.

His reason for asking us to mention this, is, that a person of the same name is advertising as associate prin-cpal of another college, and as the public might be led to believe that he is the party whose name appears in connection with the institution referred to, he would like the fact brought before our readers.

Mr. McLachlan founded the college

Mr. McLachlan founded the college over which he so ably presides nearly 28 years ago, and it stands to-day as one of the leading commercial institutions of the Continent. He has no connection with any other business school in Canada or the United States, except the McLachlan Business University of Grand Rapids, Mich., these two institutions being owned and controlled by D. McLachlan & Co., and the Canada Business College is the only business school in proterian Church on both occasions tomorrow.

Bible Class and Sunday School tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

Christ Church.

Rev. R. McCosh will conduct the services and preach on both occasions tomorrow.

Bible class for young ladies at 3 o'clock.

Beble class for young men at the same hour.

Sunday school is held every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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Mr. David Moore, of Howard, South Dakota, is visiting Chief Grant and others. Mr. Moore was one of Blenheim's business men twenty years ago.

—Blenheim News-Tribune.

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DISTRICT DOINGS

BLENHLIM

is now well advanced, the brickwork being finished. The putting up of the interior is being pushed forward. An ice cream social will be held at the Methodist church Monday even-

ing. Good music will be rendered by the Bienheim orchestra. Mr. A. Giff:n has returned from a

prospecting four in New Ontario.

Mrs. J. S. Crookshank is visiting friends in Toronto and Hamilton.

At the races held at Ridgetown this week S. S. Arnold's horse, Glenmore,

George Gray is visiting his mother

Sarnia, is the guest of Miss L. Pow ers this week.

weeek.

Most of the campers have returned from the island. This has been a cold summer on the river.

Arthur Martin, tenor soloist, will

Rev. Mr. Brown, missionary from India, will preach in the Baptist Church to-morrow. The steamer Winona brought in a

DRESDEN

Albert Brown was a Chatham vis

City.
Miss Sarah McVean, who is summering at Port Lambton, was a guest of Miss Reba Tassie on Wednesday and Thursday.

Rev. John Holmes, a former pastor of the Methodist Church here, is the guest of Dresden friends. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Aitken are

are visiting friends in Kent Bridge. Dr. J. I. Wiley, coroner, held a fire inquest yesterday, on the Main St fire of Aug. 6th. About fifteen wit nesses were examined but no definite evidence was submitted. The investi-gation was adjourned after dinner to be resumed next Wednesday at 10

years without change of management.

Mr. McLachlan is running a high class business school at Chatham, a school which has made a reputation much wider than the Continent, and we take pleasure in giving the above fact bublicity. to catch the west bound morning

Their ideas are larger than their urses. They think "the world owes them

a living."
They do not keep account of their They do not keep account of their expenditures.

They are easy dupes of schemers

and promoters

pensive amusements.

They do not think it worth while to save nickles and dimes.

They have rished an assured com-

They have rished an assured competence in trying to get rich quickly. They allow friends to impose on their good nature and generosity.
They try to do what others expect of them, not what they can afford. The parents are economical, but the children have extravagant ideas.
They do not do to-day what they can possibly put off until to-morrow. They do not think it worth while

beneath them.

"EVE'S APPLE TREE."

In Ceylon there is a tree called "Eve's apple tree," which is remarkable in that the orange fruit is beautiful to look upon, yet cut of each fruit a piece appears to have been bitten. It is said that the stimulation of a fruit which has been bitten into is perfect. For this reason and because the fruit is a deadly poison the natives declare that it is the same tree which grew in the Garden of Eden, and it is a perpetual reminder of a disobedient act.

BARGAINS for TO-NIGHT

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About 40 pcs, fine Crash Suitings, flaked Suitings, Z-yhyrs, Muslins, Dimities, etc., this seasons best styles, guaranteed colors, regular 20 to 35c a yd.,

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Sale Price \$1 95

Sale Price \$2.95

Sale Price 46c

Sale Price 220

Sale Price 680

Sale Price \$1.48

Men's \$1.00 Mole Pants at 83c a pair— 47 pair Men's Extra Quality Mole Pants, well made, good dark patterns, the best \$1 pants made

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Nottingham Lace Curtains

40 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, clear

38 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3 yds

long 50 in. wide, overlock edges, regular price up to 90c a pair,

38 pairs Notti gham Lace Curtains, hand-some styles, regular price up to \$2.25 a pr.

12 1-2 Curtain Muslins

**Boys Suits** 

Sele Price 121/20 Clothing Snaps 54 Men's Fine pure wool tweed suits, latest styles and patterns, superior linings, thoroughly well m.de, sizes 34 to 44 inch regular \$7.50, \$8.50, \$9 and \$10 each

won first prize in running race against hine other horses. Miss Sadie Morris is spending her vacation at Detroit and Grand Rapids, 37 only Men's Suits, warranted pure wool tweeds and serges, in good range of patterns, extra well made and lined sizes 34 to 44, regular \$6 to \$7.50 a suit

WALLACEBURG Aug. 27.-Miss Mary McDonald, of

C. B. Jackson was in Detroit on Thursday visiting his mother, who was hurt in that city the first of the

Chas. Martin was surprised this week. A number of his friends pre-sented him with a fine mahogany checker board.

Boys Navy Serge Sailor Suits, large col-lars, trimmed with rows braid, regular \$1.50 sing in the Presbyterian Church next

large moonlight excursion Dresden last evening.

Aug. 27.-Miss Reba Tassie enter tained a number of her girl friends at an afternoon At Home on Thurs-

Mrs. Thos. Arnold has returned rom a visit with friends in Marine

pending a couple of weeks' vacation Muskoka. The Misses Daisy and Mae Cuthbert

Government detective Murray, of

Toronto, was in town yesterday as-sisting at the fire inquest Word was received yesterday of the death of Mr. Anson Parrott, Wind-

They reverse the maxim, "Duty be-fore pleasure."

They have too many and too ex-

They do not think it worth while to put contracts or agreements in writing.

They prefer to incur debts rather than to do work, which they consider

"EVE'S APPLE TREE."

You must first unchain the dogs of war before they can embark.

25, 35c Wash Goods at 121/2c loc Bleached Cottons 7c Yard 180 LAWN AT 12 1-2c-2000 yds fine pure Bleached Cotton, full width, fine even thread, excellent value at

600 yds heavy 32 in. Prints, light and dark patterns, fast colors, regular 10c and

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Sale Price 12%0 10 and 12½ c 1 xford Shirtings

16 pcs. English Oxford Shirting, good quality in range checks and stripes, guar-antecd colors, regular 10c and 124c a vd., Sale Price 80

Boys 2pc suits in good range of styles in fancy tweeds and Navy Screes, regular \$3.25 to \$4 each

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\$2.00 CORSET COVERS AT 98c-Sale Price 98c 6 dozen ladies' fine Nainsook covers trimmed with lace embroidery, inser Lot Boys Blouses and Shirt Waists regular 50c, 60c and 75c each
Sale Price 39c tion, tuckings, etc., sizes 32 to 42, regular \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00 each, clearing at Lot Boys Wash Suits, reg. 75c to 90cts.

> 50c, 60c AND 75c LACE LISLE HOSE AT 39c .-

6 doz ladies' fine imported lace lisle hose, superior quality, very pretty patterns, black and white, all black and all white, regular 50c, 60c and 75c pair, clearing at

Curtain Scrims, Curtain Lace and Curtain Materials in choice patterns, wide, widths, white or cream, clearing at ing at

121/2 c Prints at 71/2 c

Sale Price 7%c

375 yards fine Victoria Lawn, pure finish, full 48 in. wide, worth 20c a yd.,

at 8c a yard

121/2 and 10c Dress Ginghams at 7½ c a yd.

Sale Price 7½0

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300 pards fine sheer Victoria lawn, 48 inches wide, regular 18c a yard, special at 12 1-2c.

22c LINEN TOWELS AT 16c EACH-Ten dozen fine pure linen huck towels, size 21 x 45 inches, fringed or, hemmed ends, regular 45c a pair, special each

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Four dozen ladies' fine black and colored satana underskirts, beautiful styles, assorted lengths, regular \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$2.75 each, clearing at

12 1-2c HOSE AT 8c PAIR-

10 doz boys and girls' strong rib hose, elastic knit, fast black, sizes 5 1-2 to 9 1-2, regular 10c and 12 1-20 pair, clearing at

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BURGLARIES

AT TILBURY Tilbury, August 26.—N. H. Smith's jewelry store and V. Campbell's gents' furnishing store were burglarized here last night. Entrance to each building was gained by prying open a window in the rear. About \$25.00 worth of perfumery and \$200 worth of prings chains spaces, etc. were of rings, chains, spoons, etc., were taken from Smith's. Three suits of clothes, three sweaters, three pair of shoes and three shirts are missing

WAYS OF TWO HUSBANDS.

from Campbell's.

His First-Jenkins: By the way, ones, how old is that baby of yours? Jones, how old is that baby of yours?
Jones (promptly): One year, two
months and eight days.
His Sixth-Jones: By the way,
Jenkins, how old is that youngest
baby of yours?
Jenkins: Oh! hanged if I know.
A year or two. Ask my wife.—
Pittsburg Bulletin.

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From Leslie's Monthly Magazine for September,

The custom of the Sen Nin Riki is one that has arisen in Japan during the present war. Ever since the war began, at all times of the day, and even night, small groups of women can be seen gathering in the streets; one or more of the women will have a piece of cotton cloth with one thousand marks or dots stamped upon it. "Sen" is the Japanese word for one thousand. "Nin" is the word for human being—either man or woman.
"Riki" is in the Japanese language,
strength. In combination the words

"the strength of one thousand Each one of these one thousand dots or marks in the cloth are to indicate or mark in the cloth where a stitch or knot is to be made by a woman, or knot is to be made by a woman, who, while making this knot, gives her best thought, wish or prayer for the safety and protection of the soldier who will wear this piece of cotton cloth as an "obi" or belt while fight ing for his country. The prayers of one thousand women for one man are believed to protect him from all dangers and to give him strength to

overcome and conquer the enemie of his beloved Japan,

COULDN'T OR WOULDN'T TELL Mr. Pritchard, of Boston, America in a speech on the ignorance of chil-dren, mentioned that a large number of pupils attending school in his na-tive town declared themselves unable to say what butter was made of. Possibly, however, the parents of these were in the margarine business, and the little ones were loyally keeping trade secrets.—London Punch.

TELEGRAPHIC PROGRESS.

There is no end, it would seem, to developments in telegraphy. The In-do-European Telegraph Company has arranged for the sending and receiv-ing of telegrams between Teheran and Manchester without a single Fly Pads, Sticky
Fly Paper, Insect
Powder, Hellebore,
Paris Crean Processing And Manchester without a single break. This, roughly speaking, represents a distance of 4,000 miles. Recently at the company's offices in Manchester a message containing 149 words was sent from the Persian capital and reeled off at the Manchester end of the wire in the short space of eight minutes. space of eight minutes.

TOO MANY WIVES.

"I hear you have discontinued the custom of giving your clerks a raise when they take a wife," said the vistor.
"I have, indeed," replied the great

M'n'rd's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

merchant.
"Why so?"
"Well, the last clerk was a Mormon and came for a raise four times in a month."—Chicago News.

merchant.

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Pacific to Monida, thence by

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### LODGES



WELLINGTON Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C., meets on the first Monday of every mouth, in the Masonic Hall, Fifth St., at 7.30 p. m. Visiting brethren

ALEX. GREGORY, See'y.

DENTAL.

R. S. Ludlow, D. D. S., whose office is opposite the Garner House, grad-uated successively from Ontario's Roya! College, Chicago's High Class School of Dentistry, and Ohio's Royal State Board. All his inser-tions of teeth are warranted to restore the features their lost appearances, or any other desirable, no extra charge made.

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## \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* District Dashes

Ezra Burr, of Chatham, spent Friday and Saturday in our town.—Dres-good time is promised. In the even-Mrs. W. H. Waters and Miss Mamie re visiting at Chatham and Detroit. -Ridgetown Dominion.

N. H. Gillies and family will move rom London to Chatham next week. -Ridgetown Dominion.

Misses Lena McKie and Ida Tobey of Chatham, visited in town over Sunday.—Blenheim News-Tribune.

Mrs. Keach and children, of Chatham, were last week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. C. Leitch,-Ridg:-

Miss McCartby, of Chatham, and Miss Mae Burnie, of Detroif, are the guests of Miss Ethyl Burnie, Hughes Street.—Dresden Standard.

While practising football on Tuesday evening Mr. Sim Burk was so un-fortunate as to fall and break his collarbone.—Bienheim News-Tribune.

Lixi Benoit, 7th concession, Dover has the best crop of tobacco in the country. He has twenty acres of the comforting weed all coming along in fine shape, some of the leaves actually measuring 20 inches by 3 feet 4 inches , which is considered a very

David Simpson is circulating stock sheets for a \$50,000 carriage works for Ridgetown. Pontiac parties will take a third stock. If successful work on the enterprise will begin immediately. The concern would be abount or Ridgetown as fifty about the concern would be abount or Ridgetown as fifty about the stock. on the enterprise will begin immedi-ately. The concern would be a boon to Ridgetown as fifty hands would be required to start.

Walter Mills, Ridgetown, acting on watter Mills, Riagetown, acting on behalf of Thomas Steel, has issued a writ against W. E. Newman in a High Court action, asking that the partnership of Steel & Co. be disolved. The firm are bean buyers, the the disonter is over account. dispute is over accounts. Walter Mills for plaintiff, H. D. Smith contra.

Wm. Baker, of Renwick, returned last week from Medicine Hat, where he has taken up 480 acres of land and will go into mixed farming. He is well satisfied with the outlook there, but reports a great scarcity of hay and will are hay and will not return until spring -Tilbury Times.

Mrs. Bertha Hutchinson, of London avenue, Walkerville, has instructed her solicitor, M. K. Cowan, M. P., to issue a writ against the Pere Marquette for \$10,000 damages for the death of her husband in February last in a collision on the company road near Port Lambton.—Amherstburg Echo. Amherstburg Echo.

The citizens of Tupperville will hold The citizens of Tupperville will hold their first civic holiday on Thursday, Sept. 1st, when a first class program of sports will be presented. There will be a calithumpian parade and a good time is promised. In the evening there will be a concert for which good talent has been secured.

Lawrence Anderson, aged 18, broke into John Hank's house on the 12th concession, of Dawn Township, and stole about \$41 in money and two gold rings valued at \$60. He was arrested at Dresden by Chief Gonyou on the complaint of Mrs. Hanks, and committed for trial at the fall assizes at Sarnie assizes at Sarnia.

Miss Lulu Whitebread, who has been the guest of Mrs. J. Steinhoff for the past year, left this morning for New York, where she intends visiting a week or so before returning to her home in England. During her stay in town Miss Whitebread was very popular and made many friends.—Wallaceburg Herald-Record,

A petition to stop the exportation of wild ducks from Ontario is being circulated and is being signed by leading sportsmen all over the pro-vince on account of the abuse of the vince on account of the abuse of the exportation privilege given to those who take out licenses. It has been decided to put a stop to the practise in the interests of game preservation.

The M. C. R. authorites have an The M. C. R. authorites have an extra gang of men at work at Mull raising several miles of main line track and ballasting it with stone which is being hauled from Hagesville quarries. Besides making an excellent roadbed it is claimed to be free from dust, which, if true, solves a problem that has been confronting railway operations for some years.

Rev. John Holmes left on Tuesday Hev. John Holmes left on Tuesday after some days pleasantly spent among his many old friends here. He occupied his old pulpit during the past two Sabbaths and all were pleased to note that his former powpleased to note that his former powers as a preacher has not in any respect diminished. He will visit friends in Chatham, Dresden, St. Thomas, London, Parkhill, Exeter and other places on his way home.—Blenheim News-Tribune.

Ridgetown council has fixed the tax rate for 1904 at 28 1-5 mills on the dollar. This rate will raise \$16,133.70. Mayor Reycraft vigorously opposed the rate on the ground that it did not provide for the floating debt, which had to be met by some board, and he believed this was the proper time to wipe it out and leave the 1905 council free from a burden of this nature.

Next week Wallaceburg loses a good citizen in the person of Mr. Will C. Power, who goes to Brockville to accept a position with the Smart Manufacturing Co., for whom he will travel. Mr. Power has been with P. T. Barry & Sons since they have been in business here, and with their predecessors in the same stand, serving ten years in the same shop.—Wal-

## BACKACHE AND DIZZINESS. DISTRICT DOINGS. WHEN IN TROUBLE

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ecognized as being caused by catarrh. Catarrh of one organ is exactly the same as catarrh of any other organ. What will cure catarrh of the head will also cure catarrh of the pelvic organs. Peruna cures these cases simply because it cures the catarrh. If you have catarrh write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of

your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis. Address Dr. Hartman, President of

The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

laceburg Herald-Record.

A successful farmer of Rodney township informed the public that air-slacked lime was one of the best pre-ventatives for hog cholera known. A little lime dust sprinkled around the pens over the feed and in the nests once a week would not only keep the hogs healthy and thrifty but was a complete bar to the ravages of cholera. Prevention is better than cure and the cost is trifling compared with the benefit received.

On Saturday night last Thos. Glasgow, who resided on the River Road, near Tupperville, had three horses valued at \$400 killed on the Pere Marquette tracks. His farm yards are on the Camden and Chatham Gore townline a short distance from the tracks and the horses, breaking down the gate, got on the track. One was killed outright and the other two had legs broken and had to be shot.

On Thursday evening a football match took place between South Har-wich and Cedar Springs. The game was fast from start to finish. The game ended two to one in favor of Cedar Springs. The teams were as

follows:
South Harwich—C. Brush, Alex.
Maynard, Will Moore, Root. Green,
Hiram Burk, Gilbert Maynard, Sim
Burk, Archie Burk, Marshall Burk,
Mont. Burk, Chas. Ramsden.
Cedar Springs—A. McPherson, E.
Hambly, Geo, Smith, Bert. Claus,
Herb Smith, Homer Campbell, Frank
McKishney, Fred Pardo, Will Mcfollows:

Kishney, Ernie Guyett, Web. Lan-caster. Referee—S. Burk,

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GUILDS.

Miss Annie Jenner, of Charing Cross, was the guest of Mrs. J. Bentey over Sunday.

Mr. Frank Purvis, visited friends

Palmyra on Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. E. Henneker, Blen Mr. and Mrs. E. Henneker, Blen-heim, were the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. W. Clow, on Sunday. Frank Gosnell, who has spent a few months in the Northwest, called on a few of his friends here last week, but has gone to his home in

Ridgetown.
J. A. Campbell, of Leamington, was a village visitor last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Jenner are all smiles these days. It's a daught-

er.

M. J. Bentley, of Gravenhurst, is calling on his old friends here. He intends visiting the Warld's Fair before he returns home,
Miss Hazel Mallory left on Friday
for an extended visit with relatives
in Hravenhurst.
Mrs. E. Grant and children, Har-

row, are visiting relatives here.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe. Allison, of the
Fourth Line, were the guests of Mrs.
I. Bentley on Sunday.
Will Creighton Miss Carrie Longtry

Will Creighton Miss Carrie Longtry and Andrew Myres, left for the West on Friday.

A few of our young peple were out for a lark one night last week. They had the misfortune to fall in the ditch along side of where they were walking. As luck usually follows, the ditch was not quite full of water. They managed to get up with very little help, while others were enjoying a good laugh.

A very happy event took place last Wednesday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Cumming, in the presence of about fifty guests, it being the marriage of their daughter, Olive, to Mr. Ira B. Robinson, of Detroit. The ceremony was performed at three o'clock, by Rev. C. W. Bristol. The wedding company entered the room to the strains of the wedding march played by Miss Hilda Gordon, and the bride was given away by her father. The nuptial knot was tied under an evergreen arch and the company afterwards sat down to a summture. evergreen arch and the company afterwards sat down to a sumptuous repast served on the rawn. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson have the best wishes of their many friends. The happy couple left for Detroit.

CON. 8, RALEIGH.

Mrs. Illman is seriously sick and has entered the Public General Hos-

has entered the Public General Hospital for treatment.
Mrs. M. Ritchie is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Asher, of Chatham.
Miss Carrie Noack has returned home from a week's visit with friends at Morpeth. Miss Noack also attended the summer school held there.

Master Warren Hea had the misfortune to fall from a tree and break his arm.

The League will give a concert on the evening of August 31st, and some of Chatham's best talent is being

engaged for the occasion.

Mrs. Richard Dale has returned home from Lindsay, where she was attending the functal of her niece.

Miss Riddle, of Dutton, is the guest of Miss Aggie Park this week.

George Jordan has the largest wheat crop in this vicinity this year. He had ten loads, and the sample was

very good. Mrs. Frank Suitor, of Blenheim,

Mrs. Frank Suitor, of Blenheim, who has been visiting relatives here, returned home last week.

Mr. McGar, of Guelph, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ball.
Hilliard Aldis has secured employment at St. Thomas, where he will hereafter reside. Hill, who is a general favorite here, has the best wishes of all for his future welfare.

Miss Abbie Cameron returned home last Thursday from a short visit with relatives at Palmyra.

Misses Ethel and Gertie Reynolds, of Detroit, are the guests of the

of Detroit, are the guests of the Misses Harwood.

Mrs. E. Edwards and Mrs. James Laurie are holidaying at the Eau this week, the guests of Mrs. Camp-

Miss Lent, of London, who has been spending several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Lent, is now in Toledo for a fortnight with her sister.

Miss Emma Hurst, near the lake, is on a visit to friends at Amherstburg and other places.

The funeral of the late Wm. Reynolds, of Scotland, was the largest ever seen in this vicinity.

DOYLES.

Joe Hickey and Ed. Neal leave to-day for St. Louis Fair.

Wm. Finn left for Calgary to-day and his wife has moved home.

Miss Cora Dillon, who has been ser-iously ill, is recovering under the skilful attendance of Dr. Hall.

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McKAY'S CORNERS.

Rev. J. A. Mustard, of Early, Iowa, called on Dr. McRitchie and other friends on his way home to Uxbridge

Saturday.

Mrs. M. Campbell and son Bertie Mrs. M. Campbell and son Bertie returned on Saturday from Port Lambton, where they have been spending a week with friends.

Isaac Booth, of Port Lambton, is visiting with his brother-in-law, R. B. Stenton, of Harwich.

B. Stenton, of Harwich.

There were only seven Botany boys engaged in the ball game here on Sunday last; some others were expected to take part. It is hoped the like will not occur again in the neighborhood of this quiet hamlet.

D. A. Booth spent the past week with friends on River St. Clair.

Mrs. C. meron, of Toronto, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Will Parsons.

Parsons. The invitations are out announcing the marriage of Mr. Loftus Johnston and Miss Ethel Tirlo., Creek Road, on Sept. 6th.

Thos. Second, Kent Bridge, visited with G. E. Booth on Sunday.

Mrs Sinclair, of Toledo, is the guest of Mr. Robert Jarvis.

Miss Edith Stenton, of Mull, is the guest of the Misses McDonald.

RIVER ROAD, HARWICH.

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The Bethel Epworth League intend having an ice cream social on the lawn of Mr. Albert Stephens, Wednesday, Aug. 24th. A good time is expected.

Mr. Stephen Reid has returned from the Northwest and Messrs. Howard Patterson and Hervie Scobie have directed their steps in that direction.

Mr. and Mrs. Hammond Marshall and Misses Hattie and Grace Marshall, of Flint, Mich., have been visiting at Mr. J. T. Walters.

Choir practice has been changed to Saturday evening to enable some of the members to attend the Louisville Epworth League meetings on Thursday evenings.

A goodly number from here attended the Arnold picnic last Wednes-

day and report an excellent time,
Miss Flora Ripley, of Dresden, is
spending a few days at Mr. Read's,
Our school made a splendid showing at the recent departmental exand the recent departmental ex-aminations and the success of the pupils reflect great credit on them-selves and teacher. Wilfrid Arnold, Bella Scobie and Henry Ellis obtain-ed public school leaving certificates, and Ada Arnold, Clarence Stuart and Willie Jones pased the entrance.

KENT BRIDGE.

Laurie are holidaying at the Eau this week, the guests of Mrs. Campbell.

MORPETH.

Miss Grace Higgs, of Windsor, has been the guest of Mrs. Sarah Higgs for the past two weeks.

Rev. Mr. Softley has arrived home from the Northwest, where he has been on a month's visit with relatives.

Miss Finnacey, of Blenheim, was the guest of her friends, the Misses Smith, last week.

James Wilkinson has secured a position on the staff of St. Mary's High School.

Mrs. Isaac Gardiner, Rondeau Park, is visiting her sons im Detroit.

A. S. Hurst, M. A., who has been spending his holidays with his parents, near the lake, leaves this week for Aylmer, where Mrs. Hurst is visiting relatives.

Arthur Smith, B. A., who has been on the staff of the Iroquois High School for the past year, has secured a more lucrative position on the staff of the Renfrew High School.

Matthew Wade's fine new bank barn is about completed.

Miss McAuliffe, Talbot Street, is lying very ill from the effects of consumption.

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Toronto, Aug. 27.-11 a. m.-Moderate to fresh south to southwest winds, fine and a little warmer. Sunday, Tresh south to west winds, fair and warm, a few scattered showers not unlikely.

THERMOMETER.

The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turn-er's weather bureau:

Highest yesterday, 74. Lowest during night, 47. This morning, 55. Barometer, 29.58. Direction of wind, west.

## THE LOCAL BUDGET

Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Larin turned yesterday from a trip to Montreal.

Miss Nellie Watlin and Miss Flora this city, after spending a month's holidays at her home in Blenheim. The City of Chatham will run round trip from Chatham to Detroit on Labor Day, Sept. 5th. Fare 50c.

The only place where you can get Stransky guaranteed granite wares, phone No. 6, Geo. Stephens & Co. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Emerson, of

Detroit, Mich., are spending a few days with Mrs. Jno. Grandbois, Eliz-John Smith, an old Chatham boy, who has be received the services y popular in musical was here and since his detailed.

greatly massing s many friends will be pleased to se him back to Chat-ham again.

The Misses Benedict, Harvey St., leave to-day for Renwick, where they will visit their mother, Mrs. Wm. Morgan for a week.

Miss Nellie Watlin adn Miss Flora Sauchier, of Blenheim, and Miss Laura Dean, of this city, were guests at "Bide a Wee," Ericau yesterday. Jack Atkins was loading a binder at Smith's in Harwich this week, when he nearly lost his hand. A knife fell on it and it was badly la-

Miss Chevallier, of Hamilton, who has been visiting Mrs. Harry Crump, left to-day for Detroit. Miss Cheval-lier's father at one time kept a confectionery store where Tilt's Art

Alex. Gregory, whose hand was so badly lacerated in Piggott's factory yesterday morning, is progressing favorably. The wound is very painful, but Mr. Gregory is suffering without complaint. It is expected that two fingers and part of a third will be saved.

Mr. John Muckle and daughter. Mr. John Muckle and daughter, Miss Grace, of Kansas City, Mo., who have been visiting relatives in the county for the past six weeks, will leave on the 7.03 Wabash train this evening for St. Louis. Miss Viola Muckle, of Harwich, will accompany them and visit the Exposition.

The large handsome trophy won by W. E. Hall, of Blenheim, at the Do-minion Trap Association, held recentminion Trap Association, held recently at Brantford, is on exhibition in Wm. Bennett's billiard hall window. The trophy is a beautiful silver drinking pitcher, with two silver cups accompanying, and is one the handsomest trophies ever exhibited in the Maple City. It was the coveted prize of some of the best shots at the tournament and the fact that it has been won by Mr. Hall reflects much credit on that gentleman. Mr. Hall is a member of the Maple City Gun Club.

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Most people keep their booze in a cellar and in Blephe in the constables are keeping ten cases in a cell-er

The married man goes to the Hotel Rankin and gets his Collin's and he goes home and from his wife he gets his callings. He doesn't enjoy the

There must have been a vein of humor in that Blenhe'm constable when he put that seized liquor behind the bars. That's where liquor is generally found.

St. Louis, Aug. 27.—The Exposition is just as good as Chas. Austin's great Peninsular Fair. Of course I am pleased to be able to say this. I hope Ald. Piggott has run the city all right in my absence, but have been too busy to feel sorry for him with a city on his hands. Expect me home to-night.—Mayor McKeough

HARD ON TEAMSTERS. The following advertisement in the Dutton Advance shows the importance of punctuation: "Wanted—Men to cut logs and teamsters—at once. Good wages and steady work. Apply at Coates' mill or to W. A. James."-St. Thomas Times.

ANOTHER JOLT. A Massachusetts man is establishing a college to teach old maids how to find husbands. What a boon his scheme would be to St. Thomas.—Chatham Planet Satellite.

The Planet may be all right, but a satellite—what is a satellite, anyway? Webster Tefines a satellite as "An attendant attached to a prince or other powerful person; hence an obsequious dependent." There you are, None but an "obsequious dependent" would at tempt to cast a slur of that sort at the handsome ladies of St. Thomas admitted by all visitors to this city to be the handsomest in Canada.— St. Thomas Times.

### HEAVY FIGHTING

(Special to The Planet.) St. Petersburg, Aug. 27.-Russian easualties are placed at over a thouand in the report of Gen. Kuropatkin relative to the fighting around Liao Yang yesterday. The Japanese

also sustained serious losses while 24

of their guns are reported to have been-put out of action. Liau Tang, Aug. 27.-Gen. Kuroki has joined forces with Gen. Oku in an attempt to cut the Russian line between Anshanshan and Liandian-

The battle of August 25 raged rlong the eastern front. A strong Japanese force attacked the Russian position at Miao pass and at Sandiatz and Tsegow At these points the combat repeatedly developed into hand fighting.

### THURSDAY'S STORM

W. M. Merriam, from Bridge End was in the city to-day. In conversa-tion with The Planet Mr. Merriam

"The storm on Thursday up our way was a fierce one. Damage of all kinds was done by it, although I have not heard of lightning strik-ing anything. The side of Dick Hill's barn, Communication Road, was car-ried 60 yards. Apple trees were root-ed up from the ground, green maple trees two and a half feet through on Thomas Biggart's place were broken in two half way up the trunk. The corn is pretty well flattened out and the apple crop is almost totally destroyed.

"One place I happened to visit after "One place I happened to visit after the storm had about 200 tobacco plants broken off or torn up. The barn door on this place was blown in. "Mr. Corlet, at Fargo, had the roof of his barn blown off. A shed belonging to Hugh Marrow on the Centre Line, Hørwich, was moved two feet."

## THE MARKETS

There was an excellent market this morning. The square was crowded with purchasers all morning and there was plenty of produce offered for everyone. It was one of he best markets that Chatham has had for some time. Eggs brought 15 cents a dozen, butter from 18 to 20 cents a pound, and chickens varied from 25 to 35 cents each. A few ducks were offered, price varying as to size, the average price being 35 cents. Vegetables remain about the same in price with the offering much larger than heretofore. than heretofore.

IN THE SHEDS. Eggs, per dozen, 15c.
Butter, per pound, 18c to 20c.
Chickens, each, 25c to 35c.
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VEGETABLES.

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Apples, per peck, 10c.
Cucumbers, per dozen, 10c.
Carrots, 2 bunches for 5c.
Beets, 2 bunches for 5c.
Tomatoes, per peck, 40c.
Gooseberries, per box, 6c.
Cabbage, each, 5c to 10c.
Green corn, per dozen, 10c.
Peaches, basket, 50c.
Summer squash, 2 for 5.
Celery, per bunch, 10c.
Savory, 5c bunch.
Beans, per quart, 5c.
Onions, 2 bunches for 5c.
Peas, per qt., 12c,

## ...SOCIETY...

Mrs. Geo. W. Cowan gave a de lightful informal five o'clock tea yesterday afternoon. The tea was given in honor of Mrs. Montgomery, of Detroit, and Mrs. Geo. D. Lamont, of Toronto. Only a few guests were present but a very pleasant time was spent. The drawing room where the tea was served was decorated with white asters and asparagus ferns. The effect was very chaste and fetching. Distriction ...

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Batteries—Mullin and Beville: Bender and
Powers. Umpire—Sheridan. Attendance—4148

At New York-

### NO FROST IN WEST.

Another of the Chicago Bull Influences

Winnipeg, Aug. 27.—Reports of frost in Manitoba, which proved such a powerful bull influence in the Chicago grain market yesterday, are entirely without foundation. The lowest point Thursday night in Manitoba was 40, at Cartwright. The lowest temperature were recorded in the Territories, Red Deer 32, and lowest figures: Regina 31, being the lowest ngures; but even one degree of frost is not sufficient to damage wheat at all. Like the exaggerated stories of rust damage to Canadian Northwest wheat, the reports are circulated for the sole purpose of bulling the market. Unfortunately these reports receive credence in England.

Ladies Special

We place on sale Saturday lot of ladies \$3 and \$3.50 shoes \$2 48. See West The \$2.98 Men's Special

PEACE

The Bargain Giver.

Seized Stores Train. Buenos Ayres, Aug. 27.—It is now confirmed that the Paraguayan re-volutionists have seized a train con-

taining stores, and which had a num-ber of Government officials on board. NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GIRL WANTED-Good girl for din-ing room, at the Merrill House. Apply at once. FOR SALE CHEAP-Box Stove,

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ly and satisfactorily performed. FOR SALE CHEAP - Very desirable FOR SALE CHEAP — Very desirable property on Queen Street, now occupied by Major Reid, as a grocery store and dwelling, one and one-half story house, south side of Wellington Street, adjoining Dr. Cornell's residence. I have also several choice building lots for sale. Terms easy. For full particulars apply to G. K. Atkinson, Insurance and Real Exercts Agent Fifth Street. Estate Agent, Fifth Street. 1w

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## CHILD KILLED

Pupil of the Ursuline Academy Struck by a Train in

Maud Dowdall, 11 years old, and niece of Mr. Thomas Mulvey, Assistant Provincial Secretary, was this morning struck by a Michigan Central train at Lorne Park station, where she had gone to see her mother off, and was instantly killed. The little girl, who is a daughter of Mrs. Mulvey's sister, has been with her two sisters, staying at Mr. Mulvey's cottage at Lorne Park, prior to returning to the Ursuline Convent at Chatham, which she has been attending. When she reached the station with her mother they stayed on the

with her mother they stayed on the safe side until it was thought the-train was coming. The train Mrs. Dowdall wished to catch was late, nowever, and the one that approached was the Michigan Central, running over the C. P. R., which came along just as the lady and her daughter were about to cross the tracks. The fender of the engine struck the child on the head, but Mrs. Dow lall

Maud Dowdall is the daughter of Mr. R. J. Dowdall, of the Department of the Interior of the State of Washington. Her mother is a sister of Mr. Lancelot Bolster, manager of the Sovereign Bank, Toronto. — Toronto

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By order.

A. E. ROBINSON, Clerk.

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Births, Marriages and Deaths

TOMLINSON-On August 26th, 1904, the wife of Albert Tomlinson, of a son.

## THE LOCAL BUDGET

Miss Gertie Rouse, city, is the guest of Miss Kate Stewart, Harwich. Call up 119, J. Gilbert & Co., for your next order of coal or wod.

Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor returned yesterday from a trip to Dulath.

Christ Church Sunday school will be held to-morrow afternoon at three

Miss Grace Ogle and George Ogle are visiting Miss Grace Jones at Ericau. E. D. Mitton and daughters, of Ridgetown, are spending the day in

Miss L. Dunkley and Miss U. Williams, ofo Toronto, are visiting in

Miss Lillian and Master Gerald Mann on spent yesterday with friends at the Eau.

Miss Delmage, of Palmerston, who has been visiting Mrs. J. C. Fleming, returned home to-day.

Mrs. Jamieson, Eberts' Block, is visiting her son at St. Joseph's Sem-inary, Nottingham, Ohio. Fred, G. Morley has returned to the city, after spending a couple of weeks holidaying at Muskoka.

Engineer A. Haurman, of the steam barge "City of Dresden," has returned from a visit to Collingwood. Mrs. Thos. Ward, Richmond Street, has returned from a three weeks' visit with her son, Lorne Ward, St.

A. E. Jones left this afternoon for Toronto, where he will wire for lighting the Gas Company's fine exhibit at the exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. Westfall and little Thelma are visiting at Owasso, Mich., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Casswell, Selkirk St. Watch out for the yellow tags. Read advt. in this issue for Big Bar-

gains at Gray's China Store. It's wholesome reading and profitable for Melville, the young son of W. Stirling, Harwich, is recovering nicely from the terrible injuries sustained from the kick of a horse.

A large photograveur of J. C. Paterson, the bank clerk who was drowned at Sault St. Marie, appears in to-day's issue of the Toronto News, Mr. Patterson was at one time sta-tioned in the local branch of the

Bank of Commerce. For great Canadian Exhibition Toronto, W. E. Rispin, City Ticket-Agent, 115 King St., will issue return tickets on Aug. 30th to Sept. 5th, at \$3.80 each, and on all other days at \$5.30 each; all good to return until Sept. 13th.

Engineer M. Mannion and wife, of the Pere Marquette Railway, nave returned to their home on Park street, after spending a very pleas-ant vacation in Montreal and Quebec, where they attended the Interna-tional Union meeting of the B. of L. Engineers.

Mrs. Chas. Hicklin and daughters Mrs. Chas. H.ckiin and daughters Grace, Blanche and Marguerite, who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. A. Primeau, returned home to Chat-ham on Wednesday. Miss Linnie Primeau accompanied them and will visit for a few days.—Amherstburg

tons of coal for the Canada Flour Mills Co., ran hard aground at the McKellar farm down the river last night. She was sailing up the river at the time to save tow bill. The tug Vick went down this morning and pulled her off and towed the tons of coal for the Canada Flour and pulled her off and towed the schooner into port. The Homer is in command of Capt. Young and hails

Dr. A. W. Thornton, of the C. C. I. Board, has received a letter from C. B. Sissons, B. A., who was English master in the Collegiate here. Mr. Sissons writes the doctor that he has received official announce-ment of his appointment as Princi-pal of the Revelstoke, B. C., school. Mr. Sissons assumes his duties at a

Briscos' bicycle repairs and livery. \*\*\*\* young Englishman wants a po DR. A. A. HICKS,

Ed. Capman, of this city, is visiting riends in Wyandotte. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taylor have etupned from Duluth.

Miss Grace Jones, of Ericau, is Herb. W. Livingston, of Durham, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. W. A. Gunton, of Wallaceburg, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

Miss Jessie Neville, of Cleveland s visiting Miss Ruby Maggs, Joseph

Fred. Sheldrick returned last even ing from a summer's trip through the Northwest: Hard coal is selling at \$6.50 per ton

in Chatham. This is 50 cents a ton cheaper than last year.

Mrs. Stephen Keiver, of Harwich, is spending two weeks in Windsor and other western points.

Miss Donolly, of Guelph, has succeeded Mr. Gould as ticket agent and operator at the C. P. R. station. F. B. Mowbray, an '05 man at the Toronto University, is spending the day with Dr. Reg. W. Rutherford. day with Dr. Reg. W. Rutherford.
Mrs. W. Garrett, Nellie and Samuel
Hall, of Detroit, Mich., are visiting
Mrs. Walter Thomas, Wellington St.

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Miss Grace Courtney, who has been
the guest of Mrs. W. E. Rispin, King
St. West, leaves on Monday for New
York.

Will Mercer, youngest son of Jailer Robert Mercer, has returned from the Southwestern States and is visiting his parents. Miss Gertrude Somerville, the Maple City's gifted and popular so-

prano, returned this morning from her Eastern holiday trip. The invitation to be happy is extended to us all, but that we may be happy we must be kind.—Schoolmaster.

There are at present 10 persons in jail. This is the largest number of prisoners that has been in that home for incurables in a long time Hector Winter, manager of the Vestern Union Telegraph Co. a Montgomery, Alabama, is the guest of W. W. Scane. Mr. Winters learn ed the telegraph business with Robt

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At a large and enthusiastic meet ing of the Maccabees held last even-ing a number of candidates were initiated and it was decided to give an entertainment to the members of the Order next Friday evening. A good program is being prepared. The regular monthly meeting of the

Assisting Society of the General Hos-pital will be held on Monday after-noon, 29th inst., at the residence of Mrs. Wm. McKenzie, Head Street, at Miss Beulah Bedford, William St.

entertained about 25 friends in honor of her guests, Miss Inez Cowing, Miss Alberta Jones and Master Fred Jones. of Detroit. A very enjoyable time was spent by all present. Mr. and Mrs. Chast Sultzer and

Mr. and Mrs. Chast Suitzer and family, of Detroit, are visiting former friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Suitzer are former Chathamites and Mr. Suitzer is an ex-Maple City freman. They are the guests of Mrs. Shepherd, Dover street.

Dr. A. W. Thornton, of Chatham, here been asked to reproceed Canada.

has been asked to represent Canada at the Dominion Dental Convention to be held at St. Louis this year. The doctor is a thorough Canadian good talker and could uphold the glory of Canada as well as any of the dental fraternity.—Merlin Mirror. At the last meeting of Court Hope,

At the last meeting of Court Hope, of Ontario, No. 6244, A. O. F., it was a success both financially and everybody was pleastons of coal for the Canada Flour and everybody was pleastons of coal for the Canada Flour ed with the trip. ed with the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McCoig, Mr. and Mrs. W. Stone, and Ald. and Mrs. Archie Mc-Stone, and Ald, and Mrs. Archie McCoig spent a very pleasant day yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. Bennett
at the Eau. Ald. Archie was fishing for the most of the time and he
says he caught so many fish that
they couldn't eat all of them so he
packed them away in ice tor next
winter.

Just as he was commencing work in the Seginaw Salt & Lumber Co.'s mill at Sandwich early Monday morn-Mr. Sissons writes the doctor that he has received official announcement of his appointment as Principal of the Revelstoke, B. C., school. Mr. Sissons assumes his duties at an initial salary of \$125 per month. Mr. Sissons made many friends here who are sorry to see him leave. He will be especially missed in church circles.

Mill at Sandwich early Monday morning, Jerry Semand, 14 years of age, fell under a rapidly revolving saw, and had his right arm so badly cut that it was feared he will die from leave. He will be especially missed in church circles.

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Mr. Allen, of Thamesville, spen

Crown Attorney H. D. Smith, acting for William George Cooke, has issued a writ against Alex. Y. Johnsued a writ against Alex. Y. Johnson the return of \$25 cash and a promissory note for \$175, which Cooke alleges were obtained from him by means of threats and dares and without any consideration being given, therefore. The action is one arising out of the recent action brought by William Cooke, father of the plaintiff, against Johnson for reduction, which the latter afterwards settled and then according to the plaintiff and then, according to the plaintiff obtained the money and the note, for which this action is brought.

George McCrae, passed away at Pt.
Lambton this morning. He was very
well known in this city being one
of the oldest members of the McCrae family, whose name is closely associ ated with the history of Kent Co Mr. McCrae was a brother of Mrs. Harry Taylor and a half-brother of Major J. C. Webb's mother. Miss Al-fie McCrae is a daughter. Prior to the advent of the Erie & Huron railroad, Mr. McCrae conducted the stage between Chatham and Dresden and he was, probably, one of the best known of the older residents. In-ternment will take place in Maple Leaf Cemetery.

## SUNDAY CASE IS RESERVED

Battle Between the Coal Hoist Company and Sabbath Day Alliance Inaugurated.

Magistrate Greenwood Reserves Judgment-M. K. Cowan Cites Authorities and Draws Conclusions.

"If you convict and your decision holds good, then the ferry boats be-tween Detroit and Windsor, the rail roads, and all Sunday labor can b stopped," remarked M. K. Cowan, M P., counsel for the Lake Eric Coa The case was tried at Brenheim yesterday before Police Mag.strate Greenwood. R. L. Gosnell, who act-

ed for the Crown, apparently didn't antic pate that the case would be fought, and, when the counsel for the railroad pleaded not guilty and sked that the case be with, the Crown was not prepared to continue. They weren't ready and would have to summon witnesses. Mr. Cowan said that the Coal Company were quite ready to go ahead and were present at considerable ex-pense. Delay meant more expense. If the prosecution desired merely to prove that the boat was unloaded on prove that the boat was unloaded on Sunday the railroad would admit that. They didn't deny it. Superintendent Whitely, who has charge of operations at Erieau, was sworn and he testified that work was done in unloading the coal boat. Mr. Cowan then proved that the Lake Erie Coal Co. and the Pere Marquette railroad were one and the same operating under a Dominion charter. Mr. Leslie, General Manager of the Coal Co., easily furnished this evidence. Mr. Cowan argued that the Dominion Government had absolute control over all criminal laws. He cited a over all criminal laws. He cited a similar case that came up in a town on Lake Huron. The G. T. R. had an elevator there and unloaded boats on Sunday. The case was tried and conviction secured. The railroad appointed of the case was finally taken. to the Privy Council, There the decision of the magistrate was reversed and the costs of trial and appeal assessed against the mag strate. Mr. Cowan asked P. M. Greenwood to note that he had cited this case. Mr. Greenwood did so. He reserved judg-

ment for a week.

Rev. Constable Brown is fighting ment for a week.

Rev. Constable Brown is fighting the Sunday labor at Ericau and this, the Alliance says, is only the beginning of a grand movement for the suppression of profane deeds on the Sabbath. The Sunday fishermen will be careful in the future and have to be careful in the future and refrain from week-day pleasures on

## C. I. OPENING

Many Changes at Chatham's Collegiate-Date of Opening to be Announced Next Week.

It is quite probable that the Collegiate Institute will not open on Thursday next as scheduled, but the following Tuesday (after Labor Day). The postponement is under consideration by reason of the changes and improvements now in course of construction at the Institute. It is estimated that the workmen would have considerable difficulty in completing their contract before the end of next week.

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## ARE THIRSTY

Blenheimites Getting so Dry That Constable Had to Lock Booze

They 35 things differently in Blen ne.m to what they do them in other places, and the Blenheim people rather pride themselves on this dif-terence. They think it rather disinguishes them. Now in most places the cells of the police station are used to confine the finished product of the booze factory. In the town on the hill, though, they have locked up in the cells the raw mater.al.
Ten cases of jag producer were
solemnly locked up in the cells the
week and it was a Blenheim man
who wanted to be locked up with the who wanted to be locked up with the headache maker. He gave great promise of furnishing the real thing in the finished product, but Constable Brown remembering the Golden Rule, objected. When the ale was seized there were four bottles missing. It was thought that a search warrant might be secured and an effort made to locate the bottles. It might, perhaps, have been easier to have located the contents, because Blenheim being a prohibition town a man's being a prohibition town a man's breath could have been taken as circumstantial evidence. If you smell onions on a man's breath you can pretty near swear to it that he has been eating onions, and in the matter of booze the same rule would apply. Two difficulties, however, assailed Two difficulties, however, assalled the search warrant proposition. In the first place it would be an insult to smell a Blenheim man's breath in a search for the cliver of life, and in the second place it would and in the second place it would be highly preposterous to expect anybody, and, least of all, a Blenheim constable to tell the brand of booze used by merely smelling another's breath. For these and several other reasons it was decided to let the four bottles go, but Constable Brown decided to take no chances on the remaining 236 bottles, so to make sure that nothing happened he locked them in the cells at the police station. Now, most everybody in Blen's in smaking a strenuous effort to get locked up.

Rien's is making a strenuous effort to get locked up.

The people of Blenheim must be real anxious for the drink when it is necessary to lock it up in the cells to keep it away from them. During the time of the Scott Act, however, in Wallaceburg the plan of locking the liquor up in the cells was tried but in the morning there wasn't a sign of the booze. It waits to be seen if the liquid refreshment in the Blenheim cooler will depart in the night. It ought to be a good place to keep it—in the cooler.

A CLOSE CALL

and improvements now in course of construction at the Institute. It is estimated that the workmen would have considerable difficulty in completing their contract before the end of next week.

Many changes will be noted at the Maple City's educational seat this year. The whole institution has been reorganized both in its equipment and internal economy. The staff has been enlarged and consequently strengthened and prospects for an exceptionally successful year are bright. When interviewed by The Planet this morning Principal Twohey said the Board had not yet decided upon the date of opening, but that the same would be definitely announced in the press early next week.

FURNITURE FACTORY BURNED.

Total Destruction of Waterloo's Largest Industry.

Waterloo, Aug. 27.—The large four-storey bri.k furniture factory, the largest factory in Waterloo, con-trolled by the Canada Furniture Syn-dicate, was completely destroyed by fire yesterday morning. The fire ori-ginated through the factory fireman, Fred Buchholtz, while oiling the ele-vator machinery with the aid of a lighted candle, which in some man-ner ignited some waste, and the draft carried the flames up the ele-vator shaft. In a very short space draft carried the flames up the elevator shaft. In a very short space of time the whole interior of the immense factory was in flames. The Berlin brigade was telephoned for to assist the local brigade, and arrived in time to prevent the fire spreading south to Bauer's Shoddy Mill and Warehouse.

The roofs of residences and buildings for two blocks on the south side

ings for two blocks on the south side were repeatedly ignited from sparks carried that way by a high wind, but bucket brigades prevented any property loss. Luckily the wind blew from the north and west, thus great-

ly aiding the fire-fighters.
Eighty-five employees are thrown out of employment, of whom fifty-five worked at the manufacture of five worked at the manufacture of frames, which supplied the upholstering factory. The loss on building, machinery and stock will probably reach \$125,000. The insurance on factories and contents was covered by a blanket insurance policy in about twenty American and Canadian companies. Local insurance men place the amount of insurance on the two factories at \$68,000.

Staples Hotel Burned,

Comber, Aug. 27.—The Staples Hotel, together with contents, barns and other out buildings, were destroyed by fire Thursday night between 11 and 12 o'clock. The hotel was occupied by A. and D. Chonvin, who recently rented it from A. Gagwas occupied by A. and D. Cholvin, who recently rented it from A. Gagnier. The loss will exceed \$5,000, insurance \$2,000. Staples is six miles from Comber on the Leamington branch of the M.C.R. This is the second fire this week.

Saw Mill Burned planing mill and a large amount of lumber belonging to William Mus-tard, was burned here yesterday morning. Loss heavy No insurance. Bayfield, Aug

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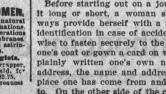
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Woman Who Discovers Stars and Does Other Scientific Work. The only woman who has ever received an official appointment from the Harvard University corporation, is Mrs. Williamina P. Fleming, the astronomer. Beginning as a copyist for one of the observatory professors, she soon undertook the simpler computations and at once showed that she possessed the rare and peculiar mental faculties necessary for scientific research, says a writer in Modern Women. It was not long before her gifts in this direction gained recognition, and ultimately she was appointed curator of the fa-



MRS. WILLIAMINA P. FLEMING

observatory, the only one of its kind in the world. Here, in the course of examining photographic plates, over 1,000,000 of which have come under her special observation, Mrs. Fleming has discovered a great number of variable stars and confirmed the discovery of several new ones. During the last fifteen years nine new stars have been discovered, and of these six were discovered by her. It is due to her effort that the number of known stars whose spectrum is of the third type has been increased from 1,000 to 3,000 while the number of the rare class of fifth type stars has been raised from six teen to fifty-seven. In addition to various other celestial achievements she has the honor of being the first discoverer of the planetary nebulae by means of photography. Besides looking after all the routine work done by her assistants Mrs. Fleming helps to edit the annals of the observatory and finds time now and then to contribute articles to astronomical journals.

## Childlike Innocence.

She presided at her husband's table marvel of prettiness and feminine charm. The men were indulging in racation talk, and one told the usual story of an enormous aquatic denizer which he had only landed after hours of patient "playing," even then having sustained damage to his tackle.

"But," queried the attractive young hostess, with the most serious and wide eyed innocence, "when you were sure that you had the fish on the line why didn't you just pull him in right away? I should think that would be easier that letting him race around so long in the water."

An outburst of laughter succeeded, of But very kind glances were thrown at the little woman as the fish-ermen explained to her the impracticability of her plan. All the women chimed in to show their superior knowledge, and thus she gained immense

popularity on the spot.

Why do people puzzle so over the diminished marriage rate when the rea-son thereof is so plain? This type of woman-she who asks with the pretti est innocence all sorts of unthinking questions—is getting scarcer all the time, and yet she is the adored of masculine hearts the world over. Juliet was a woman like this, or there would never have been a Romeo.

In the meekest manner possible she achieves the sincerest flattery. It makes the average man feel so old and wise when he takes the maiden of his heart out boating and has to explain to her that rowing "front ways" is not usual, for the simple reason that it is harder to push the oars through the water than to pull them. He smiles at her n, of course, but tenderly, indulgently, with a pleasant warmth at the heart. Dear little girl! How she will follow him as her guide and bow to him as her superior in years to come! Perhaps.

Does this type of the femini 1e realize the effectiveness of childlike irresponsibility? Perhaps she does and is wiser in her generation than her sisters who pride themselves on being fully informed on all points. After all, her victories are not all over proud man. Children are always fond of her because they can surprise her with bits of information, and she says "Really?" with such a genuine accent as to delight their hearts.-Philadelphia Ledger.

A Card of Identification,

Before starting out on a journey, be it long or short, a woman should al-ways provide herself with a means of identification in case of accident. It is wise to fasten securely to the inside of one's coat or gown a card on which are plainly written one's own name and address, the name and address of the place one has come from and is going chloroform will look o. On the other gide of the card have bright as when new.

the name and address of some person to whom a message could be sent if necessary. This simple means of identification is within the reach of the porest traveler and may save friends or relatives much expense and worry. Then the thought of being carried away to the hospital or morgue without the knowledge of friends should be sufficiently horrible to every woman to make her think up some means of avoiding such a calamity. Sensible wo men do not even go on a shopping trip

without an identification card fastened securely to the inside of the bodice. It is well also when traveling to paste to the lining of a purse, handbag satchel and suit case a card with one's things get lost one stands a chance of ecovering it and if any be stolen the thief may be moved to return it for : reward .- New York Tribut

Study of Domestic Science. Regarding domestic science as a proion, Anna Barrows, writing in the Chautauquan, says that the youn woman of average ability and cluch tion who has taken two years of special training in the arts and sciences un derlying the routine of dally life of a household, large or small, who does not expect a position made to suit her, but who is ready to cope with difficulties, will find the world waiting for her help in several directions. She may teach domestic science in public or private schools or lecture before wom en's clubs. She may direct the dietarles and feed large numbers of persons in hospitals and schools or send into other nomes food prepared under her own roof. It is doubtful whether there are any occupations in the world which are so certain to be lasting as those that deal with our daily food.

Woman as a Worshiper.

Dr. Lyman Abbott says that today he tourist is shown in the cathedral at Durham, England, a cross set in the stone floor a comparatively little way up the nave from the entrance and is told that it was once the boundary line beyond which women worshipers must not pass. They were kept, as a sort of secondary class of humanity, at a distance from the chancel and the altar. ashions in religious thought and observance change as in everything else. Then women were not believed to be high enough in the social scale to worship with their husbands, sons and fathers. Now they worship as proxies for the masculine portion of the community.—World's Work.

Disheloths.

The dishcloth in many homes is a preeding place for microbes and contains more disease germs than almost anything else of the same size. Cheese cloth bags, in which salt and sugar ome, make good dishcloths. It is a good plan to have two sets for constant They should be thoroughly washed every morning in hot water, to which has been added ammonia, soda or washing powder, then rinsed and hung in the air to dry. Use them on alternate days. Besides, it is well to rinse them each time after using and boil them once a week. If they acquire an odor, burn them.

Table Mat of Felt.

A mat for a table is made of white felt about eight inches square. At each orner are fastened three leaves of white felt, in contour like medium zed manle leaves. Each leaf is veined ith brownish olive floss, and the three re fastened to the corners of the uare by a small yellow satin bow. he leaves are put on the felt, one pointing out from the point of the square and one on each side of the leaf hus in place. This felt cover makes very good lamp mat.

A bedroom need not resemble a hospital ward, but it should contain nothing that cannot be easily and immediately removed, beaten or washed, as the case may be. Curtains should not be banished, but they should be periodically removed and cleaned. Carpets are unnecessary, as rugs are so much nore easily cleansed. The walls should not be covered with any woven material, but paper is perfectly permissible.

Woman is the real economic distributer. The millionaire manufacturer imagines that he himself runs his business. Oh, no. It is run by farmers' wives. When they do not care for yarn or calico, his looms stand idle for a year. The vast machinery of the world turns on woman's little word, "I want." Hence the education of women should nclude this factor, the desire to want the right things.

Dark Houses.
A dark house is almost always unhealthy, always an ill aired house. Want of light stops growth and promotes scrofula, rickets, consumption, etc., especially among children. People lose their health in a dark house, and if they get ill they cannot get well

The jealous woman demands her hus him ever after. The tactful woman demands nothing and gets far more than the other.-Baltimore American.

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Men Who Burn Money.

"There are not many i.en who smoke cigars at \$2 each," said the cigar man in a downtown restaurant much patronized by customers who do not have to worry about the cost of their luncheon, "but we have to keep them in stock. When they are called for, it is usually by a couple of old thums who are lunching together after a long parting who are feeling good and who want a heavy smoke after a liberal meal. As a matter of fact, most men think they are burning money when they pay \$1 for a cigar. Sixty cents for one cigar and from that down to three for 50 cents is considered about the right thing. We sell a good many cigars at 35 cents each of three for \$1. In fact, they are the standard thing in high priced cigars. Occasionally a customer will buy a box of two dollar cigars or even more expensive than that for a birthday present or to send to some friend going to Europe. These cigars are made only by skilled workmen and represent the highest perfection in cigar making."

A Full Menagerie of Names. A story is told of a Cherokee woman who married six times and never got out of the animal line. When she a girl she was known as Miss Mollie Panther. She married an Indian named Coon, and when that gentleman was transferred to the happy hunting ground she soon became Mrs. Fox. The Fox did not last always, and when he entered the last chase the widow married a mild, placid man named Mule, who never had any kick coming till he harnessed up to draw his load across the great divide. After a period of mourning the widow again entered the realms of matrimonial bliss and became Mrs. Wolf, and when his scalp went to the Great Father, along with his corporeal remains, she became the wife of a man named Tiger, and when Mr. Tiger changed his stripes for a pretty white robe in the great beyond she selected another husband of the

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## THE WHIPPING OF CREAM How to Make a Light Fluffy Whip and a Heavy or Solid One.

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To whip cream so as to produce a light froth, turn the cream into a bowl and stand the bowl in a pan of cold or iced water; if it seems quite thick pour in a little milk. Have ready also a sieve, over which is loosely laid a piece of cheesecloth-place this on a soup plate or in another bowl. The whip or churn used is a long tin cylinder pierced round the lower end with holes and containing a dasher, which may or may not be perforated. Place this in the cream so that the lower end touch es the bottom of the bowl, slant it a little and work the dasher up and down with short, quick strokes. In a moment bubbles will begin to rise. Stir the first under; then, when the froth rises in a uniform manner, skim it off with a spoon and lay it in the covered sieve. Continue to do this until no more froth will rise, returning to the bowl the liquid which has drained from the whip.

To whip heavy cream the same whip or churn may be used, or the cream may be placed in a small tin churn with wire paddles and a crank; if very thick, an egg beater will be sufficient. Whip slowly but steadily, stirring down the froth as it rises, until the cream thickens uniformly to such an extent that it can almost be cut with a knife. With cream of such body it is very necessary that the whipping should not be continued for a stroke more than is necessary or the novice may find that she has changed her desired whip to a fine lump of butter. It is for this reason that care must aiways be taken to have the cream as thoroughly chilled as possible before whipping, and in summer it is usually aesirable to stand the bowl in a pan of cracked ice or iced water.-Table

BATHING DRESS.

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Practical Models. Bathing suits are now as smart in heir way as other garments. One here shown is distinguished by a tasteful embroidery across the front of the blouse which closes in the deftest manner along the left shoulder and under the arm. This is throughout one of



BATHING DRESSES. the very daintiest models possible, in a particularly fine cream serge, embroidered and braided in pale blue, and

white. Quite a new face has been put upon an old friend in the model of a neat navy blue suit. The blouse pouches a little, and the fancifully snaped sailor collar, together with the hem of the tunic and sleeves, is effectively ornamented with white washing

Fashion Echoes.
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<del>ૡૺ૱ૺ૱ૺ૱ૺઌૺઌ૱ૺ૱ૺ૱ૺઌૺઌ૱૱૱૱ૺ૽</del> Jemmy was explaining to Amelia: "This is the way you make a hortus siccus: You get a big book with no printin' in it, and then paste it full of weeds and flowers and grass and little bits of bushes, but you have to dry, dry, dry 'em. Siccus is Latin for just as dry as a bone."

"I wonder could we put in Benjamir Byram, Esq.?" Bess speculated plaintively. "Heaven knows he's dry enough just as he stands. Then think of the relief if he was once where you could shut him up and off at will."
Prue giggled outright. "He does talk thirteen to the dozen," she said. "But who wouldn't, with all his chances? Nature made him a fool of the first water, and fate chipped in by giving him a fortune and a doting family

"Benjamin the Blatant, Tom Rodman calls him," Bess began, still plaintive. Jemmy came charging at her, with Amelia hot upon his heels, and shouting: "You hush, Aunty Bess! You wanter lose me my pony! Mister Byram says he'll give me a Shetland if I don't let nobody say a word against him in this house."

"I b'leeve he wants Jem to fight with Mister Tom Rodman," Amelia interrupted sagely, her head the least bit aside. "And I ain't goin' to help him there," she added pointedly, " Mister Tom says I'm his sweetheart, He's goin' to wait for me to grow up. He thinks I'm a heap prettier'n Aunty

Bess right now,"
"How about me?" Prue asked, giggiling more than ever. Amelia looked reflectively, but Jemmy stuck his hands in his pockets, set his feet far apart and said, sticking out his chin after the manner of his model, Benjamin Byram, "Why, Prudy, you know nobody will ever look at you so long as

Aunty Bess and Melia are around." "Won't they, indeed?" Prue queried, drawing down the corners of her mouth meekly, although her eyes twin-kled. Jemmy swung on his heel, saying magisterially: "Course not. Why, you're all freckled same as a turkey egg and haven't hardly got meat enough to wrap up your long bones."

"Upon my soul! Say, Miss Prue, shall I take him out and drown him?" Tom Rodman asked, coming through the door as he spoke. But Jemmy only grinned at him-Jemmy was nine and Rrue eighteen. They were the best of comrades, despite his brutal frankness. Prue made a dash at him, stood him upon his head, then swung him by an arm and a leg, chanting:

"Here he goes! Fingers and toes! Up the chimney when the wind blows!" ending in a feint of flinging Jemmy upon the open fire. Amelia improved the opportunity to pull her brother's hair until he howled. They were twins and pretty badly spoiled, as was but natural, since they had grown up motherless in their grandfather's house

"I'll swing you by your legs, Prudy, when I'm a man. You see if I don't," Jemmy said, trying to scowl, but grinning in spite of himself. Tom Rodman picked the boy up and flung him across his shoulder, saying gravely: "I hate to do it, but there's nothing else for it. Jenmy, I've been telling you this ever so long I'd carry you to the gypsies if you did not behave better. Stop wriggling. You can't get away. But I'll let you kiss Melia and the

others goodby. Be quick! You won't ever see them again." "Kiss 'em all yourself. That's what you're after," Jemmy, the astute, piped huskily as Tom carried him close to Aunty Bess. His arms were free. Impishly he laid hold of the two heads and yanked them together, locking his arms behind the two necks and hold-ing them tight, laughing uproariously all the while. Tom was a gallant fellow. He could do no less than this Bess, if all his heart did belong to sweet Miss Prue. And just as he kissed her who should come in to them but Mr. Byram, the rich distant cousin,

who had been for three weeks a guest at Fairlaw. Mr. Byrant had come there exploring. He felt the need of a wife rather than the want of one. Bess, who was tall and twenty and the very moral of gra-cious stateliness when she chose to be, had captivated him out of hand. He would have proposed to her the second day of his visit, never doubting what answer she would make, but that his sense of propriety forbade. Besides, it would not do to dazzle her too suddenly. He must let the great prospects break gently upon her as dawn broke over the world. So he had been nobly Impartial in his devoirs, so much so he had twinges of conscience whenever he thought of Prue. She was hardly more than a schoolgirl, to be sure, but quite mature enough to break her heart over loss of him if she once let herself seri-busly believe she had a chance of being

Mrs. Byram.
Of Tom Rodman he had taken no more account than to set him down as an impertinent puppy, with a knack of coming in at all hours, especially when Mr. Byram least expected or wanted him. To discover him kissing Bess in the face of everybody made Benjamin the Blatant simply furious. All the more furious that Jemmy cried out gleefully; "Mister Byram! Mister Byram! Come help me hold 'em! They tried to skeer me, but I'm beatin' 'em

at their own game!" "Let loose, you little varmint! Shut up!" Tom commanded. Prue made a dash at the tangle and deftly untwined Jemmy's fingers, letting Bess escape. Mr. Byram stood speechless in wrath and amazement until Amelia, sidling up to him, slid her hand within his and said, with the least toss of the head: "They ain't behavin' ugly. Mister Tom will be Aunty Bess' nephew when he marries me, and the Fairlies always kiss their kinfolk, if they ain't too far off and great big stuffs into the bargain. Prue and Aunty Bess said so the first night you came."

VARALUM ALLANDED

"Indeed!" Mr. Byram exploded.
"With my coming, I suppose, for a text. Well, young ladies, I see in all this the hand of Providence. A just and ever watchful God would not permit me to fall victim to your mercenary designs. No doubt you were tempted by my wealth and position, although you are so wholly incapable of appre-

ciating a man of my character"—
"Kindly come outside with me before you say any more." Tom Rodman interrupted, setting Jemmy down with a thump and putting himself in front of Bess, who had grown very white and had eyes of scorching flame. Prue, contrarywise, had flushed so scarlet it hid all her freckles. Tom reached a hand to her and drew her toward him, while he went on steadily: "Your talk needs a man to hear and answer it. I'm that man. Bess and Prue have no brother, and Mr. Fairlie is past fighting age. But Prue belongs to me, and that gives me the right to stand up for 'em So you come along! We'll settle this the minute we strike the turnpike and neutral ground."
"Hush, Tom! Remember he's our

guest?" Bess pleaded. Prue gave her sweetheart a roguish and heavenly smile. Amelia looked fit to cry over the toppling of her air castle, but Jemmy turned a handspring by way of showing his joy in the "melley." As he came up standing, he stepped in front of Byram, swelled out his chest and said stoutly:

"Don't you try no crawfish games! You know you wanted to marry Aunty Bess! You told me so and said I must court her for you. I ain't very big, but if you try to go back on her I'll let you know I can shoot my little gun, and that's more than you can do. won't have a regular duel, like grandtells about. Let's try a buttin' match instead, and if I butt you over, like David did Goliath, you'll propose to Aunty Bess same as ever and gimme that Shetland you've been talkin'

"Ladies and gentlemen, goodby," Mr. Byram began in his most ceremonious voice. He got no further. Jemmy went at him like a catapult and bowled him down and out of the door, only stopping when his enemy lay prostrate upon the hall threshold. There the grownups came to the rescue and so managed it that Mr. Byram went off an hour later, somewhat bruised in his person and self esteem, but as to his outer man whole and speckless. When the carriage rolled away with him Toin Rodman drew a long breath and said as he tossed a foreign letter to Bess: "Your sweetheart is coming home by the next steamer. Had a cable this morning. You see, I have been writing him things. He will agree with me and the late Byram that in all this there is unmistakably the hand of

Talent Promptly Recognized. The businesslike young man approached the man at the desk.

"I'll ask only a minute of your time," he said. "I want to know if you wouldn't like to subscribe for a copy of this book. I've sold 150 of 'em in this building in the last three days." The man at the desk took the book and looked at it. He noted its utter

worthlessness from a literary point of view, its tawdry binding and the cheapness of the paper on which it was printed. Then he said:

"Young man, do you mean to tell me seriously that you have sold 150 copies of that book in this one building?" "Yes, sir. Here's my order book. You can look at the signatures yourself.

Every one of them is genuine." "I see. Young fellow, I don't know how much you are making out of this business, but I'll give you twice as much, whatever it is, if you'll take hold of a patent nose ring I was fool enough to drop a lot of money in a few years ago and help me to dispose of a stock of 2,000 dozen of 'em I've still got on hand."-Chicago Tribune.

Ivory Carving In China and Japan. In China and Japan ivory has been carved, the ivory balls inclosed inside one another being specially noted. Many theories have been formed as to how these balls have been cut. Per-haps a probable one is that a ball of ivory was taken, around the upper and lower ends of which four small holes were carved out, gradually diminishing in size toward the center until the axis of the one hole met the axis of other or lower one at sight angles in the center of the ball and that then small tools were inserted and a thin

## ANUTHER VUICE UN THE PRAIRIES

Tells of Diabetes Cured by Lodd's Kidney Pills.

W. G. Bartleman Could Get No Re-lief Till He Tried the Great Cana-dian Kidney Remedy.

Wapella, Assa., N. W. T., Aug. 22.
—(Special).—This thriving town furnishes one of the most remarkable cures of Kidney Disease that has ever been reported on the prairies. Mr. Wm. G. Bartleman, a well-known farmer, is the man cured, and he makes the following statement:

"I had Kidney Trouble and it developed into Diabetes. I went to the doctor but his treatment was of no use whatever to me. I began to take

doctor but his treatment was of no use whatever to me. I began to take Dodd's Kidney Pills in December, 1902. I took them all winter and summer while I was unable to work my farm. I took twelve boxes in all and in August I was able to work.

"Now I am quite strong. I worked all winter without pains in my back or any part of my body. Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me."

If the "Iney Disease is of long stands was take time to cure it. But Dear's Kidney Pills will do it.

Registered Mail Vardshed.

Fort Frances, Aug. 26.—Another loss is reported in the registered mail. This time it is between Fort Frances postoffice and Mine Centre. A few days ago two packages, one containing currents. A few days ago two packages, one containing currency and the other a watch, were forwarded by registered mail to Mine Centre. The registered articles never reached Mine Centre. The matter is being investigated.

Quebec, Que., Aug. 26.—Superintendent Nash of the Royal Engineers, accompanied by L. J. Mathieu, superintendent of military works in this city, were at Deaumont yesterday surveying the ground for the proposed fort to be rected by the Militia Department.

DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED

by local applic tions, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eu tachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling found or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this fate rests in his wife's hands. It ness is the result, and unless the flammation can be taken out and this flammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are causaded by Catarrh, which is nothing tut luck always has been against him, that she told him he would fail, and she knows he never can succeed, that is sealed.

for any case of Daafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure: Sand for circu-

F. J. CHENEY & CO.,

Sold by druggists, 75c.
Take Balls 7 Take Hall's Family Pills for con to

Beat Child Till Blood Came.

Whitby, Aug. 26.—George Johnson, of the Township of Reach, a widower and the father of six little children, received his trial here Wednesday at the County Judge's Criminal Court, on the charge of inflicting bodily harm on his little boy, aged 12. The boy, who is an under-sized, delicate looking little fellow, still bears the marks of the fearful beating given him over a week ago. The unnatural father gave as an excuse that he did not think he was hitting him so hard until he saw the blood come. He used a clothes-line to flog the little fellow with. Judge McCrimmon found Johnson guilty and re-manded him for sentence until homes are found for the children. Feeling is very bitter towards the prisoner.

IS YOUR BREATH BAD?

Bad breath is one of the early symptoms of catarrh which should be checked at once and not allowed to run into consumptions. The surto run into consumptions. The surest cure is fragrant healing Catarrhozone which cures catarrh by removing its cause. No case is too chronic
—even the most stubborn yield in a
short time to the balsamic vapor of
Catarrhozone. It makes cures that
last, for once cured by Catarrhozone
you stay cured. Catarrhozone is
pleasant, convenient and safe to use,
relieves almost instantly and is querrelieves almost instantly and is guaranteed to cure every type of catarrh, bronchitis and asthma. Use only Catarrhozone, complete outfit, \$1.00; sample size 25c.

Canada's Trade Returns Ottawa, Aug. 26.—Complete trade returns for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1904, have just been com-

TRAP LANTERNS

Entomologists and experiment station authorities have recently gone to considerable pains to find out if there is really any vitrue in traplanterns and so-called "moth-catch-"

ers."
The results of the experiments as a whole were not favorable to the traplanterns. The results did not indicate that their general use as applying to all insects is advisable, though in a few cases they were found highly serviceable.

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Dr. L. M. Steadman, of Missouri university, who has recently been experimenting along this line, reports that he found tin mirrors, glass and wire-netting wings equally efficient in catching insects in the lantern.

The experiments of Dr. Steadman were almost entirely with orchard pests, and to ascertain what advantage trap lanterns may be to fruit growers. The results of his work, as a whole did not indicate that trap lanterns are advisable for general use in orchards:

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M. V. Slingerland, of the Cornell M. V. Slingerland, of the Cornell university experiment station has perhaps devoted more time to testing trap lanterns and "moth catchers" than any other authority in this country in recent years. Of the general conclusions which he reached he says.

"Many kinds of insects are most "Many kinds of insects are most active at night, and are then often attracted to any light, but there are hosts of insects that fly mostly in the daytime. A trap may attract and kill 10,000 or 20,000 insects in a season, but most of the household pests, most of the fruit growers' insect enemies, and nearly all of the serious pests of the gardener or general grower of field crops, cannot be caught in numbers with trap lanterns.

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"Trap lanterns may prove useful under certain conditions; where some light-living insect becomes a pest in greenhouses, or possibly in the case of some local pest, whose period of flight is sharply defined and of short duration. No one, however, has yet conclusively shown that any insect pest cannot be more elf30 ively and cheaply combated in some other way than ly combated in some other way than by the use of 'moth catchers' or trap lanterns,"—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

WHAT A WIFE MUST BE.

You are aware that no woman can make good for her husband's deficien-cies. The best wife in the world can-

man's doom is sealed.

Ch he o herh n', if the go sahead hopefully, atways beckoning him on, telling him she knows he can overcome all obstacles, steadily showing her faith in him, and refusing to give it up, she will inspire him with the ourage and determ nation which will

eventually win success.

Another way in which she can help him is by taking an interest in his business. Whether he sells salt herring or writes sonnets, she ought to make him feel it a pleasure to talk to her about what he has been doing. She may know little about his occupation, but if she is sensibly interest-ed her intuitions will be Ilashes of genius by which any man might pro-

A man's business is closer to his

A man's business is closer to his heart than anything else; and it is a foolish woman indeed who does not see the benefits both may derive from comradeship on that score.

Then a woman may be of invaluable assistance to her husband by making friends for him, or she can do him incalculable harm by making enemies. She can selfishly tie him up to her apron strings, or she can urge him out among people who can help him out among people who can help

him.

Above all other ways, she can prosper his career by keeping home comfortable for him. It is strange how many women fail to realize that a home is the power-house in which the wage-carners of the family should gather energy to fight and win the battle of life.

Every fireside ought to be a haven of peace where inded never how he

of peace, where jaded nerves may be soothed and restored. If the woman who is happily married chooses to ex-haust her husband's strength on fooiish household tasks, slay him with bad cooking, and otherwise give him a hit-or-miss home life, she is de-liberately pulling him down into ob-

If she builds him up with proper foods, sends him out cheered and rest-ed and restored, with faith in him-self and in her, she is pushing him straight on to success.—Weekly Wel-

BEST SELLING BOOK IN THE WORLD.

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Mr. Gamey at Shelburne.

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\$50.00 . TO CALIFORNIA AND RETURN.

TURN.

Via the Chicago, Union Pacific and North Western Line, from Chicago, August 15th to Sept. 10th. Choice of routes going and returning. Correspondingly low rates from all points in Canada. Two trains a day from Ohicago through without change. Daily and personally conducted tourist and full pasticulars regarding special work, and if we happen to find that are leaving Chicago, Aug. 18th and 25th.

How Lenses Are Made

When a popular camera was first When a popular camera was first under consideration it become necessary to secure a good lens at a popular price. This was possible only by the devising and making of special machinery and tools, and by buying the raw glass and manufacturing in large quantities. Hens glass, as all the world knows, or will after this story is published, is made principally in Germany, France and England. Brought to the manufacturer in small slabs it is cut by revolving saws into the different sizes and then subjected to a series of grindings and polishings that must eventually enable the tester to fit the kns over an absolute form of the shape and size required, so perfect that a deviation of one two-millionth of an inch is instantly detected. The cement used for building unlesse free detected. The cement used for building up lenses from single glasses is preparation so deficate that it car preparation so deficate that it can-not alter this perfection. The mak-ing of lenses for photographic work has now become an immense industry, and in many cases the suutters are also made in conjunction. Highest skill is employed to perfect this first requisite of the apparatus; but care skill is employed to perfect this first requisite of the apparatus; but careful as these makers are to prove their work, the lenses are also always thoroughly tested by the camera experts. This does not mean that they are subjected to anything like the different tests the amateur will apply later on; but they are ascertained to be of correct finish, focus and mount, and the focal scale is tested by objects at the stated distances; the finder is brought into alignment, and then the camera needs only the final touching up of rubbed spots to be ready for the market.—Outing.

The cheap excursions to St. Louis The cheap excursions to St. Louis Fair still continue, and now is the time for people intending to visit this Fair, to do so, Mr. W. E. Rispin City Ticket Agent, Grand Trunk and Wabash Railways, advises us that he sells coach excursion tickets on Tuesdays and Thursdays good to return days and Thursdays good to return with seven days at \$11.15 each, fifteen day tickets good to leave any time, at \$15 each, and sixty day tickets at \$19.35 each, and will be pleased to give all intending passengers full information.

I was cured of Acute Bronchitis by MINARD'S LINIMENT. J. M. CAMPBELL. Bay of Islands.

I was cured of Facial Neuralgia by MINARD'S LINIMENT. WM. DANIELS, Springhill, N. S.

I was cured of Chronic Rheuma-ism by MINARD'S LINIMENT. Albert Co., N. B.

\$10-The Last Atlantic City Excursion for \$10 this Season.

\$10-The last Atlantic City \$10 excursion for \$10 this season, Friday, September 2nd, via Lehigh Valley Railroad from Suspension Bridge. Tickets good 15 days, good for step-over at Philadelphia; don't miss it; just the time to visit Atlantic City. Tickets good on all regular trains, including Black Diamond Express. For further particulars call on or ad-dress Robert S. Lewis, Passenger Agent, 10 King Street East, Toronto.

SETTLERS LOW RATES WEST.

Via the Chicago and North Western Ry., every day from Sept. 15th to Oct. 15th, settlers' one way secondclass tickets at very low rates, from Chicago, to points in Utah, Montana, Nevada, Idaho, Oregon, Washington, California, also to Victoria, Vancouv-er, New Westminster, Rossland and other points in the Kootenay Dis-trict. Correspondingly, Jones Jones triet. Correspondingly low rates from all points in Canada. Full par-ticulars from nearest ticket agent or B. H. Bennett, General Agent, 2 King St. East, Toronto, Ont.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

STRAYED.

STRAYED-Chestnut mare, two 2year-old colts, and one light bay yearling cott came to my premises, Barr Farm, River Road, Raleigh, on or about Wednesday, August 17. Owner is requested to call, prove property, or they will be sold as the law directs, Monday, Sept. 12. Wm. Sangster, Chatham P. O.

TRAYED-Iwo Scotch Collies from Cornhill's brick yard, near the waterworks, on Saturday last, both about six months old, one black and white and the other a light and white and the other a light yellow. Rewards will be paid for at Cornhill's brick yard or at The Planet Office, for their return o-for information that will lead to for information their recovery.



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A GENTS WANTED - \$2.50 day. Address Coo WANTED-Good girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. J. W. Bedford, over Kenny's book store.

WANTED-A young lady with tailor-ing experience. Thornton & Doug-las, Limited.

WANTED-A smart boy to learn the clothing and gent's furnishing business. Thornton & Douglas,

WANTED — Men wanted to learn barber trade; only eight weeks required by our system of constant practice; tools furnished; diplomas given. Full tuition \$25. Call or write. Detroit Barber College, 21 Roland Street, Detroit, Mich.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT. FENCE FOR SALE-In good state of

preservation. Apply to Thomas Scullard, Victoria Avenue. HOUSE FOR SALE-On Grant street, For particulars apply to The Scullard, or at this office.

TO RENT-House on King street west, nine rooms, gas, electricallight, water, bath, etc., with or without stable. Enquire at Planet Office.

HOUSES FOR SALE — A house one Grant St., and house and lot on Vio-toria Ave. For particulars apply to Thomas Soullard, Victoria Block,

FOR SALE OR RENT - House on Raleigh Street, all modern conven-iences, with stable. Apply to John Piggott & Sons, Lumber Dealers,

FARM FOR SALE — 200 acre farm for sale, six miles from Chatham, in Harwich, in first-class condition, possession, immediately. Apply to A. H. Patterson, hardware chant, Chatham.

FARM TO RENT — A good farm to rent, all convenient buildings necessary; well drained and plenty of water; close to store and post office and railway station; good neighborhood all round. For particulars apply to John Holwell neighborhood all round. For particulars apply to John Holwell, Grant Street, North Chatham.

Grant Street, North Chatham.

FARM FOR SALLY—North east half of lot 16, Front concession, Township of Harwich, 133 acres. All cleared, clay loam, two good sized frame houses. Large frame barased cattle shed; stable and drivebarn combined; granaary and implement house. Buildings all in good repair; about five acres of crchard; artesian well, windmill and pump; three other wells. Price \$8,000.00. Apply on the premises to Mrs. John J. Walrath, or to W. F. Smith, barrister and solicitor, Chatham, Ont.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

### Tenders Wanted

Sealed, bulk or separate tenders, addressed to W. M. Druder, will be received at the office of the underreceived at the office of the undersigned until Thursday, September 1, for the masonary and stone work, plastering, painting, and glazing, plumbing, heating and slate roofing, required in the erection of a brick and stone residence on Wellington St.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accented.

ly accepted. T. A. M. PIPER, Architect,

King Street, Chatham, Ont.

To Contractors Bulk, and separate tenders will be eceived at the offices of Drs. Hall & Bell, Sixth Street, up till 7 p. m., Thursday, Sept. 1st, 1904, for all Thursday, Sept. 1st, 1904, for all branches of works required to complete proposed additions and alterations to Hotel Sanita, William Street,

Chatham, Ont.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Plans, specifications and details to be seen at the off of the undersigned architects,

JAS. L. WILSON & SON. Architects.

Directors — W. R. Hall, M. D., President; W. W. Scane, Esq., Sec-retary; Chas. Hadley, Esq., Treas.; W. D. Sheldon, Esq., and W. Wither-spoon. Esq. TENDERS

For Asphalt Block Pavement Tenders will be received by the un-Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to the hour of 8 o'clock p. m. on Monday, the 29th day, of August, 1904, for the construction of an Asphalt Block Pavement on a Converte Bed with combined Concrete. Curb and Gutters and Sand Cushion (to be in width 21 feet over all) on Murray street, from William street to Princess street, in the City of Chatham, according to plans and specifications, to be seen up the City Francisco cifications, to be seen in the City Engineer's Office in said city.

Tenders must be accompanied by a marked check for 10 per cent. of the amount tenderal

mount tendered The contractor to furnish material of every description.

The lowest or any tender not nec-

ssarily accepted.

W. G. MERRITT Dated Aug. 23rd, 1904.

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Offerings ..... FOR THE

nend rules governing the selection

games played yesterday.

BASEBALL

DUTTON VS. RIDGETOWN.

Dutton, Ont., Aug. 26.—The Ridge-town baseball team was defeated by the locals in a one-sided contest on the abletic grounds here this after-

HOTEL BURNED

other outbuildings, were destroyed by

Messrs. A. and D. Chauvin, who re-

cently rented it from Mr. A. Gagnier.

The loss will exceed \$5,000; msurance, \$2,000. Staples is about six miles from Comber, on the Learnington branch of the M. C. R. This is the second visit of fire it has nad this

## LAST SATURDAY IN AUGUST

Summ r goods have been reduced to mere trifles of their original cost, and wise buyers should tak advantage of these exceptional offerings, for we are told there is plenty of warm weather ahead of us."

WHIFE LAWN WAISTS at \$1.00. Your choice of \$2.25, \$2,75, \$2 85 and \$3000.

WHITE LAWN WAISTS, sizes 32 and 34. at each, \$1.00. 100 and 12½c Prints on Jaturday at 60

The pile is fast dwindling down. This is the greatest opportunity you'll have in some time to buy such Prints at a fraction of the cost. 250 to 50c. Br wn Dress Goods at 250

Many have taken advantage of this sale to have a new shirtwaist suit and school dresses. All wool Brown Dress Fabrics, 42 to 46 in. wide, regular at per yd, 25c. up to 50c. on sale at per yd, 25c 45c White Vestings Saturday at 25c.; 30c. White Vestings with colored stripes, Saturday at 25c.

## WM. FOREMAN & CO.



## Walker's Music Store

## WORLD OF SPORT \*\*\*

THETURF

TROTTING AT RIDGETOWN. Ridgetown, Ont., Aug. 26. — The third day of P. Gilbert & Co.'s meet consisted of three consolation races of for all non-winners in the races of the two previous days. The classes were bunched as follows—2.50, 2.30, 2.25 pace or trot; 2.22, 2.17, 2.13, pace or trot, and half mile run. The track was in excellent condition and the weather fine. Attendance good, Fol-Lowing is the summary-

2.22, 2.17, 2.13, pace or trot, purse \$100, heats, three in five-

Deleware...
Happy Maid, H. Trudell,
Tilbury...
Roy Wilkes, A. W. Smith,
Marine City...
Cassie A., M. Carlyle, of
Thamesville...
Jack Alert, J. Stewart,
London...
Prince Simon, John Graham, Dresden...

\$100. heats, three in five Miss May, Dr. Rowe, Blen-

Bridges... ... ... ... ... 2 3 Time, 2.23 1-2, 2.27, 2.22.

Half mile run, purse \$50, heats, two an three-Miss Kennedy, E. Kilborne, Dor-

Dun Robin, A. Murray, Hamil-Burley Bob, T. Degraw, Strath-Tob Pan, J. Neely, Inwood... ...... 2 4 Time, 53, 55.

### LAURUSSE

GAMES ARRANGED.
Full arrangements have been made Full arrangements have been made for the games between the Tecumsels and Orillia. The Tecumsels play at Orillia next Wednesday, Aug. Sist, and the return game will be played in Chatham on Labor Day, Sept. 5.—This will without doubt be the greatest of the season's fights, and the intense interest now maniflest will ripen into the wildest enthusiasm on Labor Day. The crowds on that day at the Fair Grounds will was doubt be the greatest ever.

ABOUT TECUMSERS.

ABOUT TECUMSEHS.

'Chatham pretty nearly put Mount
Forest out of business in the intermedictic semi-finals, They've gathered together quite a bunch down on
the banks of the Thames, They have
Bobinson of last year's Tecumsens,
in goal; Francis, of last year's Elora
Rocks, at point; and Pickering, of
Mt. Forest, at cover; while McBride,
of Brantford, is on the defence field.
Frank McLaren and Fred Dowling
om home and they have a native
at inside who it is said, would be a
catch for a senior team.—Toronto
Telegram.

## BOWLING

In the present bowling button competition among members of the local but it has been found necessary to

## NO LIQUOR

## AT ERIEAU

Gen. Supt. Woollatt Says the Railroad Distinctly Stipulates This.

Visit of Official Car to the Popular Summer Resort—A Tour of

A. M. Smith, General Superinter dent of the Pere Marquette railway W. W. Woollatt, Soperintendent of the Buffalo division, and other rail road officials passed through the city on a trip of general inspection

over this division of the road.

Messrs, Smith and Woollatt are
making the trip in Mr. Smith's elabrate private coach. They were picked up at Blenheim last evening by Conductor McGarvey, and taken to

onductor Mcusivey, he Eau. Mr. Woollatt, when interviewed en coate by a Planet representative, said in reference to the recent ex-citement at Ericau, started by Rev.

ement at Ericau, started by Rev. B. Brown:— The railroad certainly does not aprove of liquors being sold at Ericau, nd in the company's agreement with Ir. Massey, who had charge of the Mr. Massey, who had charge of the Bungalow, it is stated that liquors must not be sold. I myself was not aware of the suspicion that liquors were sold until I saw the articles in The Planet pertaining thereto.

"The Railroad is heartily in accord with the efforts of Rev. Mr. Brown or any other gentleman to maintain sobriety and lawfulness at the Eau, and is ready always to assist in any

amend rules governing the selection of players. Formerly a player who had been defeated could not play again until three other rinks had played. The competition however, is now open as far as this rule is concerned, and a defeated player can now play again the day after he is defeated if he so wishes. There were no games played vesterday. and is ready always to assist in any movement to that end-and it was distinctly contrary to their agreement if any infringement of the laws was permitted."

was permitted."

It is announced that the railroad has cancelled the lease of the pavillion as a result of the recent action.

Asked concerning the present tour, Mr. Woollatt said the officials were visiting the Eau on a trip of inspection. As to possible changes or alterations there Mr. Woollatt smilingly declined to say anything at presented.

the a hletic grounds here this afternoon. Davis, a "south paw," was in the box for Ridgetown, and pitched a fairly good ball, although the locals had no difficulty in finding him at critical times. Duncanson, of the locals, pitched a fine game, striking out eight men and allowing only one hit. There was a good attendance. Score: Ridgetown, 2: Dutton, 13. Batteries—Davis and Bates; Duncanson and Leitch. Umpire, H. W. Bodman.

### AGAI V BURGLARIZED

The grocery store of J. H. Bogart, Queen Street, was burgalized again last night. Entrance was effected by means of a window to the office. Comber, Aug. 26 .- The Staples Hotel Burglars began to take out the putty Burglars began to take out the putty to remove a pane of glass bur discovering that by removing the stops they could drop the window down, they did so. This opening offered easy access. About 10 cents in coppers were taken from the till in addition to a box of cigars, tobacco, cigars, and some cakes. This morning cakes half eaten were found scattered on the counter. Mr. Bogart ogether with contents, barns and fire last night between 11 and 12 o'clock. The hotel was occupied by tered on the counter. Mr. Bogart was informed that a party of young men were seen this morning devouring cakes in a fence corner, near the Chaplin Wheel Works.

P. C. Dezelia is working on the case It is only three weeks ago since thi store was robbed through the self same window when about \$14 in coppers were secured. The instinctive feeling of a great people is often wiser than its wisest

### NOT BLOWN OVER

London, Aug. 26.—Sir Charles Tup-per sailed for Canada yesterday by the Bavarian. Interviewed at Liver-pool as to whether the Dundonald in-cident had blown over, Sir Charles re-plied it had not. Lord Dundonald con-sidered the militia should not in any plied it had not. Lord Dundonald considered the militia should not in any way be mixed with polities, so that ail classes might join in critizen soldering with the object, if necessity arose, of defending their country, which Sir Charles considered the weakest spot in the Empire. An propunding his policy in regard to the militia Dundonald knew he would be retired. He did not complain that his had been unjustly treated, but he had had been unjustly treated, but he had had the courage of his convictions, and in expressing them publicly had minguan mously sacrificed dimestrain the interests of Canada and the Empre. Lord Dundonald had achieved his object, that of making the raising of a strong milipia, the crucial question in the Dominion, and in the views expressed he had carried with him the thinking people of Canada, the bone and sinew of the country and the effect would be for the lasting good of Canada. Sir Charles entirely approved of the attitude of Lord Dundonald, and was convinced no man in anything slike a similar had been unjustly treated, but he had Lord Dundonald, and was convinced no man in anything like a similar position had done so much to advance the real, better and higher interests of Canada; of all men who had secupied the position not one had given such a patriotic and imperialistic proof of his appreciation of the expension of the situation.



## MAKE

Low prices at our store and yet we think you'll find our orices the lowest in the city on Honest Solid leather shoes, our guarantee to gether with the manufacturers goes with the matufacturers goes with Eau.

The case arising out of the seizure of 10 cases of liquor at Blenheim by noted for good wear, and for Mispector Boon and Constable Brown will be tried on Wednesday next style they are up to the min-

Bring your feet to our store and have them fitted well.

### J. L. CAMPBELL BOSTON SHOE STORF.

## **OLDEN PIERS**

Tidy Lumber Deal Said to be Under Way at Erieau.

emoval and Disposal of the Timber Contemplated—Government Uninterested.

very neat and lucrative lumber A very heat and lucrative lumber deals is said to be under way at Erieau these days, its interest chiefly centering in the fact that the Government is alleged to be interested principally in being blind and disinterested until the proper time when "the boy" gets "what's in it." In brief, the old pier-where the "City of Dresden" lies-which has been in disnes for some time and is been in disuse for some time and is at certain seasons a danger to the boats, is being demolished and its timbers removed. The lumber involved is of considerable value and consequent interest is being taken in the proceedings. It is alleged that the timber has

been taken possession of by private parties and an interesting specula-tion put under way, the Government meantime accommodatingly placing its blind eye to the watchful tele-

Many names are connected with the interesting enterprise—it is even hinted that Rev. Mr. Brown could make further disclosures if he so de-

red.
But, "anyway," it will be enter aining to watch developments.

## PENDING CASES

Rev. Mr. Brown Discusses the Position of his Sabbatarian and Anti-Liquor Campaign.

Rev. Mr. Brown, of Blenheim, wa the city to-day. He says that although judgment was reserved, he himself was vindicated, as the men acknowledged working on Sunday acknowledged working on Sundey. The point in dispute was as to whether the Lake Eric Coal Co. was the Pere Marquette or not. If the Coal Co. is the railroad then they operate under the Dominion charter and are not affected by the Provincial Sunday labor law.

Mr. Brown says that even M. K. Cowan argued that recally the Sunday labor law.

Anspector Boon and Constable Brown will be tried on Wednesday next.

A Hamilton company shipped 10 cases of liquor to Wheatley, to A. C. Merritt. His license expired on the 1st of August and he didn't want the liquor. It was then shipped to Blenheim. Drayman Aitken received orders to take the intoxicating beverage to his harm and it was seized. erage to his barn, and it was seized there. It is claimed that the Hamil-ton Co. offered the liquor for sale, thereby infringing the local option

## BEING BARTERED Boys' Clothing

Of course the boy needs a new outfit after the holidays.

We clothe the boy, in every way, more satisfactorily than others, simply because we take more pains, and make most of the clothing ourselves; that's the whole story.

Our Boys' Clothing has more of the snap and style that gets the boy, and more of that enduring wear that holds the mother.

### WO PIECE SUITS,

Norfolk, double breasted and fancy styles, smart, new fall materials, 4 to 10 year sizes, \$1.75 to \$5.00.

### THREE PIECE SUITS.

Single and double breasted, bright Fall Tweeds and Navy Serges, 10 15 year sizes. \$3.00 to \$7.00.

## THORNTON & DOUGLAS, Limited

### \*\*\* MRS WELDON'S

SLIPPER SOLES BERLIN WOOL SHETLAND FLOSS

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## I hroat Rest

stant desire to cough. You know about it. Feels uncomfortable through the day. Keeps you awake at night. Doctors prescribe Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

\* Itain their Erieau friends to a bon ECHOES FROM ERIEAU

-Will A. Coltart and R. Will Angus spent last night at Ericau. It has been too rough for fishing

he past two nights. Miss Jean Angus is the guest of Miss Helen Young, Sandy Knowe, Ericau.

fire and beach party to-night.

## BLOWN UP BY DYNAMITE

(Special to The Planet.)

Tickling in the throat. Con-

Elmira, N. Y., Aug. 27.—The Avenue Hotel at Elmira Heights, three miles from here, was practically demolished by dynamite early this morning, and the explosion shook the city from Miss Jean Angus is the guest of Miss Helen Young, Sandy Knowe, Erieau.

Miss Jennie Richardson has returned to Chatham after a pleasant visit at Hazeldean Cottage.

The yacht Marietta, of Cleveland, Captain Hall, has returned after a pleasant week spent at Erieau.

The Misses Greening will enter-

# ASTOUNDING VALUES

You need a Dinner Set? Why not take advantage of the Great Sale of Crockery now going on at

GRAY'S CHINA HALL, King St., Chatham.

Surely it's worth your while to drop into this up-to-date Store and see for yourself the prettiest and the newest and also the cleanest Stock of Crockery and Fancy China to be found anywhere. **Did you ever** notice our windows, always full of something that's new, up-to-the-times and just the things you are wanting. Another thing you may have noticed, the great variety in all lines. You don't want the same goods as your neighbor. We carry almost exclusive lines in Sets of Tea and Dinnerware. A crate of Dinner Sets may contain 14 to 16 Sets, and we get them no two alike.

You want our goods. We need your trade and think we're deserving of it. Come along and select what you want. It will be kept until you call for it.

## New English China Tea Sets

A whole crate just opened up. The admiration of everybody. See them in the window on Saturday. They won't last long. Marked at special close prices. We are not asking you big prices for these goods, as we have told you. We are advertising for a couple of weeks and cutting things loose along the price line.

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Pool's Best English Tea Sets \$5, 6, 8, 10, 15 and \$18.

Twenty Per Cent. off Fancy China is a big cut. Many are taking advantage and buying now for Xmas. Selection is still good. Buy now. Twenty-five per cent. off Toilet Sets is something unheard of before. Many lines are completely gone. Have a look! You'll have to hurry.

\$16 50, \$15 and \$15 Dinner Sets for \$12 are the greatest bargains you ever laid eyes on. One lady said she had three sets already, still she bought another, imply couldn't resist. Our big \$10 values, which were \$12.50 bargains, are nearly all gone.

\$10 is a common price for good reliable Dinner Sets, now if you buy you save \$1.50, which will buy you a large Jardinere, a handsome Lamp a Toilet Set, a Berry Set, or something else worth about \$2.00 Our motto "Walk in and look around".

Charles the sales are the

# The Chatham Daily Planet.

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CHATHAM, ONT., SATURDAY, AUGUST 27, 1904

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## \* Boys and Athletics

"How to Swim in Races" by J. W. Spencer, Holder of 23 American Nautical Records

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The human body is not very well designed for natatorial feats. Since we are not equipped with fins, it is rather difficult to force the body forward in the water with any speed, but with instruction and pratice it is pos-

ward in the water with any speed, but with instruction and pratice it is possible to increase the ability of the average swimmer two or three times. Regarding swimming as a sport, our English cousins are far in advance of us, as is shown by a comparison of English and American swimming records. The reason for this difference is that the English show much more interest in the pastime than we do, and, in addition, swimming pools are numerous and well patronized in that country. There are indications are numerous and well patronized in that country. There are indications that the interest throughout Amer-ca is increasing. New swimming tanks are being built every year, and records at all distances are being out

down.

Considered as an exercise, swimming has two points which in particular commend it. The muscles of the chest and back are greatly developed and the lung capacity is increased. As distinguished from many other sports, swimming has a practical application, particularly for those who live near the water or take an interest in boats or yatching. It gives not only an ability to save one's self in cases of emergency, but in many instances to save others ranting that the water is not too ugh, or so cold as to benumb, a od swimmer should be able to cover e miles, or to keep afloat as many urs. This would not be a remarking performance when one considerat there are men who have gone anty miles or more without rest Considered as an exercise, swim-

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he specific gravity of the body is
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ithout effort on the part of the
mer. With the lungs well inflatithout effort on the part of the mer. With the lungs well inflathe average person can, with a depractice, float motionless in salt ter. To do so in fresh water relies considerable practice and delopment of the lung capacity. Because of the greater sustaining power of salt water those those who are unable to swim will find it a little easier to learn the art in the seasofter to dearn the art in the seasofter the difference in fresh water will not be noticed except in the at-

acquired the difference in fresh water will not be noticed except in the attempt at motionless floating.

Those who are entirely unable to swim will find that it is practically interesting to the state of the stat swim will find that it is practically impossible to teach swimming by any sort of a written article. The know-ledge can only come by actual work and practice in the water. Children, as a rule under favorable conditions work out the ability to keep affat as a rule under favorable conditions work out the ability to keep aflat by their almost undirected efforts, but the best way to learn is to have the help of a friend who understands the art, or the assistance of a competent instructor where possible.

The intention is to present in this

petent instructor where possible.

The intention is to present in this article a description of what are known as "racing strokes." These can be easily learned by people who have had enough experience in the water to be classed as those who are "at home" in that element. However there are certain points relating to there are certain points relating to elementary swimming which it is well to touch upon, for, if kept in mind, they will aid in overcoming the most serious difficulties. There are most serious difficulties. There are three things which will help the beginner if dependent upon the instruc-tion of a friend. The first is that ginner if dependent to the first is that an inflated belt or other device for keeping the body afloat will make it easier to learn the stroke. The attention is not distracted from the proper performance of the necessary motions by the danger of sinking. With the aid of the belt each stroke With the aid of the belt each stroke may be taken slowly and excuted ac-cording to instruction. In this way much useless floundering and waste of strength is avoided. As soon as of strength is avoided. As soon as the idea of the way of using the limbs is acquired the belt-should be discarded and the attention directed to keep-

The next important thing is to The next important thing is to roid the natural tendency to keep much out of the water as possible. ost beginners try to keep the head, sek and even part of the shoulders ove the surface. This cannot be ne easily, even by a good swimmer. ery portion of the body which is pt above the water is a dead veight upon the effort to keep afloat, and soon produces exhaustion. Swim as low in the water as possible, so long as the breathing is not interfered with. If the water is not rough let the body drop till the chin is just immersed.

The third thing to remember is that the legs stroke is not understood by most of the people who swim. Beginners are often told to draw the legs up and then kick them back, the idea being that proplusion is attained by kicking at the water. This principle is wrong, and those who swim that way have difficulty in making progress. The proper way is to draw the legs up; then extend them, but at the same time separating them till they form an angle of about forty-five degress to each other. Then, with the legs straight and 'toes pointed,' swing them together forcibly as if they were the biades of a pair of scissors. It is this last part, or the swinging together of the legs, The third thing to remember is that

which gives the propelling force. The principle of the motion is that the water between the legs forms a wedge on which the legs act in closing, and the resultant force moves the body forward. It would be well for the beginner to practice this leg stroke while holding up the hands to some convenient pole or other stationary object at the surface of the water. At first work on the three parts of the leg motion, with a slight pause between each, until with practice the whole stroke may be made continuous.

Of the racing strokes for fast swim-

pause between each, until with practice the whole stroke may be made continuous.

Of the racing strokes for fast swimming, there are bolly two which are in general use. These are the overarm side stroke and the frudgeon, or double over-arm. It is inadvisable for one to try to learn either of these strokes unless one has gained considerable prociency in the ordinary method of swimming, or, as it is called, the "breast stroke." For racing, the general sentiment in this country is that the trudgeon is the best, but there are many advocates of the side stroke. The majority of the latter men are those who do long distance work, so it may be said that the side stroke is better suited for events which pass the quarter mile mark. The "trudge" is undoubtedly superior for short races, but as it is more difficult to master than the other it is best to begin fast work by learning the side stroke.

The characteristics of this method are that the body is kept on the side, and that the upper arm is brought clear of the water and swung forward through the air for each stroke, while the under arm performs its entire motion under water. There are many who swim in a manner which closely resembles the side stroke, and for such it is generally easy to acquire good form. The most important point in this style of swimming is to keep the body on the side. It will be noticed that when one swims the ordinary breast stroke the upper part of the chest is forced directly against the water. The result is that progress is greatly retarded, but in the side stroke the upper part of the chest is forced directly against the water. The result is that progress is greatly retarded, but in the side stroke the upper part of the chest when the upper arm is thrown forward should be kept on the side and the tendency to roll onto the chest when the upper arm is thrown forward should be avoided. The novice should first determine on which side he will swim. In this respect individuals differ. The question can be determined by trying both sides. The one whi should be selected as the best for the individual, and all subsequent work should be undertaken in accordance with that decuision.

The upper arm stroke is made by the state of the proper arm stroke is made by the state of the

The upper arm stroke is made by swinging the arm forward above the water until fully extended, straight to the front. The arm is then dropped into the water and swept downward and back, though almost a full half circle. When near the surface and parallel with the body, the elbow is bent and the arm lifted quickly from the water, elbow first. It is then ready for the swing forward for the next stroke. The lower arm stroke is made by thrusting the hand ont from the shoulder—all the time under water—and when extended to out from the shoulder—all the time under water—and when extended to the front is swept through the water—not straight down and back, as in the case of the upper arm—but a little to the front of the body. This movement is complete when the arm lies almost against the body. The arm is then bent and the hand arm is then bent and the hand brought up close along the body till in front of the shoulder, from which point the next stroke begins. Care should be taken to make the sweep of, both the arms as long as possible. There is a natural tendence the both the arms as long as possible. There is a natural tendency to cut short that part of the stroke which forces the body ahead. This must be avoided, and a good, full sweep of the arms acquired.

The principle of the leg movement the same as previously explained to connection with elementary swimin connection with elementary swimming, but there is the difference that, in the side stroke the legs must be separated in the way that one would separate them to take a step in walking—that is, one in front of the other. In the former explanation it is understood that the legs are to be separated sideways of the body, or as they are when one stands with the feet apart.

As to the order in which the motions of the different limbs are made, it is necessary to regard the propelling part of the respective strokes and to execute them in the following order: Lower arm, upper arm, leg.

attempted. The point which characterize this method is that both arms are brought forward above the surface of the water. In this way way one avoids the resistance which is encountered in forcing the under arm forward in the side stroke. It is evident that the body cannot be kept on one side. There must be a decided roll which will bring the shoulders alternately near the surface. That shoulder which is naturally carried uppermost in the side stroke must be brought up further than the other to allow of breathing on that side and to allow the propelling part of the leg stroke to be made with the body in nearly the same position as in the side stroke. The alternate rolling of the body is accomplished by allowing the sweep of each arm to raise each shoulder so that the arm can be lifted out and awing forward, straight to the front, as is done with the upper arm in the side stroke.

The order or succession of the move-

breath must then be taken in through the mouth—never through the nose. The object of this is that any little splash of water drawn in with the breath will stop in the mouth and will not choke the swimmer by being drawn into the throat.

After one has acquired proficiency in the side stroke, the trudge may be attempted. The point which characterize this method is that both arms are brought forward above the hardly worth while but he is makin, strenuous efforts to escape.

The most notorious horse thief in the middle west is as spry to-day as many men of middle age. He does not look over 60. He insists, though, that he is almost 84, and people who knew the veteran criminal in the early days say he is. He has gray chin whiskers, is somewhat bald and wears his hair long, in ringlets. He is slight and of medium height, somewhat stoop-shouldered and shiftyeyed.

oyed.

Of course, he has a romance, or says he has. He was driven from Sweden by a love affair and duel. Then he came to this country and soon after started out as a thief. Thirty years ago he operated extensively along the Sauk and Mississippi rivers, and the pioneers cursed the organized gang that they supposed were runnig off their horses.

His method was to pick his horses and when conditions were favorable make a quick run from southern Wisconsin across the state line into northern Illinois. Here he had a cave which concealed him and the horses until the hue and cry was over. Then he was off to southern Illinois to dispose of the horses to farmers. Of course, he has a romance,

\* The Days of Auld Lang Syne

Interesting Events of Ye Olden Times Gathered from The Planet's lesues of Half a Century

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Robert Euri makes an assignment Peter Peters is one of Chatham's

Arthur Jones is a provincial en-gineer and land surveyor, James Rennie & Co. are wholesale

boot and shoe manufacturers. William Smith, in the Goodyear Block, advertises his boots and shoes.

Many of the Russian noblemen still continue to oppose the liberation of

the serfs.

It is contemplated to introduce steam fire engines into the Toronto fire brigade.

D. Forsythe sells garden and field seeds and also a large stock of gro-ceries, crockery, etc.

Died-In Dover East, on Friday last, the 23rd, Catharine, wife of Mr. Chas. Terry, aged 30 years,

Birth—In Chatham, on Friday, the 30th ult., the wife of Mr. W. G. Betts, of a daughter. The crops in Michigan are in a most prosperous condition. A very large breadth of wheat has been

Died - In the township of Harwich, on Tuesday, Louisa Gammage, beloved wife of John Bedford, aged 30

William Waldon, a colored resident, aged 60 years, was killed by being kicked in the stomach by a

John Chapman disposes of his book and stationery store to Mr. McCrae, and contines in business as a book-

Died—At his residence, Township of Harwich, on Thursday, the 29th inst., John Tobin, aged 19 years and seven The taxes in Hamilton are 30 per

cent. of the annual value of its whole real and personal property, or 6s. 5d. Birth-In Chatham, on Monday, the

26th inst., the wife of J. G. Penne-father, Surveyor of Customs, of a son and heir.

Isaac Whiting, second son of Rev. M. Whiting, was drowned in the River Thames near the Wesleyan Mission House, at Muncey.

At the commencement of the Crimean war the French government had 80,000 horses. At its termination they could only muster 10,000.

Three hundred men employed by the corporation of Montreal have been ordered to stop work in consequence or no funds in the Treasury.

| Three hundred men employed by work in the most difficult and dangerous places of all. "Such men do not usually remain in one place for any length of time comes. Some of

In a report of the Council proor a report of the Council proceedings appears the following:—
"Mr. Atkinson directed the attention of the Council to the fact that some person among the spectators was busying himself in throwing peaset the council or the council

An Ohio Court has given \$5,000 damages to a Mrs. Brush to be paid by one Peter Lawson, who sold her husband liquor under the influence of which he chopped off one of his wife's feet. The Court ruled that for injuries done by any one while drunk, the rum seller was liable.

London holds a free fair. The second free fair of the county of Middlesex was held Tuesday, April 24. The fair was opened for the sale of horses, cattle, sheep and agricultural implements of all kinds, domestic manufacturers and every kind of produce. produce.

Mr. McKeliar writes the Town Council to the effect that the Ordinance Department were willing to sell the barrack ground to the town and take in payment town debentures. A committee of three was named to confer with Col. Coffin upon the subject of the purchase of said barrack ground.

The Detroit Tribune says the Great Western Railway Company has decided upon building two large steamers to ply between Detroit and Windsor, to ply between Berrolt and windsor, for the purpose of carrying railway cars from one side of the river to the other, in order to save the trouble and expense of unloading and reload-

other, in order to save the trouble and expense of unloading and reloading.

For Sale Cheap—The Rutland House with 26 acres of land, hotel and all of the baildings thereon, gardens orchards, four good wells of water, all bricked up, grapevines, strawberry beds, gooseberry bushes, currant bushes, all in fine order. Apply to R.

From Planet fyles, March 20, 1860, B. Parr, on the premises, or to R. Harper or S. D. Radley.

An act for the further protection of growing timber has been brought into the Legislative Council by Hon. Mr. Allen, which enacts that to cut, steal or destroy a growing tree on another person's land shall be a felony and punishable by a fine of \$400 or not more than two years' imprisonment, and any person purchasing such tree or sapling, knowing same to have been stolen, shall be liable to the same punishment. An act for the further protection

Gone to Europe—Tuesday morning Mr. Joseph Pritchard, late Mine Host of the Royal Exchange, of this town, left for the east. For five years Mr. Pritchard nas been proprietor of that well known hotel, and now that he has gone from it with his pockets well lined with the needful his presence will be not a little missed. The Royal Exchange passed into the hands of David Walker, of the Chatham station refreshment room. station refreshment room.

Our advertisement columns show that the fast-sailing Steamer Swan will at once commence her trips be-tween Chatham and Detroit. She has a new gentain and grow; has been tween Chatham and Detroit. See has a new captain and crew; has been re-fitted and painted throughout and we are informed by her proprietor that no pains will be spared to make her in every way worthy of the patronage of the travelling and trading public. Mr. C. Harborn is agent for Chatham. public. M Chatham,

By the Essex Journal we learn that the Windsor Council have fixed the salaries for the present year, as follows—Police Magistrate \$400, Town Clerk \$400, Treasurer \$200, Town Inspector and Fire Warden \$140, two auditors, each \$20, Mesengers to Council and Market Clerk \$275. The constables appointed by the March quarter sessions, for Windsor, are as follows—Capt. Forbes, Samuel Port, P. H. Brandt, Henry Mill, Alfred Murddock, Edward Glanville, David Patterson and Lawrence Curtis. By the Essex Journal we learn that

## in Dangerous Work

"Whenever a very high iron or steel structure is to be erected in any part of the world," said an engineer recently, "there is need for a few men who all specially expert at working on the very top, where bolting and riveting have to be done under conditions that make it necessary for the worken to be exceptionally proof against dizziness, to be excellent climbers, and to swing immense weights and do other hard work with very little chance to get a good leverage against, anything.

"Now, while the average ironworkers till have wonderful ability to hang on high in the air, and do the most difficult jobs under the most dangerous conditions, there are experts even among these experts. These rarely do anything except the work in the most difficult and dangerous places of all.

"Such men do not usually remain

in when the time comes. Some of them have been all over the world, putting the finishing touches on sky-scrapers in the United States, helping to bridge chasms in South America, throwing spins over quicksands in India and Africa, and working on the theorem.

in India and Africa, and working on high towers through Europe.
"They get big wages, and they work only a few hours a day. But while they work there is hardly a moment when they are not in danger. They do not mind it, however. They smoke and joke as cheerfully while they are perched on the end of a 300 feet in the air as if they were sitting placidly on the ground."

### QUEER AND USEFUL TREES

Three odd and useful trees are the "butter tree" of Central Africa, the "manna tree" of California, and the "tallow tree" of Malabar. The first of these bears a nut from the kernel of which the natives produce a butter which, so African travellers inform us, much resembles butter obtained from cow's milk, and which will remain sweet a year.

tained from cow's milk, and which will remain sweet a year.

The "manna tree" is so-called because from a sap which is tapped from the tree in August a sweet gum is evaporated, which has no little food value, and some commercial substance in the drug trade. The "tallow tree" of Malabar yields from the seeds of its fruit, by boiling, an excellent tallow, which serves as a valuable illuminant, both as oil and by candles which are made from it.



Striped pique is used to make this comfortable and serviceable The trousers are tucked in at the knees to fall in full effect, and the blouse has a broad collar of pure white pique, with only the revers of the striped goods.

make it possible to inhale in this a hard man to convict; or if they short period, the breath must be exhaled while the face is still under minimum sentence.

He himself declares that all his

haled while the face is still under water. When this is done there is enough time to fill the lungs if the air is drawn in quickly.

There are certain rules which apply to both the trudge and side stroke, which, if kept in mind, will aid in developing speed. First, time the movement of the limbs so that one stroke follows the other in regular and even succession. This keeps the body moving steadily forward and prevents the loss of power which will result from a ing steadily forward and prevents the loss of power which will result from a "sag" in the stroke. Second, remember that the head is only to be carried just high enough to bring the mouth clear of the water at the time when the breath should be taken. Third, reach well forward with the arms and make the propelling sweep as

long as possible.

If one can master either or both of the strokes described in this article, it will be found that the pleasure of it will be found that the pleasure of swimming will be almost doubled. However, when you go in for a swim do not stay in the water too long if you wish to derive the greatest benefit from the sport. It is always best to come out before a sense of exhaustion is experienced or before feeling chilled.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

A girl can be terribly ugly without

A girl can be terribly ugly without ever discovering it.

A man can get very fond of any nice girl that won't marry him. It takes a terrible lot of indigestion to make a man feel as bad as stopping smoking to cure it.

For every love letter a man writes when he is engaged he writes ten thousand checks when he is married. A girl has an awful funny way of twisting her neck around so that no matter which way she seems to be facing her lips are right in front of yours.—New York Press.

Patience—"Is her husband in trade?" Patrice"No; he was sold out by the sheriff last week."

the himself declares that all his convictions have been unjust. He has asked permission to communicate with the governor to secure a lawyer. On a previous occasion, he says, the governor secured three lawyers for him. Nevertheless he went to Nevertheless, he for him. Nevert the penitentiary.

### WANTED LOUD TICK

A Birmingham clockmaker discovered that a rival was sending out large stocks of cheap clocks to the heart of Africa, and doing good business with them. He spent a le sum in making better clocks shipped thousands of them to shipped thousands of them to the same market. Strange to say, his sales were small, although his rival, turning out a cheap and inaccurate timepiece, was selling all he could make. Finally he found a key to the mystery. Savages like noise. The clocks made by the first exporter had clocks made by the first exporter had a particularly loud and aggressive tick. His competitor had made a better clock but it was almost noiseless, and the savages would have none of The next cargo of clocks which the Birmingham maker shipped to the Guinea coast ticked louder than anything ever heard there, and they sold like pink lemonade at a circus.—London Daily Mail. don Daily Mail.

### HOME-MADE LINOLEUM.

An economical suggestion for the housewife is to take any old carpet, which is whole, but too discolored and shabby for use, and tack it down smoothly on the floor. Make a thick starch of flour and water. Put a coat of this on with a large brush. When dry give it a coat of paint, any color desired, though red is preferable. Then give a second coat, and you have a cheap floor covering fully asgood as linolaum and not half as expensive. By painting once a year it will last a number of years.

An economical suggestion for the

## The Planet.

Business Office 8. STEPHENSON ... ... Proprietor.

SATURDAY, AUG. 27.

### CRITICISM OF PUBLIC MEN

Is it true that good men are kept out of politics by the "abuse of which public men are subjected," to quote the reported words of A. B. Aylesworth, K. C.?

Is it not rather true that bad men are kept in politics by the wholesale and unanimous failure of Canadian newspapers to do their duty?

Canadian public men provoke as much criticism as the public men of any English-speaking country.

It might be that for Mr. Aylesworth to protest if Canadian newspapers abused any public man as some public men abuse their trust and their country.

Canadian newspapers carry their respect for the privacy of a public man's life to the extremity of blindness to obvious circumstances and unexplainable facts,

A public man and more than one public man can go into national or provincial politics, poor and suddenly become rich, and no questions are asked.

It may be all right, but right or wrong, Canada is the only Englishspeaking country which exempts the private affiliations of public men from scrutiny and criticism .- Toronto Telegram.

### THE DUNDONALD MATTER

The "Dundonald incident" has created a great deal of interest in all English-speaking countries, and administer that principle in the con-in fact in all civilized countries, struction of the eastern section of Even in the far-off Philippine Islands it has been made the subject of flash headlines and pointed comments. The Manila American printed a two-column article copied from the Hong Kong Post, with a doublecolumn heading, which announced "Dundonald Not Loved at Ottawa Because He Desires the Militia Free From Politics, and has Offended Hayseed Fisher.-General Famous for Heroic Relief of Ladysmith at the Head of the Canuck Rough Riders."

The Hong Kong Post prints an elaborate resume of the case, and re-

"It is all very well for Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Canadian Premier, to explain that the dismissal of Lord Dundonald was a very painful act for them to perform and that although they recognized the brilliancy of the commander-in-chief's services, 'they would not permit themselves to be dragooned into anything,' yet the sympathies of the people are undoubt-well, with the soldier."

Mr. Reid, of London. What Reid knows about railway building is not generally known. He has been in the corset business, which may qualify him, but his principal qualification is in the fact that he is one of Hyman's pigs' feet and larger beer supporters. Sir Richard in this instance is right. Folger would fill the bill well, but we wager on the pigs' feet main. explain that the dismissal of Lord edly with the soldier."

### TWO BABIES IN RUSSIA

The remarkable story to the effect that the new child born to the Czar and Czarina of Russia is a girl, not a boy, cannot be true, points out the Toronto Star. The story would naturally originate in the suspicious minds of the secret revolutionists who must have been counting in advance of the event on the popular disappointment that the arrival of another girl would occasion. They would be saying in advance that the paface fifth girl and no heir to the throne From that it was easy to go further and circulate the story that for the girl baby was substituted a peasant boy baby, so that, to pacify Russia the arrival of an heir could be an

nounced. This story will follow the boy through life. It will crop up at in tervals, and will always find some believers. The boy himself, and, finally, the man, will have his moments of doubt about his ancestry Works of fiction turning on the substitution of babies will become popular once more. But it is highly improbable that it is a peasant's boy who has been made colonel of the Cossacks and heir to the throne of Russia. The Empire would be in a desperate strait, indeed, to warrant the perpetration of such a fraud, the exposure of which would occasion more evils than the success of it could prevent. The Czar has uncles cousins and brothers, who are human enough to prefer their own claims to those of a peasant child, whatever might be the circumstances of his adoption. The Czar's mother is a particularly energetic woman, who would scarcely welcome a spurious grandson to crowd genuire sons and grandsons from the throne. There could not be a substitution of children without the connivance of a large family circle and many officials. The story is not even well constructed. In advance of the event it is said that a peasant woman was brought to the palace and was was brought to the palace and was blessed with a son twenty-four hours after a young princess was born. The plot depended solely on the chance that the peasant child should be a boy, although statistics show that

peasant girls are sometimes born in THE FAILURE OF GOVERNMENT Russia. It is incredible that the Czar would rest his plot on one peasant woman when he has seen girls showered on his palace these many years.

The story will live, however. The girl baby of the peasant woman will hear of it and be among the first to believe it. She will see in herself a royal princess in disguise, and she will be spoiled for present life. The incident is an awkward one all round, and reconciles the average man to the fact that he is neither a Czar nor a peasant.

### PRIVATE CARS SCATTERED. Ottawa Citizen.

The railway yards around Ottawa have a bare and denuded appearance The cabinet ministers have dispersed on holiday trips.

### AN UNACCEPTED CHANCE. Toronto Mail.

The Novoe Vremya now regrets that Russia did not attack Britain when the latter was engaged in South Africa. Had Russia done so she would have been smashed a few years earlier, if that would be any comfort to the St. Petersburg news-

### THE GREATEST OFFENDER. Montreal Gazette.

Russia, which is making such a fuss about the violation of China's neutrality by the seizure by Japan of a Russian torpedo boat in a Chinese port, was under pledge to the powers to get out of Manchuria last October. As a plaintiff in the international court she does not come with clean hands.

### BLOW TO PUBLIC OWNERSHIP. Toronto Telegram.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier has shown what he thinks of public ownership by the sort of commission he has chosen to the Grand Trunk Pacific railway. The commission, in the conspicuous mediocrity of its membership, in the Government's sublime disregard for everything but partisan considerations in the choice of these members, stands as one of the worst products of extremely practical politics.

### MORE TROUBLE. Belleville Intelligencer.

If reports from Ottawa are to be credited, there is trouble in the cabinet over the appointment of an Ontario man to fill the position of commissioner on the Grand Trunk Pacific railway board. It is said Sir Richard wants Mr. Folger, of King-ston, appointed, while Mr. Hyman and Sir Wm. Mulock are championing a Mr. Reid, of London. What Reid

### A TALL CANADIAN.

New York Times. Opinions differ among the friends of Bliss Carman as to whether the well-known poet and literateur is six feet three or six feet five inches in

on the subject. Carman tells this story on himself-During a recent visit to Washing ton he was introduced to Jas. Whitcomb Riley by a mutual friend on Pennsylvania Avenue. The Hoosier is not so well versed in the gentle art of being tall as his contemporary, and according to Carman, as Riley switchhis quid from one cheek to the

height. Yet far from being sensitive

other and surveyed him, much as a countryman viewing a skyscraper. he "Well' by gum! Your parents must have trained you on a trellis!"

### THE LLOYD-GEORGE IDEA.

Broad Arrow. That the Dundonald episode should be taken advantage of by some of the Little Englander press to make party capital out of it need of course occasion no surprise; but when it is suggested that Canada should seek to separate herself from the British empire and join America, party spirit would appear to be carried a little too far-and too disloyally. Yet a few days ago one of those ultra-Radical organs here wrote: "Canada's best defence would be to cultivate a good understanding with her Republican neighbors. Were she to join the great American federation she would have the enormous advantage of internal free trade throughout the whole of the union, and be saved the cost of maintaining an army of her own. The maintaining an army of her own. The mother country would also be reliev-ed of the responsibility of defending her." Then the writer goes, from suggestion to prophecy. "As time goes on and the native white popu-lation of Canada increases, the tragoes on and the native white population of Canada increases, the tra-ditional prejudice both of English and French Canadians against Republicanism will die down, and the incorpora-tion of Canada with the United States be only a question of time." These views may be held in quarters where an bonest opinion is unques tioned and therefore entitled to re-spect. But they are not views which one would expect to find expressed in an English newspaper professing

Bystander in Farmer's Sun

A mob in Georgia has been indulging in the pastime of tying two negroes to the stake, after saturat ing their clothes with kerosene, burning them alive and reveling in the contortions of their agony. It is stated that there were persons of wealth and respectability in the mob. There is no use in saying that this is indignation against crime, or even that it is hatred of race; it is devilish lust of cruelty, such as burned in the fiendish breast of the Iroquois. Why are such things allowed to happen in a republic which deems itself the flower of enlightenment and civilization? The answer is, because there tion? The answer is, because there is no Government in the United States. Government has been practically supplanted by the perpetual conflict and alternate domination of two factions, each of which is too de-pendent on mob favors to enforce the law. No such spectacle is pre-sented in any other community pre-tending to civilization.

### A DESERVING CAUSE.

If there is one use more than an other to which party contributions can be legitimately applied, it is the unearthing of fraud and corruption in elections. There are strong reasons for believing that North Grey, North York, North Norfolk, North Perth and Sault Ste. Marie were carried for the Ross government by improper means. If these elections had been honestly won the Ross government would not have been driven to the desperate expedient of calling the legislature in order to prevent investigation by the election courts.

That the government feared the developments of the election trials was shown by the hasty convening of the legislature a few days in advance of the time fixed for the holding of the election trials. In this way it retain-ed intact its scant majority, which no doubt would have disappeared if the protests had been allowed to take their course.

their course.

The Ross government, while it deferred, was not able to avoid the day of reckoning. It is now proposed to make the five election trials searching and complete. The results will show wether the Ross government has been holding power by an honest majority or wether a piece of bold strategy has afforded it protection which it does not deserve. does not deserve.

does not deserve.

It is satisfactory to know that there are to be no saw-offs. The means by which the Ross government carried the four norths and Sault Ste. Marie will be fully revealed in the election courts. To bring the facts to light will require a considerable amount of money, and it is to be hoped that contributions will be freely offered by the friends of clean elections and clean government .- Toronto World,

## A WILD WEST SALUTATORY.

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## Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

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PERT PARAGRAPHS. It may be true that every man has

his price, but every man you meet basn't got the price. Some people appear to be afraid that there will not be truth enough to go

As a general thing a woman is "on to" her husband to a much greater extent than he imagines.



It is said that money talks, but it does not say a great deal for some peo

Some people who loudly insist that honesty is the best policy only have a theoretical knowledge in regard to it.

When opportunity knocks at some men's doors they draw the shades closer and keep quiet, under the im-pression that it is a bill collector.

A woman would not so thoroughly appreciate being an old man's darling if it were not for the salary that goes with it.

Your argument will convince the most obstinate man if you will show him where it is money in his pocket to believe that way.

Men who smoke five cent cigars usually turn to see if any one is looking when they purchase one.

### Taming the Bad Man.

From the Bad Lands, where they muster
Men so mean they will not drown,
Bold, bad Bill, the bronche buster,
Whooped in, shooting up the town.
He was drunk enough to do it,
And he didn't care who knew it.

At the first hint of his sally,
At the first crack of his gun,
Citizens flew up the alley
Or wherever they could run,
Leaving him to have his way,
Boss of all he might survey.

As he shot holes in the village With extravagance and vim,
Broncho Bill surveyed the pillage,
And the sight was good to him. He was sorry that they ran; He'd have liked to eat a man.

But a little woman's figure
Down the sidewalk came full tilt,
And the bad man dropped the trigger—
Clearly 'twas a case of wilt.
'Twas the wife he'd tried to lose,
And he trembled in his shoes.

### Lost Years. "How old did you say she is?"

"She says twenty-four." "But the family record says she was born in 1870.

"Yes, but she lived ten years in Philadelphia, and of course she doesn't count those."

On the Way Back. "There is one good thing about play-

ing the races." "I can't see that it has a redeeming feature.'

"You know walking is such healthful exercise.'

Wants a Witness



When Foxy Mamie wants to win And for a lifetime cinch her snap,

### Neither: It's a Cinch. "What profession or trade does be follow for a living?" "I don't know whether it is a profession or trade. He married a rich

Give Him First Place. "You should never discourage a boy."
"That's right. Never tell him that if

he is good he may some day grow up to be vice president."

The honest, worthy farmer, With houses, barns and lands, Who has an only daughter, Who by her father stands, Has never any trouble In getting harvest hands.

Not Impossible. "Is there such a thing as an honest "Possibly. You know accidents will

### Too Polite "How old do you think I am?" "Old enough to know that I wouldn't

may what I thought if I were to guess.' Force of Habit. The statesman dead doth lie in state.
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Entered according to Act of Parliament of Can-ada, in the year 1904, by William Baily, of To-rente, at the Dep't of Agriculture. Ottawa.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 21.-In this sermon the freedom of this world, with all its restrictions and limitations, and the larger freedom of the spiritual world are picturesquely contrasted. The text is John viii., 32, "The truth shall make you

The word freedom has a charming sound. Like unto a xylophone, each one of its letters seems to be a golden bar. Like unto a silver-throated trumpet, its voice sounds just as en-chanting in the rich man's palace as in the peasant's but. Like unto the pheasant's call for his mate, it seems pheasant's call for his mate, it seems to recognize no government save the sceptre of love. Like unto the acolian harp, which emits its most thrilling netes when the wintry storms throb through its strings, this word freedom never has a more plaintive melody than when it is uttered by beings who pine for it while they aringe under the lash of the taskmaster and spend their lives in the bondage of tyrants at whose word they may have to die.

There have been orators whose tones were so penetrating and im-

tones were so penetrating and impressive that the words they uttered took a new and deeper meaning. It was said of George Whitefield, the famous evangelist, that his voice was of such compass and pathos that he could me could melt an audience into tears by the intonation he could throw into the word Mesopotamia. But it is not by melodious tones that the word

freedom reaches the heart most powerfully, but by the heroic deeds of men who have suffered and died to win the blessing for their people.

O freedom, thou art more than a mere word! Thou art a strong armed angel of light, breaking the shackles of the slave, unmuzzling the lips of the patriot, lifting the shadow from the home. Under this benignant rule every man's abode is his castle surevery man's abode is his castle sur-

the patriot, lifting the shadow from the home. Under this benignant rule every man's abode is his castle, surrounded, like the ancient fortresses of the old world, with the moat whose waters were impassable to the minions of a king. Thou art the messenger of God, who would place the coronation robes around every human shoulder. Thou wouldst put the crown of gold upon every manly or womanly brow as thou dost say: "Man, lift high thy forehead, for thou art a king! Woman, God has made thy head the resting place for a diadem which is the equal of the crown that I have placed upon thy husband's brow." Yes, yes; no word in all the English language has a more potent sound than that of freedom, for, as God gave to King Solomon everything a prince could want because the young King had asked of him "wisdom," so every good thing in life is accessible to the earnest, aspiring soul when freedom removes the barriers to its flight.

But as I began to study my text I asked myself this important question, "What is freedom?" Is it unbridled license? Does it practically say, "Man, you are free; therefore you can do as you will, no matter what your desire may be?" Does it mean an emancipation proclamation which liberates from obedience to all law? When, on Jan. 1, 1863, Abraham Lincoln in the White House signed his name to the famous State paper which declared that all black men and black women under the stars and stripes "are and henceforth shall be free," it did not mean that the negro was set free to follow his own unbridled inclinations, but that he nessed from under the that the negro was set free to follow his own unbridled inclinations, but that he passed from under the control of his owner to be under the control of the same law that his owner himself has to obey.

and in the vogetable and mineral kingdoms as well as in human society. Thus my subject to-day, "The Limitations of Liberty," offers a wide scope for natural and spiritual investigation, and I shall endeavor to show that the only true freedom that the spiritual man can enjoy is to show that the only true freedom that the spiritual man can enjoy is in the surrender of himself to the service of Christ. In becoming a servant of Christ, in taking his will as the law of our lives, we are set free from the dominion of sin and enjoy the glorious liberty of the children of God.

The physical man is surrounded by limitations which, like impassable bars, restrict him to a certain kind of life. If he tries to break out of the of life. If he tries to break out of the enclosure he bruises and batters his body against those bars. I am not now alluding to the penalties suffered by the glutton and the drunkard, which are only too obvious. There are penalties against over-indulgence in legitimate courses. A man may so devote himself to his business or profession as to recleat the process. profession as to neglect the proper care of his body. He has to pay the penalty for overwork in premature exhaustion and decrepitude.

I am not here going into the details of the errors and the reasons

why a man should not abuse his physical organism. But I am here to state that as God limits the natural realms in which the fish can live, and the plants can live, and the creeping things, like the worms and the snakes, can live, so God gives to man a physical realm, and in that realm he must live. If he persists in going out of that realm he must die. why a man should not abuse his

I step into the airship of Santos-Dumont, that wonderful wizard of the air. The Brazilian aeronaut says: "Where would you like to go? Would you like a sail over the waters of the Mediterranean? Would you like to view Paris from a height higner than the Eiffel tower? Would you take a sightseeing trip above the buildings of the St. Louis World's. Fair?" But I am ambitious, and, forgetting the limitations of my body, I say: "Nay, not any of these journeys would I go. But, as a sailor might sight the gleaming eye of a lighthouse from afar and head toward an oper harbor, I would head toward the lighthouse of some star. I would explore an unknown world." With that request a smile twitches the corners of my companion's lips. The machinery of his airship begins to throb. We mount higher and higher and higher and higher until it seems the blood must burst from my agonizing brain. "What is the matter?" I Where would you like to go? Would blood must burst from my agonizing brain. "What is the matter?" I cry. "Turn the ship, turn it, or I shall die!" With that Santos-Dumont turns the airship's rudder, and as we begin to descend he says: "I took you on this journey to prove to you that it is an impossibility for man to live far above the earth. When the air becomes rarefied there is not enough substance there for man to breathe. God has decreed that phy-sical man never can fly like a bird away to the stars. He is free to live

in this air only as he breathes that air when his feet are planted upon the solid earth."

Down into the shaft of a coal mine I descend. Farther and farther I go until the darkness seems to be hurled at me. I cling in dumb fear to the miner by my side. We go down and down until the heat becomes like the blistering sands of the Sahara Desert. Fresh air from above is now Desert. Fresh air from above is now pumped to my panting lungs. But the heat grows more and more intense until it seems I cannot live. Suddenly we come to the end of a long coal shaft. "Why not farther?" I ask my guide. "Has the coal vein stopped here?" "Nay," is the answer, "the coal is just as rich farther on, but it is an impossibility now to work it. The farther we burrow into the earth the hotter it becomes. God has decreed that physical man must live on the earth's surface. He may pass around the surface of the earth, but cannot go face of the earth, but cannot go through it. He can never tunnel his way from New York to Pekin." If man leaves his natural element dies as surely as did the fish we caught some weeks ago when they were drawn out of their natural element. Physical man has his limitations of life. If we would physically live we must obey certain physical laws. We cannot eat pebbles like an ostrich. We cannot drink in water like a bluefish. We cannot eat grass like an ox. We cannot breathe the foul and fetid air of a miasmic swamp as the firefly, with its little lantern, makes its home among the bogs and calls the green slime its planground. Physical limitations hem

Freedom has its limitations. We find those limitations in the physical, the mental and the social as well as in the spiritual world. Biologista find them in the dumb brutes

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th the liberties of physical man. We can live our physical life only as we obey God's physical laws.

obey God's physical laws.

We also have social limitations. By that I mean in the liberties of social economies. Every man's liberty ends where his neighbor's liberties begin. As a citizen of the United States I have no right in the sight of the law which is not possessed in an equal degree by every other private citizen of the United States. Neither has any other citizen of the United States a social right which I as an individual citizen do not possess. In other words, my liberties are mine

individual citizen do not possess. In other words, my liberties are mine only as long as I do not transgress the rights of my neighbors.

Let me illustrate my thought by the civilized laws of our country. America is called the "land of the free." But freedom does not mean license. For the benefit of our social life we have established restrictions on liberty, and those restrictions on liberty, and those restrictions must be obeyed. I see a ship sailing hither from the Orient. It is magnificently furnished with lavish splendor. It is owned by an Oriental gentleman of high caste who is comgentleman of high caste who is coming to live among us. He has heard that America is the land of the free and supposes that here a man may live as he pleases. He has on board eight wives, and he sets up his harem in one of our great cities. One day an officer of the law comes to him and says: "This kind of household is contrary to our laws. You have seven wives too many." But the Oriental replies: "I have taken out naturalization papers, and I am a free citizen. I can live as I choose." But the officer answers: "No; you are under legal restrictions. If you congentleman of high caste who is com inder legal restrictions. If you tinue to violate them we shall send you to prison as a bigamist."

The land of the free? Yes, if you

The land of the free? Yes, if you obey our laws, but not otherwise. You are free to do as you will in your own home—that is, if you do not abuse your offspring. If you do, as an agent for the Society For the Prevention of Cruelty to Children I can step in and take your children away from you. The land of the free? Yes, but you dare not sell to my children obscene pictures, for if you do I can make you wear convict's stripes. The land of the free? Yes, it is the land of the free if you do not try to forcibly enter my do not try to forcibly enter my home, or rob my store, or refuse to pay your taxes, or to go to war as an American soldier when you are drafted, or to serve in the jury box when you are empaneled. You are free, in a social sense, only when your liberties do not conflict with

the equal liberties of some one else Under the old educational system every American college used to exact a hidebound course. The young man who was a candidate for the B. A degree had to take just so much of mathematics, so much of philosophy, so much of this and that and the other thing. But now our college systems have become broadened. The "elective system" is in vogue. Great educational leaders have come to the logical and right conclusion that what is meat for one brain may be poison for another. Charles Sumner was one of the greatest men Ameri-ca ever produced, but it was simply an impossibility for Charles Summer to grasp mathematics. As a result of this deficiency Summer, one of the greatest of all Massachusetts' scholars, was unable to graduate from

Harvard College.
Sometimes there is born a child,

as was Edmund Clarence Stedman as was Edmund Clarence Stedman, with a brain of myriad possibilities.

As an American poet he treads closely upon the heels of our greatest poets. Yet Stedman, the poet, is also Stedman, the Wall street banker, as he was also Stedman, the famous war correspondent. But such minds as that of Edmund Clarence. minds as that of Edimund Clarence Stedman are the rare exceptions. For the most part God gives to man but one first class talent and man but one first class talent and mot ten. The reason Theodore Parker became the great power he was in his day was because, as he said: "Everything I ever saw or did I ground up into the mental grist for my sermons. I was born a preacher and can do nothing else but preach." Many a soldier has been a failure as a statesman, many a statesman, has a statesman; many a statesman has

Many a soldier has been a failure as a statesman; many a statesman has proved his utter incapacity when he tried to command an army.

The limitations of brain power can be well illustrated by comparing the mental makeup of Henry Ward Beecher with that of his illustrious father, Lyman Beecher, one of the greatest ecclesiastical leaders of his day. The famous pastor of Plymouth pulpit was in every sense a prose poet. He spoke, he thought, he lived, in synibol and picturesque verbiage. The songs of the birds, the beautiful wardrobes of the flowers, the autumnal sunsets, the beehives, the snow banks, the murmuring brooks—all had to him a message. Lyman Beecher was made of angular Puritan grante. He was in every sense a logician and a polemic, Like John Cathoun, he was skilful in argument. Grant his simple premises, and you must grant his conclusions. He appealed mostly to the brain as gray matter and not to the artistic sentiments.

It was a great source of sorrow to Henry Ward Beecher this futher.

It was a great source of sorrow to Henry Ward Beecher that his father It was a great source of sorrow to Henry Ward Beecher that his father never loved nature as he loved it. Lyman Beecher loved to hunt. He loved the woods for game, but not for the flowers. He never loved flowers as flowers. Facts always had to be presented to him as bare, unbreakable rocks, and not as rocks clothed in garments of green and in Joseph's coats of many floral colors One day, much to Henry Ward Beecher's surprise, he saw his father standing before a beautiful picture. It was a hunting scene, but the son prized it for the beautiful colors, such as are always found in the retreat of the woods. "Ah." said Henry Ward Beecher, "father is at last learned to love nature!" He stepped up to the side of the old man and said: "Father, how do you like the picture? What do you like about it most?" "Well, Henry," said the old man, "I was studying that picture to see whether the artist had aimed that gun right. Yes, I think that hunter will hit the rabbit. I think he will. I think he will." "Ah, father," said Henry Ward, "can you not see anything

more in that picture than a cruel man shedding the blood of an in-nocent, playful rabbit?"

No, Henry Ward Beecher's mind and Lyman Beecher's mind were cast in different molds. They both had their limitations. What one could do in a mental way the other could do in a mental way the other could do in a mental way the other could

If the United States Government compels us to obey certain social laws, enacted upon the statute books by the dictates of its own national legislators, is it unjust for God to declare that when we surrender our hearts to him we should come to him in his way and not in ours? If him in his way and not in ours? If we have our mental limitations and only in a feeble and incomplete way can grasp the infinite thought of God, are we not foolish in setting up ourselves as judges and critics of his methods? Ought we not rather to accept his plans and humbly to submit surselves to his rule? That is the way to true freedom. When we accept the truth that he has revealed to us and give ourselves to his guidance, we learn by experience that the truth makes us free.

True freedom always has its limitations. The Christian life, too, has its rightful limitations. Christ said, "I am the way, the truth and the

'I am the way, the truth and the In his service are endless joy and pleasure for evermore.

free? In antebellum days there was a beautiful scene enacted in one of the southern slave markets. A young black girl stood upon the auca. Christian gentleman, holding by the hand his own young daughter. The young girl's heart went out for the sufferings of her black sister, and she persuaded her father to purslave. When the black girl was handed over to her new master he said: "Mary, I bought you for my daughter's sake. I now give you your papers of freedom. You can go where and when you please. The are free." "What, master, am ce? Can I go where I will? shall go and stay with you." she was a slave before the auction. She was a slave after the auction. ot let 'the truth make you free' Christ? He died to make you free. With his divine limitation will you not be eternally free, yet still in bondage to Jesus Christ?

A DANGER TO BABY.

Doctors have preached against the Doctors have preached against the so-called soothing medicines for years, but they are still used altogether too much. The fact that they put children to sleep is no sign that they are heloful. Ask your doctor and he will tel. you that you have merely drugged your little one into insensibility—that soothing medicines are dangerous. If your little one needs a medicine give it Baby's Own Tablets, and you give it a medicine lets. lets, and you give it a medicine guaranteed to contain no opiate or harmful drug. You can give these Tablets just as safely to a new born infant as to the well grown child. of childhood. Mrs. J. M. Gilpin, Bell-haven, Ont., says: "Since I gave my little one Baby's Own Tablets there has been a marvellous change in her appearance, and she is growing splendidly. You may count me always a friend to the Tablets." Ask your druggist for this medicine or send 25 cents to The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., and get a box by mail post paid.

ALL EATEN UP!

The editor of a country newspaper to often his own reportorial staff as well, and some of his experiences when out after news should make interesting reading. The editor of a flourishing journal in a northern California town recently called at the home of the bride's parents" the day after the wedding. He was desirous of telling his readers all about the event and wished to give the young couple a good send-off as well. The bride's mother met him. "Good morning, Mrs. Jones," said the editor. "I've called to get some of the details of the wedding." "Goodness" replied Mrs. Jones, in dismay, "they're all gone. You ought to have come last night. They are, every scrap."—San Francisco Bulletin.

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"I am the way, the truth and the life; no man cometh unto the Father but by me." There is only one way to God, one door, one true life. But after we have once entered through that open door then we are free. Aye, we may become transcendently and eternally free. Is not my text right when it says, "In Christ the truth shall make you free?" The freedom he gives is the freedom from sin, the freedom from punishment, but that freedom, like all others, can be obtained only by all others, can be obtained only by submitting to Christ's rule. In one way alone can we gain that freedom, and that is by the way of the cross.

My brother, my sister, are you ready to let the truth make you tion block and was being sold to the highest bidder. Rough men were trying to buy her for evil purposes, but in that group of by-standers was chase the slave. Higher and higher went the price, but at last the Chris-tian gentleman bought the young slave. When the black girl was She was a slave after the auction. But now she had become a slave of love. Will you not, oh, man, oh, woman, hear Christ's proclamation of emancipation from sin? Will you —that is, will you not, in Christ's mame, cease to be a subject of sin, but in bondage for the love of

Druggists.

FORMING AN IMPRESSION An old lawyer tells this story of one of his experiences, years ago, in cross-examination. The witness seem-ed to be disposed to dodge his ques-tions. Sir,' said the lawyer, sternly, 'you reed not state your impressions. We want the facts. We are competent to form our own impressions. Now,

sir, answer me categorically.'
From that time on he could get little more than 'yes' or 'no' out of the witness. Presently the lawyer said: 'You say you live next door to the defendant?'

To the north of him?'
'No.'
'To the south?'

'No.'
'Well, to the west, then?'

'No.'
'Ah,' said the lawyer, sarcastically, we are likely at last to get down to the one real fact. You live to the east of him, do you?' 'No.'

'No.'
'How is that, sir?' the astonished attorney asked. 'You say you live next door to him; yet he lives neither to the north, south, east or west of you. What do you mean by that,

'I thought perhaps you were com-petent to form the impression that we live in a flat,' said the witness, calmly: 'but I see I must inform you that he lives next door above me.'— Pittsburg 'Gazette.'

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PITH AND POINT.

The man who changes jobs frequently never has a good one.
When company goes there is a feeling about the house that suggests an

ing about the house that suggests an easy old shoe.

It is the opinion of every mother that a boy never loses an opportunity for attempting to break his neck.

Because a friend shows a desire to be sympathetic don't pull the family skeleton out of the closet to entertain him.

As a man gets older he finds that more of his friends are visiting the cemetery when they go riding than formerly.

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BORN TO TROUBLE

There was not a boy born to any radesman or mechanic in the Russian apital who has not a fairer chance both of happiness and of usefulnes than his heir to the throne of al the Russias. Unless he grows up to be a very great man indeed he is predestined, considering the anomalousness of his position in the modern world, to a life of tragical futility.

New York Times world, to a life of -New York Times.

VERY REMARKABLE CURE OF DIARRHOEA

"About six years ago, for the first time in my life I had a sudden and severe attack of diarrhoea," says Mrs. Alice Miller, of Morgan, Texas. "I got temporary relief, but it came back got temporary reast, but it came back again and again, and for six long years I have suffered more misery and agony than I can tell. It was worse than death. My husband spen hundreds of dollars for physicians' hundreds of dollars for physicians' prescriptions and treatm'nt, without avail. Finally we moved to Bosque county, our present home, and one day I happened to see an advertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with a testimonial of a man who had been cured by it. The case was so similar to my own that I concluded to try the remedy. The result was wonderful. I edy. The result was wonderful. I could hardly realize that I was well again, or believe it could be so after having suffered so long, but that one bottle of medicine, costing but a few cents, cured me." For sale by All Druggists. ... \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

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REWARKABLE WATCH

it.

The entire skull is curiously enaved. On the forehead there is a sture of death, with the usual ythe and flour glass and sand glass, ythe and hour glass and sand glass, as is depicted as standing between a lace and a hovel, to show that he no respecter of persons, and undernath is the familiar quotation from orace, "Pallida moresaequo pulsaide pauperium tabernas Regumques rres." At the back of the skull is other representation, this one being three devouring everything. Time erything.
and beside him

Below these pictures running right round the skull, there is an openwork band, to allow the sound of the striking of the watch to be heard. The openwork is a series of designs out to represent the various emblems of the erucifixion, such as scourges, the cross, swords, spears, the lantern used in the garden, and so forth. All of the earryings have appropriate Latin quotations. time devouring everything. Time so carries a scythe, and beside him the emblem of eternity—the serint with its tail in its mouth. The upper section of the skull is rided into two pictures. On one side the crucifixion, with the Marys eeeling at the foot of the oros, and the other side are Adam and Everynded by animals in the Garden

various.

y reversing the skull and holding upper part in the palm of the dard lifting the under jaw on hinge the watch may be opened, on the plate inside is a represenon of the stable at Bethelbem, h the shepherds and their flocks Many men carry their money in wads, notes of several denominations crumpled together into an irregular paper ball. A cash bettor at the paper ball a cash bettor at the bills in very pocket, mixed up with newspaper clippings, telegrams, letters, memoranda, etc., with his watch, teys, penkinfe, cigars, matches, cycglasses, handkerchiefs, penell, etc. At times he carries several thousand dollars in this reckless fashion and in the rush to bet often loses tidy sums. He never knows how much cash he has on hand. He is a perfect gold mine to his washwoman.

A good spender about town carries his notes in his hip pocket carelessly wadded up, but can reach under himself and extract a dollar bill without difficulty. Capt. Tom Lee (not Commodore Tom Lee, of the Lackawanna fleet) carries his change in his outside coat pocket and nover losses a cent. A celebrated Scotchman has a new dollar bill concealed in évery one of his pookets, neatly folded and ready to be cast out for a treat. She supply seems inexhaustible. His "bank roll" is in his inside vest pocket with a rubber band around it. Not one man in a thousand carries his bills in a flat pocket; book, or wallet. That method is regarded as dangerous. Very rich men carry the smallest sums in cash, sometimes not enough for car fare, but they are usually provided with blank obecks. Gamblers tote big rolls to be ready for anything that turns up he their line,—Victor Smith, in

MONEY IN THE MOUTH.

"Aren't you ambitious to rank as a captain of industry?"
"No," unsweeted Senator Sorghum.
"I'm satisfied to keep connected with the paymaster's department."—Washington Star. The works of the watch are in the brains of the skull, the dial plate being where the roof of the mouth would be in a real skull. This is of silver and gold, with elaborate scrolls, while the hours are marked in large Roman letters. The works are remarkably complete even to a large silver bell with a musical sound, which holds the works in the skull when the watch is closed.

This curious old watch is still in perfect order and when wound avery day keeps accurate time. It is too large to be worn and was probably intended for a desk or private altar.—Kansas City Journal. Do you ever put money in your mouth? Do you ever take the nickel for carfare between your teeth while you replace the glove you removed to search for the nickel? Did it ever cocur to you what goes into your mouth with the nickel? Where has the nickel wandered since it came from the mint? Imagine its journeys and perhaps you won't care to thrust it between your teeth or to hold it in your fips for even the fraction of a second. Who else has held it in his mouth? In whose pocket has it reposed? From what flithy gutter has it been rescued by a sharp-eyed youngster, and who lost it there?—Philadelphia Inquirer.

WHERE TO \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* CHATHAM, ONT, SATURDAY, AUGUST 27, 1904 Supplement to The Saturday Planet

CARRY MONEY

One of the shrewdest "special agents"—I assume you know that a special agent now-a-days means a confidential man of the highest authorities of a bank, trust company or other financial corporation—carries his paper money in the side pocket of his crousers, and whon in a crowd has the tips of his fingers touching the roll. "Never hold your money in your hand," he advises. "One of the commonest tricks of the guns (professional pickpockets) is to pinch your flipper (arm) suddenly and jerk your mitt (hand) out of your pocket with the roll in it; then rap you over the wrist and make you drop the roll. The confederate grabs it and disappears. Most men loss their money in that way. By keeping your fingers in touch with the dark (money) in your pocket you know it's there without standing a chance of losing it in the way described.

A SPRING DAY.

Beside the meadow brook we go For violets sweet and crucus.

The maple buds are bursting slow,
The bluebirds seek the branches
Of peach and apple trees aglow,
Their blossoms sweet entrances. The purling brook makes merry hum;
We follow where it leads us,
And find at every bend and turn
A floweret sweet to please us.

The tender grass bends heath our feet,
The soft winds fan, time doth fly.
Oh, spring has come, we soft repeat,
And cold winter's time gone by.

heart, We watch the robins seek their nest And leave the meadow brook apart.

MAN IN THE PEW

When preachers are asking each other why it is that the pulpit no longer attracts as once it did, the man in the pew may be pardoned for making reply.

It is not because the man in the pulpit is less eloquent or less earnest in his ministrations than were his predecessors, that he fails to move hearts as did Wesley and Whitfield and Campbell and Beecher. Hather is it because the man in the pew demands something more satisfying than shop-worn dogmas and creeds. The general tendency of the religious world to-day is toward tolerance and liberty of thought. Heresy hunting is no longer popular. The man in the pew is tired of being fed upon the dry husks of doctrinal theories.

And sweet the springtime lures

The dandelions bestar the green
Where lambs are gayly playing;
The cowslips bend in yellow sheen
Where calves and sows are straying.

With hands full of the blossoms blue, And catkins from the willow, With crocus, too, of varied hue, We cross the little billow.

While sinks the sun in crimson west, We homeward turn with happy

So slowly now the shadows creep, So still and gently-night doth come, So still and gently-night doth all nature sleep, Now softly doth all nature sleep, And the springtime day is done.

theories.

It was different when Knox thunlet was different when knox thunlet was different when as lived.

Pulpit eloquence alone no longer
satisfies, as it once did. Of Whitfield it was said that his preaching
was "as when the strong wind passed
by and rent the mountain." When
hove thall exhorted, his auditors
involuntarily rose to their feet and
remained standing.

All this was well enough then, but
not now. The man in the pulpit can
no longer frighten the man in the
pew. The man in the pew wants a
man in the pulpit who is broad and
inclusive in his conceptions and relations, familiar with and interested
in the affairs of the whole people,
and, to sum up, an "all-round" man.

The preacher who can do all these
things, though he lack the power and
eloquence of the pulpit giants of old,
will be all that the man in the pew
desires. And being that, he will come
pretty near filling the place to which
he is called by the divine Master.

Ancient time-keeping has received new light from two remarkable stones lately unearthed by the German explorers on the site of the old Ionic port of Miletus. These stones are the remains of calendars, of which one is shown to date from 109 A. D. The year was divided into 12 zodical signs, and against each month the motion of the remaining signs was given, with a note predicting the weather. On the left side were thirty holes, a wooden peg being moved forward one hole each day, thus giving the astronomical date. This new find has made clear the meaning of parapegma, or peg calendar, a name by which other stones have been rather mysteriously known.

LAST OF BOULANGER'S FAMOUS CHARGER.

Hill is now able to sit up in bed, and occasionally opens his eyes. He realizes that his wife is with him, and tries hard to speak of her, but after a word or two his conversation breaks into an unintelligible numble. He often expresses a desire to write and, when given the necessary materials, he starts off with the oustomary date line and the name of some friend, skips the body of the missive, and then, instead of signing his own name, signs the name of the person he is writing to at the bottom of the page. This is regarded as a favorable sign, for, while he cannot bring himself to write the letter itself, he knows where to begin and end it. One of the attendants filled a pipe and placed it in Hill's mouth to see what the effect would be. Hill promptly asked for a match, and when it was handed him he promptly "jit up." promptly asked for a match, and when it was handed him he promptly "lit up."
"In the whole, the case is regarded as the strangest in the history of the santarium.

The case of Thomas Hill, the Detroit Southern engineer, who revived after remaining unconscious nearly two weeks, is growing more remarkable every day, and is proving a puzzle to the doctors at the Detrit sanitarium. If Hill fully recovers his senses, as is expected, it will be little short of a miracle. He will be three months, at least, before the doctors will be able to say definitely if his recovery will be complete, and in that event, he will be three years longer getting well.

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CURIOUS CALENDARS.

One of the effects of the hot weather in Paris has been to put an end to General Boulanger's old black horse, that once famous charger which used to carry France's idol majestically at reviews and figured in the welcome to that hero as he rode back at the head of the Paris garrison from Longchamps to the War Office. The poor old black horse suffered the usual fate of his race. General Boulanger should have shot him before he shot himself, for in all these years that have elapsed since the "brave general" weakly died, he has been dragging out a wretched existence, succumbing finally while drawing a vegetable cart across the Place de la Concorde! The blazing sun killed Tunis—Boulanger's black charger.—Boston Herald,

"I ain't got 'em all," he sobbed, holding out two of the buttons. "Here's Life an' here's Liberty, but mommer sewed the Pursuit o' Happiness on my pants."

OIL FUEL IN THE NAVY.

The British Admiralty seems to have met with success in the utilization of liquid fuel upon war vessels, despite the objections against its use, which interfere with its adaptability for fighting ships. The torpedo-boat destroyer Spiteful has been passed into the Portsmouth Fleet Reserve, after satisfactorily undergoing her power trials. This vessel is only fitted for oil fuel, and is the first warship to be so equipped. The one great difficulty that has confronted the experimenters is the excessive smoke emitted by the consumption of oil, but this drawback has now heen successfully overcome. No more smoke is emitted than with steam coal. One of the greatest advantages accruing from the use of liquid fuel is the economy in men. The number of stokers required for The vessel is decreased by ten or more. As the method adopted upon the Spiteful has proved so completely successful, the furnaces of two battleships are immediately to be converted to burning liquid fuel.

When a woman knows a man loves her there comes a feeling of the sweetest contentment.

BACK FROM

THE GRAVE

Agriculture has been the main support of the Russian people from the earliest times, Four-fifths of its inhabitants till the soil. There are great areas still unoultivated, even in European Russia, the forests covering about two-fifths of the arable land. One-fifth of Russia, including the tundras in the north and the salt steppes in the south, is too barren to grow crops and swamps cover about 15,000,000 acres in West Russia. Accordingly, only one-fifth of European Russia is under cultivation, including about 215 0.000 acres. With the forest razed and the swamps drained Russia would have nearly one billion onlitivated acres.

AN INTERRUPTED LESSON.

This story is 'told of a Washington school principal who was trying to make clear to his class the fundamental doctrines of the Declaration of Independence—
"Now, boys," he said, "I will give you each three ordinary buttons. Here they are. You must think of the first one as representing Life, of the second as representing Liberty, and the third as representing the Pursuit of Happiness, Next Sunday I will ask you each to produce the three buttons and tell me what they

represent."
The following Sunday, in accordance with his plan, the teacher interrogated his class on the subject of the buttons, the following said he to the youngest member, "produce your buttons and tell me what they stand Whereupon the youngster began to

The raining harl See, whe spar Glitter land rere the fire-logs glow and tk, the lights of the Shadow-

Are rip ples lapping upon its strand,

move slow, in the dusky

ARIZONA'S AGATE BRIDGE.

the "Petrified Forest" of Arizona
e is a natural bridge, across a
ow canyon, consisting of the petd, or agatized, trunk of a tree,
feet in length. The petrified
s in this region are believed to
flourished in the Triassic age,
t of them are allied in the Norfolk
and pine (Arnearia) of to-day, but
e resemble the red cedar. Prof.
S. Carter thinks that the petriion was due to solute silicates
ved from the decomposition of the
spathic coment found in the sand-

"Let me take ten dollars, Jones. I've got to pay a bill."
"I'm awfully sorry, Tanks, but I've only five dollars here."
"Well, will you lend me 'that?"
"Why, you said it would take ten dollars." es. I suppose I'll have to pay of it myself."

RUSSIA'S MAIN SUPPORT.

Scotchman much abou the Lord, s try it with fence won' that an av in the day THE FERRY TO SHADOWTOWN.

Swell to and fro in the twilight gray, This is the ferry for Shadowtown; It always sails at the end of day Just as the darkness closes down.

Rest, little head, on my shoulder, sol A sleepy kiss is the only fare, Drifting away from the world we go, Raby and I in the rocking-chair.

ng drops on the window,

There, where the mirror is glancing dim, a lake lies shimmering, cool and still; Blossoms are waving above its brim-Those over there on the window sill.

Rock low, light Silently 1 Dear little night We've re y lower the anchor down; the passenger, say "Good-ht ?" reached the harbor of the dowtown.

-Motherhood.

**Short Stories** 

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Something to interest the Soys and Girls.

HARD LUCK.

An old writer tells of a man who prided himself on his great morality and expected to be saved by it. He was continually saying—"I am doing pretty well, on the whole; I sometimes get mad and swear, but then I am strictly honsest; I work on Sunday when I am particularly busy, but I give good deal to the poor, and I never was drunk in my life,"

in my life,"

This man once hired a canny Scotchman to build a fence around his lot and gave him very particular directions as to his work. In the evening, when the Scotchman came in from his labor, the man said—iverline, and is it tight and strong?"

"I canna say that it is tight and strong," replied Jock, "but it's a good average fence, anyhow, If some parts are a little weak, others are extra strong. I don't know but I may have left a gap here and there, a yard wide or so; but then I made up for it by doubling the number of rails on each side of the gap. I dare say that the cattle will find it a very good fence, on the whole, and will like it, though I canna just say that the series." the edge?

"The man will have his seat picked out before the car stops. He has no trouble in picking out the empty spaces in the car. But nine out of ten women go all to pieces the minute the car stops. After a woman has done a few laps alongside the car looking for an empty seat, it's dollars to doughnuts that she will jokk a full one and pass right by one that's got some room in it.

"What," cried the man, not seeing "What," cried the man, not seeing the point, "do you tell me that you we built a fence around my lot th weak spots in it, and gaps in it! thy you might as well have built no hy you might as well have built no nee at all. If there is one opening, a place where an opening can be ade, the eattle will be sure to find and will all go through. Don't u know, man, that a fence must perfect or its worthless?" I used to think so," said the dry octoman. "but I hear you talk so octoman. "but I hear you talk so octoman. "but I hear you talk so octoman bout averaging matters with the Lord, seems to me that we might y it with the cattle. If an average nee won't do for them, I am afraid at an average character won't do the day of judgment." "Seems to me that the street car companies would confer a great benefit on their male passengers if they employed men to act as ushers for the women on open cars in the summer or else put up moveable signs over empty seats. Then we'd all be happy."—New York Sun.

william Dean Howells was at Oxford, where an honorary degree had been conferred upon him. He was walking down High street with an aged fellow of Brasenose college. The talk turned to the passing of one literary school and the raise of an other, and the Oxford man said:

"I am reminded of an old clergy-man I used to know in Woodstock."

"He was very old. The only person in his parish of equal age with him was a tailor, and the tailor and he were great friends. They often called on each other.

"Well, one evening, the clergyman sat in the tailor's shop. He was quiet and thoughtful. He gazed into the fire in silence for a long time. Finally he said with a sigh:

"James, I can't tell why it is that our congregation is gotting smaller and smaller. I am sure I preach as well as I ever did, and I must have gathered a great deal of wisdom and experience since I first came among you."

"Ah, sir,' said the tailor, sadly, 'old parsons, nowadays, are like old I ever did, and my cloth is the same, or better, but it's the cut—then new cut—that beats me,'"—New York Tribune. IT'S IN THE CUT.

"THE WOODS IS FULL OF 'EM."

"The woods is full of 'em" is an old expression used in all parts of the country, but few people are aware that it had its origin in a circumstance that happened near Wiscasset, years ago.

An old man was out shooting squirrels. He was so deaf that he could hardly hear the report of his own

gun.

A stranger came along and said:
"Please, sir, which is the road to Wiscasset!"
The old man replied: "There is a
guirrel sitting up there on a fimb."
Said the stranger: "I did not ask
you about the squirrel, but which is
the road to Wiscasset."
The old man answered: "There he
has just gone around the other side
of the tree, and in a hole."
The stranger said: "You are a
darned fool."
The deaf man replied: "The woods
is full of 'em."

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AVERAGE MAN

HEALTHY EXERCISES

"I'd like to know why it is that a woman can't see an empty seat on an open car when it's starig her in the face," said a disagreeable man, grumpier than usual under the influence of the heat. "I've had to ride all over town on surface cars a good deal this summer and I've seen cars delayed time and again by the apparant stupidity of women who couldn't find a seat.

"Of course, a woman can't travel along the footboard like a man, but why, after she has taken plenty of time to survey a car which is only half filled, will she insist on climbing into a row where she either has to stand up until some perspiring man gives up his seat to her, or else squeeze in where she-has to sit on the edge?

fifty, exercise is the nearest approach of fifty, exercise is the nearest approach to a panacea for bodily ills that has yet been devised. Causing the body to move and stretch and push and pull makes the blood circulate, the liver do its work and the nerves pick up their dropped stitches. An excellent time to exercise is before breakfast. Neither man nor beast, as a rule, goes to sleep hungry. During sleep there is little waste of energy. On awaking there is no immediate demand for replenishment of lost tissues. Furthermore, the long sleep has left the nerves and the digestive apparatus dull and leadened. To sit down to a heavy breakfast within fifteen or twenty minutes after getting out of bed means that the stomach receives food which it does not need and will not readily digest.

A little shaking up before breakfast arouses the vitality and consequently makes the appetite and digestion better. That means better work done during the day. If a man can get away from work in time to take additional exercise during the afternoon he will have a better appetite for the evening meal and more power to digest it. That will mean better sleep at night. Many a man has succeeded in the world without paying any attention to his body—Joseph Chamberlain, for instance. But such men would probably have such more enduring in a healthy body than in a sickly one. The best way to keep the body healthy is to use it.—Chicago Tribune.

IN FABLE.

Once there was a young bride who believed in Will Flower. "If I will will a thing I know it will Come About," she used to say. This young woman loved her husband very much and was loath to have him out of her sight. One evening he had to Meet a Man down town and she was left a Man down town and she was left a Alone. While sitting in the parloy she began to wish that her husband would Come Back. Suddenly an idea Struck Her.

"I know what I'll do," she said to herself, "I'll Will that he Come Home That will bring him." So she did. The young bride Willed and Willed After five minutes of Willing she Heard it on The Porch.

"I knew it would Bring him," she said, and then she Flew to the Door and kissed the Approaching Man squarely in the Mouth. Imagine her chagrin, upon releasing him, to hear him say: "That's Yery Nice, ma am, but is Miss Bridget in I" She had kissed the Hired Girl's Fiance. Morad: The mind is Strong, but the eye sight is frequently More Reliable.—
Kansas City Times.

DISEASE IN FRANCE.

A prominent physician in France points a gloomy picture of the prevalence of certain forms of disease in that country. He writes that alcoholism is making deplorable ravages, while tuberculosis carries off more than 150,000 victims every year, and saps the strength of 500,000 in addition. He declares also that, whereas in other civilized lands small-pox is not prevalent, in France there are still than y cases, while the care still than y cases, while the care distressingly frequent. Traditions have been widely accepted that the excellence of Gallic cookery lessened the multitudes of the sick in our sister republic in comparison with those of other nations. It would be interesting to know whether the British channel and Italy take gloomy and pessimistic views of the future of France.—Kansas City Journal.