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LONDON, CANADA, SATURDAY, MARCH 5, 1898.

WHOLE NO. 10,772.

DIED.

ROOTS-On March 4, 1893, at 491 Horton street. Amelia Eliza, second daughter of the late Henry Roots, in her 53rd year. Funeral private. Service at 4 p.m., at femorial Church on Saturday.

GRAY-On March 5, at his father's residence 358 Waterloo street, William James Gray, second son of T. D. Gray, aged 26 years and 5

Funeral on Tuesday, March 8, at 9:30 a.m., services at 9 a.m., to G. T. R. station. Toronto papers please copy. Amusements and Lectures

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DRINCESS-BAND TONIGHT, ICE EN-CHANTING, music catchy, skating MRS. S. T. RORER WILL GIVE A FREE lecture on Monday evening, at 8 o'clock, in the Auditorium, to which all women are invited.

KING STREET PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. Thos. Wilson. Morning, "Mount Horeb." Evening, "Who Is Your Master?" Seats free. All welcome.

MRS. S. T. RORER. THE QUEEN OF Cooks, at the Auditorium. Monday. 2:30 CHALMERS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. Walter Moffat, pastor, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Ordination of Elders at evening service. French Omelets, Omelet Souffle, Corn Puff, Kibbar and Coffee. Lessons daily next week, at 2:39 p.m. Doors open at 2 p.m. Tickets for course \$2 50. Single tickets 50c. b

DON'T FORGET CHOSEN FRIENDS CON. CERT. Council No. 19, Foresters' Hall, South London, Monday evening, March 7. Single tickets 15c; double 25c, b THE THIRD OF A SERIES OF VIAVA free health talks to women by Mrs. Stein, merset Hall, Thursday, March 10, at 3 p.m.

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PIRST METHODIST CHURCH-MRST METHODIST CHURCH— Morning, Dr. Daniel.
Anthem, Come Ye Thankful People.
Solo, Ave Maria.
Solo, Love Not the World.
Evening, Dr. Daniel.
Anthem, The Radiant Morn.
Solo, Fear Not Ye, O Israel.
Hymn, Some Sweet Day.
Sacrament at close of service.

KING STREET METHODIST CHURCH-Rev. Mr. Middleton will preach at both services. All welcome. CENTENNIAL METHODIST CHURCH— W. J. Ford, pastor. Morning, Fellowship meeting at 10 o'clock. Public worship at 11. Subject—"The Church in Smyrna." Evening— Exposition of Rev. iv.

WELLINGTON STREET METHODIST ST. JAMES' PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH— Rev. John Anderson, of Toronto, will conduct services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Visitors

A Street Baptist Church, Sunday, March 6, 11 a.m.; 7 p.m., Rev. Mr. Hartly, of St. Thomas, will preach. Collections in aid of building will preach. Collections in fund. Everybody welcome. FIRST CONGREGATIONAL-REV. J. W. Pedley. Morning, "A Live God"-Communion Service; evening, "Blood Money."

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH-REV. W. J. Clark, pastor, will preach at both services. At 11 a.m., Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. 7 p.m., Last lecture on Micah. 3 p.m., Sabbath school and Society for Bible Study. DUNDASCENTER METHODIST CHURCH UNDASCENTER METHODISI CHURCH—11 a.m., Rev. George H. Filian, of Armenia; 7 p. m., Rev. E. B. Lanceley. Reception of members and sacrament at close of evening service. Morning, anthem. O Worship the Lord (Watson); trio, Father, Lead Me (Butterfield). Evening, anthem. Send Out Thy Light (Guonod); solo, My Redeemer and My Lord (Dudley Buck); quartet, Now the Day is Over (Marks).

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Sunday, 4:15. Illustrated address on Armenia

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TALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH-Rev. Ira Smith, pastor. Services as usual, 11 a.m. and 7 p.in. A SKIN STREET METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. Richard Hobbs. Services as usual.

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London, Ont., March 4, 1898.

Notice to Creditors.

N THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF William Stevely, late of the city of London in the county of Middlesex, merchant, deceased in the county of Middlesex, merchant, deceased. Notice is hereby given pursuant to R. S. O., 1887, chapter 110, section 36, and amending acts, that all persons having claims against the deceased are hereby required to file the same with the undersigned solicitors for the executors on or before the 15th day of March, 1898, after which date the estate will be distributed. Parke, Purdom & Purdom, Solicitors.

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56c Feb 15 Mar 5, 12 London, Or

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL outstanding accounts due the estate of the late Dr. H. Gardiner have to be paid to Mr. Edward Thornton, 375 Maitland street, hours 1 to 3 and 7 to 9 p.m., on or before the 15th day of March next. After said date all unpaid accounts will be placed in suit. Dated at London Feb. 14, 1898.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—IN THE ESTATE of William James Clarke, late of city of London, in Ontario, barrister, deceased. Notice is hereby given pursuant to R. S. O., 1897. chap. 129, sec. 38, that all persons having claims against the estate of the said W. J. Clarke, who died on the 23rd day of Jahuary, 1898, at the said city of London, are required to deliver to Jarvis & Vining, 191 Dundas street, London, Ont., solicitors for Louisa Frances Clarke, the administratrix of the said estate, on or before the 30th day of April, 1898, their names, addresses and descriptions, and full particulars of their claims and secureties if any) held by them, duly verified, and that after the said 30th April, 1898, the administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims of which she shall then have notice, and that the said administratrix will not be liable for the assets so W. C. COO, C.S.R., one of the control of the contro

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BY AUCTION.

J. W. JONES HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED by Mr. Chas. Edwards to sell at his residence, 51 Craig street. South London, on Thursday, March 10, at 10:30 a.m., his household effects, comprising parlor suite in odd pieces, center tables, pictures, curtains, hall stand and chair, hall lamp, bookcase (in oak), sideboard, dining table and leather chairs (in oak), dinner set, glassware, cutlery, fruit, contents of three baseburner (with oven), gasoline stove (large, for family), veranda chairs, box stove, ladder, carpets, mower, garden tools, ctc. All of the above is in good order, only being a short time in use.

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Auctioneer.

Auction Sale of Drygoods, Boots and Shoes, Groceries, etc.

W. JONES HAS RECEIVED INSTRUC-at his warerooms, Dundas street, London, on Friday, March 11, at 2 p.m., the stock belonging to the estate of Rettenmier Bros., Duart, consisting of the following: Drygoods ... Groceries, etc. 118 80
Boots and shoes 305 61 ...\$1,541 79

Total.......\$1,541 79

Terms: One-quarter cash (10 per cent at time of sale); balance in two and four months, with interest at 7 per cent per annum, secured to the satisfaction of the trustee. Stock and inventory may be seen on the premises, and inventory at the office of C. S. Scott, trustee, Canada Life Chambers, Hamilton.

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(1) The stock of R. Spittal, London, as follows:

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Ottawa Opposition Decline to Appear to Substantiate Their Charges.

Drummond County Railway Bargain No Longer Alleged to be Corrupt.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, March 5.-The special committee appointed to inquire into Drummond County Railway affairs, as a consequence of the charges made by opposition members in the last session of parliament, sat this forenoon. Mr. Lister was appointed chairman. Walter Barwick, Q.C., Toronto, will appear for A UCTION SALE OF INSOLVENTS stock of millinery and fancy goods. In the matter of Elizabeth H. Sweet, of the village of Alvinston, in the county of Lambton, retail milliner. There will be sold at a rate on the dollar, at the auction rooms of J. W. Jones, 242 Dundas street, London, on Monday, the 14th day of March at 230 o'clock in the afternoon. country. It was decided to summon Mr. Courtney, deputy minister of finance, and Mr. Schrieber, deputy minister of railways, for next Tuesday. Mr. Morrison suggested that notice should be given to the public that the committee was sitting, so that no one would have the excuse afterwards of saying that they were not aware of the fact. Hon. Mr. Haggart and Mr. Lister said that this was not usual. The public would have sufficient notice when the proceedings of the committee were reported to the house and through the press.

Mr. Lister said that if no one came forward, then the committee would have to proceed and probe the matter to the bottom. The committee adjourned until Tuesday next.

Novel Sensation.

Breach of Promise Case Killed by a Husband's Entrance.

A St. Catharines Woman Plantiff-Damages Asked for \$20,000.

Cleveland, Ohio, March 5 .- Before Judge Disette, in the common pleas court, the case of Mrs. Margaret I. Johnson against William Hendy for \$20,000 damages for breach of promise of marriage was called. In 1874 Mrs. Johnson married Jacob Cusler at St. Catharines, Ont. He deserted her the day after the wedding, 329 00 and later, she heard he was dead. She came to this city and married Johnson, living with him nineteen years. Then she obtained a divorce. Subsequently, she says, William Hendy asked her to marry him.

On Thursday, as the attorneys were

taking their places, Jacob Cusler, now

a resident of Pittsburg, walked into the

room. The case was at once dismissed.

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terton. Ont. Jas. Stewart, who had been a resident of Meaford for 40 years, died Friday morning, aged 72. He was several times mayor of the town and had

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man who had it and was cured by darsaparilla

"For nine years I suffered from stomach trouble. I tried the aid of the best doctors of Philadelphia and Pittsburg, and spent large sums of money, all in vain. One day while waiting a train in Bellaire, O., I picked up a paper with a notice of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. I got one bottle to try it. It did me so much good that I purchased five more bottles. I took four of them and gained in flesh, my appetite improved, and now I can eat anything. My stomach is all right, thanks to the use of Ayer's Sarsapa-

rilla."-CALVIN M. STEVENS, Uniontown, Pa. Takes the Tankard

St. Marys Captures the Coveted

W. O. Trophy

Gallant Struggle With is a mystery. Detroit's Curlers.

Match With St. Thomas.

Stratford Hockey Players Defeat Woodstock-Paris Bests Brantford -Other Sporting Events.

CURLING. FOREST CITY WINS.

The Forest City Club curlers (three rinks) defeated St. Thomas at the Sincoe street rink last night by 20 shots. The score: Forest City. St. Thomas.

C. Keenleyside, H. McLean, C. E. Sterling, L. E. Tait, C. W. Davis, A. Cameron, H. Ferguson, J. McAdam, skip......14 C. Graham, J. I. A. Hunt, R. Inglis.

skip.....20 Rivard. W. R. Jackson, S. O. Perry, W. T. Strong, S. May, skip......25 C. Tune. A. E. Miller, W. L. King, Mattinson, W. M. Goodwin, A. Murray, J. Burnett, D. McLaws, skip.....27

skip..... Total......66 Total. Majority for Forest City, 20 shots. ST. MARYS TAKES THE TANKARD. St. Marys, March 5 .- In the second draw of the finals for the Western Ontario tankard, Detroit drew the bye, and St. Marys beat Southampton by 12 shots. Detroit and St. Marys played off yesterday morning, St. Marys winning by 7 shots. This victory gives St. Marys the permanent ownership of the tankard. Scores :

Southampton 36, St. Marys, 48. Majority for St. Marys, 12. Detroit 35, St. Marys 42. Majority for St. Marvs, 7. GODERICH VS. LUCKNOW.

Goderich, Ont., March 5 .- Two rinks of curiers from Lucknow played a friendly match here yesterday. Honors were divided-one rink, Lucknow 18, Goderich 17; another rink, Lucknow 15, ATHLETICS.

LEON AND MUNROE.

New Haven, Conn., March 5.—Caspar Leon, of New York, was given the decision over George Munroe in 15 rounds,

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Take "Seventy-seven."

before the New Haven Athletic Club at the Music Hall Thursday night. THE ENGLISH CLUB'S REFUSAL. London, March 5.—The reply of the Cambridge University Athletic Club to the challenge of the Intercollegiate Athletic Association for a series of international contests this summer, is a refusal, similar to that of the Oxford University Athletic Club.

POLICE STOPPED IT. New York, March 5.-Dave Sullivan, of Boston, met and defeated Patsy Broderick, of Providence, R. I., in the arena of the Yonkers Club, at Yonkers, last night. The men engaged to fight 20 rounds, but at the end of the 9th round the police stopped the fight. The referee gave the decision to Sullivan.

KNOCKED OUT. Memphis, Tenn., March 5.-Kid Mc-Coy knocked Burley out in the second round at Hot Springs yesterday after-

HOCKEY. STRATFORD VS. WOODSTOCK. Stratford, March 5.-Stratford easily deteated Woodstock in an exhibition

game of hockey last night by 8 goals While playing hockey during intermission at school, Master Arthur Schmidt, the 13-year-old son of Mr. J. G. Schmidt, Stratford, had his collarbone broken. In the exciting play he fell, and was accidentally tramped upon by one of the other boys. Last November the little fellow fell and met with

similar accident. PARIS VS. BRANTFORD. Paris, Ont., March 5.—A friendly game of hockey, played here last night between the senior teams of Paris and

Brantford, was won by Paris-3 to 2. CANADIANS WIN. New York, March 5.—Canada's crack hockey team, the Victorias, of Montreal, defeated the New York Athletic Club's hockey team here with great ease last night, the score at the end

standing 6 to 1 in favor of the Cana-TURF. \$30,000 IN PRIZES. Columbus, Ohio, March 5.—The directors of the Columbus Driving Park Association have decided to hang up \$30,-000 in purses for the grand circuit races

to be given here on Aug. 1 to 5 inclusive. AT NEW ORLEANS. New Orleans, March 5.-Mount Washington was the only winning favorite yesterday, except Nabob, and he was on even terms with Van Brunt in his race. Winners: Belle of Fordham,

Nellie Prince, Mount Washington, El-kin, Nabob, Little Billy.

BASEBALL. GRAND STAND IN BUFFALO BURNED. Buffalo, March 5.-Fire yesterday morning destroyed the grand stand at Olympic baseball park, belonging to James Franklin, the owner of the Eastern League club in this city. The "bleachers" were saved. Loss, \$5,000;

insurance, \$3,000. The origin of the fire

Hardie Richardson, one of the "Big Forest City Curlers Win in a Friendly Four" wants to be a league umpire. The directors of the St. Thomas baseball club have decided to arrange for exhibition games to be played at Atlantic Park there between April 20

> WHEEL. WILL STICK TO THE BICYCLE. Chicago, March 5.-James Michael, premier middle-distance bicyclist, has gone to St. Louis. He will ride a 20 miles paced race in that city tonight against Jay Eaton. Regarding the rumors that he intended leaving the

cycle track to become a jockey, Michael "That story is not true. I will not become a jockey—not for a while, at least. I am satisfied with the profits of my work on the cycle track, and I defeated—34 to 16—8 would prove quite as profitable."

the fisheries portion defeated—34 to 16—8 Section 13 reads:
"That under

Teddy Edwards, of Detroit, on Thursday rode his 62nd consecutive century, breaking all previous records. Edwards is under contract to ride a century on a chainless every day in the

May Get Together.

Bonding Privileges in Alaska Conceded to Britain

In a Bill Passed by the U.S. Senate-The Concession Expected From Canada.

Washington, D. C., March 5.-After a debate, lasting several days, the Senate passed the bill extending the homestead laws and providing for right of way for railroads in the district of

Section 13 provides for the extension to Canada of the bonding privileges on Alaska trade with Canada at the port of Wrangel, in Alaska, on condition that certain concessions are given this country by the Dominion Government, among them being the right of our fishermen to enter Canadian ports for the purchase of wood, bait or other Mr. Turner (Washington) moved to

strike out that part of the section which related to the entering of Canadian ports by American fishermen. He deemed it unfair to burden this measure with a demand upon the Dominion Government that it yield a contention it has made for 100 years.

Mr. Hansbrough (North Dakota) said that the commission on lands was in possession of information that Canada would accept the conditions imposed by the section. He was firmly of the opinion that the Dominion Government would yield on the fisheries question, in view of the concessions made to it by the bill. Mr. Hoar (Massachusetts) expressed the hope that Mr. Turner would not insist upon his motion.

In supporting and supplementing what Mr. Hoar had said, Mr. Friend (Maine) said that the pending bill was of national importance. From a little town near where he lived, in Maine, 2,500 people had gone to Alaska, and many more, of course, had left the States for the Klondike. He thought there was never a better opportunity to secure concessions from the Canadian Government than at the present time, when the Canadian Govrnment wanted something from the United States.

Mr. Wilson supported the contention of Mr. Turner. Laryngitis is a Cold.

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Mr. Carter agreed with Messrs. Hoar and Friend that the fisheries questions, so far as it was considered in this bill, was of national importance. The fisheries industry in Alaska and the Northwest now yielded \$6,000,000 per annum and was growing in importance are every year. Concerning the mineral resources of Alaska, Mr. Carter part of the earth's surbic of such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions, and convey the food partaken of into heaithy for interest in this bill, was of national importance. The fisheries industry in Alaska and the Northwest now yielded \$6,000,000 per annum and was growing in importance are resources of Alaska, Mr. Carter part of the was satisfied that the output of gold in a year or two would be larger from that district than from any other part of the earth's surbic of such troubles. They correct into the secretions, and convey the food partaken of into heaithy for into take if troubled with indigestion.

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now heartily recommend it to stu-dents and those troubled with indidestion. (Signed)
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One authority, in which, he said he had the utmost confidence. estimated that in Alaska gold to the estimated that in Alaska gold to the amount of \$10,000,000 a year would be produced in a comparatively short time. He said that if section i3 should all-Canadian route, and he believed that this country would obtain every concession which was demanded of Canada by the pending section, Mr. Turner's motion to strike out the fisheries portion of the section was defeated—34 to 16—and the bill passed. "That under rules and retary of the treasury, the privi-lege of entering goods in warehouses and merchandise in bond, or of plac-ing them in bonded warehouses at the

ing them in bonded warehouses at the port of Wrangel, district of Alaska, and of withdrawing the same for exportation to any place in British Columbia, or the Northwest Territories, without payment of duty, is hereby granted to the Government of the Dominion of Canada and its citizens or citizens of the United States whenever and so long as it shall appear to declare the fact by proclamation, that no exclusive privilege of transporting through British Columbia or the Northwest Territories goods or passengers arriving from or destined for other ports in Alaska is granted to any persons or corporation by the Government of the Dominion of Canada, and that the privilege has been fully accorded to responsible persons or corporations operating transportation lines in British Columbia or the Northwest Territories of making direct connection with transportation lines in Alaska, and that the Government of the Dominion of Canada had consented to and is following, on behalf of the citizens of the United States, the entry free of duty of all miners' outfits and a supply of provisions and clothing, the whole not exceeding in quantity one thousand pounds for each citi-

zen of the United States proposing to engage in mining in British Columbia or the Northwest Territories, and that the Government of the Dominion of Canada has removed all unequal restrictions as to the issue of miners' licenses to all citizens of the United States operating or intended to operate in British Columbia or the Northwest Territories. And, further, that fishvessels of the United States, having authority under the laws of the United States to touch and trade at any port or ports, place or places in the British dominions of North America, shall have the privileges of entering such port or ports, place or places, for the purpose of purchasing bait and all other supplies and outfits

in the same manner, and under the same regulations as may exist therein applicable to trading vessels of the most favored nations and of the transshipping their catch to be transported in bond through said Dominion without payment of duties, in the same manner as other merchandise, destined for the United States, may be thus transported."

A DINNER PILL-Many persons suffer excruciating agony after par-taking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken of is like a ball of lead upon the stomach, and instead of being a healthy nutriment, it becomes a poi-

Reception to

White Ribboners Honor the Well-

Known Canadian Poet. special Meeting of the W. C. T. U.-Mrs. Blewett at King Street Church

in the Evening-A Delightful Entertainment. A special meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held yesterday afternoon, in honor of Mrs. Jean Blewett, the well known Canadian poet and author, whose visits to London are always looked forward a great number have been recently added to the roll of white ribboners in the city, turned out strong, and Somerset Hall could scarcely have contained a larger audience. The president, Mrs. Gordon Wright, was in the chair. Mrs. Thomas Evans gave helpful talk on "Consecration," following which Mrs. Biewett was introduced by the president in terms of warm regard. Mrs. Blewett, who is an arkent white ribboner herself, was at once in sympathy with her audience. She spoke of the power of woman's individuality. What a potent force it was for good or evil! Those who were strong ought to bear the infirmities of the weak. In this connection, the speaker wild a story of thrilling heroism about the American civil war. Mrs. Blewett made a feeling reference to Miss Frances E. Willard, and extolled her faith, goodness, and sublime unselfishness. An incident by which the speaker would always remember Miss Willard was vividly described. It was at a supper given the waifs of Chicago, and Miss Willard's gentle motherliness in dealing with the forlorn little ones, was described with poetic beauty and power. The address was brought to a close by the rendition of the following poem, composed by Mrs. Blewett on seeing the

White Ribbon Queen at the supper given the Chicago waifs. It has not been previously published, and comes now as a beautiful tribute to the memory of Miss Willard: "Her eyes are the windows of a soul,

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Write for free medical advice to That a weary one can hear, Can tell of the dawn of a better morn, Till only the cowards fear. Her hand can lift up the fallen one From an overthrow complete;

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And God takes care of his own." A large bouquet of beautiful roses, tied with yards of white ribbon, was presented to Mrs. Blewett by the After the address, "Rock of Ages," Miss Willard's favorite hymn, was sung with fervor.

A resolution condemning the introduction of liquor into the Yukon district was unanimously passed by a be adopted, as presented, Canada standing vote. During the afternoon would be compelled to abandon that musical selections were given, included all-Canadian route. ing a duet by Mrs. Carr and Miss Noble, and a solo by Mrs. Carr, which were very much appreciated. A DELIGHTFUL EVENING. Mrs. Blewett appeared at King Street Methodist Church in the evening, and delighted a large audience by

rendition of a number of her own poems, several of which are of recent composition. Mrs. Gordon Wright oc-cupied the chair, and in introducing Mrs. Blewett, read a poem compose in her honor by Eugene Field. Mrs Blewett was warmly greeted. Her pleasing personality and sweet voice commanded the sympathetic attention of the entire audience, and each of her selections were applauded heartily. The programme was liberally interspersed with instrumental music by Miss Downs and vocal music by Misses Hutchinson and Couke, Mrs. ever and so long as it shall appear to the satisfaction of the president of the United States, who shall ascertain and declare the fact by proplement that the claim of the Globe, had been engaged to give an evening's entertain-ment at the King Street Church on Good Friday.

Canada's Trade.

Big Increase in the Revenue of the Dominion.

Substantial Reduction in the Expenditure, Also Leaving a Large Surplus.

Ottawa, March 5.—There was a very heavy increase in the revenue of Canada on account of consolidated fund for the eight months of the fiscal year ending Feb. 28, as shown by the official returns to the department of finance, and there is a substantial reduction of expenditure for the same period. The revenue for the eight months compared with the corresponding eight months of the previous year was as follows:

Customs\$12,269,000 \$13,720,000 Postoffice 5,296,000
Public works, in-2,413,000 cluding railways. 2,362,000 Miscellaneous 1,076,000 1,399,000 Totals.....\$23,071,000 \$24,765,000 Expenditure22,262,000 21,595,000

This would show an apparent surplus of over \$3,000,000 but the figures for expenditure can never be relied on until fully completed at the end of the fiscal year. It is, however, an undoubted fact, shown by these figures, that the revenue has increased by \$1,694,000 and that the expenditure has decreased by \$667,000, thus showing an improved condition of the finances in the present year of \$2,361,000. For the month of February alone the customs receipts were over half a millon dollars better than in February, 1897, and the total revenue for the month is better by \$747,000 than in the same month last year. The revenue from the Yukon is responsible for a very large share of this satisfactory showing.

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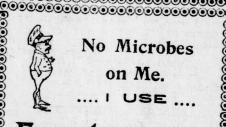
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Many Emigrants For Canada

Lord Strathcona Seems to Have Been

Doing Good Service in London. London, March 5.-Emigration to Canada bids fair to receive a decided boom during the coming spring and summer. The officers of the Canadian commission on Victoria street have been fairly inundated during the past few weeks with letters from different parts of the country seeking informa-tion concerning desirable points of settlement in the Dominion, rates of fare and other particulars.

This revival of interest concerning the Dominion on the part of people anxious to leave the mother country and find a new home is doubtless due in a measure to a letter recently addressed to the mayors of the leading cities; and also widely circulated through labor and trades union channels. In this letter Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, the high commissioner for Canada, sets forth that the Canadians are much greatfield. Canadians are much gratified at the increasing interest shown by the United Kingdom in their affairs, and that they hope to see an influx of British settlers and capital to cultivate the large areas of fertile vacant land in the

The high commissioner goes on to point out that people with capital for investment, farmers, farm laborers and domestic servants will be heartily welcomed by the Canadians. Domestic servants, he says, are especially greatly needed, farm laborers can rely upon getting employment at remunerative wages, while farmers can obtain free grants of land or crown grants of most fertile soil at low prices.

Election Returns.

None of the Official Declarations Affect the Government Majority.

Bitter Feeling in Ottawa Over the Slaughter of Slattery.

Big Majorities Recorded for Liberal Candidates.

AT OTTAWA Ottawa, earch 5.—The fact that one Conservative candidate in this city managed to squeeze in by a vote or two, and may yet be replaced by a Liberal on a scrutiny, does not agitate a large section of the capital half as much as the revelation of how the other Conservative nominee was slaughtered in the house of his friends. Mr. Matter tery was put up by the Conservatives, along with Mr. Powell. Mr. Powell was a strong Protestant, and Mr. Slattery, an equally strong Catholic. At the close of the polls it was found that Mr. Powell had been given 591 votes more than Mr. Slattery, many of them "plumpers." The Journal says that "the discrimination seems to indicate the existence in the city of a leaven of unintelligent narrow-mindedness among some Protestants which the great majority of their fellows must heartily 2,859; Mason, Conservative, 2,317. Ma-jority for Ferguson, 552. condemn." The resentment against the

HOW IT WAS DONE. In East Simcoe, the Conservative candidate was elected by 27 in a threecornered contest. The Patron candidate, Train, polled 545 votes, all Liberal Patrons. The defeat of Patrons by Conservatives in every constituency where the fight was single-handed shows that the Conservative Patrons very generally deserted and returned to their old

slaughtering of Mr. Slattery is now very great, and it will be many a long

before any similar combination will be joined in by the Catholics of

CHANGES BY OFFICIAL COUNTS. The changes made by the official figures from many constituencies yesterday were for the most part unimportant and failed to affect the standing of the parties as announces by The Advertiser for several days past, viz., government 49, opposition 43, Patron 1, vacant 1; total 94. Yesterday at the parliament buildings Mr. Tucker declared that he was still an independent, and it is altogether likely that he will give Mr. Hardy as fair a measure of support as Mr. Whitney. But the government can do without his vote if he were to choose to go over permanently to the opposition. One by one the ridings announced as doubtful, or likely to go Conservative, fall into line and are officially announced as Liberal. This was the case yesterday in West Elgin, as already reported. Manitoulin Island, which the Conservatives were willing to bet would elect Dr. Fell in East Algoma, gave the doctor only 36 majority, and Mr. Farwell's majority is 224, allowing for the Island. Mr. Conmee's election is also assured in West Algoma, and once more Conser-

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demonstration was held under the auspices of the Forest Young Liberals.

An immense torchlight procession headed by the Excelsior Band, and a rousing meeting in the town hall, which was profusely decorated with flags. bunting and pictures; campaign songs and speeches by Messrs. Pettypiece, Pardee, Smith, Brodie, Morphy, Trip, Hall, and others, were given. The town was crowded with a happy throng from the surrounding country, all of whom rejoiced exceedingly over the restoration of Lambton to the ranks of Liberalism. For several years only one Liberal went from Lambton to the two houses. Today all four seats are held by Liberals, and it will be a far dis-tant day before there will be another break in the solid representation of the grand old county by Liberals. The badges worn last night contained the names of the Lambton quartet-Lister, Fraser, Pardee and Pettypiece.

SOME RETURNS. St. Marys, March 5.-The official declaration here yesterday gives N. Mon-teith elected by five majority for South Woodstock, March 5.—The official declaration of the polling in the north riding elections, to be announced today, will show Mr. Pattullo's majority to be 1,023. The Southe Oxford returns Will not be announced until Monday.

Rat Portage, March 5.—Mr. Conmee's majority up to the present is 87. The river should give him an additional 200. He will carry the constituency by between 250 and 300. In East Elgin, Brower (Con.) has 13 majority, but there will be a recount.
Chatham, March 5.—Official returns
for East Kent are: Ferguson, Liberal,

Business Fairly Active

Kingston, March 5.-The official de-

claration was made at noon today by J. P. Gildersieeve. Hon. Mr. Harty was declared elected by a majority of

Wholesale Merchants Profit by the Railway War.

Trade Ecoming in the Business Cen ters-Decline in the Number of Failures.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly statement of trade in Canada says: The fine, settled weather of the week, coupled with the merry war prevailing in railway rates, has had a benencial enect upon trade in Montreal. The various warehouses in the mininery line have been funy thronged, where a further relay of western buyer is still ex-pected. The general arygoods trade is also benefiting by the visit of so many business people. Travolers are again asse to move about pretty freely, and general business has fairly vered from the enects of last week's big storm, while remittances also snow improvement. March 4 is a fair-sized day, as regards payments in the drygoods line, but paper is expected to run off pretty well. In groceries there is a good steady movement. Some houses report February trade 25 per cent ahead of last year. In teas there is rather more inquiry, and sugars are again a shade firmer. Business continues to be reported good in oils, paints, etc., and turpentine has scored another advance of a cent. Shipments of spring footwear are in active progress, and the factories are still well

employed. The leather market is very firm; exports of sole have been unusually large of late, and it is reported some of the larger tanners found themselves obliged to decline further English orders for the present. The cheese market is without notable improvement, and buyers and sellers are apart in their ideas, but for butter there is a better inquiry with reserthere is a better inquiry, with reset-102 tling former values. General wholesale trade at Toronto is fairly active. The feature this week is the activity in millinery. The volume of business in this line is said to Ra be unusually large. The condition of business is good. Sales in nearly all lines are ahead of the corresponding periods of the past few years, and the prices are better. The trend in values generally is unwards. Remitteness as generally is upwards. Remittances as a rule have been satisfactory. Aften this week the number of business failures will likely diminish, and confidence will be more assertive. The railways are doing a large business, both in passenger and freight depart-

The wheat trade has been dull. Exporters are not receiving many bids for Ontario wheat and millers are buying only from hand to mouth. Peas and rye continue in good demand, with prices good. Money continues easy at Toronto. Call loans are quoted at 4 per cent, and prime commercial paper discounted at 6 per cent. Sterling is lower, in sympathy with New York, but rates are a shade firmer than the lowest of the week. Stock speculation is fairly active, with some irregularity in prices.
Failures for the week were 32

The Railways.

No Cessation of the Rate War Between the Big Roads.

The C. P. R. Earned \$24,000,000 During the Past Year.

It is reported that the amount of the first day's traffic over the new Wabash line was 350 cars of freight wabash line was 350 cars of freight sent from Windsor to Buffalo.

The annual report of the directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway shows: Gross earnings for the year, \$24.049,534; the working expenses were \$13,745,758; and the net earnings were \$10.303.775 Were \$10,303,775.

The Grand Trunk has turned out of their shops the first of the new colonial sleeping cars for their through service to Winnipeg. It is now at the Bonaventure station and will be placed on the route at once. These cars will be for the use of passengers holding second-class tickets traveling long distances. They may, however, be used by passengers for Toronto, Hamilton, London, Chicago, St. Paul, Kootenay, Klondike, and all points in the Western States and Canada. The new car at Bonaventure station is finished in black walnut, with inlaid woods, the upholstering being done in bronze. They are well lighted and present a very comfortable appearance. The toilet appointments are first-class in every respect, the cars being provided with marble wash-stands, and ample accommodation for

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RIDING OVER A COBRA

man whose way led him across the Annamally Hills, was spinning along when suddenly he saw, lying directly in front of him, a large cobra. The lively encounter is thus described by the cyclist in the Madras Mail: It was impossible to avoid the loathsome reptile by swerving to either side; the slope was 100 steep, and I was going too fast. I back-pedaled with my whole weight, and put on the brake with all the force that my right hand could exert; but the momentum was too great, and the bleycle

Quick as lightning it struck at the from wheel, and as it struck I instinctively lifted both hands from the handle-bar, the thought flashing through my mind that shoes and hose gave my feet and legs a chance, but that my hands were naked.

A good spring medicine, like Hood's Sarsaparilla is absolutely necessary to purify the blood and put the system in a healthy condition at this season.

HOOD'S PILLS are the best family cathartic and liver tonic. Gentle, reliable, sure. The instant my hand was off the The instant my nand was on the brake, the bicycle shot forward, for in my fright I had forgotten to continue to back-pedal. With unutterable hortoback-pedal. With unutterable hortoback-pedal. With unutterable hortoback-pedal. through the front wheel, and that the wheel was drawing it through the fork

can to make it hot for the G. T. R., while the latter is doing its best to minimize the effect of the war on its financial showing.

bon. The level ground at the foot of the slope I sped across at racing speed, and I rushed up the opposite slope as long as I had any breath left in me

Then I ventured to get off. The snake's head was gone as far as the spectacles on the hood, pounded into Bicycling in southern India is attended by peculiar dangers. A wheelside of the wheel the snake tapered off into a few fleshless vertebrae. Two herd boys in the fields came to see what had happened, and with sticks helped me to remove the carcase from my wheel. I think there can be nothing more frightful than to have a cobra in the front wheel of one's bi-cycle, while one is pedaling for dear

Impure Blood in Spring. This is the almost universal experiwent on over the snaxe, which rose with winter, rich food, and close confineence. Diminished perspiration during ment indoors are some of the causes.

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COUNDER AND John Cameron.

London, Saturday, March 5, 1898.

The Klondike Obstructions Should Now Cease.

Sir Charles Tupper, with that oblivision which characterizes him when he finds himself in a tight place, now professes to see in the at gresent reduced majority behind the Liberal Administration of Ontario a condemnation of the measure before only one Conservative was in the field. control of the island of Navassa, off The result of this fool business was a the west coast of Hayti. foregone conclusion. Some of us warned the electors of Ontario that any decrease in the vote for the Provincial Government would be seized upon by the Dominion Opposition as an indorsation of their obstructive course. And so it has come about. Here we have Sir Charles Tupper, finding excuse for the unpatriotic conduct of himself and his associates in the Dominion House of Commons, asserting that the all-Canadian route to the Yukon was an issue in the Ontario campaign, and that the result is a condemnation of the Government bargain! The fact is, however, that in no constituency that we know of was the Yukon question brought into the arena in any important sense. The people of Ontario, we believe, without regard to party affiliations, will give credit to the Dominion Government and the majority of the members of dian route and the means taken to open it, for being actuated by the strongest patriotism. What they demand is that obstruction tactics shall cease, and that the route shall be opened at the earliest moment, so that our manufacturers, mechanics and merchants may get reasonable opportunity to capture and control the rich trade of the Yukon for Canada, and thereby add to the prosperity of every class in the community.

Every day's obstruction in Parliament means so much loss of trade to this country, and increases the danger of foreign complications the outcome which it would be difficult to see.

Canada's." This is an important mat- education, but they maintained that ter to settle, but our friend Wiggins the Normal School would never be may find himself outclassed. Many built here. That meant that if the years since more than one belated tra- Conservatives carried the Province, the that they had seen two moons "as clear and the old system would be continued; as day." Will Dr. Wiggins and the Ger- or it was a direct insinuation that if like conditions?

Railway Accommodations and London First.

London is beginning to reap its advantages as a great railway center. The fastest time and the best connectime for business. Our citizens have should be indorsed by the citizens of their occasional lively political tiffs, but they are all enthusiastically united in

London, says the Belleville Sun, has a vigorous and useful member in Col. Leys, and he has the time, means and ability to make a first-class represent-

An Overestimated Leader.

After all, there is a good deal of humbug in the ascription to Mr. Whitney of qualities of leadership beyond those day last be the testimony. We decline of Sir Wm. Meredith. We do not be- to refrain from discussing the respeclieve that anything Mr. Whitney either said or did in the campaign as leader amounted to a row of pins. The real campaign on the part of those who sought office in Ontario, it is now seen, was largely subterranean, largely a M. P. P. for Center Grey, is a Western still-hunt after combinations. Neither Ontario man. He was born in War-Mr. Whitney's ability nor personality wick, Lambton county, Sept. 13, 1865, the Keys, off the coast of Florida. was in it to any appreciable extent. and is consequently 32 years of age. These islands are of coral formation, and it is said that no attempt is made Indeed, his very mediocrity rather disHe was educated at the Strathroy and to till the ground systematically. armed fear, and invited lethargy on the London Collegiate Institutes, and Wherever a little pocket of earth is

Owns Up to the Situation. The Kingston News (Conservative) refuses to enter the fool's paradise which some Conservative editors construct for party purposes when they assert that the Ontario Government has been defeated, and that Mr. Whit-

ney is on the top. The News explains: "The supplies having been voted, he (Premier Hardy) need not convene the Legislature till next spring, and with a reconstructed cabinet he can hold office and improve every chance of gaining strength during a whole year." And there is every indication that he will gain strength now that various matters, not known before, are being

made plain.

Parliament to provide an all-Canadian an eye on Cuba, and would like to route to the Yukon. Let us inform Sir control that fertile, if badly-governed, Charles that the Ontario Liberal Gov- island, makes interesting the stateernment has today as large a majority ment that our neighbors already conas it obtained four years ago. The trol a West Indian "dependency." only difference is that the Patrons There is a law on their statute book have disappeared from the scene, and which provides that when a citizen of through a variety of causes seats that the United States discovers guano on were ordinarily doubtful have been an island not owned by any other nacarried by the Conservatives. For ex- tion or occupied by the citizens of any ample, four seats, making eight on a other nation, such island may, if the division, were lost to the Liberals be- president sees fit, "be considered as rause in each case two candidates appertaining to the United States." espousing Liberal principles ran, while Under this law the United States has

A Montreal Critic and the Normal School.

Our contemporary, the Montreal Star, professes to be much shocked because of the action of The Advertiser in the late Ontario campaign in this city. Its particular grievance is that we defended the policy of the Government with regard to the establishing of a Normal School for Western Ontario in London. The Star says that our energetic action in placing all the facts anent the matter before the public partook of the nature of a bribe to the constituency. It objects to our having printed a beautiful engraving of the new structure in these columns, and it hints that the Parliament who support the all-Cana- only proper course for a public journal would have been to say nothing on the subject whatsoever. The Star is a of the election returns will show that Quebec Province paper, and probably there was but one main cause—the can be excused on the ground of ignor- general desertion of the Patrons by Surely if it had chosen to become seiz- influenced the result on either side, but ed of the facts it would never have adopted a line of argument so ill- Patron Liberals were founded and so unfair to this journal, their Conservative brethren, and that and to the Administration of the Province.

There was no bribery or contemplated bribery in the discussion of the PREACHED BY A BLIND MAN. Normal School question in the recent campaign. To us in London it was a pure matter of public policy. When the money for beginning the construc-A dispatch from Ottawa says that the tion of the Normal School was voted, discovery of the stray or second moon leading members of the Opposition in is claimed by Prof. E. Stone Wiggins, the Legislature objected strongly to the despite the claims of Dr. Waltemath, construction of the school here. The of Hamburg, Germany, to the honor. principal Conservative journals in the The moon is one which astronomers on Province, headed by the Toronto Mail can tell you at once. It was preached this continent were requested to watch and Empire, followed up this opposifor on Feb. 3 last. It passed over the tion with arguments that a Normal sun, and will do so again on July 30. School for Western Ontario was un-Phillips Brooks' church, and had will surely support me in the claim that should not be placed here. As we got f made the discovery in 1882. Since into the campaign, these Opposition hen astronomers have been searching advocates became bolder. They not the heavens to find the second moon, only argued that the pupils of Western and now that it is found, Germany Ontario should be compelled to go to ed his companion. claims the honor when the honor is Ottawa and Toronto to complete their your voice, for I was in the church and veler asserted to confidential friends institution would not be established, by himself. man professor make solemn declaration | the Government was sustained, faith that they did not see their moons under | would not be kept with the people, and the money voted for the structure, despite Opposition protests against it, would be withdrawn.

Advertiser had to confront. It pointed out that the Government had been consistent in its policy; that the posi- lish friends, "the story of a man blind tion of London as an educational center had been recognized by the Admintions are none too good for this live istration; that the money had been business city. The Grand Trunk on voted, but that there was danger in Monday begins a new train from Owen indorsing a candidate whose associates Sound to London, via Stratford, and in the Legislature and their newspaper they had left him a small providing increased service to and advocates had at every turn opposed which sufficed for his wants. He lived from Southampton, and to and the construction of the institution. The alone, but could go about the streets from Durham. The train will logical inference was that a loyal Lonleave Owen Sound at 6 a.m., and doner, who would stand up for keeping ful for being born blind, because he reach London at 11 a.m. The train faith with the people in supporting the had so much leisure for quiet thought.

There would be time enough in another.

There would be time enough in another. goes out at 5:55 p.m., thus giving ample declared policy of the Government, London.

The material welfare of our citizens, desiring the progress and upbailding of as well as of the people of Western Ontario generally, which we have always endeavored to look after to the best of our ability, were at stake, and we hold that we rightly placed the Normal School question, as well as we do not grow price knows, we every other item in the policy of the eat them in large quantities; hence, respective parties, before the public, something about the way in which and asked indorsation for the views that in the public interest we champloned. As to the legitimate success temperate zones. In America, Florida, of this course, let the result of the and the West India Islands furnish voting in this western district on Tuestive attitudes of the two parties on all questions of public policy, even though

Mr. I. B. Lucas, the newly-elected of his opponents. Nor do we con- learned the law in the office of Messrs. found, a pineapple is planted. In

Sufficient Unto the Day.

The Westminster, of Toronto, removed ed from partisan illusions, reviews the control of the fruit, and which are not removed with the fruit, but left to develop until the planter is ready to which the control of the cont recent general election contest in the

"Persons who talk of the smallness of the majority should also remember the smallness of the House. The last Liberal Ministry in Great Britain took office with a composite and unreliable majority of 40 in a House seven times the size of the Ontario Legislative Assembly. Mr. Hardy probably will have a majority of proportionate size, in a House in which party discipline is much more effective than it was in the loosely-knit party of which Lord Rosebery was the nominal leader."

What is more, the Government majority will grow, as happened after the last three general elections in the province.

Reports from wholesalers in Montreal and Toronto, as well as in this city and other business centers, show that March 4, one of the big settling days in the commercial world, was passed satisfactorily. Paper has been met fairly Division 7...... 79 well, and the prospects of a good business all over the province are bright.

CLEAN, HONORABLE, HARD. [Chatham Banner.] The London Advertiser is shaking hands with itself, and well it may. If Division 6.... ever a newspaper put up a clean, honorable, hard fight for a candidate, The Advertiser did for Col. Leys. To this paper's skillful advocacy his success is in a great measure due.

SUNDAY IN SCOTLAND. [Presbyterian Review.] According to the British exchanges,

Scotland is rapidly ceasing to be a Sabbath-keeping country, taking Aberdeen as an example. In that city on a cer-open, and on another Sunday 372 bi- Division 4...... 28 cycles passed along the Deeside road within an hour, while as "many as 300 or 400 young men have been seen playing football near the Bay of Nigg on the Lord's Day." This is certainly a serious condition of affairs, and it is well that the churches are being aroused to a sense of their duty.

ANOTHER EXPLANATION. [Sarnia Observer.]

The causes of Conservative gains in ed and various reasons given. A study Division 6.... the great gains made by the Opposition were of seats held by Patrons.

The Best Sermon That an Eminen; English Clergyman Every Heard, [Youth's Companion.] An English clergyman of eminence was asked by a group of London

friends whose was the best sermon he had ever heard. "If you mean," he answered, "the sermon which has influenced me most in the streets of Boston many years

Frof. Wiggins said today: "Canadians necessary, and that the institution started to walk back to the house where he was staying. Being a stranger in Boston, he became confused, and turning to a man who was behind him asked to be directed to the

Why, it is the preacher!" exclaimheard you preach. I am blind, but I can show you the way. I can take you to the door." The clergyman protested that he could not think of troubling the blind man, and that he could find his way

"Surely," said his new acquaintance. "you will not refuse me the pleasure f conducting you. I am not a Every one is so kind to me, and it seldom, indeed, that I can render any one a service."

So the two men went on arm in arm, and in ten minutes they were at This was the situation which The short walk the best sermon which the clergyman had ever heard was from his birth, whose face was shin-

ing with contentment and peace, and whose heart was thrilled with a sense of his mercies and blessings. "His parents had sent him to a school for the blind where he had been considered that he ought to be thank- Kirkwall There would be time enough in another world for him to see everything. "I have never forgotten that ser-

mon," added the clergyman. "His example of contentment and serenity of mind has never ceased to be helpful to me. I have told the story often to my English congregations, and it has always deeply affected them."

PINEAPPLES

they are grown should not be amiss. They grow within the tropics, and them in large numbers. But we cannot have a very perfect idea of the pineapple of the tropics as it is in its native home. Those shipped to us have to be pulled before they are ripe. When a well-grown pineapple our course may disturb the serene soul fragrance that fills the air tells you that it is ripe without your having to try it; and the lusciousness of the fruit when eaten can only be conjectured by those who have never visited its native home. Oftentimes sider him a leader to be feared on the floor of the House, confronted by veterans like Mr. Hardy and Mr. Ross.

learned the law in the office of Messrs.

Becher, Street & Becher, this city. In 1883 he settled as a lawyer at Markfast, and the plants sometimes attain the height of five to six feet.

The plants are multiplied through Intentity relieved by Constant Residence.

ITCHING HUMORS Intentity relieved by Constant Residence.

them. Suckers are also used which province. This is what it says of Mr. spring up from the root of the old Hardy's present majority. in about eighteen months after they are planted. They are set from two to three feet apart each way. They grow spines which make the labor of tending them disagreeable, unless the workmen are well protected by clothing made for the purpose. They are many varieties. Some of the

REVISED RETURNS. Official Figures for West Middlesex-

plantations embrace hundreds of

acres.-Farming.

Detailed Results in Other Constituencies,

WEST MIDDLESEX. Mr. S. Blackburn, returning officer for West Middlesex, makes the official return of the vote in West Middlesex: Caradoc-Ross. Campbell. Division 1..... 72 Division 2..... Division 3..... Division 4..... 126 Division 5..... Division 6..... Ekfrid-Division 1..... Division 2..... Division 3.... Division 4..... Division 5..... Division 7..... 59 Metcalfe-Division 1..... Division 2..... Division 3..... 43

Delaware-Division 1..... Division 2..... Division 1..... Division 2..... 115 Division 3...... 71 Division 4.....

Division 4..... 41

Division 5.....

Strathrov Division 1..... Division 2..... Division 3.....

olly of Liberals Division 1..... Wardsville Newbury 51

tells the whole story. Tory campaign Majority for Hon. G. W. Ross.... 151 Total votes polled4,373

ESSEX SOUTH-TOTAL VOTE. Auld. Killackey. (Lib.) (Con.) Amherstburg 260

Colchester North 177 Town of Essex 164 Gosfield South 262 Gosfield North 224 Kingsville 119 Leamington 253 Mersea Tilbury North 294 Tilbury West 227 Pelee Island 100

Totals 3,138 Majority for Auld, 677. ESSEX NORTH-TOTAL VOTE. McKee. Wintermute.

(Lib.) (Con.) Windsor 990 Walkerville Sandwich town... 1.013 134 Sandwich South 185 Sandwich East 345 Sandwich West 277 219 Anderdon 118 Rochester 229 Maidstone 201 Belle River 79

Totals 2,683 Majority for McKee, 95. PEEL (MAJORITIES). Beynon, Smith.

(Con.) (Lib.) Brampton 24 Chinguacousy Toronto Gore Streetsville 55 Caledon Totals 84

Majority for Smith, 303. WENTWORTH NORTH. Wardell. Pirie. Dundas 270 East Flamboro..... 153 Waterdawn West Flamboro Beverly

This gives Wardell's present major-YORK WEST. Hill. St. John Woodbridge 52 (Lib.) (Con.) Weston 113 Vaughan 667 York

North Toronto 151 Etobicoke Total 2,642 Majority for Hill, 37.

Toronto Junction 482

RED ROUGH HANDS Itching, scaly, bleeding palms, shapeless nails, and painful finger ends, pimples, blackheads, oily, mothy skin, dry, thin, and falling hair, itch-

ing, scaly scalps, all yield quickly to warm baths with CUTICURA SOAP, and gentle anointings with CUTICUPA (ointment), the great skin cure. ioura

CURE OF DISEASE.

A SCIENTIFIC DISCOVERY OF THE UTMOST IMPORTANCE TO DYS-PEPTICS AND THOSE SUF-FERING FROM CONSUMP. TION OR OTHER WAST-ING DISEASES.

What European Scientists Have to Say About It.

"The greatest cure for indigestion is digestion." Such are the words of a very eminent medical authority. They queer, don't they? sound like a contradiction; but think moment. Digested foods are invariably absorbed. Digestion, therefore implies nutrition. He might have expressed himself a little differently, and said that the greatest cure for indigestion was nutrition. This would have been clearer.

There is no such successful doctor in all the world as nature herself. Just give her a helping hand, assist her as the mother guides the toddling infant, and she will soon restore health and strength. How can we assist her? First of all, nourish the body. This is the great principle of all successful treatments of disease. Foods, not drugs, is the sermon that is being preached on every hand by the leaders in the study of disease. But, you will naturally say, suppose one candigest food, and therefore cannot nourish the body, then what are you going to do? We will answer this in a way that may prove surprising to some, for the information which we are about to give you is new.

For a long time scientists have known that in the process of cooking foods were partially digested. For instance, the raw potato is absolutely indigestible, yet when cooked, it is valuable and common Through the process of cooking it has been brought one step nearer diges-The same thing is true of most other foods. Suppose someone should come to you with a handful of wheat flour and saw here is one of the most valuable foods that the human race possesses. A mere taste would raise doubt as to your friend's varacity, yet when converted into bread and baked it contains what is popularly known as "the staff of life." This knowledge gave chemists a hint, and they have been hard at work, and have, at last, discovered processes in advance of cooking, by which foods can be completely digested outside of the body, and therefore fitted for absorption without further digestive effort. Such foods are immediately taken up and utilized by the blood no matter in comes to pass-admitting, for the sake of

Nutrol is such a food. Its basis is artificially digested starch—the greatest heat-producing and energy-supplying food known to mankind. this are certain albuminoids which go to supply the wastes of the body, and harmless digestive agents which aid the digestion of other food. supplying immediate nourish-

ment, Nutrol stimulates the natural mind being stoned or gridironed or otherwork, and indorses the opinion of our medical friend who said that greatest cure for indigestion is diges-Nutrol supplies what he characterizes as "digestion." Now, another thing-one of the most

pronounced characteristics of all chronic dyspeptics is fear of food. They are hungry, but even though a dish which they like is set before them and they crave it, they are afraid to take for the simple reason that they know that if they do they are going to suffer all sorts of disagreeable symtoms. Eructations of gas, sense of fullness over the stomach, palpitation 2,461 of the heart, headache, constipation, and a thousand other torments. What means of telling them that their stomach is incapable of digesting certain foods, and they are better off without

them. How shall this condition be relieved? By Nutrol. And how you will say? Because the digestive principles combined with the artificially digested starch, digests other substances taken into the stomach, and dyspeptics will find that they can readily eat foods which have heretofore caused them the most excruciating pain.

Consumption and all wasting diseases usually date from indigestion, and as digestion was their cause, so may its cure prove their cure. Let a consumptive eat heartily and digest what is eaten, and the wasting will immediately stop. So long as the waste can be held in check, the disease need 200 not be feared.

Nutrol is the latest development of scientific research. It is delicious in taste. It stimulates the appetite at once, it increases the weight and sense of well-being. The change noted by those taking it is almost as startling. It was first introduced in Europe, where it has the indorsement of the very highest authorities, and is used in all the principal hospitals of Germany. Instances are recorded where through its use a gain of twenty-five pounds has occurred in a single month. All druggists keep it, where it may be had in trial bottles for 25 cents, or in large bottles sufficient for nearly three weeks' treatment at \$1. JOHN J. BROUGHTON.

145 York street, London, General Agent for Ontario.

THE PUNDITA RAMABAI.

Pundita Ramabai has sailed from India for London, and after a short stay in England will come to this country where she is expected to arrive in time to be present at the annual meeting of the Ramabai National Association about the middle of March. She has now 350 girls under her care. Owthe farm at Redgaun about 34 miles distant. They are all doing well and are happy. The ten years for which the Ramabai circles were organized will expire in March. A little more than the amount of money pledged by them has been raised and expended in support of Ramabai; but the continuance of her school will depend upon the question whether either these circles will continue their work or some other organization will take it up and carry It on. Ramabai has become more definitely though not more earnestly, go in and out without molestation.—Ex-Christian during the last few years, and while the fullest religious liberty is accorded to her pupils the result of her personal influence is such that many have become Christians, and have been baptized. The school can no longer be called purely secular, though it is not a missionary school, nor, in any propa-Christian, and it is wholly unsectarian. These facts have been communicated to the circles, and a majority of them have signified their readiness to go on with the work for another term. Ramabaia has many friends in America, her arrival here.

DIFECTION SY THERD PERSONS Little Danger and Unnecessary Fues Made by Health Officers.

Is all this fuss about infection by third persons necessary? The teaching of ex-Of course every one admits that infection can be carried by means of fomites, and that if a doctor sits upon a patient's bed and rubs his head against him in listening to his lungs or gets his hands soiled with infectious material while inspecting his throat and then straightway goes and rubs himself against another patient he may carry the disease. But suppose he does not do these things, and that he properly washes his hands—that is, the parts that have actually touched the patient. All experience goes to show that this infection

by third persons is a mere bugbear. It is perfectly well known that in general hospitals which receive infectious diseases, and in which, even if these are placed in separate wards, the doctors and the students pass direct from one ward to another, any diffusion of the disease throughout the house is of the rarest possible occurrence, while, we would ask, how often is it not the case that medical men take their own children with them on their rounds without any harm resulting? One of the most eminent of the physicians practicing in London used to take his children with him in his carriage when he visited the fever hospital and either leave them at the door or let them play in the garden till he came out, when-soaked with infection, as some people would say -he would get into the carriage and drive away with them. Did they catch scarlet

fever? Not at all. Let us put to one side all this dread and fear of infection by third persons. Such a thing may happen now and then, but it is not thus that infection is ordinarily spread, unless perhaps we make an exception in favor of varicella and of smallpox in un-

vaccinated communities. We speak thus plainly because medical men, and especially medical officers of health, have shown themselves all too ready to encourage what we believe to be totally unnecessary restrictions of the ordinary work of daily life. But if such a mode of spread is only of occasional occurrence do not let us pass silly laws. We may perhaps best judge of the manner in which laws to regulate the movements of "casual visitors" to cases of scarlet fever would operate by recalling the very patent fact that the medical man is exactly such a casual visitor. Already people are to be found who are quite ready to attribute their illness to infection carried by the doctor, and we may imagine the endless actions at law which would be hurled at his devoted head if such prejudices were crystallized into form by legislative enactments.-London Hospital.

The Feminine Collar Button.

If the downfall of the new what condition the digestive organs argument, that she has ever had anything like an ascendency-and if the story of that downfall is ever written, it must be entitled "All on Account of a Collar Button." To such cause undoubtedly will the downfall be due, and to no other. Your strong minded weman can stand contempt and contemely; she cheerfully puts up with the inconvenience and ugliness of wise martyrized, but when it comes to the sly, insistent and persistent attacks of the collar button she finds herself vulnerable; "no stronger, indeed," as one Sandow

minded sister put it, "than a more man." Nobody can accuse the collar button of partiality. Unlike the ballot, it knows no sex distinctions. It evidently believes that both men and women have equal rights where it is concerned. You may have swathed your neck in crumpled velvet and tucked satin all your days, but no sooner do you take unto yourself the linen collar habit than you also take unto yourself all that it entails. It isn't just the daily half hour wrestle in the course of adjustment; does this mean? It means that nature curring at the most critical and undesirable of moments-of your collar suddenly breaking loose from its moorings, while the button slides down your back in eager haste to join the four or five already there. It is disheartening, too, to reflect that there is no likelihood of our ever solving the problem. Just look at all the time, energy and eloquence that men have lavished upon it; enough, if expended upon, wellsome other things, to have brought the millennium several million years nearer. Why should women have hopes of getting the better of the collar button, unless, of course, they are as much the superior of men as they say they are?-New York Sun.

Leech and Du Maurier.

Well, I recovered from a long and distressing ailment of my sight which had been pronoure ed incurable and came to England, where I was introduced to Charles Kean, with whom I quickly became intimate, and it was he who presented me to Leech one night at one of Mr. Arthur Lewis' smoking concerts, in the winter of 1860. I remember feeling somewhat nervous lest he should take me for a foreigner on account of my name, and rather unnecessarily went out of my way to assure him that I was rather more English than John Bull himself. It didn't matter in the least. I have no doubt he saw through it all; he was kindness and courtesy itself, and I experienced to the full that emotion so delightful to a young hero worshiper in meeting face to face a worldwide celebrity whom he has long worshiped at a distance. In the words of Lord Tennyson:

I was rant By all the sweet and sudden passion of youth Toward greatness in its elder. -George Du Maurier in Harper's Mage-

A Thoughtful Hen.

A lady who lived for some time when she was first married on a Mississippi cotton plantation says that among their ing to the continuance of the plague poultry was a hen who developed a fondat Poonah they have been removed to hoss for a more civilized way of living. She preferred the house to the henyard and never lost an opportunity of mounting the steps and entering. She was always "shooed" out, but this did not cause her arder to decrease. Finally she conceived the idea of making an offering to the inmates of the house in return for accommodations, so nearly every day she would enter and lay an egg in the sheet trunk, which stood open at that time of day in the hall. The family were so amused at this performance that they allowed her to change.

Life of a Court Lady.

Those who think that the life of a court lady is necessarily that of a butterfly may be surprised to learn that cleverness with the needle and culinary skill are required se who wish to be maids of honor in the court of Russia. They have also to learn to read aloud and to stand for any length of time.

One of the best rules in conversation and will receive a warm welcome on the company can reasonably wish had been left unsaid.

Spain Manages to Get. Both | a decisive drama. It is easy, even Money and Credit,

And Secures Some Powerful Vessels for Her Navy.

Jubilee Anniversary of the Italian Constitution.

Canad an Governor-General-New Departure Saggested.

Feeling in Spain-The Franco Russian Entente-Chinese Viceroys Rebellious.

EXPLANATION FROM RUSSIA WANTED.

London, March 5.-A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Tien Tsin, China, says: Japan has addressed a note to Russia demanding an immediate and explicit statement on the question of the continued occupation of Port Ar-THE LONDON ELECTIONS.

county council is that the Progressives have secured 68 seats and the Moderates have returned 48 of their candidates. The election in Hackney was postponed owing to the death of a can-

Lord Dunraven has been re-elected to the council, representing Wands-

SPAIN THREATENED WITH FAMINE.

London, March 5.-The Madrid correspondent of the Daily Mail says: The general opinion here is that the United States dare not make the Maine suspicion, which is unsupported by evidence, the pretext for war. The distress in various parts of the country occupies the public mind far more than American relations. Notwithstanding the reduction in the grain duty a famine threatens.

THE RAILWAY WAR. London, March 5.-The papers today have flaring headlines, "Great Railway War in Canada," detailing what is spoken of as an outburst of Canadian indignation at the pro-United States policy of the Grand Trunk. In the city more hopeful. Financial circles find it impossible to believe that the two roads will long deny themselves the full share of the prosperity flowing from anada's improved commercial posi-

TROUBLE IN CHINA. Shanghai, March 5.—A special corre-Hunan to direct the affairs of the envirate proposes to govern this region ideas and strengthened by past mis-irrespective of any orders from the fortunes and glories, will be the most

into two separate administrations. This land. due to China allowing the Yang Tse Kiang revenues, hitherto dynasty were greated with prolonged a perquisite of the mandarins, to be cheers and shouts of "Long live the used as a guarantee of the Anglo- king!" The scene was most imposing. German loan, which would mean a The great hall of the capitol was LORD ABERDEEN'S SUCCESSOR. London, March 5 .-- The question of Canada's new governor-general is be-

ing discussed in official circles. Influence is being brought to bear on the government to abandon the old practice of selecting men merely because they have big handles to their names. It is argued that Canada and the other sister nations of the Greater Britain have outgrown the stage of tutelage, and governors should be chosen from the inner circle of young men, who, though in the position of under secretaries, really rule the destinies of the empire. Thus, instead of the Duke of Abercorn, or Lords Hertford, Kintore, or Hopetown, these reformers urge that the best Canadian governor would be a man like Hon. George N. Curzon, Hon. W. St. John Broderick, Hon. James W. Lowther, or Sir Edward Grey. These enjoy the highest social position, now bear a large share of the real burdens of the Imperial Government, and will, beyond doubt, take the very first rank among British statesmen in the near future.

BUYING BATTLESHIPS. London, March 5 .- Spain has purchased two cruisers which the Armstrongs have been building for Brazil, the Amazonius and a sister ship, unnamed, of 4,000 tons each, 23 knots and 10 guns. Spain is also negotiating for and will probably secure two cruisers of a similar type which have been building in France for Brazil. The Amazonius is ready for launching, and her sister ship will be ready shortly. The Spanish Government is endeavoring to secure guns and large supplies of ammunition in Engiand and on the continent for immediate use. Government of Spain seems to have funds, for it is understood to be paying a large part of the purchase money in cash, giving good security for the balance, these being the only terms upon which the Armstrongs would deal. A letter from Madrid says it is definitely reported there that a fresh Spanish squadron destined for Cuba is

being organized at Cadiz. It consists of four ironclads-the Carlos V., Pelayo, Alfonso XIII., and another, geveral gunboats, and a transatlantic steamer. Active work is also proceeding on the torpedo boat Prosperina, Audaz and Osada, and upon the torpedo boats Habana, Retamoso and Barcelo, which form the second torpedo boat flotilla which Spain is sending to Cuba.

SENSATIONAL REVELATION

In Connection With the Franco-German

Alliance. London, March 5 .- The Paris correspondent of the Daily News finds a sensational revelation regarding the Franco-Russian treaty in a speech made at a banquet by M. Deschanel, vicepresident of the Chamber of Deputies, who, it is believed, aims to succeed M. Hanotaux as minister of foreign affairs. are indebted to M. Deschanel,' says the correspondent, "for raising a corner of the veil of the mysterious treaty. It provides for no less an eventuality than the breaking of the Austrian monarchy, it being believed that at the death of Emperor Francis Joseph the German provinces will return to the German empire." The seat and Mr. Morin meandered on. | With her children if she gives serious paragraph in M. Deschanel's speech

now, to foresee at any rate the pro-logue and the first acts. The part France will play is traced out before-hand. The book of destiny lies open to our eyes, but to act our part well we must begin our preparations at once. But how will we do so if France is absorbed and distracted by miserable quarrels? The springs of her policy should, to be successful, tend to intervention when those natural vicissitudes have ripened the Austrian question. That intervention should be her great present aim; but, again, how shall we prepare? If internal dissensions go on, with the instability and weakness that must be the consequence of such dissensions, they will leave statesmen without the power to develop the new Franco-Russian policy, which is held in germ in the treaty of alliance or to draw from that agreement all the consequences that the two great nations expect for their own grandeur and the general good of civi-

ITALY'S JUBILEE.

Rome En Fete-King Humbert's Congratulatory Address.

Rome, March 5.—The jubilee anniversary of the Italian constitution was celebrated yesterday with general re-London, March 5.-The result of the joicings. The city was filled with viselections for members of the London itors, who thronged the handsomely decorated streets. At 8 o'clock the great bell in the capitol signaled the opening of the feres, and an hour later king Humbert, on horseback, accompanied by the Count of Turin and the foreign military attaches and the minister of war, attended by a brilliant suite, rode to the San Marco Esplanade, where he reviewed 8,000 troops of the garrison. The queen viewed the march past of the troops, and their majesties met with an enthusiastic reception from the crowds present. The ceremony of laying the corner stone of the monument to Charles Albert, king of Sardinia, was postponed until to-

A Rome dispatch says: King Humbert made a speech from the throne to the senators, deputies and mayors in the capitol, during which his majesty said: "From the summit of this hill, consecrated by immortal glory, my first thought ascends to my magnanimous ancestor, Victor Emmanuel, father of his country, for his labors achieved in the national resurrection." Later his majesty remarked: "Our faith in resuscitated Italy led us to Rome and will guide us to still loftier destinies. the rate war situation is regarded as secrated their lives to the fatherland. I wished you to meet here, at the each. And then we must guarantee 312—William and Oxford. capitol, from which you can admire the magnificences of the eternal city, which has spread its light throughout the entire world. Let us continue to give ample remuneration for the the antire world. Let us continue to give ample remuneration for the the entire world. the entire world. Let us continue to nurses' services, and that once on the Itatly in order that the fatheriand might be great and prosperous." King spondent of the Exchange Mercury at at the dawn of our resurrection all Nankin and Hu Kuang have entered to secure the country's freedom, so today they are united and mutually aidtire valley of the Yang Tse Kiang and union of my house with the destinies the adjoining territories. The trium- of the people, based on concord or secure bulwark of the Italian father-

splendidly decorated, and all the ministers, leading authorities and diplomats were present. A reception followed the king's speech. His majesty met with the most enthusiastic greetings from the people while on his way from the Quirinal to the capitol, through the troop-lined streets.

CABLE NOTES. The Madrid Carlists have issued a manifesto, announcing their intention to take part in the coming elections. It is announced at Berlin that the czarina, who is said to have been sutfering from slight inflammation of the lungs, following an attack of measles,

A Melbourne dispatch says: The federal convention has adopted the proposal that the capital of Australasia be federal territory, like Washington, the existing capitals being ex-

Mr. Hamilton Smith, about whose business connections there has been much discussion in the Canadian Parliament, represents a syndicate composed of the directors of the Exploration Company, whose office is at No. 11 Cornhill. Mr. Petersen is still showing at the Hotel Metropole to possible financial and shipping co-operators in the ships

for the fast line the model of his turret ship. He still maintains that he will carry the project through despite are largely due to disappointed rivals.

A FUNNY M. P.

Mr. Morin, of Dorchester, Causes Much Merriment at Ottawa.

Ottawa, March 4.-Mr. Morin, Conservative M. P., for Dorchester, Que-bec, made a very odd speech in the commons last night. It was his maiden effort, and though the house had preed members to listen to it. He set them all laughing by declaring that he them all laughing by declaring that he ing a railway in British Columbia not only 150 miles long but as many miles to the mother if her child is to remain long as the government might desire. close to her for "human hearts are His constituents, he said, had sent him to parliament not to oppose the govand sympathies."

Encode of "Mother Play" was ernment for the sake of opposition, but to do the best he could for or against the government. "I propose to garten, which illustrates the principles be independent," he declared, "I came therein expounded, is as valuable for but to suit myself. I am here to work for the country in general." While he was in favor of building a road in British Columbia, he was against the method adopted by the government. He told the house that he had done more business in his day than members of the government, and that he had seen the elephant. He suspected that Mann and Mackenzie had sent their check to the government in recognition of the service that had been rendered them. "Well, now, look a'here," said Mr. Morin, with ter ible earnestness, pointing his fing at the government, "when that there snowshoe road is built what are they to do with it? They will just say, 'To hell with the road.' "(Sensation.)

ages with their children systematical basis. Even a slight knowledge of some of these occupations or a few of the sim-Mr. Speaker-The language of the honorable gentleman is not in order. Mr. Morin-I withdraw it; I apolo-

Letter from Lady Aberdeen.

Novel Expedition to the Klondike Region.

The Victorian Order of Nurses to Go There to Take Care of Sick Miners.

Government House, Ottawa,

March 4, 1898. To the Editor of The Advertiser: Every newspaper we take up tells us of fresh travelers to the Klondike. Allow me to tell your readers of the Victorian Order of Nurses' Klondike ex-

pedition.

Those who have read letters from pioneers who have gone into the country, and especially any who have noted letters from the missionaries who were sent forward, will remember the emphasis laid upon the sufferings of those who have been overtaken by accident or illness or frostbite.

Under these circumstances the hardships which press heavily enough on travelers in perfect health must become terrible indeed; and heavy must be the hearts of those whose friends and relatives are amongst the adventurers who are seeking their fortunes in these inhospitable regions.

And, let alone the ordinary chances of sickness, we need reflect but little before we realize how great must be the danger from epidemics and fevers during the brief, intense summer, in a district where no sanitary arrangements exist, where swamps abound and where crowds are pressing in day

The work of the Victorian Order is but in its infancy and it needs all its resources at the present time for the work of its training homes now being started at Ottawa, Montreal, Toronto, Halifax and elsewhere. But the provisional committee felt that it could not remain deaf to a call such as this for help, and decided that the order must prove at once its national character and its worthiness of the name it bears by sending a contingent of Victorian nurs es to the Yukon to work under the direction of the medical men there. Four fully trained efficient Canadian nurses of experience will therefore be

ready to start for their arduous post by the end of March or sooner, if we receive sufficient special contributions to equip them. The government are affording us all possible facilities and assistance and the nurses will be under the special protection of the Northwest Mounted Police. But it is estimated that the outfit, the year's provisions and the I salute those generous men who com- medical appliances for each nurse will spot, the Victorian Order will not lack

for means for prosecuting and developing its work. Those devoted women fear not to face the perils and privations which their mission must necessarily impose on them. On the contrary, they rejoice at such an opportunity being afforded so soon to the Victorian Order to show what nurses may do for suffering humanity under the most adverse circumstances.

And as they are prepared to go forth in this spirit we fear not to send them, and we are confident that we shall not appeal in vain to their countrymen and countrywomen to supply the Victorian Order with adequate means to equip them fully.

Contributions to the Victorian Order

Klondike Expedition may be sent to me direct at Government House, Ottawa, or to Mrs. Edward Griffin, treasurer of the fund, the Russell House, Ottawa. I remain yours faith-

ISHBEL ABERDEEN.

Mothers and The Kindergarten.

[Special Correspondence of the Advertiser.1

With the kindergarten so generally accepted as desirable for children from 4 to 7 years of age, it surprises one to find how many men and women have Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets Aiways Kill hour, in a kindergarten, to observe its actual working. Every citizen has a citizen's interest in the schools and kindergartens, but every parent has besides a direct and personal interest, and should know them at first hand. That the parents are not personally familiar with them accounts for the fact that with kindergartens in every ward, many children are still sent dithe great difficulties which he alleges rectly to the public schools at 5 or 6 years of age. A half-day spent in a kindergarten would convince the father of any 5-year-old that life would mean more, and come more easily to his child, after two years spent in the kindergarten, than ever otherwise could. If a father's occupation prevent his visiting schools, the mother should not have to confess that she does not know her children's teacher by sight, and that she has never seen the room in which outside of the family. His kindergar-Froebel's book of "Mother Play" was

mothers themselves, as for their children. Most mothers have had no special training for motherhood, and have made no special study of child-nature, or of children's needs. When they find their children about in there is not often time to spare to rn what can be learned from books, even if they know the books they need. Many such mothers have been helped

by a few hours spent in the kindergarten, where they see the children busy and happy, learning many things in the way natural to children-through play. The occupations of the kindergarten are those used by mothers in all these occupations or a few of the simple little songs and games will help a mother through many dull or fretful days in directing the childish energy paragraph in M. Deschanel's speech to which the correspondent refers runs thus: "The first years of the twentieth century must witness by the effect of natural vicisaitudes in Austria to the description of the twentieth century must witness by the effect of natural vicisaitudes in Austria to the idea of the interdependence of all seat and Mr. Morin meandered on.

Seekers after gold are often disappointed. Seekers a ter health take the work of the kindergarten, which she will find there symbolized in song and story, in gift and game. The first is the idea of the interdependence of all london, Ont.

The kindergarten child sees this principle illustrated, first, in his fingerfamily, where mother, father, brother, sister and baby, help one another, but it recurs again and again in story, song and play. It is brought out in talks of the trade, where he sees that the miner works for the blacksmith, the blacksmith for the farmer, and the farmer for all the other workers; and in the nature talks, through which the child comes to realize how sun and rain, wind and frost, co-operate to produce beautiful flowers and fruitful fields. Closely related to this is the idea and of the catterpillar into the butterfly. Tracing effects to their causes, step by step, the child comes himself to see that "however long the chain of second causes may be, the first link is always in God's hand." Chi'd-life will be happier, and numanity nearer to its ideal when every mother is familiar with Froebel's principles, and practices them in her life with her KINDERGARTNER.

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The Trades and Labor Council's regular meeting this week was well attended, President Donnelly presiding. After chair next the aisle and compel all later hats, that always have an assured tees were taken up. The municipal committee reported on the action of the city council in referring the petition of the printers, re union label on city printing, to the solicitor. The council impossible to reach these seats withwill aid the printers in every legitimate out causing some women to rise. The felt, intended for summer wear. manner to see the question settled. The committee which waited on the factory men's hats. We hear about large hats and moire are all used, being plaited inspector made their report, which was freely discussed by the delegates. It caused were peculiar to the theater. was decided that a determined effort The truth is that a large hat is a dis- gles, also obtain. The fashionable colshould be made to have any gross vio- comfort in any audience-room, and no ors are periwinkle blue, anemone blue, lations of the factory act reported to well-bred woman should permit herself heliotrope, champagne, the light shades council, when they would be brought to to wear a large hat trimmed with of ruby brown, pearl gray, pink and the notice of the proper authorities, and for this purpose a special committee was appointed. The organization committee reported that the work of organizing the harness-makers proceeding satisfactorily, and that a arge number were present in an adjoining room. They were invited to sit with the delegates, when the benefits of organization were pointed out by President Donnelly and other delegates. The harness-makers were advised to consider several matters in connection with affiliation with the international union, and an adjournment was made until next Tuesday evening, when in all probability the union will be formed and a charter asked for.

GENERAL LABOR NOTES. The Woodworkers' Union of Detroit mitiated 150 members this week, all employes of one factory.

The United States circuit court of appeals has decided that the cast iron trust is an unlawful combination. The strike at the Benwood, W. Va., steel works was short, and resulted in the strikers securing their full de-

The international convention of horseshoers will be held in Detroit, commencing May 3. Already the union in that city has begun preparations for the entertainment of delegates. The annual convention of the Broommakers' International Union was held last week in Indianapolis. The headquarters of the organization will be in Detroit, with Mr. Samuel T. Penna as secretary-treasurer.

General Secretary Barter, of the longshoremen, has issued a call for a national convention of ore handlers to meet in Cleveland on March 16. The purpose is to fix a scale of wages at all lake ports for the coming season, and to provide means by which the non-union ore handlers may be urged to join the organization.

Detroit printers are taking deep interest in the new project adopted by old No. 6, of New York, which has accepted a donation of land on which it will colonize all members who desire to undertake agriculture. The donor disclaims charity, saying he expects the improvements made by the printers enhance the value of his other lands so that he will be the gainer. Detroit printers are asking why the surplus members of the craft in that city would not be better off on some of Michigan's idle soil.

The census of strikes in France during 1897 gives a total of 476 strikes, in which were involved 49,841 persons. The alleged cause in most instances was a demand for an increase of wages, shorter working hours cutting a much smaller figure in France than in Great Britain. The hours of a working day are not so much a matter of consideration in continental Europe, where work is less arduous, and race-vivacity is less sparing of the clock after the sun has set. seems from the figures that the stubborness is not a salient feature in Gallic strikes. And it is also to be

Surface and server and a fact

You say you are not wish that he would accept the place next after the vice-president.

All this may seem absurd and silly at first thought, but we must remember that not one of the persons concerned in the dispute took the position he did on personal grounds, but as asserting the dignity of the office he holds; and also that nothing that has EFFERVESCENT SALT will invigorate your system and keep you in perfect health. It

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Inventions have produced thousands of machines that perform labor which before had been done by hand. It has gone far beyond that in putting chinery where animal power had before been the chief agency in communicating motion. And still further: The overshot, the breast and the flutter wheel have gone with other wrecks of the past, and steam and electricity have taken the place of gravity and water. But the field of labor is immeasurable, and much as men may feel the inconvenience of being displaced by machinery, the displacement will continue to the end. This is the natural order, as the history of our own growth has amply proved. The number of hands employed in manufacturing industries in 1850 was 957,059, increased to 4,050,785 in 1890. This shows a growth of more than four to one in 40 years. The value of the work done increased in greater proportion, though the prices for the things of the manufacturing establishments

It is impossible to attend a meeting

of women and not be impressed with

comers to pass her, causing both her-

is convened, where there are hundreds

of vacant seats, and yet find it almost

second discomfort is caused by wo-

We have frequently referred in these

columns to the use of the voice in pub-

lic-of the absolute ludicrousness of a

woman getting up on her feet in public

and speaking in so low a tone as not to be heard by her audience. This can

be overcome. Any woman who has ac-

cepted an invitation to speak, or whose

duties make it necessary that she

should speak before an audience,

should certainly learn to use her voice.

audience and read a report so that she

is unheard ten feet away from the plat-

form is not an evidence of gentility or

learn how to use a manuscript. If wo-

men are going to take public positions,

they cannot wrap themselves about

with the standards of their grand-

mothers as to what was elegant; they

must be elegant in the new position,

and that means meeting all its require-

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"Etiquette."

Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British

ambassador at Washington, lately

called upon the vice-president, and

the next afternoon Mr. Hobart re-

turned the call. This was more than

two months after the inauguration,

and during all that time the two

gentlemen were, as the ladies would

Not that they disliked each other,

or had had a personal quarrel. It was

only a dispute which of them holds

the higher rank. When they were

both invited to a dinner at a private

residence, nearly a year ago, Sir Julian

vished to see a diagram to show how

the guests were to be arranged at the

table. As it appeared that Mr. Hobart

was to be the guest of honor, Sir Julian sent his "regrets."

The dispute arose when Sir Julian was raised from the rankof minister

pacity he represented his sovereign.

president, being next in succession to

in the relation of the Prince of Wales.

naturedly yielded the point, and act

cepted a seat below Sir Julian; but

represented the president at any

"function," he should take precedence

of the ambassador. The matter was

American, Sir Julian occupied the place

of honor; when the entertainer was a

foreigner, the place was given to Mr.

Mr. Hobart would neither yield nor

compromise, and the president at last

-probably with Sir Julian's concur-

don, Col. Hay, to find out what the

British Government thought about the

matter. He was willing to accept any

decision that the English authorities

holds; and also that nothing that has

Etiquette holds, and should hold, a

large place in the social relations of

men and women. It is the boor who

of following a lady, an older person,

or one whose position commands re-

spect. Outward politeness may not be

half as important as politeness of the

serves all the rules of etiquette as

soon as he knows them, and the ob-

servance of them sweetens human in-

enters or leaves a room first, instead

been said or done involved disrespect

toward any one.

had called on Mr. Hobart, it is supposed that his government intimated its

might make. Inasmuch as Sir Julian

Olney.

When the host was an

Vice-President Stevenson good-

on the other hand, the vice-

to that of an ambassador. In that ca-

say, "not on visiting terms."

ments with thorough training.

To have a secretary get up before

view of the stage.

The Ethics of Women's Meetings. | Hats That Will Be Worn Easter.

certain defects peculiar to audiences hats, as well as an absolutely new

made up of women. Can anybody ex- straw braid with a satin finish, not

plain why a woman who gets early to unlike the silk-covered braids which

a meeting should seat herself in the obtained during the winter. Sailor

self and them positive discomfort? Any form of woven bullrushes, which,

observer knows that you can go late after being braided, are shaped and into a hall where a woman's meeting generally edged with a narrow black

caused were peculiar to the theater. ily embroidered with beads and span-

common sense. Every woman who appears in public should not only learn millionaire, who today is quite as busy

how to use her voice, but should also as is any working girl, as by the girl

the president, might be said to stand ren to indulge in fears and apprehen-

Secretary Olney insisted that when he and body alike. Children are some-

are growing."

WOMAN AND THE W

Says the National Labor Tribune: "The labor disputes in Great Britain during the last year have been disastrous to the industries of that country. It is estimated that the loss in wages to the engineers is about \$12,-000,000. In addition, the Amalgamated Society of Engineers distributed in relief to its idle members a sum amounting to about \$3,000,000. The loss to the employers is not so easily estimated. More important to them than the immediate loss, however, is the permanent injury to business. While masters and men have been fighting, business has been going to other countries, especially to Germany. Some orders have been placed in the United States. For the single month of November the shipments of machinery fell off more than \$1,000,000 from those of the previous year. The trade of Great Britain's chief rival, Germany, increased for the same period by nearly the same amount. All produced fell considerably in the lines of business suffered, of course, as meantime. The value of the output a result of the strikes. Railway traffic was reduced in volume, shipbuilding the country in 1860 was reported at | was injured, and tradesmen and shop-\$1,019,106,616, made from materials that cost \$555,123,882. One dollar's worth of duced. But really one of the most material was wrought into two dollar's worth of useful articles. In 1890 diversion of international trade to our factories turned more than nine other countries."

Leghorn, Manilla, chip and raffia, in

all colors, are used for the new spring

position, are in a new material in the

velvet ribbon. Linen crash is also used

for this kind of hat. The most strik-

ing of all are those of white or gray

cided fancy for putting the trimming-

that may take the form of a bunch

of flowers, a bow of ribbon, a drapery

of velvet or satin-under the brim on

the left side, so massed as to have

R 8

Hygienic Dressing.

Dr. Lucy Hall Brown, in a recent

millionaire, who today is quite as busy

who must leave her home for the

workshop or office. Dr. Brown declar-

ed, what all women acknowledge, that

it is infinitely more modest to wear a

dress three inches and a half from the

sidewalk than to have to lift a dress

that is but one inch from the side-

the brushing of clothes worn in the

street in bedrooms. She said that it

was both uncleanly and unsanitary in

the highest degree. She protested also

against the time spent in remodeling

35 X

Care of Children.

Dr. Grace P. Murray addressed a re-

cent meeting of the New York House-

hold Economic Association on "The

view to producing the noblest phys-

Speaking of the responsibility of the

mother for the physical condition of

the child, Dr. Murray said: "Do not

show the anxiety you feel, for this leads a child to think about its phys-

ical condition, producing both moral

and physical evils. Do not allow child-

sions, and discard all inventions about

the man who will cut off their ears

'carry them off' or 'burn them up.

They have a pernicious effect on mind

times afflicted with a disease known as

'nocturnal terrors,' and they should be

know that it is a disease, and aggra-

regard to food, clothing and educa-

Don'ts for Dyspeptics.

12 12

Keep Warm.

After many sensible suggestions in

vate it by scolding and punishment."

Physical, Moral and Mental."

Dr. Brown protested against

Ladies' Home Journal.

well on the hair. - March

noticed that success in these industrial reprisals is of the small order variety. Not less than 60 per cent were utterly abortive, 30 per cent were settled by compromise, and only 10 per cent secured the plum they sought to reach.

times as much in value than they did in 1850, though the number of hands employed in the work had only that one can get along with contributes a toughening effect that is valuable. This is only true when the reverse practice is carried to extremes. A skin specialist says that the permanent

moment the feet are wet. If the wearing of cotton stockings causes the feet to feel damp and cold, which they

specialist says that the permanent roughness of some women's necks and arms came in the beginning from continued chilliness. What is known as a goose-flesh condition of the skin existed so constantly that it became permanent. If you belong to the thin, pinched sisterhood, make it a business to wear warm, light clothing, and keep yourself in big, luxurious chairs, or in a nest of downy pillows.

Care of Children's Feet.

Wise mothers will see that the children always have dry feet, and shoes loose enough to be comfortable, but not loose enough to slip round. A child should never be allowed to wear a shoe that is run over at the side or heel, and the habits of standing on the inner edge, turning in the toes, or rubbing one foot over the other, should be promptly discouraged. The child should be taught that shoes and stockings must be changed the

sometimes do, let the child wear wool-Never let children go to bed with cold feet. A great many mothers make the mistake of wrapping up a child's throat and allowing him to go about with damp feet. When a child is subject to chilblains let him wear a piece of wash-leather over the toes, thick woolen stockings

and good shoes, and, as chilblains only come where the circulation is not good, make him run about as much as possible, and keep warm in that way rather than by sitting over the fire. K K

Hindustanee Servants.

From the introduction by the Queen of Indian servants into the different royal households, it has become a craze with titled people in London to employ them, usually in the capacity of butler. The native costume, pure white, with high turban, gold pendants in the ears, and bare feet in embroidered slippers, renders this servitor very imposing, his appearance at once impressing the rank and dignity of the family to whom he belongs. He is credited with many virtues and capabilities, quite at variance with the small remuneration demanded in return, the average sum being \$20 per month. Always respectful, amiable and with the rare quality of attending strictly to the duties entrusted to him, he is a possession with but a single drawback. English servants are at war with him to an extent that his introduction means instant revolt in the domestic realm, not a pleasant condition of affairs to the British more than to the American mistress. The well-trained Indian server faultless in service, waits at table beautifully, manages the dining room, cares for, and darns if needs be, the table linen, pours the tea on reception days, These foreign servants are not only picturesque in appearance, but are distinguished by little ways of homage and deference, which make them very attractive and valuable in a household.

AN EX-MODERATOR'S EXCITED

SPEECH. address to a large audience on "Dress The anniversary celebrations in honan from a Psychological Standpoint," said or of the poet Burns, brought forth a that the first emancipation of woman speech from Rev. Dr. Rankin, Muthil, stood in need was emancipation from of the Established an ex-moderator of timidity, but an evidence of lack of her clothes, and this emancipation was Church of Scotland, which has set the good people of Edinburgh by the ears, and the Scot everywhere a thinking. Rankin got off such remarks as "At this moment it is a simple fact that 'freedom and whisky gang tegither,' while teetotalism is a tyranny and a perversion of the word of God." "Would not I," he continu-"give a year's stipend to get Robin back again for a month to take off the Kirk shams of today? We would then have the wholesome play of genius over the insane multiplication of churches, of whom 600 or 700 are localized devils-the play of genius over sham foreign missions largely prosecuted to glorify one sect against another at home, and burning satire over the money-raising that is sub-stituted for gospel preaching." Dr. Rankin has quite a following in his church, but indignation is running high over this outburst.

> Relation of the Mother to the Child, Father Kneipp left 850,000 marks for the continuance of the various Kneipp institutions at Worishhofen. She began by lamenting that the human species felt so little responsi-New Jersey was the first state permitting the right of suffrage to wobility in the production of its kind. "The millennium," she said, "in which the development and rearing of the men; this was done nearly 100 years human race can be governed with a

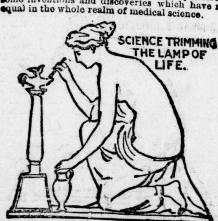
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Selfishness is that detestable vice which no one will forgive in others, and no one is without himself.

tion, Dr. Murray said, in conclusion: "Children should be allowed to grow like flowers, without too much interference; but many mothers, in their rence-asked our ambassador in Lon- anxiety, treat them as the little ones themselves treat the seedlings which they continually uproot to see if they Those who are suffering from indigestion cannot fail to be benefited if they don't partake of boiled coffee, boiled tea, all sweets, fried foods, white bread. crackers, cakes, acid fruits, pork in all forms, veal, turkey, duck, cooked cab-

bage, beets, green corn, potatoes, pickles, spiced foods, gelatine desserts, red or dark fish, salt foods, all the crustacea, clams, raw or fried oysters; and refrain from drinking iced water, acid drinks, flavored soda water.-Mrs. S. T.

It is the advice of an authority to those who would grow plump and preof them.

They restore or create strength, vigor, healthy serve their complexions to keep warm. Many a woman has gone through life shivering and plain when she might have been comfortable and pretty it she had only known it. To be chilly

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and Shivering about half the time, having sold hands and feet, is a serious tax upon one's personal appearance; but many women submit to it under the impression that it is a case of temperament, and must be endured. Let such make an effort to keep genially warm, and they will be surprised at the situation, like the gentlemen they are.

Youth's Companion.

There is a mistaken notion, which

Care of Children's Eyes.

Parents.

Steps Taken to Examine the Eyes of Pupils in the Public Schools-An Oculist Tells of the Importance of the Project-Necessity of Watching the Eyes of the Young,

[New York Sun.]

Nine mothers out of ten neglect the eyes of their children. The question is often asked, "Why do we see so many children wearing glasses nowadays?" Eye specialists reply with another question, "Why do we see so few young people wearing glasses?" and they answer their own question by saying, are notoriously ametropic. What do I "Because parents are so ignorant of mean by that? They are given to erthe importance of caring for the eyes of their children." The average mother looks after the teeth of her babies from almost the time that the first little grains of rice, as she calls them, make their appearance, but it does not always occur to her that her child's bright, pret eyes may be in a con-dition that will lead to poor sight or

even blindness. An effort is being made in the public schools of this city to have a care for the eyes of the children, but those interested are hampered by want of money to carry on the work. For ten years or more Superintendent Jasper been interested in looking after the eyes of the public school chudren, not merely so far as diseases of the eye are concerned, but also as to refraction, plain and simple. He says that the day is surely coming when the eyes of each individual pupil will be examined by a specialist, and those that are not normal will be properly cared for.

"Such a reform," he continued, "cannot be effected in a day or a year. It takes both time and money, but it will

Last June the president of the board of education appointed a commission of three experts among the three oculists of the city to report to the board its opinion with reference to the color most desirable for use in the new school buildings, and in others when the tints are changed. At the same time the board expressed a wish that a corps of experts might be appointed and paid by the board of health, whose duty should be to examine the children of the public schools with reference to defective sight and hearing, defective breathing, and any abnormal or defective physical

Toward the last of October Dr. Chas. Stedman Bull, Dr. Henry D. Noyes, sion, reported that they had visited a large number of schools. They suggested that it was not advisable to place blackboards on the wall directly opposite the windows in any classroom, as was done in several buildings. They ound that the blackboards were placed orrectly in most buildings, so that the ight was not reflected in the eyes of he pupils. They objected to painting the wall space between the surbase and chair rail a dark maroon, as that made a too marked contrast with the side walls. They advised the use of dark yellow or light brown without any mixtures of red, and suggested light buff tints for ceiling and side walls as satisfactory to eyes of teachers and pupils. These authorities reported that the quantity of light in a room was greatly influenced by the color on the walls, and that the red end of the spectrum should never be used in decorating schoolrooms, as much light was lost in the employment of certain colors. Lighter and more delicate shades, such as yellow or gray, were suggested as the best. The quantity of light in a room also varied greatly, and the color chosen should be estimated for the least favorable conditions. The commission advised the choice of lightcolored woods for all school furniture and the woodwork of the buildings. The building committee is doing all it can toward carrying out the suggestions of this special commission so far as concerns locating blackboards, arranging desks that the light may fall on them properly, and in decorating walls and

"That is a step in the right direction," said a prominent eye specialist in speaking of this effort of the school board, "but the care of a child's eyes should begin at home long before he

enters a kindergarten. "Really the care of the eyes should begin before the birth of one's greatgrandmother, but since our ancestors took no thought of this precaution in our favor, we must do the best we can for ourselves by having our eyes examined comparatively frequently, and by taking good care of them if they prove normal, or by treating them properly if not normal. It would shock many a mother to learn that her child is blind through her own ignorant carelessness, and yet this is true in a great many cases. Our asylums for the blind are filled with people shut out from the light because their eyes were not cared for when they were young. The educated, thoughtful mother of today who neglects a child's eyes is almost a crim-If a mother has taught herself to look at her child in the right way, his actions and speech not only denote to her the child's mentality and morality, but also the actual physical condition of the eyes. Frequently a child suffers from violent headaches and neuralgic pains, and has a peculiar manner of looking at people and objects. The ignorant mother calls this manner a 'queer habit,' says it is cute, and encourages the child to keep it up. These headaches are as common to childhood as rheumatism, which parents tell the little sufferers is nothing but growing pains, and nine times out of ten are the direct result of eye strain. Eye strain is frequent in children



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Precautions Often Neglected by rarely recognized by mothers, though Many people ask why so many folks, particularly children, are wearing glasses today. There are three good reasons for this being the case. First of all, our ancestors were careless about our eyes, and then the methods of modern civilization are extremely trying to the eyes, and, last of all, people generally are being gradually educated to the necessity of wearing glasses. The environment of our forefathers and our own environment combined are the conditions that put glasses on o many noses.

"Take the Indians, for example. You never found an Indian raised on the plains in need of glasses for any condition of the eyes except that of old age. It is very seldom that you find a cotton field negro with other than normal eyesight. Seamen and the children of seamen have proverbially good eyes. On the other hand, the Germans rors of refraction, not eye diseases. Mark Twain may have exaggerated the state of things a little when he said a German father would not accept a child as his own unless it was born with glasses, but he was almost justi-fed in making the statement. This condition of the eyes of the Germans can be accounted for on two grounds, their studiousness and their stolldity. An American may be just as studious as a German, but he is not stolid, and while devoting himself to his books gets out, covers a lot of ground and changes his vision constantly. Not so with the German. He limits his range of vision to such a short distance that the muscle of accommodation known as the ciliary muscle, whose business it is to adapt the eye so that it may see objects close at hand, is in a constant state of contraction. There is no muscle in the body intended to be in this condition. Even the muscles of the heart have regular periods of rest. Anybody with ordinary gumption can readily understand that this poor eye muscle, overworked, overexerted, must cry out to the being which governs its action in the only way that a muscle can ery, and that is in pain. This accounts for the many conditions of so-called

neuralgia and rheumatism of the head from which our grandparents suffered through their own ignorance and the ignorance of the doctors of their time. "This continued dragging and pulling on the ciliary muscle is bound after a time to have a bad effect on so delicate an organ as the eye, and by changing or interfering with the passmyopia or nearsightedness. Many a off altogether. child can thank its mother for being near-sighted. She has encouraged it to strain over books for first honor or some silly prize and the result is a bad case of near-sightedness. The elongation of the eyeball is not as a rule congenital or hereditary, but a tendency to it certainly is, and when such is the case a confinement over books will sur-

"When a child has what is known as far-sightedness, or hypermetropia, a life led in the open is not nearly so in-jurious as a confined life. If a farsighted child is allowed to romp and play in the country or in the park the best part of its time, it will probably go through its whole life without any eye trouble. Far-sightedness has not tendency to increase, but most authorities agree that it turns into nearsightedness if the subject does confining work. Because a child sees as well as its playmates does not signify that it has no need for glasses. If the youngster is far-sighted, that poor little muscle in the eye is compelled to work hard all the time for distant vis-

ion, and all the harder for near vision. "The exterior appearance of a child's eye rarely shows a difference from normal in its refractive quality, unless the child has a squint or is cross-eyed. The eyes of almost every cross-eyed child, if taken in time, can be strightened permanently by the use of glasses, and the necessity of an operation and much mental irritation consequent upon continual pain avoided later in

"Mothers do not always attend promptly to signs of inflammation girl." about the eyes of their children. It is seldom that an eye specialist sees a case unless it has been referred to him sician for a slight ailment, but one by the family doctor after he has expended all his skill in endeavoring to mation, into a serious one. cure the child of headache. Few family physicians realize that most of childhood's headaches are due to eye strain. The question arises, can sufficient permanent injury come from the conditions of the eyes mentioned justify any community in expending money toward discovery and relief? Yes, ten times yes, for the reason that there are very many persons in our blind asylums today who are parasites on the municipality because their eyes the doctor, "but you may get well be-

"A child's eyes should be just as carefully observed during the period of its growth as its morality. Then is the time that the eyes are most strained. In view of the ignorance of parents, teachers and the children themselves, it would be very wise to have an ex-amination made by experienced eye specialists of the refractive condition of the eyes of every pupil in our public schools. A record of each examination should be kept, and where there is a tendency toward near-sightedness, far-sightedness or any of the conditions mentioned, the teacher in direct charge of such pupils would be instructed by the doctor as to the proper amount of eye work advisable in each case. After the system was once established there would be but little trouble. A general examination of the eyes would hardly

be necessary more than once a year. "The regular examination of a child's eyes should begin at birth and should then be made by an eye specialist. It sithout the resultant headache. It is is a simple enough matter to examine a child's eyes, and an expert does it very rapidly by means of a little in strument known as the ophthalmoscope. With only those eyes showing a condition other than normal by this instrument would it be necessary to go through a longer and more thorough examination. The moment that a mother, be she poor or rich, sees that a child's eyes are inflamed in the least she should take it to a specialist. Those who are not able to pay for advice should patronize the dispensaries where special attention is given to the eye." "Is color blindness common?" asked

the reporter. "Not very," answered the physician.
"A lot of people are color blind and yet can differentiate between colors, but not shades of color. It is only by very careful testing that color blindness can be discovered, and it is sometimes the forerunner of atrophy of the optic nerve. The sense of green goes first, then red, next blue, and finally white. A condition of color blindness is seldom called to the attention of the specialist. True, ness interests and life itself depend on a differentiation of colors, I hardly feel that it would be wise or just in proposed examination of the eyes of all children to tack upon them the stigma of being color blind.

"Mothers should not allow growing boys and girls to read or study at night, and they should train them to change the range of vision frequently. A child of 2 or 3 years can be taught that when its eyes are tired from looking at objects close to it, it will rest them to look at things off in the distance. Children should also be taught to read and study sitting in almost a vertical position, with the book nearly on a level with the eyes, and at an angle so that the light shines on it from over the shoul-der. The so-called simple remedies for are rendered more striking by the asweak and inflamed eyes should be shunned as we shun a plague. Poultices of bread and milk, camomile and tea leaves, and applications of rose water, belladonna, witch hazel and so on are very injurious. No hot or even warm applications should be used on the eyes unless directed by a specialist. More ulcers of the eye are the result of such home treatment than of any other cause. In removing foreign bodies from the eye the linseed or eyestone should never be resorted to, for, in the first place, it is liable to pass from view behind the lid, often causing additional

A Smile: A Laugh.

lent vehicle for germs."

inflammation, and then it is an excel-

This is not a smoking-car." "I know it, sorr. I'm not shmokin'." "But you've got your pipe in your mouth. "Yis, sorr, an' I've got my feet in

me boots, but I'm not walkin', sorr." "Have you followed my argument thus far?" inquired the gentleman who was short on ideas and long on words. "Yes," replied his impatient friend; "but I tell you candidly I'd quit its company right here if I thought I could find my way back."

Playing for Safety.-"I guess, said Maud, thoughtfully, "that I won't play anything but classical music hereafter.'

"But a great many people don't enjoy it," said Mamie.
"I know it. But they have to say good, because they don't know whether I make mistakes or not."

"Habit" is hard to remove. If you take away the first letter, "a bit" is ing and exit of the fluids through the still have a "bit" left. While if you interior of the eye, give rise to a de- take off another the whole of "it" regeneration and disease of the delicate coatings in its interior. Eventually it leads into an elongation of the rest in the coating to show that if you wish to get leads into an elongation of the eyeball goes to show that if you wish to get itself, which is a condition known as rid of a bad habit you must shake it

> Their First Trip to Town-"Here's some more of the horrible work of them monopolists," said Farmer Hayricks, as he hung his coat over the

"Goodness! Where?" asked his wife. "Here's a sign what says, 'Don't blow out the gas.' I s'pose they make these folks burn it all night, so's to run up their bills on 'em!'

Doubtful party (to gentleman)-Can you assist me, sir, to a trifle? I'm a stranger in a strange land, 15,000 miles Gentleman-My goodness! Where is your home?' Doubtful party-Australia.

Gentleman(handing him a copper)-How do you expect to get back there? Doubtful party (balancing the penny) Well, if I don't do better than this, sir, I suppose I'll have to walk.

Mrs. N. has a nice little daughter named Nancy. One one occasion Nancy came to her mother and said: "Mamma, do you like stories?" said her mamma, "if they're

true stories.' "This one is. Do you get mad when copie tell you nice, true stories?"
"Why, never. It isn't good manners to get mad when a person tells you a "All right," said Nancy. "Once upon a time there was a little girl, and she

the jelly in a glass. That's a true

story, mamma, and me was the little which she magnified, in her own esti-"Run," said the doctor to a servant, giving him a prescription, nearest drug store, and bring back the medicine as quickly as you can.'

'Is there much danger?" inquired to the young lady, in alarm. "Yes," said the doctor; "if your servant is not quick it will be useless." "Oh, doctor, shall I die?" gasped the patient. "There is no danger of that," said

PREACHERS AND PEOPLE OF ONE

fore John returns.

A Host of Witnesses Tell of the Wonder ful Cures Effected by Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder.

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TOO LATE.

A young man, upon whose upper lip the first faint signs of adolescence had begun to manifest themselves, had become deeply enamored of a maiden several years his senior.

His home, and hers as well, was in an ambitious college town in the middle West, among whose municipal regulations—but let us not anticipate. He had been under the influence of the tender passion for a period certainly not less than four weeks, could wait no longer to know his fate. One eventful evening, after walking up and down the sidewalk in front o her home until nearly 9 o'clock, he went up the doorsteps, rang the bell, and was admitted. The young lady received him in the parlor, and without loss of time he declared himself in the most impassioned manner. a brief silence.

We Eat Many Tons.

Enormous Amount of Food That Is Consumed by a Man in Seventy Years.

An article by Mr. P. W. Everett, Fellow of the Royal Statistical Society, in which is calculated the enormous amount of food and drink consumed by a heaithy man in a 70-year life, appears in Pearson's Magazine. The most resistance of some exceedingly clever photographic designs. We quote a few interesting conclusions:

In one day a healthy man will eat, on an average, one and a half pounds of bread in the form of the white or brown loaf, biscuits, pastry, scones and the like, all of which, of course, have for their essential element baked flour. For the first ten years of life and the last ten we will assume that only this quantity is eaten. So, altogether, our typical man consumes, on an average, one and one-half pounds of bread each day for 60 years. This works out at between 14 and 15 tons of bread in a lifetime!

Meat is an important item. The man who regularly partakes of two rashers of bacon for breakfast and his chop for lunch and half a pound of steak for dinner, being required to order his life's supply of meat at birth, could put it this way: Slices of bacon to measure four miles placed end to end; chops to reach from Westminster Abbey to St. Paul's; all the beef on 20 full-sized bullocks.

Before dismissing the statistics of the food consumption for those of the drink consumption, let us take stock up to this point. Allowing our man 1½ pounds of bread each day, one pound of flesh foods, one-half pound of fish, two pounds of vegetables and fruit and one-half pounds of sundries, we have a total of 51/2 pounds of solid food daily, or nearly a ton a year! Taking this average to extend over 60 years, the exact weight of solid food consumed in a lifetime is very approximately 53% tons.

The liquid refreshment of the inner man will provide some statistics of a hardly less startling nature. Three pints of liquid daily, a fair average consumption, taking winter and summer together. Now three pints a day develop into 1,095 pints a year, and, for a lifetime of 70 years, 76,650 pints, or, roughly, 76,700 pints, allowing for the extra days in the leap years. The weight of this 76,700 pints of liquid

amounts to 42% tons. Altogether, then, the healthy man, with a good appetite and average drinking capacity, assimilates into his system during 70 years 96½ tons of material, solid and liquid, or, putting it in another way, and assuming his weight to be 12 stone, he consumes over 1,280 times his own weight of nourishment in the course of a life-

INVESTMENTS IN PHILANTHROPY

It is now about five years since Lord Rowton, who was once Lord Beaconsfield's private secretary, undertook to demonstrate that judicious philanthro-phy "pays." He did it by opening Rowton House, a great hotel for the London homeless, in which a man can lodge at the cost of sixpence a day. Handsomely equipped and generously managed, the house returned 5 per cent on the capital invested. The

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We quote the London, rather than the New York, experience, for the reason that the Rowton Houses have had got into the pantry and ate almost all time to establish a record. Results show that the roughest men grew tame in decorous surroundings; and that the most hopeless gain courage from an environment of comfort.

is proud that he has a home in the

Naturally the Rowton Houses have elevated the neighborhoods in which they are located. "Cheap lodgings" are not so dirty or so crowded as they once were. Saloons that used to be 'the poor man's club"-as the apologetic phrase goes-attract few loungers. The street corners are almost bare of idle and mischievous men. In short, 2,000 persons directly, and many thousands indirectly, have been helped by the Rowton Houses to help themselves—and have willingly paid for

the help. We commend the facts to the people who feel that the very poor are be-yond relief; to others, who wish to know what may be the next step in demmon-sense philanthrophy; above all, to persons who, when they invest money, like to consider not only the present personal interest but the future general good .- Youth's Companion.

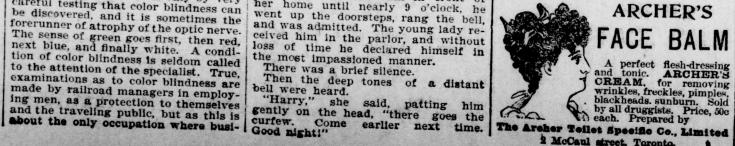
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Good Animal

ishaps of Animals. Among wild quadrupeds, only the ruminants with large horns and long limbs seem commonly liable to accidents. Cases of stags dying with interlocked antlers are recorded from time to time, and Buckland gives an account of a curious accident which befell a large stag in Windsor Forest. The poor beast had been standing on its hind legs to nibble leaves from a horn tree, and caught its hoof in a fork in the trunk, This threw it on its back and broke the bone. Though red deer are in this country mainly found wild on mountainous ground, we much doubt if they are really a mountain species, or specially clever on rocky ground. Mr. J. G. Millais mentions one pass where the bones of deer that have missed their footing and fallen down the crags may frequently be seen. Broken limbs are very common, even among park stags, generally due to fights in rutting time. This must usually lead to the death of deer in all districts where large carnivora are found, but the astonishing way in which broken bones, or even worse injuries received by wild animals, cure themselves if the creature is let alone show that the most serious accidents need not lead to death, even if left to nature. The most striking of recent instances is the case of a doe antelope at Leonardslee, which smashed is hind leg high up, and so badly that the bone protruded. It would have been shot, but it was observed to be feeding, as if not in pain. It survived the winter, and was seen to swing the injured leg forward to scratch its ear before the bone set. The fracture reduced itself, and the cut skin grew over the place, leaving a scar. Later, though lame, it was perfectly well, and reared a young one. A tiger, recently killed in the hot weather, had a bullet wound a week old which had smashed its shoulder. This wound, though a very bad one, was perfectly healthy, and there was evidence that since it was inflicted the tiger had eaten no flesh, but only drunk water. In the Waterloo cup coursing in 1886 "Miss Glendyne" and "the runner-up" for the cup were slipped at a hare which went wild and strong. When killed after a good course by the two crack greyhounds, it was found to have only three feet. This may be comparwith the account of a collie dog, recently quoted in the papers, which had one forefoot and one hind foot cut off by a reaping machine, but which ages to help with the flock. Dogs, which ought to be little liable to accidents, are very frequent sufferers, largely from their association with man dropped it and gave me a good square mishaps arises from their love of riding in carts. They become quite clever at scrambling or jumping in, but are and after partially rising, rolled over not "built" for jumping down on a hard road. If the cart moves as they John Ingram and I started back with "That the worship of the reciprocal principles of creased, and forelegs broken, usually just below the shoulder, are very company below the shoulder. usually only ascribed to bipeds and horses. A greyhound going at full speed will trip, fly head over heels, and break a leg, or even its neck. "Master Magrath" in 1870 went through the rotten ice of the River Alt, from which Altear takes its name, while following the hare, and nearly died from the effects. But the strangest mishap which the writer has ever seen fall to the lot of a dog was the case of a setter which trying to get a hold, the niggers yell binations of five and other numbers dog, a large, heavy animal, was running at high speed in a field of thinly planted mangels. As it passed between the rows, its hind feet struck something, and it nearly turned a somersault. The object was a squatting hare, which, as the dog flew over in one di-

Intelligence of the Horse. If his mistress is to be believed (and who dare saye she isn't?) the old horse Jerry, some of whose exploits have been related in this column before, can read. The other day he was put into the carryall and driven to a town some four miles away. The roals turned out to be unexpectedly sleppery, and Jerry was smooth-shod. He had so dreadful a time in getting down the hills that all the people had to get down and walk, and as he was trying to pull up one hill he actually so lost his footing that the carryal began to run backward, pulling the forse down hill after it; and if the driver had not expertly cramped the wheels into a bank there must have

rection, quietly scuttled off in the other.

-London Spectator.



and vigorous it is a simple and sensible thing to write to Dr. R. V. Pierce, chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical institute, of Buffalo, N. Y., and obtain from him and his staff of eminent specialists, without charge, professional advice which will enable you to put your constitution on

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The most difficult diseases to cure are

een a bad accident. The mistress declared that if she got the horse to the town alive she would have him sharp shod there. They did get the horse to town at last. As they were driving through the streets—the way being easy in the town-they came to a place where the sign of a blacksmith's shop hung at the head of a little alley. The shop itself was not in sight-only sign to direct people down the ey. The horse had never been shod at this place, nor anywhere else in the town, but as soon as he came abreast of this sign he attempted to turn down the alley, and his driver had difficulty in getting him past. After some other matters were attended to, the driver went back to the blacksmith's shep to get Jerry shod, and he headed directly for the shop in the alley without any guiding. As the man was shoeing him, he—that is, the man, not the horse—remarked: "That horse don't need a word; he knows just when to take up every foot and just when to put it down-he understands the

whole business." Now, on his way home the old horse never slipped once, and you cannot convince his mistress that he did not know what he needed was sharp shoeing, nor that he was not aware that that sign pointed the way to a blacksmith's shop.

"Look here," said the listener, when he heard the story, "was there a horse shoe painted on that sign?" "Y-yes, there was," said she, summoning up her mental picture of it. "Then that accounts for it. The horse did not really read the sign-he saw the picture of the horse-shoes, and knew that it pointed the way to the its strongest argument in the similariplace where he could have some of the ties of religious customs, beliefs and same sort of things put on his feet." -Boston Transcript.

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[St. James Gazette.] "I was coming round the base of a little rocky hill when I heard, as I thought, some pigs grunting up on a keep her quiet, and climbed up on to this bench, expecting to see a big old boar, and already to take a snap shot if he ran. When I got up there I could see nothing, so I stepped up on a big boulder, and there lay a lioness and three cubs playing. She was boxing one's ears. Her mouth was open, and the cub appeared to be trying to get into it. I am sure her mouth looked big enough. She was facing me with her head up when I first shot at her head. close range, I gave her a center shot with a hollow bullet. She never got on her feet. She uttered one snarl, and the female Xmicane, ancestor and after partially rising, rolled over four blacks. We got there before sun- principles of nature was recognized nonly seen. Dogs also have dangerous still with her. After skinning her we went up the kopje and found two of the cubs. Then the fun began. The and man constitute the Chinese tau tsai or three powers and are represented by a most marvelous process of active growth. Tuilps, lilacs, carnations, which is a male and tsai or three powers and are represented by a most marvelous process of active growth. Tuilps, lilacs, carnations, which is a male and the control of the con and switched his tail you would have thought he was papa. We ran him representing heaven, the center man, down the kopje and across a little flat and the lower the earth." Identically about 100 yards, and about 100 yards the same idea and symbol, we are told. up another kopje. Bess grabbed him are found in Mexico. In each country, again by the ear and the both rolled ing, and the little lion roaring for all he was worth. We tore off our shirts development of priesthood and mon-and coats, and threw them over the asticism were also the same; so was lion, and finally, by getting on top of him, succeeded in tying his legs. We then took him back to the old one and tied him. We afterwards went up in the kopje and caught a cub lioness. She had taken a stand in a crevice of rock, and the dogs could not tackle her. With a short lassoo and a forked stick we got her out. The cubs are beauties, and just the right age."

CAMELS FOR THE KLONDIKE.

Hagenbeck, the Animal Man, Saye They're the Hardiest Beasts Alive. Carl Hagenbeck, the celebrated animal man, writes from Hamburg to a lows: "As there is such a rage for the Klondike at present, and they want animals that can stand the terrible climate, I offer as the best animal for that country the real Siberian double-humped camel, which is an animal that weighs about 1,400 to 1,600 pounds, and which can carry five to six hundredweight. These animals never see a stable. They can stand the dreadfud Siberian cold as well as the greatest heat, and as these animals are also trained to go in harness, and as they pull as much as a big horse, I think they would be the most valuable animals for the new Klondike gold fields.'

REMARKABLE DISCOVERY

Egyptian Explorers Make Another Good Find. Rev. A. A. Brockway, secretary of the Egyptian exploration fund, has written an interesting article for the New York Times, describing the discovery of the One Hundred and Fiftyfirst Psalm in Egypt and its translation from the Koptic. We learn that the Koptic Church-that strange and significant relic of Christianity-has preserved the One Hundred and Fiftyfirst Psalm in its Psalter. In our Lord's time the Koptic language was spoken in Egypt by the descendants of the early Egyptians. This Koptic work is the oldest eastern manuscript which includes any portion of the Psalter; in fact, it is the only known entire Book of Psalms inscribed in an ancient dialect. The conflict over the One Hundred and Fifty-first Psalm resulted in its being finally adjudged not to be authentic, and hence it is not included in our canonical scriptures; nevertheless, here, in the oldest orienal manuscript containing any portion of the Psalter, we find the discredited Psalm in its entirety, having long been honored as authoritative. The context indicates David as the writer of the description of his victorious encounter with Goliath. The entire Koptic Psalter is being translated by Dr. Budge, the keeper of Assyrian and Egyptian antiquities in the British Museum. The dialect is that of Upper Egypt, and Dr. Budge declares the work to rank with the greatest of the recent great "finds" in Egypt. Mr. Brockway tells us that the man

church. Perhaps during the incursions of foreign invaders the books were hidden away. Dr. Budge thinks that the copy was transcribed at the end of the sixth century, but that it was concealed at a much later date. It may be known that we have Koptic versions of the sacred writings in various dialects extending back as far as the second century, A.D. The text of the One Hundred and Fifty-first Psalm is

"I was small among my brethren and youngest in my father's house. I tended my father's sheep. My hands formed a musical instru-

ment and my fingers turned a psaltery. "And who shall tell my Lord?
"The Lord himself, he himself hears.
He sent forth his angel and took me from my father's sheep, and he anoint-ed me with the oil of his anointing. "My brothers were handsome and tall; but the Lord did not take pleasure in them.

"I went forth to meet the Philistine. and he cursed me by his idols. "But I drew my own sword and beheaded him, and removed reproach from the children of Israel.

Curious Comparison.

Religions in China and Mexico Compared.

Remarkable Features That Are Common to Both.

The theory that the Indians of Mexico, and perhaps all the North American Indians, are descendants of Chintempests upon the western coast of this continent 1,400 years ago, finds nomenclature of the two peoples. For this reason, a particular interest attaches to an article, written apparently with no reference whatever to this theory, by James Wickersham, and published in the American Antiquarian and Oriental Journal. Mr. Wickersham first calls attention to the little 'bench,' jutting out from this hill. Mongolian idea of the evolution of the I cocked the old gun, slapped Bess to earth from the action of the dual powers, representing the male and female principles, the yang and yin. them (the Chinese) the sun is the great yang, the moon the great yin; the south, sunlight, heat, force, growth, masculinity and heaven represent the yang principle; the yin is recognized in the north, shadow, cold, inertness, darkness, femininity and earth." This theory is distinctly recognized as the basis, also, of Mexican and Mayan philosophy. The Zunians speak of the thing is ready. sky as father and the earth as mother. Dr. Brinton is quoted as follows on the Mayan belief: "Gukumatz is positive-

cle divided into three parts, the upper the number nine is the perfect numare identical in the two lands. The the custom of human sacrifice in exceptional cases. The division of gods into two classes: (1) the supreme; (2) deified heroes, was identical in both religions, and the name of this supreme essence-Teotl in Mexico, Tao in China-is the same in meaning and character. The evil spirit opposed to Teotl is called by the Mexicans the "Rational Owl." The Taoists are known as Rationalists, and they suppose the owl to be the messenger that calls for the soul of the doomed and carries it away to the abode of the dead, which abode, among both peoples, is located in the north.

Mr. Wickerson finds other interesting parallels, as brought out in the owing extract: "It would be an interminable task to correspondent in this country as fol- present a detailed comparison between the deities of China and America; a brief list will, however, suffice to prove how greatly they resemble in number

CHINESE. Tao, the Supreme Essence, God. Chaos, before the beginning. Tao-Kech, bisexual life. Pau Kau, male ancestor, Adam, Nu Kau, females ancestress, Eve. Ti Yu, the abode of the dead (north). The evil one, the owl. Tai Sang, lord of the under world. Lung Chui Na, "Mother." Ma Chu, "Grandmother." Taao Chun, kitchen god. Hua Sheu, god of fire. Ngu Kieng Kung, god of thieves. Kuan Yu, god of war. Ich Uong Chu Su, god of medicine. Tih Chu, the sun god. Hou I, the moon god. Hou Chi, god of agriculture.

Shen Nung, "divine husbandman." Tsai Shen, god of merchants. "Short black devil." Lu Pang, god of artizans. Yu Shih, god of water. Kuang Ingkak, goddess of children. Nu Kau, serpent woman. Teu Kwei, god of north star. Feug Pa, god of air. I-bi, god of wine.

Won Ti, god of literature. Yama, god of death. AZTEC-MAYAN. Teotl, the Supreme Essence, God. Chaos, before the beginning. Gukumatz, bisexual life. Xpiyacu, male ancestor, Adam. Xmicane, female ancestress, Eve. Michtlan, the abode of the dead

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(north).

Tonantzin, "Our Mother."
Tociten, "Our Grandmother." Tepitotens, household god. Xiuh-tecutli, god of fire. Hozoltxotl, goddess of thieves. Huitzilopochtli, god or war. Oxomococipactonatl, god of medicine. Ionathiu, the sun god. Mextil, the moon god. Centeotl, goddess of agriculture. Ghanau, god of fertility. Yaca-tecutli, god of merchants. Ixtlilton, "the little negro. Napatecutli, god of matmakers. Tialoc, god of water. Youlticetl, goddess of children. Cihuacoatl, serpent woman. Xaman Ek, god of north star. Quetzalcoatl, god of air. Acua, god of wine.

and wrapped in coarse linen. The volumes had undoubtedly been prepared for and used in the old monastic places and elements in nature, but all gods, one for each day of the year for separate diseases, and for various places and elements in nature, but all on a plane of common relationship. Tezcatlipoca, the Aztec deity, holds in his hand a mirror; his name means 'shining mirror; the mirror was the Aztec symbol for the soul. The Japanese Shinto temple contains one emanese Shinto temple contains one emblem, the mirror, and it, too, is the symbol of the soul. The Taoists worshiped Yu Hu, the jade goddesses; the Mayans Ix Tub Tun, the jade goddess, while the Aztecs worshiped the same goddess as Chalchihuitlicue. Jade was sacred to the gods, and the most precious stone in China, Japan, Mexico and Central America."

Extraordinary Experiments.

The Results of Experiments With a New Method of Hastening Development of Plants.

A Copenhagen dispatch says: The Agricultural High School here, which has some of the most eminent chemists of the age working in its interests, has made successful experiments in developing plants with marvelous rapidity by etherizing them. Some time ago Mr. Johannsen, an eminent botanist and experimental chemist, read a paper before the school, in which he explained his methods of etherizing plants to hasten their maturity, and he illustrated his text with pictures of the plants he had tested. 1mmediately after hearing this lecture the ese adventurers who were driven by made preparations to experiment with ether as a plant developer, and the results of these tests have just been obtained as scientific data for future

The method, which promises to supersede electroculture, is to expose plants to the ether fumes under certain favorable conditions. The theory is that the ether frees the plants of decomposable matter, and stimulates them in their growth so rapidly that they reach maturity much earlier than by natural growth. The plants are etherized in a very simple way.

Cylindrical glasses are used for this purpose in the experiment at the school, so the operators can watch the progress of the plant's growth without interrupting it. For larger plants, shrubs, and small trees a peculiarly constructed box, that is perfectly airtight, is employed. This box is lined inside with tinfoil and oil painted outside. It may be of any desirable size. A small hole in the lid of the box is made for introducing the ether, and this is closed with a cork when every-The box, or glass cylinder, is

potted plant and the ether over the then introduced. From 500 to 600 cubic his life, and exclaimed: centimeters of ether are introduced in are placed in a hothouse and left there | jure me but sooner or later I had my for 24 or 96 hours.

The effect of this treatment is almost instantaneous. The plant begins to awaken, and the shoots extheir growth so that they can be made ready for the market almost at the will of the florist. The etherizing of the plant costs from one cent to two cents for each one, but in view of the extraordinary results obtained this is hardly worth considering. Not only are the plants developed quicker than by nature's usual method, but the colors of the flowers are intensified and made more durable. In this respect etherizing is much

superior to electroculture. Some remarkable successes have been obtained in the past ten years in applying atmospheric electricity to plants for hastening their maturity. method plants and flowers have been brought to maturity in half the ordinary time required by nature, and the size of vegetables has been more than doubled. The yield of grains has been increased 50 per cent by electroculture. So remarkable have the results been in this line that some scientists have predicted an early revolution in agriculture through the application of electricity to all growing plants.

But there has always been one draw-back to the electroculture of flowering plants. While the vegetables would be double in size by this method of stimulation and their quality would not be impaired, the blossoms of plants would suffer. They would bloom much earlier and produce sometimes much larger blossoms, with rich colors, but they would quickly fade. Thus, carnations would develop a rich, deep color under the influence of an arc light, but when removed from it the flowers would fade within five hours to a dull gray. The same was true of violets, pinks, roses and all other flowers, thus making electroculture of

litle real value to the florist. Not so with the new etherizing method of stimulating the growth of flowers. This promises to the florist what electroculture is proving to the general market gardener and farmer. The pretty colors of the flower are not only brought out into strong relief by etherizing, but they are made more durable than in the plants grown by the ordinary slow method. This is due to the fact that the ether frees the plants of decomposable matter, and consequently there is less rapid fading of the coloring matter. I have myself witnessed the magic transformation of plants by this pro-cess. Plants of the lilac and tulip order were taken in the late fall from the greenhouse and placed under cylinirical glasses. They were in their resting period and the foliage and wood looked dead and brown. But after the ether was forced under the glass covering a change was gradually noticeable. In the course of twelve hours the plants had picked up their drooping leaves and locked thrifty and vigorous. At the end of 18 hours you ould detect minute little buds at each

joint of the leaves. In 96 hours tiny new leaves had started and their were evident signs of buds visible. These discoveries will no doubt lead to far more astonishing results. It is believed now by the directors of the agricultural station here that florists can make any of their plants bloom at will throughout the year. Thus they can make their lilacs and tulips bloom in September or October, or in time for the Christmas holidays. In fact, it will in time completely revolutinize flower growing. We will not longer be dependent upon the seasons for our flowers. By etherizing the plants we can produce any flowers that we may desire, and at a cost that is within the

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PICTURES OF BYGONE DAYS.

In the youthful days of Aubrey de Vere, the Irish poet, now an octogenarian, Irish gentlemen fought duels, and did not love their enemies. In his vol-ume of "Recollections," Mr. De Vere relates how an old gentleman of high breeding walked up and down the library at Curragh Chase, the love home in which the poet has lived all "It is a great thing to be able to look a box four feet high and long and two back on a long life, and record as I feet broad. Then the plant and box can that never once did any man in-

revenge.' That picture of a bygone time should be looked upon by those who think that 'the former days were better than

tions, lilies, and all other plants thus to be carried drunk from the dinner table and put to bed, should also be noticed by the pessimists. Mr. De Vere remembers his father telling him this "When he was 18 years of age, after

a day's hunt, he had only avoided intoxication at dinner by watching till the others were beginning to get tipsy, and after that pouring each new glass of wine down his neck-cloth, then worn so large that the chin was buried in it. "When the last of the topers lay under the table, he rushed to his bedroom, took a bath, dressed again, and joined the ladies at their 12 o'clock tea. "The next morning all the gentlemen rose when my father entered, and received him as if he had been a prince. They had heard that he had been unaffected by the wine, and considered that so strong a head was entitled to the highest honors.



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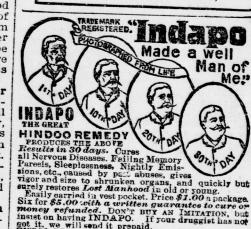
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American Markets.

Lard, \$5 15 to \$5 17½ Short rib sides, \$5 to \$5 40. Dry salted shoulders, 4¼e to 5c. Short clear sides, \$5 35 to \$5 55. Sugar, unchanged. Eggs, weak; fresh, 10½c. Receipts—Flour, 19,000 bbls; wheat, 50,000 bushels; corn, 415,000 bushels; oats, 309,000 bushels; rye, 9,000 bushels; barley, 50,000 Shipments—Flour, 26,000 bbls.; wheat, 26,000 bushels, corn, 268,000 bushels, oats, 269,000 bushels; rye, 600 bushels, barley, 28,000 bushels

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MONTREAL, March 4.—Cheese, 7c to Butter-Townships, 18c to 19c; western, 15c to 17c. NEW YORK, March 4.—Butter firm; western creamery, 15c to 20½c; do, factory, 11c to 14½c; Elgins, 20½c; imitation creamery, 13c to 13½c to 17c; state dairy, 14c to 17c; do, creamery, 14c to Cheese weak; large white, Sept., 8½c; small white, Sept., 8¾c to 9c; light skims, 6c to 6½c; part skims, 4c to 5½c; full skims, 2c to 3c; large colored, Sept., 8½c; small colored, Sept., 8¾c to 9c; large, Oct., 8c to 81/4c; small, Oct.,

CHICAGO, March 4.—Butter—Market firm; creamery, 13c to 20c; dairies, 11c to 18c. Cheese quiet, at 8c to 8½c. St homas Market. St. Thomas, March 5.-Wheat, per

bu, 88c to 89c; oats, per bu, 33c to 35c; peas, per bu, 45c to 50c; barley, per bu, 40c; corn, per bu, 37c to 38c. Live Stock Markets. NEW YORK, March 4.—Beeves-Re-

ceipts, 3,528; quiet and generally steady; native steers, \$4 40 to \$5 10; stags and Cables quote American steers at 10c to oxen, \$2 75 to \$4 40; bulls, \$3 40 to \$3 75. 101/2c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef, at 8c to 8½c. Calves—Receipts, 90; market active and firm; veals, \$5 to \$8 121/2; city dressed veals steady at 8c to 11c. Sheep and lambs-Receipts, 4,870; flow and slightly easier; sheep, \$3 50 to \$4 80; lambs, \$5 50 to \$6 25. Hogs—Receipts, 3,949; slow and lower at \$4 20 to

EAST BUFFALO, March 4.-Cattle-Receipts, 3 cars of sale stock and a few odd ends; the market was about steady to firm for all kinds, and all that were sold brought about former values; western reports were steady to easy, and the outlook for the immediate future is considered fair. Veals and Calves-Receipts, 35 head; good demand; top veals sold at higher prices, and brought \$7.75 to \$8, with others all the way from \$5.50 to \$7 50. Hogs-Receipts, 40 cars; market fairly active, but about a nickel lower than the average values of yesterday for all grades, but good pigs, which brought about former prices; good to choice Yorkers, prime selected light Yorkers, and mixed packers' grades, \$4 20 to \$4 25; medium weights American Markets.

CHICAGO. March 4.—The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—March, \$1 02½: May, \$1 04½: July, 90½e to 90½c. Corn.—May, 30½e; July, 31½e; Sept., 32½e to 32½e. Oats—May, \$3 10 to \$4 10. Sheep and Lambs—Registry to 26½e: July, 24½e. Mess pork—May, \$5 20; July, \$10 4½: July, \$10 52½. Lard—May, \$5 20; July, \$10 4½: July, \$10 52½. Lard—May, \$5 20; July, \$5 27½. Cash quotations: Flour, slow. No. 2 No. 2 red, \$1 03½ to \$1 0½. No. 2 spring, 90e to 97e. No. 2 red, \$1 03½ to \$1 0½. No. 2 corn, 29½e; No. 3 white, \$1 0. ½e to 29½e. No. 2 rye, 50c. No. 1 flaxsedd, \$1 21 to \$1 25. Prime timesthy seed, \$3 95. Mess pork, \$10 45 to \$10 50.

TORONTO, March 4.-Offerings at the cattle yards today were a good deal heavier than have been lately, and the result was cattle were slightly weaker in tone. There were 66 carloads of stuff in, including 108 sheep and lambs, 3,600 hogs, 30 calves and about 40 milch cows and springers. One of the notable features of the market was the buying by Mr. Joseph Wilson of a couple of carloads, 40 head of thoroughbred Shorthorn bulls, for Messrs. Conrad Bros., of Lethbridge, Man.; these are for breeding purposes. The prices paid ruled from \$30 to \$80 each. Cattlemen are continually discussing the proposed plan to remove the cattle yards, and the majority of them are strongly averse to their removal from the present site. Export cattle—There is a quiet trade being done in this line, a few loads of cattle being made up to ship by way of St. John; prices paid rule from \$3 75 to \$3 95 for pretty good cattle, and from \$4 to \$4 25 per cwt for choice. Butchers' cattle-There was a slightly weaker tone in this line, as a result of the heavier offerings; most of the stuff was sold before the close of the day, but much of it was not of quite as good quality as the dealers wished; quotations ruled from 31/4c to 31/2c per lb for good cattle, and up to

about 3%c for something choice; common cattle sold for 2%c to 3c per lb; there were several carloads of choice cattle killed at Harris' abattoir. Stockers and feeders-Good feeding steers were selling from \$350 to \$360 per cwt, mostly to fill vacancies in distillery byres; for light stockers for Buffalo there was a fair demand, prices ruling from 2%c to 34c per lb. lambs—Bucks sold for 2½c to 2½c per Sheep and lb, and good shipping ewes and butchers' sheep sold readily at from 3c to 314c per lb, some choice ones coming lose to 31/2c; lambs are firm, at from oc to 514c per lb. Calves-Offerings were heavier and prices were a shade weaker, ruling from \$2 to \$7 each, a few extra choice veals only going higher than that range. Milch cows and springers-Dairymen are still looking for good cows, and the result was that the market held firm at \$20 to \$45 each. Hogs-Offerings were heavy, but the market held its own; choice singers sold for 5c to 5%c per lb, weighed off

stags and other rough hogs at from \$2 to \$2 25 per cwt. CHICAGO, March 4.—Cattle, \$5 70 to \$5 85; from that figure sales were made down to \$3 85 for poorest, the bulk of the offerings fetching \$4 35 to \$5 15; sales at extreme range of \$3 85 to \$4 15 for common to prime droves of hogs, the greater part going for \$4 to \$4 10; pigs selling chiefly at \$3.75 to \$3.90. Lambs, \$4.25 to \$5.55; sheep at \$3 to \$4 60, and yearlings at \$4 50 to \$5; handy light sheep usually sold the best, and 140-lb sheep sold for export at \$4 35; sheep sold largely at \$4 25 to \$4 50, and lambs chiefly at \$5 20 to \$5 55; feeders brought \$5 15 to \$5 25. Receipts—Cattle, 4,000; hogs, 26,000; sheep, 7,000.

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light at \$3 75; sows at \$3 to \$3 25, and

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Time of Parliament Wasted by Opposition to the Yukon Bargain.

Militia Reserve May Be Formed in Canada as "Second Line of Defense."

Ottawa, March 5.—The opposition dehouse were in consequence tiresome and vocate of that place, "to enable perhouse were in consequence thresome and unprofitable. Hitherto the Conservatives have made a show of sincerity in the prefix "O" or "Mac" before their the discussion of the Yukon bill, but sir-names," was received with shouts now no effort is made to conceal the of laughter, and has furnished a fund their constitutional right to obstruct. Waiting on Washington is the game they are playing, in the hope that they are playing, in the hope that United States legislation will do for prefixes, who claim, according to one the Yukon railway project what they statement, that it would "be an inthe Yukon railway project what they are not able by their voices and their they votes to accomplish. The speeches of der." the opponents of the railway bill today were merely repetition of arguments and assertions that have been worked to death during the long-drawn-out debate, and they were made to empty seats-there being scarcely more than a quorum of members present. It was a month ago yesterday that parliament met, and since that time the almost exclusive topic has been the Yukon railway. The premier yesterday openly charged Sir Charles Tupper with a desire to waste the time of the house, and the matter may go on for some time yet. Of course, when misstate-time yet. ments are made by opposition members, Liberal M. P.s have to reply. Yesbers, Liberal M. P.s have to reply. Yestiations with France and the United Mr. Campbell, of Kent, who combines the qualities of an able debater with the clear-headed perception of a successful business man, presented many sound reasons in support of the contention that the bargain with Mann & McKenzie is a good one. Dr. Sproule moved the adjournment

of the house in order to bring up the disagreement between the Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific Railways in regard to traffic between Toronto and North Bay. He said that the difficulties between the two railways should be of that in 1896, averaging £3 16s 5%d arbitrated, so that interchange of traf- for each man, woman and child.

Hon. Mr. Blair promised to look into the matter at once.

OBSTRUCTION INJURIOUS. Mr. Foster informed the ministers that a party of Klondikers, many of them from his own riding, passed through Ottawa yesterday en route for the Yukon. They expected to reach Wrangel about March 8 or 9 and hoped to avail themselves of the winter road to be constructed from the Stikine to Teslin Lake.

Twain's conduct.

Will I was a records of literature anything quite equal to Mr. River to Teslin Lake. He asked if it would be completed by the time speci-Sir Wilfrid Laurier replied: "I have every reason to believe, in fact I am

Catarrh Shackles

Broken in 60 Minutes



It's an alarming fact, but statistics bear it out, that at least 80 in every hundred persons in this country are tainted in a lesser or greater degree by that disgusting, offensive and dangerous disease—Catarrh. If symptoms appear, such as cold in the head, dizziness, pains in the foreshead. pains in the fore he ad, headache, dropping in the Catarrh shackles may be tighten be. DR. AGNEW'S CATARRHAL POWDER Recommended by eminent nose and throat specialists—gives relief in from 10 to 60 minutes. "For years I was a victim of chronic Catarrh; the first application of Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal powder gave me instant relief, and in an incredibly short while I was permanently cured."—James Headley, Dundee, N.Y.—33

It's an alarming fact, but

choice to selected wethers, \$4 60 to aware, that every effort has been made \$4 75; good to choice mixed sheep, \$4 40 by the contractors to have this winter road opened by March 8, but it is quite by the contractors to have this winter road opened by March 8, but it is quite possible, owing to the tactics of the opposition, that they may not be able to fulfill that part of their contract by the prescribed time.'

SECOND LINE OF DEFENSE. It seems probable that the movement for the formation of a second line of national defense, which originated with the ex-members of the Q. O. R., will be taken up officially, and made effective by legislation. The minister of militia and Col. Ayliner, adjutantgeneral, were yesterday waited upon by a deptuation, who presented peti-tions from leading military men ail over Canada in favor of the formation of a volunteer reserve. The delegation asked that the minister introduce legislation which shall give recognition to corps of volunteer reserve militia. The former members of the Queen's Own Rifles have formed such a corps and their constitution sets forth how they have organized themselves. After hearing the arguments presented and learning that there were already 254 men on the rolls of the Q. O. R. reserve, Dr. Borden said he was personally strongly in favor of the formation of a reserve, and would get the details of the proposal worked out by the officers of the department so that legislation could be introduced. The promoters of the reserve movement anticipate that by the means proposed at least 20,000 well drilled, uniformed men can be added to the effective defensive force of the Dominion at the minimum

Old London.

The Queen Preparing to Start for the Riviera.

A Legislative Curiosity That Proves a Fund of Fun.

Bi-metallism Coming to the Front in Pari:ament.

Increase of \$17,500,000 in Britain's Drink Birl Over That of 1896 Ladies Going Into the Live Stock Business.

hold a privy council on Monday and clear up arrears of business before starting for the Riviera on Wednesday. The Hotel Cimiez is ready to receive her majesty, the necessary horses, carriages, etc., having already arrived there. The Princess Louise, Princess Henry of Battenburg and her children will accompany Queen Victoria to the south of France. Her majesty now, for the first time, habi-

A FUND OF FUN. introduced in Parliament, of which number eight are government measures. One legislative curiosity, intro-duced by Mr. Daniel MacAleese (antivoted itself yesterday to the task of killing time, and the proceedings of the ghan, and editor of the People's Adof paragraphs for the press. The bill, however, is exciting unexpected and serious opposition from the Irish and fringement of the dignity of their or-

BI-METALLISM PUSHED FOR-

of Belgium returns home from his American trip he will be raised to the rank of major in his grenadier regiment, and that his betrothal to his cousin, who was engaged to the late Prince Badouin, will be announced. BRITAIN'S BIG DRINK BILL.

the Times on this subject, says: "With the exception of the historical case of Sir Walter Scott, I do not think there is to be found in the records of litera-

Emperor William is not, as our cor-respondent of the Daily Chronicle at Berlin telegraphed, having a racing yacht built for him quietly at Southampton, to enter the regattas in German and English waters next summer. The story arose from the rechristening of the American schooner-yacht Yampa, recently purchased by Emperor William, to Muna, and transfer-ring to her the German flag, which elaborate formality was carried out at the German consulate at Southamp-

The Ladies Dorothea and Estelle Hope, sisters of the Earl of Hopetoun, have established a successful breeding farm of ponies and Jersey cows at Edenbridge. The made the whole thing themselves.

The Daily Telegr uph, in an article recording the enormous increase in the

The Talk of

[Special London Cable Letter to the Advertiser.] London, March 5.-Throughout the week London has been given over to local politics, and the proceedings in the House of Commons have not excited much interest. The Queen will

tually uses gold, old-age spectacles.

About 100 bills have already been

WARD. The bi-metallists in the House of ommons have secured first place on March 28, when they will present a resolution providing tor the closing of the Indian mints and demanding the appointment of a royal commission to take up the whole question of bi-metallism. The Bi-metallic League has istiations with France and the United

PRINCE ALBERT'S PROSPECTS. It is said that when Prince Albert

The Times, in its annual statement, says the drink bill of the United Kingdom is nearly \$17,500,000 in excess PRAISES FOR MARK TWAIN.

The English press has universally printed praises of the statement that Mark Twain (Mr. Samuel L. Clemens) has paid the last of his Webster & debts. Dr. McAllister, writing to WILLIAM'S BOAT.

A PRETTY SIGHT. Large numbers of people witnessed the formal opening of the boating season at Eton on Tuesday, when a procession of boats, under the supervision of young William Waldorf Astor, who now has the proud distinction among Etonians of being captain of boats, was rowed from Windsor bridge to Boveney Lock. The flotilla, which consisted of ten-oared Monarchs and eight eightoared boats, was a most picturesque WOMEN'S WAYS.

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WEATHER PROBS: Fair and warmer.

The very best neckties wear out-they get dirty and soon discarded. A neat necktie makes a man's appearance, and the tie doesn't require to be expensive to be neat. We have decided to clear out a lot of gentlemen's and boys' ties in Knots, Bows and Four-in-Hands at 10c each, or three for 25c. They are good and serviceable ties. A spl ndid opportunity to save money. If you can't come yourself, send your wife or sister in for three.



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A new lot of Tubular Braids in black, selling at 18c, 20c, 25c, 30c and 35c per dozen. A new line of Baby Ribbon Velvets, in black,

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number of women smokers, says: "The great middle class is smoking as unconstrainedly as the aristocracy, and the working woman is fast following. One well-known lady of title is sometimes seen driving in the Ripley road with a briar-wood pipe in her mouth." Inquiries made among doctors, tobacconists and others, show that the bicycle is responsible for much, as, with wheel parties, has arisen a freedom of manner unknown in the presence of chaperons.

A HORSE MARINE.

Lieut. Moser, of the cavalry, has created a sensation in Austrian sporting circles. As the result of a bet, he jumped, in uniform, into the Danube at Klosteruenberg, and swam to the opposite shore in 10 minutes and 10 seconds. The river there is 380 metres wide, and the current carried him 800 metres down stream. The temperature of the water was 3 degrees above zero, but the lieutenant was not injured.

THE DUKE'S BIRTHDAY. The Duke of Manchester became of age on Thursday. The church bells at Kimbolton were rung, there was a before the full court of the severeign general display of bunting, and a con- people here. gratulatory telegram was sent to the duke, who is at St. Moritz, Switzerland, but the chief festivities have been postponed until the end of his present Cambridge term.

The belated advent of winter is tell-Marquis of Salisbury, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, the Duke of Devonshire Kidney Pills. and other members of the government are more or less invalided.

SALE OF PRIZE-WINNING HORSES At Tattersall's, on Monday, 22 horses, described as prize-winners at the recent horse show at Chicago and Madison Square Garden, New York, were soid at auction. They averaged 56 guineas, which is considered a low price. The St. James' Gazette, commenting upon the sale, says: "The experiment of sending recruits for Rotten Row is not likely to be repeated. The horses were not of the proper stamp. A New York prize does not den they are mere society functions.

TOME OF OSIRES DISCOVERED. Scientists are excited over the authenticated discovery of the tomb of Osiris, the chief god of the Egyptians and consort of Isis, at Luxor, a virlage of Upper Egypt, built on the site of Thebes. The news was dist received

sident of the Egyptian council of ministers. The discovery was made by M. Amelineau, who, in a letter, also affirms positively that he has discovered that the tomb of the gods Seth and Horus is in the same necropolis at Abydos The Pall Mall Gazette says: "There is no doubt this is a great discovery. Thus we know the tombs of the last three god-kings of the second of the divine dynasties, which dates back 10,000 DEATH OF AN ACTOR.

Charles Overton, the English agent of A. M. Palmer, who took "The Wages of Sin" and "Jim the Penman" to America, died recently of an overdose of opium, under circumstances which have given rise to suspicions of suicide.

IN FAVOR OF DODD'S.

W. F. Hill, of Strathroy, Testifies for Dodd's Kidney Pills. Strathroy, Feb. 28.—The evidence of

Mr. Hill stated that, speaking from his own experience, he would say posi-tively that no other medicine on earth,

besides Dodd's Kidney Pills, would cure Kidney Disease. ing severely upon the constitutions of said he had suffered intensely for sev-British statesmen. In addition to the eral years. Doctors could not help him.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

The Wabash Railroad If you are contemplating a trip to the Klondike or any point in Alaska, please Thebes. The news was dist received bash Railway. The short and true with incredulity, but all doubts were route via Detroit and Chicago, to all the with incredulity, but all doubts were quieted by a telegram from the director-general of excavations to the pretrain service is now acknowledged to be the most perfect railway system in be the most perfect railway system in America. All trains run solid from Buffalo to Chicago, passing through St. Catharines. Hamilton, Woodstock, London and Chatham. Detailed information will be furnished by any rail. mation will be furnished by any railroad agent, or

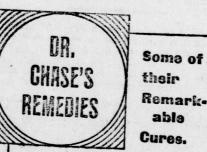
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Mrs. Jos. Querin, Ethel, Ont.

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COMMERCIAL

Toronto Produce Market. Toronto, March 5.-Wheat-Steady, at 86c to 87c for red winter west; Manitoba wheat firmly held, at \$1 101/2 for No. 1 hard at North Bay, and \$1 081/2 on the Midland. Flour-Dull and easy, for No. 2 outside. Rye-Firm, at 51c

291/2c to 80c for white west. Peas-

Steady, at 57c west. Eggs-New-laid

Montreal Produce Market. Montreal, March 5.-Grain in store-Grade 2, white oats, 331/2c; peas, 64c; rye, 58c; barley, 36c; buckwheat, 38c; red wheat, 93c; red, 91c. Flour-Strong pakers, \$4 75 to \$6; spring patents, \$5 45; Winter do, \$4 75 to \$4 90; straight roller, 4 35. Feed-Manitoba bran, \$15 50; shorts, \$16 50; Ontario bran, \$15; shorts, 16. Provisions—Canada pork, per bbl, \$16 50 to \$17; ham, 11c to 12c; bacon, 12c to 12½c; lard, pure, 7e to 7½c; compound, 5e to 5½c. Produce—Eggs steady, at 18c to 19c. Poultry—Supply light; new killed good turkeys, 10c; chickens, 8c to 9c; ducks, 81/2c to 9c geese, 7c to 8c. Beans-Primes, 70c choice hand-picked, 69c. Honey-White clover comb, 121/2c; dark do, 10c to 101/2c; dark, 7c to 8c. Potatoes, 60c per bag in carloads; 75c less than carloads.

American Markets NEW YORK, March 5-Noon.-Flour -21,332 bbls; sales, 2,800 pkgs; State and western inactive and barely steady. Rye flour dull. Wheat-Receipts, 75,850 bu; sales, 1,200,000 bu; options opened steady; sold off under liuldation, but rallied slightly on covering; May, \$1 00% to \$1 01½; July, 11-16c to 91%c; Sept., 61½c to 61%c. Rye easy. Corn receipts, 27,300 bu; sales, 50,000 bu; options dull and easy on enewed liquidation; May, 31%c to 35%c. Dats-Reclipts, 63,600 bu; options quiet, ut steady; track, white state, 33c to 34c; track, white western, 35c to 354c. Butter-Receipts, 3,629 pkgs; steady and unchanged. Cheese-Receipts, 1,189 kgs; dull and unchanged. Eggs-Repts, 9,285 pkgs; steady; state and Pennsylvania, 121/2c; western, 12c; southern, 12c to 121/4c. Sugar-Raw steady; BUFFALO, March 5.—Spring wheat,

321/2c; No. 3 white, 311/2c to 31%; No. 4 white, 31c to 311/4c. DETROIT, Mich., March 5 .- Wheat-No. 1 white cash, 96%c; No. 2 red cash, 97%c; May, 97%c; July, 78%c. TOLEDO, March 5.—Wheat—Cash, 99½c; May, 99½c; July, 88c. Corn—Cash, 31½c; May, 31¾c. Oats—Cash, Cash, \$1 02; May, \$1 021/2.

Oil Markets. Pittsburg, Pa., March 5.-Oil closed at

Chicago Exchange Chicago Exchange

CHICAGO March 5.

CHICAGO March 5.

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Open. High. Low. Close.

Wheat—May. 1 05 1 05% 1 04% 1 05%

July. 90% 90% 90% 90% 90%

Corn—May. 30% 30% 30% 30% 30% 30%

Oats—May. 31% 31% 31% 31% 31%

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July. 24% 24% 24% 26%

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Puts—80%. Calls—91%.

Puts-891/2. Calls-911/2. English Markets. Wheat—Spot, dull; No. 1 Cal., 7s 19½d to 7s 11½d; No 1 cash, firm, 8s 2½d; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 10½d; spot No. 1 red northern spring, dull, 8s 2d.

ern spring, dull, 8s 2d.

Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, new, 3s 44/3t; March steady, 3s 44/3t; May steady, 3s 2d;
July steady 3s 24/3t.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter firm, 9s 9d.
Peas—Canadian, 5s 24/3t.
Beef—Firm; extra India mess, 68s 9d; prime
mess, 58s 9d. Beef-Firm; extra India mess, 68s 9d; prime mess, 58s 9d.

Pork-Firm; prime mess, fine western, 51s 3d; do, medium, western, 48s 9d.

Hams-Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., steady, 32s.

Bacon-Cumberland cut, dull, 28 to 30 lbs, 31s; short ribs, dull, 20 to 24 lbs, 31s 6d; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, steady, 29s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, steady, 29s; short clear middles, heavy, 45 to 50 lbs, no stocks; clear bellies, easy, 12 to 14 lbs, 33s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, steady, 28s 6d.

Shoulders-Square, 12 to 14 lbs, dull, 25s.

Land-Prime western, dull, 27s 3d.

Butter-Finest American, 84s; good, 60s.

Rosin-Common, steady, 4s 3d.

Cheese-American finest white and colored, easy, 40s.

Tallow-Prime city, firm, 10s.

easy, 40s.
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THE CHRISTIAN WORKERS

There was a good attendance for the opening Bible reading on the "Second Coming of Christ" at the Christian Workers' Mission last evening. Several objections to the doctrine of the personal, visible and pre-millennial coming of the Lord were dealt with by Pastor Mackenzie. It was urged by very entertaining and profitable. Rev. some, he said, that the second coming Canon Smith presided. was covered by Christ's appearance to his disciples after the resurrection, but this could not be (John xxi., 22). Neither was it fulfilled at Peatecost, as some asserted (Acts iii., 21); nor did the "new birth" fulfill it (I. Corinthians, ii., 26). The coming could not mean death, for the Scriptures declared it meant resurrection (I. Corinthians, xv., 52). The speaker asserted that the Lord's feet shall stand on the Mount of Olives (Zechariah xiv., 4), and that "He shall sit on the throne of David" (Luke i., 32). According to II. John, vii. (revised version), to deny the personal coming of Christ is anti-Christian. Job said the Lord would come visibly (Job xix., 25-27). Jesus declared the tribes of the earth should see him come (Matthew xxiv., 30), and at \$4.10 to \$4.20 for cars of straight and be like him. The pre-millennial coming of the Lord was proved, said John stated the church would see him changed, at \$14 50 for shorts and \$12 50 the speaker, by the statements of the for bran west. Barley-Steady, at 42c Lord himself, for when he comes true west. Corn-Steady, at 31c for Canada 8), wordliness rampant, as in the days faith will be at a premium (Luke xviii., yellow west. Oats-Dull and easy, at of Noah (Matthew xxiv., 36-41), and a personal antichrist will be manifest (II. plentiful and easy, at 15c. Butter— next Friday, "Christ's Coming for His DEATH OF W. J. GRAY. Church." Thessalonians, ii., 8-9). Subject

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Albert Frost, of Faraday, has been sentenced at Belleville to two years in the penitentiary for bigamy. TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure.

Mrs. Nutbrown, wife of the caretaker of Albert College, Believille, accident-ally poisoned herself Thursday by taking a mixture, of which bichromate of otash was an ingredient. The mistake was discovered in time to save her life.

THERE is not a more dangerous class of disorders than these which orderly. The two men were together, affect the breathing organs. Nullify this danger with Dr. Thomas' Eelectric Oil-a pulmonic of acknowledged efficacy. It cures soreness and lameness when applied externally, as well as swelled neck and crick in the back, and, as an inward specific, possesses most substantial claim to public con-

Testimonials. After buying all others, I bought a

Prescott Disk Harrow.—Harvey Davis, Tempo.

Topics of Today. majority. It had to come to it, like the rest of them.

Whitmore Horning, who was arrested on a charge of personating at the polls in Hamilton, has been honorably ineers made the mistake. Horning will likely sue for false arrest.

LATEST WEATHER FORECAST Toronto, March 5.-10 a.m.-Probabilities for the lower lakes region for the next 24 hours: Southwest to southeast winds; fine today. On Sunday stationary or a little higher temperature.

-A new Maxim gun has arrived at Wolseley Barracks. -The Mission to Lepers will meet in Somerset Hall on Monday afternoon

-Mrs. Geo. Olmstead and Mrs. Geo. -Mr. Arthur Sippi, the well-known baseball player, takes up his residence in Toronto on Monday. -Rev. George H. Filian, of Armenia, will preach at Dundas Center Methodist Church tomorrow morning. -Corporal John Cockburn, of Wol-

seley Barracks, left this afternoon for Toronto on a visit to friends. -Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McGaw and niece, of the Queen's Hotel, Toronto, are stopping at the Tecumseh House. -Mrs. Jean Blewett and Mrs. R. L. Gosnell, of Blenheim, are the guests of Mrs. (Hon.) David Milis, South Lon-

-Mr. C. A. LeBel, of Montreal, has left for home after spending two weeks with his brother, Mr. J. D. Le-Bel, Wolfe street, city. -Dr. B. E. McKenzie, of Toronto; Dr. and Mrs. G. R. Watson, Ottawa, and Mr. J. F. R. Clark, Rossiand, B. C., are among the guests at the Te-

cumseh House. --The men's popular meeting tomorrow afternoon in the Auditorium will be addressed by Rev. Geo. Filian, of Armenia. His address will be illustrated by some very fine stereopticon

-Mrs. Thomas Boyd (nee Tottie Gray) and her three children have left for their home in Winnipeg after spending the last six months with ceed in its purpose, and that the Bell government here would accept any Mrs. Boyd's mother, Mrs. E. P. Gray, -The large quilt which the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Loco-

motive Engineers have been working upon for a few months is now on view at Jones' auction room in the window, and will be sold on Monday. -Mr. T. H. McHattle, foreman of the locomotive department of the G. T. R. here, Engineers McFadden, Temple, Blackwell and a number of others went

to Hamilton today to attend the funeral of Engineer Hutchinson, who was killed in the accident near Burlington station. -Mrs. Tilley, of London, Dominion secretary of the international order of King's Daughters and Sons, addressed the Cup-of-cold-water Circle in St. Thomas' Church school room last evening. Mrs. Tilley's earnest words on the object and work of the order

were listened to with deep interest.-Hamilton Spectator. -Rev. T. B. Westgate, a graduate of Huron College, who is going to the foreign mission field in South America, gave a lecture last night at Cronyn Hall upon missionary subjects. Magic lantern views of missions in Persia, China, Japan and all parts of the world were given. The lecture was

-The second annual concert of the London Vocal Society, under the leadership of Mr. W. H. Hewlett, will be held in the Auditorium on Tuesday, March 22. Two distinguished artists have been engaged, Mrs. Chas. E. Saunders, of Toronto, soprano, and Mr. Herman Heberlien, of Detroit, 'cellist. Subscription lists in the hands

of committee. Subscribers' seats 50c. -Mr. William Pratt, of the Hamilton road, who was charged with the theft of Mens from Mrs. Lucy Barfitt, of Dorchester, asserts his innocence of the crime. Mr. Fratt says he was on the London market on Thursday and bought some chickens from Mr. Wm. Hall, of Kintore. He was removing them from Mr. Hall's to his own coop, when Mrs. Barfitt came along and claimed that the chickens in Pratt's coop were her own. She went to the police station to get a warrant, and Mr. Pratt continued removing the chickens from Hall's coop. When the police arrived Pratt was arrested. Hall claims the chickens were his own, and that it must be a case of mistaken

Many friends of the family will regret to learn of the death of W. J. Gray, son of T. D. Gray, manager Shedden Company, Limited, which occurred today at the family residence, Dr. Agnew's Ointment relieves in one after a severe illness. Deceased was popular among a large circle of Ulcers, Blotches, and all eruptions of tendered the bereaved family. The dent articles. It was a very pretty friends, and sincere sympathy will be the skin. It is soothing and quieting, funeral will be held on Tuesday to the G. T. R. station.

MAD DOG SCARE. The neighborhood of the Gustin House, Dundas street, was alarmed by a mad dog scare about one o'clock today, when a cocker spaniel, which acted strangely, and was evidently suffering from some distemper, appeared on the scene, and attacked all who came near it. John Brennan, of 508 Fall Mall street, and Mrs. Wilson, of 362 Dundas street, were each bitten, the latter in the hand quite severely. P. C. Dan Thompson shot the animal, which owned by Morgan McTaggart, of 149 Wharncliffe road.

THE POLICE TOURT. and Prodgers endeavored to force an entrance into a boarding house on Bathurst street last night, and Mr. Charles Collins, one of the boarders, used a small baseball bat against them with considerable effect. Both men were arrested shortly afterwards. Prodgers was fined \$10 or twenty days, and Mason was discharged. Mina Darina, woman arrested last night for being drunk on the market square, was allowed to go. Two other drunks were

VROOMAN GUILTY.

The Toronto World now owns up City; W. De Cou, butcher, and Robert Duncan, blacksmith, Oil City. The evcoe; W. H. McClure, hotelkeeper, at Oil that the Ontario Government has a idence showed that Vrooman was discharged. The Conservative scrut- til Tuesday for sentence. Prisoner admitted taking the rig, but said he was drunk, and was under the impression that it belonged to a relative.

There was a large gathering at the evening. The business of the evening consisted chiefly of the advancement Preparations were made for the initiation of a large number of candidates at the next meeting, which is to be held on March 17. The reduction of the initiation fees for a limited time delegates to the district Meynell, of London, are on a visit to Musgrove; reading, Sister Hopkins; instrumental, Sister Ramsay.

Gity Fathers Are Home Again.

They Expect That Their Mission Will Be Successful.

age System-City Hall Notes.

Ottawa at 1 o'clock this morning, on the C. P. R., excepting Mayor Wilson, who arrived earlier, and Ald. Winnett and McPhillips, who arrived somewhat later. A few miles east of Innerkip the driving-rod of the engine broke and the aldermen were detained three the policy of the present opposition has seen or present heartburnings of the the driving-rod of the engine broke introduced to Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the members of the cabinet, who were delighted to make their acquaintance. ter senator spoke of the assurances The mayor this morning said that he that they had from Canada that the had no doubt the deputation would suc-Telephone Company would be refused kind of indignity against the country understood that all the Liberal members had signed a declaration pledging

of the mayor. He was taken into room 16, the headquarters of the Liberal members in the house at Ottawa, and was introduced around by his fatherin-law, Mr. M. C. Cameron, M. P., of West Huron, a staunch Liberal. Everyone there supposed the mayor was of the same stripe of politics. "How splendidly you London Liberals did on Tuesday! Let me congratulate you!" was the greeting hurled at the doctor by the Liberal members. The mayor smiled and bore it.

** ** ** Street Commissioner Ironside has a corps of men opening the ditches in preparation for a thaw.

mit to build a two-story brick residence on Central avenue, exhibition ground survey, to cost \$1,800.

warrants to collect outstanding taxes The amount is about \$20 There are 160 milkmen doing business in the city. They are taking out

their annual licenses, which cost \$1 each. Inspector Bell has also collected \$220 in dox taxes to date. ** ** ** The finance committee meets to-

EIGHT HUNDRED.

HOCKEY. LONDON COLLEGIATES AT INGERSOLL.

No. 1 hard, \$1 08%; No. 1 northern, \$1 07%; winter wheat, No. 2 red, \$1; No. 1 white, 99c. Corn.—No. 2 yellow, 34%c; No. 2 corn. 24%c to 34%c; No. 2 white, 96c. Corn.—No. 2 white, 96c. Corn.—No. 2 white, 97c. Corn.—No. 2 w

drunk when he took the rig, asd that Meat Cutters, each he drove the horse to Oil City from Glencoe. There he sold the groceries to Mr. Duncan. Failing to sell the horse and rig, he borrowed \$3 from Mr. McClure, and left the turnout as security. Vrooman was remanded un-

ROYAL TEMPLAR MEETING. regular meeting of South London Council, No. 397, Royal Templars of Temperance, which was held in the A. O. F. Hall, Craig street, Thursday consisted chiefly of the advancement of select degree work, in which Bro. Muir, of Exeter, took a leading part. and the recent grand council meeting have caused people to look more fully into Royal Templar work. Sisters Chantler and Reynolds were appointed which is to be shortly held at Nilestown. At the close a short programme was rendered which consisted of the following numbers: Reading, Bro. Thos.

A Grant Expected Towards the Sewer

The civic deputation returned from

It is also said that the powerful and eloquent representations of Ald. Cooper to the minister of militia will result in the city getting a handsome grant from the government towards the cost of the new sewerage system, on account of the Wolseley Barracks sewerage connections. The sum expected is \$20,000. ** ** **

A good joke is told at the expense

** ** ** Mrs. S. A. Wood has taken out a per-The tax collector has begun to issue

An Immense Supper at Wesley Hall-The Sunday School Scholars Entertained.

Seven or eight hundred pupils of the First Methodist Sunday school, had a rare time last night. They were filled with good things, provided by the management. The dining-room was converted into a scene of beauty, with long rows of well spread tables. radiant with flowers and foliage, and glistening china and glassware, and and animated spectacle, and the whole affair was elaborated with great success and involved a great deal of energy and skill. After the supper, limelight views and music by the Sunday school orchestra made a fitting

The Collegiate Institute hockey team went to Ingersoll last night to play a return match, and was defeated by the close score of 8 to 6. The visitors were handsomely treated by the locals and were entertained to an oyster supper. Each team has won a victory, John Prodgers and William Mason and the deciding match will be played were charged before Magistrate Parke this morning with being drunk and disnight. The London team last night The London team last night was: Goal, Gibbons; point, McNee; cover, Lepierre; forwards, Windser, Peel, Ashplant and Fraser. The referee was George Hault.

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At Work. United States Hostility to Can-

ada Inspired From Canada. The Effect of the Dominion Opposition's

Antagonism to the All-Canadian Route of the Government. [Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, March 5.-Now that the United States Senate has passed the Alaska homestead bill, which Jefuses bonding privileges in Alaska, and Company's forces, accompanied by unless certain concessions be made by Canada in regard to American fishermen, the opposition in the House of Commons will likely stop their ob- project to purchase Cuba, El Nacional, struction to the Canadian Yukon Rail- in an article under the caption, "The whole opposition to the measure is proclaim the annexation of Cuba to directed from those who would like to the United States by agreement with the United States, and the Conserva- debt, favoring us during a certain pertives in the Dominion Parliament, in jod by a tariff concession and guaranthe vain hope to further their party ambitions, are playing into the hands erty

treason. It will be noticed from the Washington Dispatch that senator af-He that might be imported into the homestead bill. These assurances were carthemselves to oppose the company's pe-Washington as they are at Ottawa, more below in the burning mine. with a view of defeating the building of an all-Canadian railway to the Yukon. If the treachery and treason of certain parties succeed, and if the government of the Yukon pass out of the hands of the Canadian Government, those who are responsible will be held to account for their actions.

London's Baseball Team Is Chosen.

List of the Men Who Will Play

This Year. Mostly New Faces—Evidently a Strong

Club.

Manager A. D. Holman, of the London Baseball Club, has selected his team from the thousand and one players who were anxious to come here. C. Beal, one of the new pitchers, was the star twirler of Decatur, Ill., last year, and Grim, a new catcher, was the chief backstop of the Cooperstown, N. Y., team. All the new players are reputed to be A1, and the team's prospects in the new International League are bright. Local patrons of the game will be pleased to see Johnson, Crowe, Ward, Keenan, and Sechrist in London uniforms again. The local team will

Pitchers-Lute Johnson, North Co-hocton, N. Y.; Charles Crowe, Niles, Ohio; Crowell Beal, Dansville, Ill. Catchers—John J. Grim, Chicago, Ill.; Mart Bach, Erie, Pa. First base-Myron Grimshaw, Canajoharie, N. Y.

Shortstop-Pierre Ward, Dansville, N. Y. Third base-Joseph W. Keenan, Auburn, N. Y. Outfielders-John Meara, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; Wm. D. Howells, Blacking-

ton, Mass.; Charles Sechrist, Erie, Pa. Spare man-George Warsof, Oswego, The uniform will be changed somewhat from that of last season. The letters on the shirt will be black, and the cap and the stockings black also. The men will report on April 25.

'Quaker' Bath Cabinets. representative of the World Manufacturing Company, of Cincinnati, Ohio, will be at the store of A. Screaton & Co., 134 Dundas street, on Monday and Tuesday, March 7 and 8, exhibiting the celebrated "Quaker" Bath Cabinets, with which you may enjoy Turkish, Russian and Medicated baths at your own home at a cost of 10 cents each. Call and see them. It will cost you nothing.

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Afternoon Cables.

TURKE! MUST EXPLAIN. Constantinople, March 5.-The Bulgarian agent here has asked the Turkish Government for explanations re-garding the alleged movements of the Turkish troops towards the Bulgarian frontier. It is reported that Macedonian and Bulgarian bands crossed the Mace-

donian frontier yesterday. TO DRIVE OUT THE FRENCH. Brass, West Coast of Africa, March 5. -The Royal Niger Company's forces left Lokoja yesterday for Sokoto to assist the Sultan of Sokoto to drive the French but of his territory, should the French forces refuse to recross the Ni-

Liverpool, March 5.-Major Lugard, other officers, sailed today for Rib Des Forcados, Upper Guinea.

TO TRADE OFF CUBA. Madrid, March 5 .- Commenting on the rumors of President McKinley's way bill. It is well known that the exclaims: "Will nobody preach and see the Klondike pass into the hands of States redeem us from the insular teeing under a powerful authority and a respected flag the lives and prop-erty of Spaniards resident in Cuba? of the enemies of Canada. It is just as Behold a solution of the problem which

The article has provoked much com-

MINE DISASTER. Bodies Taken Out, and

More in the Pit. Breslau, Prussia, March 5.-A fire started in the Saturn and Seznowice party, who are as busy lobbying at have so far been recovered. There are

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The coroner's jury in the case of Lizzie Kane, of Newmarket, who died suddenly at the St. Nicholas Hotel, Hamilton, on Sunday last, while living there with Wm. Atkinson, of Buffalo, as his wife, found that she died from the effects of a criminal operation. Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it has

done once it will do again. WANTED - TWO BRASS MOLDERS at once. Apply Stevens Manufacturing

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Woman's

We drank tealogether, and I noticed that every artile of crockery was cracked, and the Britannia metal teapot lurched clunsily to one side, where the rim had ben melted away. Miss 'A Bricot was p longer the highly respected lodger on the first floor. But we were almost gay. Abby talked very cheerfully, and with a pretty nush on her faded face asked me anxiously if I thought a wite cap or a square of black lace was most becoming to her, now her hair was turning a trifle gray, At length it as time for me to return to the emity house at Wimbledon and to Rebeccis self-denying hospital-

"I will comeagain, if I can, tomorrow, to stay," said, "for poor Rebecca has to siee as she can on a chair." 'You will b welcome, dear child," said Abby, in a shy tone, and with an evident effort; "Believe me, it is not a sorrowful thir to be poor; our Lord was that. 'The Kingdom of Heaven is with you.' I ave learned that lesson since I saw yu last."

Her express)n was that of one whose soul was keptin peace, and I kissed her tenderly. The few words she had spoken so diffiently fastened upon my thoughts, an I was still pondering them in my bart when I reached the home where she and I had been so happy togethr.

It was a lively evening in September. The hea of the summer was over, but there we still a genial, pleasant warmth in the air. Rebecca went down into the towras soon as I returned, to do some shoping, and I was left in charge of th empty house. I carried my piotting ase to the porch, and resting it on my knees began my letter

But I coul not get on with that letter; both wirds and ideas failed me. here was o mi on to say that I could say nothing A multitude of confusing thoughts beet my brain. Moreover, 1 felt too indgmant with his mother to write calmy. I gave it up at last till tomorrow norning.

How still everything about me was! The noiselss house behind me, and the desertd garden before me, were so silent and solemn that I fell unconsciously iro a mood of criticism of my former life.

It had ben so gay and thoughtless, so full of all the luxuries and pleasure of a wealhy and popular household. There had been balls, and parties, and garden parties; drawing-room meetings and ales of work for charitable purposes; pienics and excursions; horses to ride and carriages to drive The common round of our lives had been the pursuit of pleasure, and the daily task had been trivial enough. In all tose things Arthur had been to me a snial playfellow; handsome, well-bret, admirably in keeping with his military professsion; no doubt high spirited and brave. We had danced together, practiced duets, ridden about eon Common and Surrey lanes, and had generally merry and happy times in one another's company. But could let think of Arthur as a poor man, caleful of sixpences, somewhat shabby clothes and riding a screw of a horse. That could never be. No; if he was not a rich and prosperous man he would hardly be a man at

As I set alone in the quiet twilight, I recollected that my heart had never once turied to him as a possible helper through all my troubles. I had written at once to break off our eneagement, and after that the thought of him had seldom crossed my mind amid the stress and strain of the last four months. Could it be possible that I had ever really loved him? could now see that it was his mother who had thrown us so much together, and encouraged us to fancy ourselves in love with one another. And I had loved him, but the love was a thin veneeer—so thin that the first rub of adversity had betrayed its weakness. I wondered if his love for

me had been equally superficial. I was under no illusion as to his particlpation in his mother's sentiments about the Priory. This small property had been bought in my name when I was one-and-twenty, but there was not the shadow of a doubt in my mind that the purchase had been made with money belonging to the bankrupt companies. It had been one among other investments my stepfather had made in order to secure himself and us against the speculative risks he was running. He had stipulated, however, that this property should be settled on

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me, in the event of my marriage with Arthur Blandford; and the draft of the settlement had been drawn up. 1 did not know how far the law would recognize my claim upon this fraudulently acquired property; but I was resolved, if it was in my power, to give

him. But his mother declared-and in portionless girl. It was not the stigma on the name of Lincoln that would prove an insuperable barrier. It was the loss of fortune and of fortune

to my memory the vision of him, as he used to ride slowly away, with a smile on his face and a kiss from the tips of his fingers, before passing quite out of my sight. The tears filled my "Good-bye, my old playfellow," I

said to myself, "the game is over, and life has begun in earnest."

some confidential person to be there. tic, I went into the city to see Mr. friend, and next to him the most influential and active director of the Lincoln Companies, and the one most deeply implicated in the failure of childhood, and his daughters had been my chief companions. The last time I

announced, tapped at his private door. His familiar voice called out, "Come

me with a smile, betrayed the utmost surprise, approaching to a dismayed consternation, when his eyes fell upon me. He hastened to shut the door, before taking my outstretched hand. "Good heavens!" he ejaculated, stammering a little, "Phene! is it possible? Is your father come back? Could there

"No, I have come back alone," "He is safe enough." "That's weil!" he said, with a sigh of rener, "and now tell me why he has and Commercial Burietin has the following an Burgil employ of coffee: The could manage his affairs without ex-

fering. When did you arrive?" I knew you would not be here on Saturday. I have come to you as soon as

Quired. "In our old house at Wimbledon till this morning," I answered, "but now Rebecca has left for the Priory, I am going to my old governess, Miss 'A

"Ah! my home is broken up, too," he said, "and my girls are gone to their grandmother. This is a terrible business, and it is breaking my heart. Yet if we had been as successful as we expected to be, everybody would have praised us. God only knows how bitter this blow is to me, falling upon me when I am past middle life. I shall have to bear a dishonored old age, avoided and despised by those who have hitherto looked up to me. But I do my utmost to say humbly, 'Thy will be done.' "

said. He seemed aged, and saddened, and downcast; grief and remorse had told heavily upon him. But my common sense revolted against his words. never willed that my father and you others should be guilty of these things."

fer for it," said Mr. Templeton. "Yes, and many others," I replied; there are hundreds of sufferers to one sinner. I should think it is harder for them to say, 'Thy will be done.'

'You are cruel, Phebe," he said. Perhaps I was; but at that moment fancied myself again in the midst of that crowd of creditors, who found all their small savings squandered in

dued voice, "what has brought you back to England.?" He listened attentively while I told him the particulars of our flight, and the (to me) extraordinary revelation my stepfather had made at Galveston. He

You knew he was not my own father," I said. "I knew just so much," he said, "but no more. He never mentioned your mother or her former marriage to me; seemed some mystery about it. But I think you must be mistaken in supposing that there was any property coming to you which he wished to share. I know all his affairs, or at least I always understood I did. He made his will a few months ago, and left all he possessed to you, subject to a life interest in half of it to Mrs.

"If things had gone as we anticipated he would have been a millionaire," he replied. "It was an irresistible temptation! No woman could understand it! To go up to the city in the morning worth £100,000, and to leave it at night worth £200,000, and the prospect of do-

To be Continued.

JUST IN TIME.

-Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart Worked Almost a Miracle.

C. A. Campbell, Mountiron, Minn., writes: "I laid just at the point of death from most acute heart disease, and with hardly a hope that any remedy could reach my case I procured a bottle of Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart. I believe this great remedy got to me just in time. The first dose gave me great relief inside of thirty minutes, and before I had taken a bottle I was up from what I thought was my death-bed. I was cured, and I consider my cure almost miraculous.' Sold by W. S. B. Barkwell and all

Last year the French consumed over 20,000 tons of tobacco.

it up to the creditors. That involved giving up Arthur irrevocably. He had often protested he wished I was penniless, so that he could prove his utterly disinterested It had been delightful to hear my heart of hearts I believed her-that he could not, and would not, marry a

I looked down the avenue, growing dusk in the fading light, and recalled

CHAPTER IX. But Rebecca would not hear of me leaving her before Mond y morning, when she was to go down to the Priory, where she was to remain in charge until affairs were settled. The place was full of varuable old oak furniture and decorations, all of which had been bought in my name, and were ostensibly mine. It was necessary for Before joining Abby in her poor at-Templeton, my father's most intimate em. I had known him from my

had seen them we had been discussing their costumes as my bridesmaids.

I had frequently been to Mr. Templeton's offices, which were in the Old Jewry. I knew he must be fully conversant with all the intricacies of the Lincoln Companies, and I felt sure he could advise and help me better than anyone else. I passed through the outer office, where two or three cierks were busy writing, and, without being

His face, which had always welcomed

ever be such madness?"

posing you to so much fatigue and suf-

"And where are you staying?" he in-

I believe he sincerely meant what he "It is not God's will," I replied. "God

"But it is his will that we should suf-

speculation which they had not sus-Tell me," he resumed, in a sad, sub-

kept a complete silence.

Lincoln. He made no mention to me of any property of your own."

"But he could have nothing to leave," ing the same tomorrow! No! it cannot be resisted!"

Heart Disease Had Him at Death's Door

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Weekly Review.

Of the Market and Business The Nerve of an Engineer in the Situation.

The Outlook for Wheat-Canadian Improving-Trade in the States.

THE MARKET FOR OATS. Montreal Trade Bulletin: There has been a decided change in the market for oats during the past two weeks, prices having declined within that period fully 2c to 3c per bushel, with large quantities yet to be marketed both in Ontario and this province. We have been shown letters from the country during the past few days, stating that in sections where a short time since oats were selling at 31½c, they can now be bought at 28c, f.o.b., showing a clear drop of 31/2c per bushel. A lot of 10,000 bushels was offered to an exporter here on Monday last by a country dealer at 32% for export, but they were refused, 32% being the best bid.

THE WHEAT OUTLOOK. The absence of reports of crop damage this season so far is very remarkable, as at time of writing the only one noticeable is that taken from the Modern Miller, which says that "the wheat in the Middle States has been somewhat injured by late freezing and thawing, but south and west it is looking fine." On the other hand there are very encouraging reports of the Indian crop, which state that the outlook for wheat is splendid, and the Calcutta correspondent of the London Times says that "the Punjab crop is likely to beat all records." Regarding the California crop a report from San Francisco says: "The much needed rain storm has come, and ended the long drought. This storm insures crops. It will require but little more rain to guarantee good crops on all summerfallowed lands north of Stockton." Of course, the higher prices, with an advancing market last fall, caused a larger area to be planted than in the previous year and a much larger area will be sown this spring. Everything, therefore, points to an abundant harvest for 1898.

MONEY TIGHTENING. Private cable advices from London, England, state that money is tightening all quarters, owing to the immense demands for funds from all parts of the empire.

FLOUR FOR AUSTRALIA. Mr. W. A. Hastings, of the Lake of the Woods Milling Company, states that he is shipping quite a lot of his high grade flour made from No. 1 Manitooa wheat, to Sydney, Ma Vancouver, and the chances are good for a large increase in this trade, ADVANCE IN COFFEE.

lowing on Brazil grades of coffee: The man, was pinned into the cab by the feature of the market was an unex- roof of the box car. Billy Hayes, the plained advance in the market for con-"On Friday evening," I replied, "and knew you would not be been as a better tone to the general situation. The fact that the caught by the leg between the injecgeneral price for package coffee had not been lowered to 8c per pound also had a favorable influence, inasmuch as it served to give rise to the belief that no change will be made in the present prices so long as the price for green coffee remains on its present basis.

CANADIAN BACON. A London, England, letter of Feb. 19, in the Trade Bulletin says: Bacon is said to be improving. It needs to, as Canadian, which is officially said to be in steady request, particularly for lean selections, is only fixed at 50s, with a range down to 41s to 45s for fat and stout. The rule seems to be that Canadian shall be 10s below finest home cures, and as 60s is the figure for the very best Irish, I suppose Canada must satisfied with their position. Hams are even worse; quietness being the ruling characteristic of the market after the accident it had poured

TRADE IN THE UNITED STATES. New York, March 5-Bradstreet's review says: Nearly all signs point to an unprecedented volume of business being done or arranging for at the present time. The aggressive strength of prices, record-breaking bank crearings and continued large exports, particularly of the lower priced cereals, a very heavy volume of business in iron and steel and kindred lines, and generally satisfactory reports as to the volume of spring trade at leading distributive centers are among the visible features of this trade development. Business failures in the United States for the week number 232, as against 183 for five business days last weeks, 262 in the corresponding week of last year, 270 in 1896, and 252 in 1895.

The Lady Writes Another Letter to the Dodd's Med cine Co.

Five Doctors and a Specialist Said She Had Rheumatism-They Could Not alization of a new danger. The water Help Her-Her Trouble Was Kidney Disease-Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Morley, Ont., March 4.-Interest in the wonderful recovery of Mrs. T. Hughes is still unabated here, and the case is the principal topic of conversation. Mrs. Hughes has received a letter from the Dodd's Medicine Company, Toronto, asking what name her doctors gave her disease. Replying, Mrs. Hughes writes thus: "In reply to yours of the 7th inst. would say that the doctors said I had Rheumatism. They say that my age, 48 years, went against my recovery, that I would be better when I got over the change of life, and that nothing but time would cure me. "I believe I had kidney and bladder disease.

I grew worse and worse daily; could eat nothing but cornor soup, until I began to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. When I was ill I weighed 147 pounds; now I weigh 112 pounds-my normal weight. I beg to state again that Dodd's Kidney Pills saved my life.
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may write to me, and I will gladly give it.

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Face of Death.

[Youth's Companion.] "There's a wreck up beyond on West-

his room from mine. "Do you want to you," I replied. Fifteen minutes later

The wreck, he said, was caused by a washout, and the wrecking train was waiting to take us to the scene. Some men were badly hurt, how many he didn't know; but it was a "hurry call." We cleared his office of bandages and plasters and cotton, gathered his instruments into the cases, roused up the

down grade, was the wreck. The heavy through freight train had gone through a culvert about 3 o'clock that morning. the engine had seen, in the glare of the rails across the little gully at the bottom of the hill, and the gully itself running half full of water. He had seen the cross ties in their places, and he thought the track was sound. What he did not see was that the cribbing of ties on which the track had been laid across the gully had been washed out. If he had been standing on the ground he might have noticed the sag of the track where the cribbing had gone; but the rocking of the engine disturbed his vision. The engineer and fireman in the cab behind him, straining their eyes over the track ahead, saw no more than he, and the big train smashed into the gully. The engine got nearly across before the track gave way. Then the strain broke the coupling and the first of the freight cars dived under the engine and blocked up

the wreck, and the box cars jammed themselves into the locomotive in hopeless tangle. When the trainmen recovered from the shock and ran forward to see what was the matter, they found Keefer, the lookout, lying on the bank of the gully with a broken leg. He never knew how there; but he must have been pitched backward as the engine went

the gully. The engine sank back on

fering desperate agony for seven hours, but he had not flinched or shown a sign of weakening, the men told me, in all that time. And although he knew that it must yet be hours before he could be taken out, if indeed he could ever be got out at all, he kept a stout heart. The heavy guard over the rear drive wheel had been twisted up and in toward the injector. Hayes was caught by the wreck, and for a few minutes whereon 52s is the highest quotation for stream of boiling hot water on his back. Turn and twist as he might he could not get away. He struggled so hard that he broke his leg, and then, despairing of getting free by his own ef-

He told his mates how he was done to release him, and the best they could do was to stand on the bank of the gully and shout encouragement to him. They had sent for help, and until the wreckers came there was nothing to do but wait.

which none had foreseen, and which proved anew the courage of Billy Hayes. The wreck had fallen in such a maner that it acted as a wing-dam across the gully, and the men watching on the bank noticed that the water was rising steadily. Hayes saw it, too, and thought that if it would only rise high enough it would ease a little the pain of his scalded back. He watched the water bubbling and rushing about him, and saw in the gray light of the dawn how thick and

with amazing swiftness the water rose. Then one of the watchers on the bank saw what made the hearts of them all was rising below the wreck almost as rapidly as it rose above it. Then they understood. It was not the dam of wreckage that was swelling the gully stream; it was the new flood from the night's rain The fields had been soaked full by the heavy rainfall, and it seemed that if all the water that had fallen that night had to be carried off by that gully. stream rose above Hayes' waist, and the grateful quenching of the fire in his back made him forget how fast the

he made shift to place himself more comfortably. The twisted sand pipe gave him a rest for one arm, and as he settled back on it the water crossed his breast and splashed up in his face. He turned a quick, anxious glance at the men on the bank and looked down again at the water. It climbed over his breast and touched his neck. It seemed to fascinate him. With almost unwinking gaze he watched it. It swirled about his throat and still he looked down at it. His mates shouted in the world. Every year it examines to him to hold on. He made no reply. over 10,000 students.

A Song of Praise Instead of the Sound His Comrados Feared to Hear-A Thrilling Incident of a Nebraska Railroad Wreck.

on," shouted the doctor, awakening me about half past 5 in the morning by pounding on the wall that separated

"Give me ten minutes and I'm with we went down together to partake of steaming black conee and toast in the dining-room of the little Nebraska Ho-

The doctor was the railroad surgeon. night man at the drug store, got oil and

anaesthetics and went. Three miles beyond Weston, where the road straightens out on a long The lookout who had been riding on the headlight above him, the gleam of

tor and the drive wheel. The trainmen got Costello out of the cab and took him and Keefer back to Weston, where we found them. Costello had a broken arm and a badly damaged shoulder. We stayed long enough to make them as comfortable as possible and then went on to see about Haves.

It was after 10 o'clock when we reach. ed the wreck, and Hayes had been suf-

forts, he sank back to endure.

While they waited a new peril rose,

yellow with mud it was. Steadily and

water advanced. A man on the bank was marking its rapid oncoming by little pegs stuck in the mud. In August the day comes swiftly after the dawn. In the full light of the morning Hayes saw the sullen clouds driving swiftly across the low hilltops, gathering their forces for another downpour He had found a solid footing for his good leg on a piece of wreckage, and

now that his back was eased a little, The water touched his chin.

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G. M. GUNN & SON, AGENTS, Telephone 321. - - 414 Richmond Street, London. great struggle of a gallant soul with THE FIGHTING FORCES. stood silently waiting the sound they feared to hear, that should indicate the

A minute, perhaps, they waited, and then, instead of the dreaded sound, caught, but they could not help. They they heard the voice of Hayes upraised in song: Mine eyes have seen the glory of the

coming of the Lord. Amazed, they wheeled and sprang toward him. "Boys," he shouted, "it's turned," And then the sullen skies and the sodden hills and the turbulent flood heard the swing and the smash of the

great chorus of the glorious battle hymn of the republic: Glory, glory, hallelujah,

For God is marching on. Men not used to such things said it was a providence of God, and more than one stout-hearted railroader sent up a fervent prayer for the brave fellow there in the water. It was true—the swelling flood had reached the fullness of its force! Slow-ly, just as the turning, and then with sudden bustle and rush, as if ashamed of its night's work, the roaring flood receded, and the men who had watched and prayed shouted and sang as the waters went down. When the doctor and I got there the men were preparing to attack the wreck. It was useless to try to do

anything with the heavy guard of the drive-wheel; their aim was to move the injector. The doctor gave Hayes a stimulant and we waited. Before noon the water had gone down far enough for the men to work, and what Hayes had been utterly unable to do for himself they did

very quickly. got him down to Weston, and did what we could to make him comfortable. His back was terribly scalded. But we got him into the hospital at Omaha finally, and in the end he recovered. Now he is pulling a fast express out on a mountain division of one of the Pacific roads, where an en-

gineer must have skill and courage. BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES give prompt and effectual relief in all Throat troubles. Mr. Amos R. Peachy, Hungerford, Berkshire, England, writes: "Change of climate (from South Af-rica) nearly cost me my life, as it produced the greatest prostration from Ulcerated Throat and Bronchial Inflammation. My friends are astonished at the remarkable change in my health from the time I commenced using BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES. The University of Calcutta is said to

The water touched his chin.

Not a man in the little crowd would have blamed him if he had dropped his my bed with inflammation of the lungs of the itable courage of the man prevailed. He took a new grip on the sand pipe and pulled himself up as far as he could.

Thomas' Eelectric Oi, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble A London general omnibus is supposed to earn 19 pounds a week.

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took a new grip on the sand pipe and pulled himself up as far as he could. He threw his head back and turned his white face with the best results. Acting on this advice, I procured the medicine, and with the best results acting on this advice, I procured the medicine, and with the best results. Acting on this advice, I procured the medicine, and with the best results. They were strong men, hard-headed as hard-fisted, and not afraid. But not many men can calmly watch the last other remedies do me good.

Thomas' Eelectric Cil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice, I procured the medicine, and believe it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to atrial, as I was reduced to such as that I doubted the power of any other remedies do me good.

Warriors of the Great Nations of the Earth.

[New York Sun.] The latest additions to the military census of the world presents some queer figures. At the present time Europe has 3,500,600 men under arms. The following are the figures of the different

armies on a peace footing: Denmark 10,000 Portugal 36,000 Spain 80,000 Italy ... 240,000
Austria ... 360,000 France570,000 Russia896,000 The above armies employ 550,090 horses in time of peace.

In Asia there are about 800,000 men under arms, divided as follows: Persia, 25,000; Japan, 100,000; India, 200,000; China, 270,000, and the remainder in the other Asiatic countries. North and South America are set down as the least protected, considering the extent of territory. They foot up, on a peace footing, of course, only 160,000 regular soldiers, scattered as follows: Mexico, 40,000; the United States,

30,000, and 90,000 in Brazil, the Ar-

gentine Republic, Chili, Paraguay, Peru, Venezuela and Colombia. In Africa and the archipelagoes of Oceanica there are about 150,000 regu-The standing armies of all civilized nations amount to 4,610,000 soldiers, with 700,000 horses. The cost of keeping this military population amounts to about five billion dollars a year. So much for the armies in time of peace. Now let us take a look at the

figures in war paint. Here they are:

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1898, was \$150,000,000 greater than the

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me." MRS. AFFLECK, Toronto. The climate is cold in Siberia in winter, but the summers are fine, and Southern Siberia is much such a country as the Dakotas. Dr. Chase's Cures Catarrh After Oper-

ations Fail. My boy, aged fourteen, has been a ufferer from catarrh, and lately we

sufferer from catarrh, and lately we gubmitted him to an operation at the General Hospital. Since then we have resorted to Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure, and one box of this medicine has made at the Y. M. C. A. building, and she proposed and complete cure.

The coming of Mrs. Rorer, the celebrated teacher of cooking, is being looked forward to with a great deal of interest. Her first demonstration will be on Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. building, and she will remain in the city for a week.

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FAIR WEATHER.

Toronto, March 4-11 p.m.-A storm which has apparently moved quickly up the coast from the West Indies during the day, is now off the Middle Atlantic coast, in advance of which cautionary signals have been displayed at maritime ports. The pressure continues throughout Canada, but there is a tendency for a general decrease over the Northwest. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Esquimalt, 40-52; Edmonton, 12-20; Qu'Appelle, 12-22; Winnipeg, 4-22; Port Arthur, 21-28; Parry Sound, 22-34; Toronto, 14-38; Ottawa, 10-36; Montreal, 12-34; Quebec, 6-30; Halifax, 28-40. Probabilities.-Toronto, March 5-1

a.m.-Lower lakes: Continued fair weather; stationary or a little higher Local temperatures-The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory here yesterday were 35

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-Miss Horton, of this city, has been visiting at Mr. J. Macarthur's, Hen--Mrs. E. H. Kordes and son, Hermann, leave on Monday for Los Angelos, Cal., where they will reside. -Miss Stanfield, pupil of the Forest City Business and Shorthand College,

coal dealers, city. -The reappearance of Miss Katherine E. Oliver, the talented Scotch reader, who not long ago gave a delightful evening at the Auditorium, is an-

nounced for March 26. -Rev. Wm. Hartley, of St. Thomas, is to preach anniversary sermons in Adelaide Street Baptist Church tomorrow. A special collection will be taken up in aid of the building fund. -Leamington News: Mrs. Holmes. of London, was a guest at Mr. W. Eakins', lake shore, this week. Mr. and Mrs. Holmes will move to town in April. They will occupy their residence on Erie street south, opposite

Mr. J. C. Ross. -Mr. D. B. Sells has sold the Morrow homestead of 100 acres, on the corner of the second line and the sideroad, Adelaide, to George Allen Gray, ting testimeny to Ill. Bro. Munson, 30, of this city, for the sum of \$5,300. Mr. Gray also purchased Mr. Morrows lodge, and to mark the respect and farm of 100 acress, the old Waltham esteem entertained for him by his homestead, lot 17, east half in con. 2, for \$3,500.

-Kingston News: Rev. E. B. Lanceley, of London, the pastor suggested by some of the official board for the Sydenham Street Methodist Church, was in the city yesterday visiting the church, and among his friends making acquaintances. He seems well pleased with the church, and those members whom he met and whom he expects to GOLDNER'S, 2061/2 Dundas St ence, and is generally satisfied with the

-Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Carpenter (father and mother of Capt. Carpenter, of Wolseley Barracks), and their son, Mr. Lorne Carpenter, were at Algiers on Feb. 18. Mr. Carpenter writes: "Just a word, old man, to tell you that we are still alive after all the tramping we are having. Five hours' drive about this French and Moorish town, in a climate like a June day with us. Leave for Naples tonight."

-Many friends of the family will regret to learn of the death of Mr. David Meecham, after an illness of some three months, aged 77 years. Deceased never recovered from the effects of a runaway accident, which occurred on Dundas street some time since. A wife, two daughters and three sons survive -Mrs. J. Moore, Mrs. W. Bartlett, Miss ! Jane Meecham, James (city), William (St. Thomas), and George (Gore). The funeral was private yesterday after-

noon to the Gore cemetery. -The coming of Mrs. Rorer, the cele-Monday afternoon she will give a free lecture at the Auditorium on "Hygienic

Cooking." Mrs. Rorer has probably done more to elevate and teach hygienic and economic cooking than any other woman on the continent.

Sweet (Mixed) Pickles

The regular meeting of the city union of King's Daughters and Sons was held in the "Y" rooms. Spencer block, last night, with the president, Mrs. (Rev.) G. B. Sage, in the chair. Mrs. Thomas Evans gave the Scripture lesson, and the various circles presented reports regarding the work done among the deserving city poor at Christmas. Mrs. Lawson reported on the convention of the National Council held in this city. The annual meeting of the city union will be held in June, and the secretaries of circles are urged to send their reports to Miss Margaret Brown, union secretary, before May 1.

The garden hose. The lawn mower. The garden truck The flower beds.

The clover seed. And, above all, the snow shovel

burn, draining machine; 599,400, Chas. A. McClair, et al., North Brookfield, stamp tappet; 599,347, Peter McMurray, Welland, acetylene gas generator; 599,-353, John M. Parkinson, Toronto, detachable fastener for cuff links; 599,-619, Marmaduke Matthews, Fracondale, pedal for bieycles, etc. HOSPITAL AFFAIRS.

The hospital trust met in the office of Col. R. Lewis yesterday, those present being Messrs. R. Lewis (chairman), C. F. Complin, T. H. Purdom and Superintendent J. D. Balfour. Accounts to the amount of \$847 16 were passed. Drs. Jento, English, Kingsmill and H. Stevenson were appointed to act on the active staff during the summer months. Maggie Auld, city; Lizzie E. Thomson, Thorndale, and Alice M. Cowan, Glanworth, placed on the nursing staff. A delegation from the Ministerial Associations, Rev. Messrs. Hobbs and Claris, waited on the trust to arrange time for holding services at the hospital. F. Complin, John Pope, city treasurer, and the superintendent will prepare the estimates for the ensuing The usual reports showed that

The new books added to the public of good land has been offered gratis, provided the taxes are paid, and the tion and Allied Documents," volumes society thinks the council might re-XI. to XIV.; Alger, "In Indian Tents"; J. H. McCarthy, "The French Revolution," two volumes; E. de Amicis, "On Blue Water"; Paget, "Ambrose Pare and His Times". Pickard "Hawkhard and His Times". Pickard "Hawkhard and seeding the ground. The patches would be in the second, fourth, fifth and His Times". Pickard "Hawkhard and sixth wards. The society is much and His Times"; Pickard, "Hawthorne's encouraged by the result of its wood Of Beautiful Hard Coal, good to Letters of Harriet Beecher Slowe"; Nelson"; Foster's Whist Manual; Dement's Pitmanic Shorthand; "Tracy, "Handbook of Sanitary Information": Call, "Power Through Repose"; Lassar-Cohn, "Chemistry in Daily Life"; Jean Blewett, "Heart Songs"; C. Dickens, "Old Lamps for New Ones"; R. Chambers, "Lorraine"; Briscoe, "Jimty and Others"; M. Gray, "Sweethearts and Friends"; K. P. Woods, "The Son of Ingar"; Carey, "The Old. Old Story"; Miss Glasgow, "The Descendant"; Christian Reid, "The Man of the Family"; Crockett "Sir Toady Lion"; M. Saunders, "The King of the Park"; H.

BLINN-CAMERON. 107.....Business Offices
4 says: "A very pretty event took
place yesterday, when Bessie, daughter of Mr. J. B. Cameron, was married
ter of Mr. J. B. Cameron, was married
ter of Mr. J. B. Cameron, was married
to Mr. Charles A. Riinn, of London. son (Burlington), Miss Brown,

> Active preparations are now in progress for the reception of the grand master in this city. T. P. G. M., Fr. A. G. McWinney, 18; G. S. W., Bro. P. W. D. Brodrick, 14; G. J. W., Ill. Bro. A. E. Cooper, 32; grand secretary, P. Pr. John Callard, 1s; grand treasurer, Ill. Bro. R. B. Hungertord, 32; grand orator, P. Pr. W. A. Kain, 18, Woodstock; grand almoner, Bro. J. S. Richardson, 14, Tilbury; grand master of ceremonies, Bro. W. H. Harding, 14; auditors, Ill. for his indefatigable services to the brethren of the rite on the occasion of his removal to St. Thomas. Grand Master MacWatt of the Knights Templar will visit Sarnia on Thursday night and London on Friday next, and be entertained by the brethren. The London knights were unable, owing to their Friday engage-ments, to accept the hospitality of the sated by the large territory accommo-Sarnia brethren on Thursday. W. Bro. J. E. Weber, W. M. of King Solomon Lodge, No. 378, West London, paid a fraternal visit to St. George's Lodge, No. 42, at the temple on Wednesday night, accompanied by his ofilcers and quite a number of members. After W. Bro. C. Buskard had initiated three candidates in an exceedingly creditable manner, the different chairs were given up to the visiting officers, who conferred the third degree upon a fellowcraft in a very exemplary man-

time.
The M. E., the Grand First Princi-Masons of Canada, M. Walsh, of Ingersoll, has made the following appointments to office:

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THINGS TO THINK ABOUT.

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Drummond, "The Monkey that Would Not Kill." to Mr. Charles A. Blinn, of London. The handsome bride wore a beautiful gown of white satin, trimmed with chiffon, and pearl trimmings, her veil

being fastened with a diamond pendant, the groom's gift. The bridesmaids were Miss Scholey and Miss Freysing, who were pretty organdie frocks. The bride's going away gown was of purple cloth (tailor made), worn with a purple velvet hat, trimmed with sable tails and violets. Among the guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. Boulter, Mrs. Tedhunter, Mrs. Carr, Mrs. Jimmenson, Mr. and Mrs. Welber, Mrs. Symington (St. Thomas), Miss Hunter (Detroit), Mr. and Mrs. McComb, Miss Lily Wil-Boyd, Mr., Mrs. and Miss Hemphill, Mr. and Miss Merry, and many others." MASONIC.

At the last meeting of the London -the following officers were elected:

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V. Ex. Comp. G. C. Foster, Learning-ton—Grand Sword Bearer.

V. Ex. Comp. A. E. Neill, Hamilton—Canad M. of First Veil. Man .- Grand Senior Sojourner. V. Ex. Comp, John Taylor, Dunn-ville—Grand M. of Second Veil. V. Ex. Comp. James Woods, Sarnia— Grand M. of Third Veil. V. Ex. Comp. P. Doherty, Colling-wood—Grand M. of Fourth Veil. V. Ex. Comp. John Lander, Oshawa Grand Standard Bearer. V. Ex. Comp. Wesley Latimer, Belleville-Grand Director of Ceremonies.

V. Ex. Comp. George Somerville, Kingston-Grand Organist. V. Ex. Comp. R. Vanstone, Wingham -Grand Pursuivant. V. Ex. Comp. W. J. Clark, Port Arthur-Grand Steward. V. Ex. Comp. J. M. Munro, Almonte -Grand Steward. V. Ex. Comp. A. S. Thornton, Ber-Grand Steward V. Ex. Comp. W. Murdoch, Toronto-Grand Steward.

LANDFORLONDON'S POOR

Charities Society Want to Cultivate

Twenty Acres This Year. The Charities' Society have decided to push the potato patch scheme this 28 patients were admitted and 32 dis- year, if the city council will aid in the charged since last meeting. There are project. Last year the society had five acres under cultivation. This year it proposes to cultivate twenty. Plenty mit the se and paythe cost of preparing books having been sold.

VROOMAN VANISHED.

Robe Thief Escaped from Constable John Boyd.

James Vrooman, who was up before Magistrate Parke yesterday morning for theft, made a bold dash for liberty while on his way from the county jail to the police court. Constable John Boyd escorted Vrooman up to the station, and when entering the corridor took off the handcuffs. L'o sooner had this been done than Vrooman wheeled round and darted out of the door. He went along Talbot street, and was followed by P. C. Frank Darville, who chased him along Fullarton street to Jolly's wagon shop. Vrooman turned in there, but as a high board fence surrounded the yard, he had not time to jump before the policeman was upon him. At the court the prisoner had the sympathy of the magistrate, who had not been informed of Vrooman's con-

A GRAND TRUNK CHANGE.

Better Train Service from North of Stratford to This City Inaugurated. For some time past, passengers from Seaforth, Mitchell, Listowel, and, in fact, the entire territory north of Stratford and east of Wingham, Clinton, on the lines to Southampton, Wiarton, Owen Sound and Durham, desiring to reach London to transact business and return the same day, have been put to considerable inconvenience, owing to the fact that while they reach Stratford from the north at 9:35 a.m., there is no train to take them into London until 11:50 a.m., and Lodge of Perfection, 14 degrees, A. and passengers do not reach London until A. S. Rite—Ill. Bro. Munson presiding 1 p.m. The Grand Trunk have decided to remedy this state of affairs, and, commencing Monday, March 7, the train from north of Stratford will have direct connection for London, reaching here at 11 a.m. The advantage of this arrangement from a London standpoint is apparent, as it will give passengers from the large district alluded to two hours more time in London port of Woodsteck, is to be made a husband's faded clothing look like in which to attend to their business, and return the same day. It will be a decided advantage to passengers who Johns. may wish to go farther west than London, as it will enable them to con-nect here with the Lehigh Valley express, leaving London at 11:15 a.m. for Port Huron, Detroit, Chicago, and the Western States, also Manitoba, British Columbia, Kootenay, and the Klondike.Passengers from Stratford and intermediate stations, instead of reaching London at 9:20 a.m., will reach London on the new train at 11 a.m., but this later arrival from the few stations in-

dated by the new service. Piles! Piles! Itching Piles. Symptoms: Moisture, intense itching and stinging, mostly at night; gagement had been kept a secret until worse by scratching. If allowed to a short time before the wedding took continue, tumors form, which often Diace. bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. Swayne's Ointment stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumors. druggists, or by mail, 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia. Lyman Sons & Co., Montreal, wholesale agents, Avoid substitutes.

A Word to Good Dressers. Almost every gentleman who has any regard for being well dressed always desires an extra pair of trousers with a suit, especially if the suit is made of imported tweed or worsted. Merchant tailors in the city have, generally speaking, overlooked this very important branch of their business. Mr. La-belle wishes to announce that the gentlemen who favor him with their spring order can be supplied with the extra trousers of the same material. A full

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Carpets and Hou furnishings, Carling 8

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Dundas and Carling Streets,

WESTERN ONTARIO. *********************

The prospects of the Essex peach crop St. John's Church, Tilsonburg, will be replaced with a new \$5,000 structure. Rev. C. N. Mitchell, of Forest,

The death occurred Thursday night of John Earley, of the 11th con., Raleigh, aged 65 years. Deceased leaves a wife and family. The celebrated Canadian authoress, the Methodist Church, Ayimer, on Mon-

day evening next. David McCullough, of Dakota, has neighborhood of St. Marys, for 4,700. Mr. A. Martin will retain it this year. The Oxford mills are running night and day now in order to fulfill the large number of orders on hand. The deliveries of farmers' wheat at St. Marys

continues large. Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Carmichael, of Seaforth, celebrated their golden wedding on Tuesday, and Mr. and Mrs. D. Stewart, of the same place, will celebrate their diamond wedding shortly. The customs authorities have decided that Ingersoll, which is now an outchief port after April 1. Granby, Que., has been made an outport of St.

Chas. G. Fox, the well known county councilor from South Essex, is at the Calgary Hotel in Alberta, dangerously He went there a month ago to buy horses for the South Essex Klondike party. Watford Guide-Advocate:

Miss Letitia Gough was married on Wednesday to Samuel Dennis, at Dresden. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. D. McTavish, at the home of the bride's parents, The marriage was a surprise to their friends, as their en-

A man named Arthur Weber, 80 years of age, and hailing from near Listbwel, attempted to blow his brains out at the Cabinet Hotel, Stratford. alone in the hall. Some time ago Weber is alleged to have attempted to take his life by cutting his throat. It has been ascertained that he was confined in the London asylum and also in a similar institution in Detroit. At the annual meeting of the Dereham and Norwich Union Cheese and Butter Manufacturing Company, the report showed that the total receipts from the sale of cheese were \$31,556 01; total receipts from butter, \$3,191 78; which, together with some receipts from other sources, makes the total receipts \$34,793 10. In the disbursements \$29,-462 82 was paid the patrons for milk;

Richmond street.

At Osgoode Hall, in GartshoreThompson Pipe and Foundry Comvs. Town of Petrolea—J. Greer, for defendants, the Town of Petrolia, moved

sages, and is a sovereign remedy for
all coughs, colds, hoarseness, pain, or
soreness of the chest, bronchitis, etc.
It has cured many when supposed to
be far advanced in consumption.

Loncon, Ont for leave to pay money int court. P. D. Crerar, Hamilton, for plantiffs. W. H. Blake, for claimants, Vantyle and Fairbank. J. H. Moss for daimants, the Ontario Bank. Order male directing defendants, the Town of Petrolia, to pay over \$7,000 to the plaintffs, \$2,000 to claimants, the Ontario Hank, \$395 to claimant, Doherty, and balance into court.fl Issue as to balance to be summarily tried by master in chambers. Claimants Garson & Co., Wm Garson, preached farewell sermons Sunday Central Bridge Company of Peterboro, last, and will move to Chilliwhack, and A. & J. Napolis barred. Costs reserved.

It's Easy to Dye.

Jean Blewett, will give an address in Home Dyeing With Diamond Dyes Is Pleasant and Profitable.

purchased the St. John farm, in the Beautiful and Brilliant Colors That Will Not Fade-Diamond Dyes Have Special Colors for Cotton and Mixed Goods-How v. ise Women Economize in Hard Times-A Ten Cent Package of Diamond Dyes Often Saves Ten

Dollars.

In these days of enforced economy it should be a pleasure to any woman to learn how she can save the cost of a new gown for herself and suit for the little one, or can make her new. Diamond Dyes, which are prepared especially for home use, will do all this. They are so simple and easy to use, that even a child can get bright and beautiful colors by following the directions on each pack-

There is no need of soiling the hands with Diamond Dyes; just lift and stir the goods with two sticks W. H. Madill has left for Honor, Mich., to join her husband, Rev. W. H. Madill, who had the misfortune to fall large articles, to get a full and satisfactory. on the church floor and break his leg factory color, it is absolutely necessary to have a special dye for cotton goods and a different dye for woolen goods. This is done in Diamond Dyes, and before buying dyes one should know whether the article to be colored is cotton or wool, and get the proper dye. Do not buy dyes that claim to color everything, for their

use will result in failure. It is perhaps not generally known that the defense of Pekin is still largely instrusted to men armed only with

bows and arrows. Wednesday night. The man was AMother's Story-Her Little Girl Cured of Croup.

Having tried your medicine, my faith is very high in its powers of curing Cough and Croup. My little girl has been subject to the Croup for a long time, and I found nothing to cure it until I gave Dr. Chase's Linseed and Turpentine, which I cannot speak too

Mrs. F. W. Bond. 20 Macdonald street, Barrie, Ont. Four hundred years ago only seven metals were known. Now there are 51
-30 of which have been discovered within the present century.