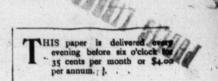
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## The Greatest Carpet Bargain

30 cents a yard.

This is a rare opportunt?; just think of it., Tapestry Carpet—the kind that looks well, wears well, and sel rant any of them, better come early.

## Our Great Dress Goods Sale

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37 inch Percales, in checks, stripes and polka dots-

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"Customers Shoes Shined Free"

## Geo. W. Cowan

# Dress Goods Sensation

the Bottom of Lake Superior.

The following is the story told by Capit. A. E. White, of the Pesson, concerning the loss of the Nelson, our Lake Superior.

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400 YARDS NEW SPRING DRESS GOODS—double width, in Plain, Figures and Fancy Mixtures, new and fashionable colorings, regular price 25c to 35c—your choice...

600 YARDS STYLISH DRESS GOODS—All wool Serges French Folule Cloth, Covert Cloths, Tweeds, all-wool Debrige, Disgonal Suitings, Fancy Checks, Silk and Wool Fancies, etc., worth up to 60c per

750 YARDS OF THE CHOICEST STUFFS TO BE found in the market, all new and stylish weaves—in French, Poplins, Fancy Jacquards, Satin Cloths, French, Poplins, Fancy Jacquards, Satin Cloths, Silk Mixtures, Fancy Checks, Suitings, etc., etc., also several costume lengths, and 54 in. Cycling Tweeds, sold regular at 50c to \$1.25, your choice....

These clearing prices are for one week only. The goods are laid out on tables for your inspection. Each lot distinctly priced in plain figures. For first choice come early.

THE BUSY STORE

John Northway & Co.

KENNY. Will Run

Wallpaper At the greatest reduction this week. It will pay you to see goods and examine prices.

London Minister Justifies Capital Punishment.

Prove it.

London Free Press quoted several passages of Scripture to show that thew Bible justified capital punishment, and in referring to the case of Marion Brown Le expressed Lis apposition to efforts made by sympathetic people in behalf of the condemned man. They did flot think about the poor man who died in the discharge of his duty, he said. All he asked was Britian justice, and, when Le goly that he could ask for nothing more. The question resolved itself into this—if the murderer must live, the innocent must die. That was the case in this city. The innocent man in the discharge of bis duty was shot down like a brute beast. His wife and Lis family mourn the loss of a bushond and father, and no personsion should let one forget that and say, let the remaining the loss of the boor cripple have justice. No one felt, it more keenly than the speaker that right in London there was a man, living to-night, who, if the law takes its course, would not be living next so the poor cap for the could do it, would not be fiving back the innocent man to his wife and family, and with the other Land wipe out the awful deed? May the guilty be punished, he concluded.

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of business. We assure we will deavor to give you every satisfact both in selling consignments and secting indents. In all cases our rates commission will be 3 per cent, payaby you and included in the prices may ed on samples. Reference, Agra Bar Limited, Lat.ore. 'Awaiting your ply. We remain, dear sirs, Your faithfully,

PANDIT & CO.

## Hon. David Mills Has so Decreed--The **Execution To-morrow Morning.**

which cast away any hope he may have

State at eight o'clock, and he connued to make preparations for the secution, which will take place to-corrow morning at eight o'clock. The trap to be used at the execution the one from which William J. Ham-

mond was launched into eternity at Bracebridge for the murder of Katie Tough. It was kept at the Bracebuidge

## THE LOST NELSON HAD A DROPORTWO

Train.

When Everybody Thought He was Fatally injured He Walked

PALMISTRY

Madam Fay will give advice

Captain White of the Folsom This Man Got Banged by

lest I had supposed until then that she was in good chape, as she had made in signals.

"Before we were aware of Ler danger she began sinking, and in a few minutes had dived for the bottom. The crew did not even have time to lower their yawl. Not a bit of wreckage was left to mark the spot. I think the captain ordered the towline cut. I do not imagine they had discovered the leak until that time. They evidently thought they could keep the schooner aftont until the beach was reaphed. There they might remain in the rigging until taken off by lifesayers. "Something must have broken away in a manner to cause an immense leak, judging from the time it took for the vessel to sink." The Nelson in 1866 was considered an extremely large schooner. She measured 766 gross tons, and was 163 Lei long, by 32 feet beam. Many years ago the spirts were cut down, and since then the Nelson left Toledo a week ago Thursday empty, and was towed to Ashtabula, where she took on 1,100 tons of coal. The mate of the boat was a Toledo man. Capt, Haghney lived in Toledo man. Capt, Haghney lived in Toledo man. Capt, Haghney lived in Toledo man to the seaman for over 20 years, and he was considered capable. His mother died Satarday in Oswego. The crew did not extend the captale.

Office of Smith & Smith,
Insurance Agents, Chatham.
Messrs. The Chatham Gas Company,
City.
Gentlemen,—Regarding the Gas
Range purchased from you a little over
a year ago, I beg to say that I have
used it Winter and Summer since I
bought it, and my gas bill for the year
averaged \$1.25 per month. I have
frequently said that if I, gould not get
another Gas Range, I would not take
\$100 for the one I have.
Yours truly,
(Signed) E. R. Smith.
Chatham, May 13th, 1899.

## The Red Star Store

Has ust received another shipment of those new raisins which he will retail at 5c per lb., just the thing for pies. Call quick for they will soon go. Also the best prunes in the city at 4 lbs. for 25c. Goods delivered.

John W. Dyer

Special this Week

\$1.00

per Pair

Sizes 8 to 101/2 Sizes II to 11/6

Former price \$1.50 and \$2.00, clearing at \$1.00 a pair.

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Right House Thibodeau & Jacques Price Only

## After The Cold Spell

You will need a Parasol, We would like you to see our's where, we can safe you money in that line.

We have a good range of Ladies Parasols and Umbrellas at prices ranging at 98c, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50, and \$3.00.

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Hats, Flowers, Feathers, Trimmings, Veilings, Nets, etc.

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## The Planet DAILY AND WEEKLY

Chatham, Ont.

B. Stephenson, Proprietor.

RESURRECT THE OLD KENT BAT TALION.

The Canadian Military Gazette, con menting on Gen. Hutton's report, says;
"An amazing amount of ignorance is
displayed in the columns of the rural newspapers on Gen. Hutton's report They state that Gen. Hutton desire newspapers on their desires to create a small but expensive standing army, and then give reasons why he is entirely wrong. Gen. Hutton has not made any recommendation to cessiablish a standing army, but, on the contrary, he is strongly in favor of a military force—pure and simple, as, they have in Switzerland. What he has recommended is a change in the organization and administration of the force and the creation of necessary administrative departments. He recommends the formation of brigades and divisions, and generally to make and divisions, and generally to make the militia a real force in place of a sham one. It is Gen. Hutton's plan a sham one. It is teen. Hutton's read-to organize the militia into a nation-al army, which expression has prob-ably led the editors of rural newspa-pers to erroneously fancy that a mili-tia national army must be a standing army. It will be be well for these edi-tors to read Gén. Hutton's report."

We do not think country editors mis understand the matter at all. The feel-ing in Canada is against militarism in any shape. At the same time, if a good militia force can be maintained at remonable cost, we believe the country would tolerate it. In that connection, the Planet would like to see the good old Kent battalion resurrected. N county in Ontario can furnish bette material, and if the government thorizes the resurrection, we feel tain this district will soon have a corps

was robbed to be writiville.

Here is a feature of the billposting case which is puzzling to the lay mind!
If it requires expert opinion to show
whether these bills are objectionable or not, how could the billposter in the first piace be expected to pass judgment on

The Czar has given another substan-The Czar has given another substan-tial evidence of his friendship for the royal house of Montenegro. He has given a dot of 2,000,000 marks to Prin-cess Jutta of Mecklentherg-Sirelitz, the bride-elect of Prince Danilo of Mon-tenegro. This was very nice of the Czar of course, but the cable still con-tinues to all us that whole provinces of tinues to tell us that whole provinces of the Czar's own subjects are famine-stricken while he is giving their money to an alien princess.

The Prince of Wales has just en The Prince of Wares has just of treed tip on the twenty-fifth year of his Grand Mastership of English to-missons. The Prince's tenure of the office has been marked by a greater extension of Masonry than that of any of his predecessors, for whereas when be was called to the Masonic throne he was called to the Masonic thron the number of Masonic lodges under the English jurisdiction was less than 1,600; the roll now is about 2,400, ex-cluding those lodges which have been erased or which have been formed into separate Grand Lodges in the

Someway it is always the under strapper who is blamed. Even take the case of this billposter, Mynott. If there is a railroad wreck the dead engineer is usually the victim of censure. Yet he has to make his time. If he doesn't he knows the consequence. The in-quiry into the loss of the excursion steamer Stella in the English channel. ith nearly 100 lives, resulted in blame for the captain. It was a like the had allowed another company to make better time how long would his employer. have retained his services? It is un necessary to say the captain went down with his ship. The owners are still alive. They were not censured.

AN OFFICER WITH A PULL.

The Mail.

Mr. Jas. Noxon, the Ontario Prison Inspector, is in luck, he has been paid as an inspector by the province, and at the same time as a penitentiary in-vestigator by the Ottawa Government. From September, 1896, to February, 1898, ie was paid thus from Ottawa for investigating, according to the Au-

for investigating, according to the Auditor's report:
October 27, 1896, to June 30, 1897, at
\$10 per day
Hotel expenses
Travel, stationery, etc.
July 1, 1897 to Feb. 16, 1898, at
\$10
Hotel expenses, 162 1-2 days,
Transport
174.22
174.22
174.22
174.25

1,960:00 \$71.45 174.22 \$4,720.49

Total \$4,720.49
At the same time the province paid him for inspecting:

November and December, 1896 \$400.00
Ten months of 1897 400.00
Jan and Feb. 1898, 1896 50.00
Proportion of travel, 1897, 153.00
Proportion of travel, 1897 33.00

Once this jar of blue and wnite Held Ler lover's roses bright. Now she fills it—thoughtful feat-With jam for that man to eat. 82,800.00 The parliamentary reporters in arms against the length of Si ry Campbell-Bannerman's name. sixteen montas.

## THE LADIES DELIGHT TO SPEAK OF DIAMOND DYES

AND EXTOL THEIR WONDROUS RENEW ING POWERS.



take place in another week, so that the escape of the two chief witnesses against him was very opportune, that is, very opportune for Ponton. The

TO MANAGER BLACK ON LOSING

From the Guelph Mercury

You may talk labout your twirlers and your Casey at the bat,
You may how! about your batt'ries
—Mickey This and Shorty That,
You can root amongst the rooters for the men who're known to fame.
But they cannot hold a candle to the

He's a Mazarin-a Richelieu-he's the

-six weeks ago a stranger, and,

most of us, unknown;
Would you know him? Gaze upon him
Hail this baseball crack-a-jack?
"Helio, Central! That the Royal? Wan
to speak to Mr. Black."

Here's your Lealth, Obriny stranger

You have done what few could do, You have stayed the hand of Labour

and have done it, sick-up," too; You have bluffed our City Council, you

ed with such willing feet,

For you've trimmed this ancient city

And we never can forget you, nor that fateful 10th of May.

You have tackled this fair city, you have had your little say, You, and your imported players hold the unchallenged right of way;

Our own boys may go to Hades-furtier if they charse to roam. (Foreign heathens are much nicer than the pagans born at home).

lack! you've Loodoo'd this fair sity is

Commerce to the tune of half a

day;
Now, your stock is builled away up,
whilst to depths way down below.
Crawjs our Royal City's backbone in an

Here's your health, you who have si

lenced busy Labor's Lum and whirr, ou, who have so deftly handled Bell

You, who have so certify named and Burr;
Yes! dear boy, it is true genius,—given
unto few to know—
Not to buck against a surety, but to
make a weak blaff go.

Tra-la-la! and when you leave us for

"He Skanghaled the Royal City to the tune of half a day." THE BLACKSMITH.

POT POURRI.

that dim mysterious shore, that dim mysterious anore,
Where abide the spooks and shadows of
the folks who've gone before;
Tender hearts shall whisper softly,
whisper o'er the lifeless clay,

your own peculiar way, Black! you've bossed our Trade an

to the tune of half a day.

Lave build-zed Wyndom street Set the pace, and we have followed.

Kingpin of the game.

ape of the witnesses was a happy

PONTON'S EXCEEDING GREAT LUCK. Dundas Banner.

The detective who went down from Toronto to examine the Napanee jail, is satisfied that the two barglars, Pare and Holden, were assisted in their escape by somebody on the outside. The trial of young Ponton was set to

Method of Making Bread-This Young Lady Could Bake The Staff of Life but of Course the Cook had to Prepare the

Sponge.

The following conversation, in which a young lady attending a science school tells how bread is made, is a striking commentary upon a correspondence which has recently appeared in the columns of The St. James 'Garette on the subject of British cooks:

"Bread!" she exclaims. "Well, I should say I can make bread. We studied that in our first year. You see, the yeast ferments: and the gas thus formed permeates everywhere, and transforms the plastic material into a clearly obvious about the plastic material into a clearly obvious subjects of "But what is the plastic material you speak of?" speak of?"
"O, that is commonly called the

"O, that is commonly called the sponge?"

"But how do you make the sponge?"

"Why, you don't make it; the cook always attends to that. Then we test the sponge with the thermometer and hydrometer and a lot of other instruments, the names of which I don't remember, and then hand it back to the cook, and I don't know what she does with it then, but when it comes on the table it is just splendid."

## SPRING FEELING.

Why Do We Feel Lazy in the Spring?

erview W th a Man who Knows-His Idea of it - Dord's Kidney Pills

onto. May 15.—Do the genera

and go and he down under a tree somewhere.
"Your blood," said the anthority, "is composed of two elements, a Leating element and a building one. They can only be distinguished separately under a microscope. During the winter a grest part of the food you eat is converted into this heating material. In the spring when the weather is warmer the blood does not need to keep the fire up. So a great part of the heating material has to be thrown off. This is easy if the kidneys are in order. If, however, they have suffered from cold during the winter, of from any other cause they fail to do this, then this unnecessary matter closes up or remains in the blood. It is then forced to escape through the skin, and boils, pimpies, and eruptions of various kinds is the result. The blood is overloaded, becomes less brisk in its work and we feel correspondingly languid. In this case the kidneys should receive attention for theirs is the work of straining the blood. For toning and wholesomely stimulating the kidneys, Dodd's Kidney Pills are sold by autention.

Phils is the only medical relied apon."
Dodd's Kidney Pills are sold by an druggists at fifty cents a box, six boxes for \$2.50, or will be sont, on receipt of price, by The Dodd's Medicine Co., Limited, Toronto,

GHOSTS AND SOCIETY GHOSTS. "Aren't your Psychical Research club nectings very dull, Miss Priscilla?" "No; you see, we always wind up with pillow-case masquerade and dance."

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great men, prophets, visions, see's,
great men, prophets, visions, see's,
tions and miracles. The people who
live shall see greater light and greater
things; and also greater changes. The
Prof. has got the gift of prophecy. H,
also has the testimony of Jesus, which
is the spirit of prophecy. The seer
has the gift of mineral exploration, and
can see minerals in the earth thousands
of miles away; can see where the veins
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fidelity and the Devil."
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No waste, sliced. EXCELSIOR HAMS

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New goods, fresh goods and good goods. Our stock is now complete and strictly up-to-date. We would be pleased to have you call and inspect. Our children's dress making department is still booming, we please the little ones with our neat little dresses and silk bonnets. Bring them in. Stamping of-sil kinds done on short notice and special attention given to ordered work.

Pelett's Bazaar. King Street, E.

# **Cerhard** Heintzman

a beautiful Gerhard Heintz-man Parlor Grand Piano. As this is the first Gerhard

Heintzman Grand that has come to this city I would be pleased to have the musicians and all others interested in

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SEE GOODS IN WINDOW.

26 pairs Women's Tan Chocolate, hand ture, razor toe Oxfords, formerly sold for \$2.50, all sizes, reduced 98 cts.

REPAIRING

## The Tobacco By-law Beaten.

THE QUESTION OF SOLICITOR'S CHARGES — TENDERS FOR GRANOLITHIC WORKS OPEN-ED - DISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

h was in the chair.

Wm. Bouglas, \$600.

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY

Layers 150 Chocolate | Layers 190 Layer 200 Walnut Square 100 Jell Roll 100 Lemon Pie - 150

# Looks

WANT ENCOURAGEMENT. WANT ENCOURAGEMENT.

A deputation was present from the athietic association consisting of President Fred Quint, Fred Stone, Will Hadley, John Glassford and Walter Sc. 28.

sident Fred Quind. Fred Stone. Will Hadley, John Glassford and Walter Sc 'le.

Ex-Ald. Fred Stone act nf as sp ke \*
Bina requested that the taxes of the association be remitted for the year. The sidermen were well aware of the objects of the association but Mr. Stone would briefly give two instances in which the association benefitted the town. In the first place they had arranged with the L. E. & D. R. R. for single fares from Dressien and Bleenheim for all game. Wallaceburg and Ridgetown would in all probability be added shortly. In the second place arrangements were being made to hold picnics on the grounds, and also annual Caledonia games. Referred to finance.

Ald. Scane gave notice of a motion to remit the fine imposed on Mat. Prior for trimming trees, be having obtained permission in the proper way.

Ald Scane also gave notice of a motion to impose a tax on tobacco, cigars and cigarettes.

BOARD OF WORKS' REPORT.

Ald. Martin reported for the board of works:—

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Ald. Martin reported for the board of works:—

I. In the matter of plank sidewalk asked for by J. Waddell, 2 ft. wide, about 100 ft. along the side street, recommend he be allowed to construct walk himself and allowed usual flankage for side street.

II. Re Waddell sewerage outlet, recommend two sewers complained of be deepered at and a little back of present outlet, and a long pipe or box put in so that the sewage will be discharged below the surface of low water in the river.

SOLICITOR'S CHARGES.

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Ald. Martin, said. in the matter of the city solicitor's fees for frontage by-laws referred to the board of works, that they had consulted with Mr. Wilson and he wasted \$250 for the work aiready done but had agreed to take \$100 after much discusseon. A schedule bad also been arranged with the city solicitor-for all future by-laws.

Aid. Sulman was of the opinion that the by-law defining the work of the city solicitor compelled bim to revise all by-laws free of charge and he considered it an outrage to charge such prices.

through last year and no charge was made.

Aid. McKeough—Yes, and two of them were quashed at an expense of \$1000. One of the points on which the by-law could not exceed the life of the work. The life of the work. The life of the work was 15 years. The payments were dated from the completion of the work.

Aid. Suiman—If we follow the course of the city by-law, the solicitor cannot change anything.

Aid. Martin—The retainer we pay stands for the general by-laws. The retainer is a low one and for it we get all the legal information required. The frontage by-laws are changed to the frontage by-laws are changed to the frontage by-laws are changed to the frontage that and if the by-laws are defective the solicitor becomes responsolicitor becomes respon

Aid. Fleming-What is meant by be-

aible.

Add. Fleming—What is meant by becoming responsible?

Aid. Martin—The solicitor would feel the moral responsibility resulting to his firm from the advice given.

Alo. Scane—What are the duties of the solicitor? If they are only to draw up the few by-laws outside the frontage by-laws elfol is a large retainer.

The charges as arranged by the board of works are extravagant.

Ald Salman—Last year when the by-law was passed. Ald. McPize. Ald. Cowan and myself revised the by-law and made it include all by-laws. I feel like living up to the by-law.

Ald. Marssall—The city solicitor. Ald they nearly two lours delegancy laws after nearly two lours delegancy in the concil laid the task on us of doing the best we could. The finance committee refused it.

of. Ald. Martin—We were instructed to arrange with the city solicitor. We had to combody both in our report.

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Scane-I only voted again CONTRACTS LET.

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A FINE REMITTED.

The tenders were referred to the board of works to report on.

On motion of Ald. Scane the fine of Mat Prior was remitted.

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Ald. Smith said some arrangement should be made in regard to cutting trees. Monday morning quite a loss had been sustained by the city through a tree falling on the electric light wires, and also breaking a globe. Referred to property.

The mayor called attention to the disgraceful state of the lanes and alleys throughout the city, Referred to the board of works to call the matter to the attention of the board of beaith.

Ald. Martin suggested that the tree in Tecumseh Park be thinned out. Ald. Martin had been on the committee which had placted the trees and trey had been planted with a view of cutting some out. Referred to parks and cemetery.

THE TOBACCO BY-LAW.

THE TOBACCO BY-LAW.

garding the sale of tobacco, cigars and cigarettes.

Aid. Sulman—The committee with Aid. Cowan in the chair moved, second, ed by the mayor, that the by-law be thrown out.

In making the motion Ald. Sulman said the profits to the retailer were small and such a by-law would only tend to centralize the tobacco trade in the heart of the city. Even from a moral point of view the law was had se it would throw the sale of cigare and cigarettes into the hands of the hotel men. The tax would be a hardenly or grocers. It would also be hard on out-

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lying residents who would be forced to come to the notels for their cigars and tobacco. There were enough restrictions on city trade at present. Totions on city trade at presen

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## THE CROP REPORT

What the Department of Agriculture Says.

Fall Wheat has been Greatly Injured-Good Prospects for Fruit.

The following statement has been is

correspondents during the first week of May, 1899.

The Weather.

The records of the weather for the six winter months, November to April, show that while the severity of the weather was slightly more intense. I han the average, the conditions which prevailed during February were especially unfavorable to agriculture. The meantemperature for that month was 16.0 degrees, compared with an average of 184 for the period of 1882-98; while the snow-fall averaged only 8 inches against 167 inches, the general average of the month. The absence of the protection generally afforded by a thick covering of snow during mid-winter explains the serious injury sustained by fall crops and other vegetation.

Fall Wheat Fall Wheat
The weather during the winter and
early spring has been exceedingly unfavorable for fall wheat, and as a consequence the repo, which promised well
before the snowfall, has been greatly
injured by the inclemency of the session
and is practically a failure in many localities. The want of snow in most
places left the ground exposed to unusmily severa and protratted frosts, and

Clover. A large proportion of the clover's every section of the Province

This crop is not extensively ny part of the province, t rown it has generally com-

Fruit and Fruit Trees. Fruit and Fruit Trees.

Reports as to the condition of fruit trees vary in different sections, and sometimes in the same locality. In the least growing region, known as the Essex district, many peaches have died during the winter, while in the Niegard district the loss reported is small, particularly near the lake store. In the Lake Erie group some plums and pears have also sustained injury during the winter but, generally speaking, there has not been serious injury to, fruit trees other than peaches. A majority of correspondents speak of an abundant bloom on orchard trees, and some

## ALL HEADACHES

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Live Stock

The following statement has been issued by the Ontario Department of Agriculture regarding the condition of crops and live stock, based upon reports received from over five hundred special gurrespondents during the first week of May, 1899.

The Weather.

The records of the weather for the six winter months, Newber to April, show that while the severity of the weather was slightly more intense than the average, the conditions which prevailed during February were especially unfavorable to agriculture. The mean temperature for that month was 160 degrees, compared with an average of 18.4 for the period of 1882-98; while the snow-fall averaged only 8 inches against 16.7 inches, the general average of the month. The absence of the protection generally afforded by a thick covering of snow during mid-win-like the covering of snow during mid-win-like the

A considerable quantity of hay be youth that necessary for home requirements remains in the hands of farmers in most localities, the low prices prevailing having been insufficient to bring it to market. In many places, ho sever, the extra demands of the late spring have left them with little, if any, available surplus. Oats are much scarcer, and the remaining supply will mainly be required for stock feeding. A large proportion of the wheat harvest is yet retained by those who can afford to do so in the hope of an increase in price. The great demand for cattle at good figures has resulted in the sale and shipment of an unusually large number of fat and store animals, so that there is almost a universal scarcity, especially of the former, some places being left with an insufficient supply do local slaughtering demands. Neveral correspondents note that farmers are beginning to realize that it is more profitable—at least when feed is reling at a low price—to fatten their own stock for market instead of selling them as store cattle. This tendegry of course reduces the supply both of coarse grain and of stockers for export. Its reriganency will naturally depend upon the rejustive prices of feed, and of fat as compared with lean cattle.

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ness and liver complaint that so out nervous energy and life, Celery Compound stands far

SHARKEY AND SAGE Deban-1-I say, old chap, what is the ifference between Russell Sage and ifference between Russell Sage and om Sharkey I. Holson-I'm dashed if I know, my oy. I always thought they were alike s two peas. Delson-Then let me correct you, ussell Sage, makes, Lis money hand yer fist, while Sharkey makes his fist and over money.

There aer several varieties of fish hat cannit swim. In every instance hey are deep-sea dwellers, and crawl tout the rocks, using their tails and ins as legs.

A Thousand Tongues

A Thousand Tongues

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## MURDERED

According to African Superstition the Birth of Two Children Proved

Witchcraft-Their Unfortunate Fale When Born in the Darkest Continent-Legalized Death is Their Lot.

Their Lot.

Miss Slessor of the United Preshyterian Mission at Old Calabar was a passenger on the Elder-Dempster Liner Oran, which lets Everyon recently, and had with her four black children whose cases reveal a painful part of Wes. African history, Miss Slessor has now worked for 22 years in Old Calabar. The children are aged, respectively, 2, 3, 5 and 16 years, and each is one of twins appointed at one time to die, in accordance with a superstitious custom prevailing in the Niger Coast Protectorate.

In the course of an interview Miss Slessor said that all twins born were, according to the native laws, to be put immediately to death, and, it is onlythose who have been rescued by the missionaries and placed beyond the reach of the native power who have so far escaped. The children in the Oran were four of these. Altogether, Miss Slessor bas herself saved the lives of 51 twins.

When the twins, are born they are at once taken from the mother, and, if no one interferes, they are taken by the feet and head and have their hacks hoven.

HIS ONE DAY OFF.

His grandma ne'er (ell ill when there were games of ball in town;
He had no wish to loiter where Men knocked each other down.
He had no love for golf nor wheele,
He cared not for croquet,
But, hardly taking time for meals,
He always worked away.

A circus came to town last night,
With gilded chariots, and
Its massive tents are gleaming white
Hark! Don't you hear the band?
The man who always worked away—
Who has a boy of three,
Is missing from his desk to-day,
Oh where, oh where, is he?
—Chicago News.

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Ah, be it thus with love's decease!
Its day is done; its shrine too high
To brave time's destined tragedies.
Let us steal down ere night comes by.
—Thomas Walsh in Bookman

## ADDITION BURDEN

clined to Rep ne at

er Hard Luck-She Tended the Whole Farm of 140 Acres and Ran Her Husband in Addit on.

I was taking my dinner one day at a nountain farmhouse on the headwaters of the Comberland river, and the lady of the house, who had four children playing around the front of the establishment, was inclined to renine at her playing around the front of the estab-lishment, was inclined to repine at her hard luck in having so much work to do. "I run this here whole farm," she said in a tone which indicated that she was ready to resign.
"How many acres have you?" I in-

"A'hundred and forty-20 in wheat, "A nundred and forty—20 in wheat, 60 in corn, 10 in medder an paster, an the balance scatterin an woods."

"Got any stock?"

"Ten head uv cattle, two cows, six hogs an work critters fer the place."

"And you run the whole business."

"Indued I do—every hide an hair ny

"Indeed I do-every hide an hair u it," she sighed.

'Don't you hire some help %' "In course, but 'tain't hired help that takes the load of en a body." There was philosophy in that statement, and I paused a minute.
"Haven't vou got a husband?" I next

asked with a good deal of sympathy.
"Yes," she responded very slowly,
"but I have to run him too." Wash-

## LITTLE LOVABLES

She Raised Them for Profit and Found in them a Source of Great Pleasure,

While the raising of swine is not ex-

while the raising of swine is not ex-actly a poetical occupation, it is said to be a paying one and one that would be practicable for a woman to engage in. "One of the most thoroughgoing, capable business women of the day," says The Practical Farmer," is a breeder of fine swine, and she has won a reputation that is enviable. She has made thousands of dollars from the business and is proud of and enjoys her work. Poultry and swine breeding as a part of the farm wife's business ventures forms both a happy and profitable combination. Even the word 'happy,' she says, is well placed, for it is a happy work caring for and owning handsome sows and prefty, thrifty pigs, fine' shotes and marketable hogs. Little pigs, she asserts, are as lovable as baby chicks, and through actual ownership, one takes pride and comfort in watching them grow and looking to the comforts and needs of the entire swine herd." er of fine swine, and she has won

## Screamed From the Terrible Agony

Eczema on the Scalp

Some of the curse effected by Dr. Chase's insement are more like mixedes than anything else. The case received here was one of the control of

## A FIVE FRANC PIECE.

ONE THAT IS THE HOPE OF EVERY

and the Immense Fortune That Is Popularly Believed to Be Concealed Within It.

If you happen to have in your pos on the particular French coin known as a 5 franc piece, you may unwitting

be a millionaire Such, at least, is the belief shared by n the hope of realizing a fortune Dr. Marco-Leonardo Nardez. the

well known numismatist and one of the

well known numismatist and one of the recognized authorities on coin lore, speaking of this curious condition of affairs, said.

"It is quite true that half France still believes in the existence of great wealth hidden in a 5 franc piece, all though many numismatists hold that though many numismatists hold that the fortune in question-was long, ag-discovered and appropriated by one of the Rothschild family.

"The story of the strange 5 fran-fortune legend may be briefly told. A.

oin, and is worth about 4s. 2d Napo leon I was very anxious to make th leon I was very anxious to make the coin a popular one, and with this end in view he caused it to be circulated everywhere throughout France that he had inserted in one of the silver pieces before it left the mint a bank note or order for 1,000,000 of these same 5 francs-roughly, about £200,000 Whether he really did this or not 1 can

Whether he really did this or not I cannot say for certain, but the weight of
evidence would seem to show that it
was done.

"In the manuscript memoirs of the
Duc de Feltie, Napoleon's minister of
war, it is expressly stated that the emperor inclosed a note on the Bank of
France, duly signed by the governors of
that institution, in a split's franc piecethat—the halves were—then-welded together, partially reminted and thrown
in a heap of similar coins, which the
emperor mixed with his own hands.
These coins Napoleon took with him in
a bag when he went to Boulogne and
distributed lavishly en route, even dropping some of them out of his carriage
windows. In this way it was impossible
to keep track of the lucky coin.

to keep track of the lucky coin.
"The news of this odd lottery spread far and wide, and the 5 franc piece leaped into immediate favor. From leaped into immediate favor. From that day to this mutilation of the coin has been common in France' Switzerland. Belgium and elsewhere Every year the Bank of France is requested make good scores of pieces split in a vain search for the 5,000,000 franc bank note.

"There are many stories dealing with "There are many stories dealing, with reputed finds of the fortune. Indeed when a man becomes suddenly rich in France it is common to hear people whisper. 'He must have found Napoleon's famous coin.

"Some assert that the emperor kept the coin himself, but this hardly agrees with Napoleon's character. Still it is a correct theory that come of the money.

with Napoleon's character. Still it is a current theory that some of the money which enabled Napoleon III to reach the imperial throne was found in the licky silver piece, which his mother, Queen Hortense, had wheedled out of her brother-in-law "It was also common talk that Gen-eral Boulanger had acquired the famous common that the discovery that his money.

in until the discovery that his money pplies came from the Duchess d'Uzes t that belief at rest

"The most likely explanation as to by the 5 franc piece fails to turn up that Baren Ferdinand de Rothschild, a French member of the great Jewish states that Daron de Rothschild, having

states that Baron de Rothschild, having investigated the tradition and found efficient proof of its truth, deliberate is at to work to locate the note. The quietly bought in and collected early afranc piece he could get, and his agents were notified to preserve and is ward to Paris every 5 franc piece which reached them in Europe, Asia, Africa or America. In his office the baron kept three trusty men hard at work bisecting the coins.

"Some say that he had invented a plan for welding them together again.

plan for welding them together again, so as to defy detection; others maintain that he melted down the silver and

that he melted down the silver and sold it to the government en bloc. The work was colossal, but in the end the baron's sytem is said to have conquered. He found the note for 5,000,000 francs having spent nearly 1,000,000 to obtain it. The order was duly presented at the Bank of France and cashed by that institution.

at the Bank of France and cashed by that institution.

"Plausible as this narration may seem, the great mass of Frenchmen re-fuse to credit it, and go on, year after year, splitting open their 5 franc pieces to look for Napoleon's note. It is cer-riciple a statistical theory, that some to look for Naboleon's note. It is cer-tainly a tantalizing thought that some-where in the world a check for £200. 900 is knocking about hidden in an or-dinary silver coin worth less than 5 shil-lings "—Pearson's Weekly.

The Cleveland Plain Dealer tells

The Cleveland Plain Dealer tells a story to show that there is sometimes a great deal in the way of putting anything.

"I understand that you said my eldest daughter was as homely as a mud fence, professor."

"You are quite mistaken my dear madam. What I said was that your, esteemed child reminded me of a mixture of terra firma and aqua pura combined in a practical boundary line."

"Oh! Is that all! Dine with us on Bunday, professor."

In the eighteenth century begging was a frightful nuisance in the German states. In Bavaria whole regiments had to be sent out to arrest and punish the professional beggars, and Cologne, with a population of only 40,000, had nearly 10,000 paupers.



me of five years' sickness."—M Nelson, Pico Heights, Los Ang-

WOMEN CAN DEPEND ON IT.

## SOME ANECDOTES

In European Papers State That

Merchants Ride Races Down State Street-Herds of Infuriated **Buffalos Invade Chicago** 

Accepting as true the aneodotes that appear from time to time in the European newspapers, America is a country where queer things happen. New York houses are built 30 stories high, Boston merchants ride races on horseback down State street, herds of infuriated buffaloes invade Chicago parks, Slouz chieftains break up sessions of Congress with improvised scalp dances. Here is a story of New York customs recently told by a French paper:

New York customs recently son by French-paper:

"In the Central Park there is a very large bears' den, which lies at a lower level than the ground shout it, and is surpounded by a railing.

"One day a stranger, while leaning over this rail, lost his balance and fell into the pit. He struck by the side of a large grizzly bear, which at once seized the man's leg in its mouth and completely crushed it.

"When the bear had bitten the man's

inting condition.

"At this point a policeman stepped up.

"I place you under arrest," he said to
be wounded man.

"'Arrest? What for?' gasped the vic-

"Arrest? What for? gasped the victim.

"For violating the rules of the park, said the policeman. Don't you see that sign over there?"

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The Planet received a number of guesses on the result of yesterday's game, but none were correct.

Flying Roller McKay has been unable to raise the \$100 fine imposed for publishing objectionable literature and will have to spend four mouths in jail.

A team beloning to C. Browt, Raleigh, started from the Kent mills about three o'clock this afternose. At the Fifth street bridge they struck the large glass front in the vacant store belonging to Rufus Stephenson. And it was smashed to pieces. They then ran over the bridge to the Central school when the rear wheels were left against a post. The runaways then went on with the remnants of the rig down Centre street to Park and out Park.

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EYE STRAIN AND WRINKLES. Strange how some will go on straining their eyes producing primative wrickles and wasting nerve energy under the supposition that glases will detract from their personal appearance. In reality glasses improve the looks of those with defective eyes. I put beauty in glasses as well as behind them.—E. J. MacIntre, leading optician, opposite the opera house.

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An ugly runaway occurred shortly before moon to-day, when the borse attached to the delivery wagon of E.R. Snok took fright at the King street crossing of the C.P.R. and ran to the Marvill House corner. Here the wagon colfided with an electric light wagon colfided with an electric light toole, and was badly demoished, while the horse fell upon the sidewalk. A lady, who was standing near by, was thrown down by the frightened animal, but fortunately was not injured.

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Mr. Allin Las sold his bikery and confectionery business to Mr. W. Gerow,
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ence With Rain in the Face in Which the Great Sloux Was Thoroughly Coved

Captain Edward P. Brewer of the regu-Captain Edward P. Brewer of the regu-ir cavalry while a lieutenant was sta-oned at Fort Sheridan with his troop uring the World's fair. Brewer is known mong his brother officers and the society of Chicago as "Pansy," a name given to im for his extreme nicety in dress and his erformances as escort militaire to the In-unta Eulalie. But he is no carpet knight, shis encounter with old Rain-in-the-Face and the state of the state of

will demonstrate.

During all the years of his service, with
the one exception of his tour at Sheridan.
Brewer has been in the field or frontier
gerrisons. He has put in many long
years on the trails of Apaches ard Sioux
and is noted as an Indian fighter. The
encounter with the wilty, treacherous,
cross eyed, how legged old chief and
medicine man was the aftermath of the
last uprising among the Sioux. Brewer
and his command went forth from Rosebud and rounded up old "Rain" and his
band and forced them to get back to the
eroney. This made whe old Indian very
see and he laid for a chance to get even.
He get even, but eventually quit loser.
This is low it all came about:

Son after his return Mr. Brewer applied for a few days' leave of absence to
visit some francès a few hundred miles
away. Having roceived permission, he
started in the ambulance one morning
with a party of ladies for the railroad
depotitions head they were considerably

mpressive and vehement words to the old briver, who spoke Sioux about as well as he Indian himself.

What does he say. Burgess, and why loss in the tus pass? 'inquired the lieusents, scenting some devilment on the sart of his copper colored friend.

'it's Rain-in-the-Face, sir, and he says he wants your yellow vest.'

Impressed with the fact that there was no alternative and moved by the enterestic of the frightened ladies, the lieutenant reluctantly disrobed and passed the soveted prize to the redskin, who received it with a malicious grin of triumph and then allowed the ambulance to proceed. Brewer had no intention of letting the matter drop here, but resigned himself to the sting of the premeditated insult with as good a grace as possible under the circumstances, firmly resolving to fix that Indian at the first opportunity that offered. He requested the driver and ladies to maintain the strictest silence.

'After the expiration of his leave he returned to the post. A few days after he chanced to meet a few Indian boys and promised a big silver dollar to the one who should first inform him when Rain-in-the-Face came into the post. A month went by, and Brewer was sitting one afternoon with a group of officers expatiating on the virtues of the first sergeant of K troop, an load or agond that an Indian boy was immanued that an Indian boy was immanued.

with a group of officers expatiating on the virtues of the first sergeant of K troop, an old dragoon of 20 years service, when he was interrupted by the steward, who announced that an Indian' boy was impatiently demanding to see him.

Immediately the almost forgotten episode of the vest occurred to Brewer and, unceremoniously seeing his campaign hat, he rushed for the door. A little half naked Indian boy informed him that Rain-in-the-Face had just come into camp and then reached out his hand for the everted dollar.

Mr. Brewer ordered his horse and, mounting, rode across the parade in the direction of the now visible redskin, who was heading up the well besten path to the "canteen." The first intimation old "Rain" received that any one was anxious to see him was the whistling of a bullet past his head. Hastily glancing in the direction of the shoch he saw his old cavalry friend headed toward him at full speed. Rain-in-the-Face immediately wheeled his supple little pony in the direction of the agency and set out af full speed. Brewer, seeing that he had his man on the run, satisfied himself with keeping a couple of hundred yards in the rear. The chase led up hill and down dale, the prairle few by so fast that it made one dizzy to look at the tall grass. Brewer discharged an occasional shot to make the Indian appreciate the gravity of his situation. The chief was now thoroughly frightened and gave vent to his feelings by a series of short-high shrieks at every shot.

has a series of series of the first sepes, flung himself to the ground and rushed inside to grasp a weapon, when Brewer's rife rang out again, and a ball tore its way through the dry buffalo hides of the Indian's tent. The sturfly lieutenant reined up his panting steed in front of the equalid hovel and with his rife at his shoulder summoned the terrified savage.

squalid hovel and with his rifle at his shoulder summoned the terrified savage to come out. Hain-in-the-Face sheepishly obeyed, with his hands held over his head in token of surrender. Brewer made the Indian disrobe. He removed his feathered crnaments, ghost shire, breechelout, beaded leggings and moccasins until he was as devoid of clothes as on his natal day. Brewer then directed him to place his apparal on the fiames, which he sheepishly did. The finery was soon converted into ashes, and his most prized and boast-et trophy, the yellow vest, was next ordered, groduced. Its pristine gaudy spiendor rewas gone, as it had too often partaken of the food of its thievish possessor. With another shot or two which threw up the dirt at the Indian's feet Rain-in-the-Face executed some rapid steps never known to wardanen or puppy feast and disappeared into the corner of his dingy tepee. Rain-in-the-Face, the great Ogalalia Sloux, chief warrior and medicine man, the pride of his race, was cowed by a boy lleutenant half his age.

Lieutenant Brewer and Rain-in-the-Face frequently met afterward, but the Indian skulked at the heels of the young lleutenant like a whipped car.—Chicago Chronicle.

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made me feel first rate. They are a
splendid medicine for all kidney derangements, and I can heartily recommend them to all sufferers."
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A cynical writer says what this country needs is better mail service abroad
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Health and strength carry us through

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AN INTERESTING CASE. .

Pure penitence is the price of peace

Alfred A. Taylor, of Margee, says: One bottle MINARD'S LINIMENT ured a swelling of the gamble joint, and saved a horse worth \$140.00.

SAVES TIME AND MONEY.

To find Christ is to find everything.

Tourist — What part of the United tates do you come from t Mr. Wabesh—From all of it. Tourist—I don't understand you. Mr. Wabesh—Why, I live in Chicago.

that's over 100 pounds to the foot—and I'm not quiescent either." He shifted uneasily from one foot to the other.

The business man reached forward and grabbed a long ruler. He wished to be prepared for the worst if the big man became unamenable to arguments? He said quietly: "Now, my dear sir, there's no use getting excited. Everything's all right in this office, and we don't expect an earthquake or a visit from the polices or any of the other dangers of the city." He spoke in a soothing voice and tried to fix the countryman with his spe; he had read of the power of the human eye, and couldn't remember whether it was good for madmen, or only for wild beasts. There would be no harm in trying it anyway, he thought.

The countryman gave what sounded like a little gasp of relief at the column tone of the other man. "I'm glad you feet, isn't it?" he said with a feeble smile. "That makes it a little safer—only about 50 pounds to the foot." The business man began to get curious as to the delusion of his strange visitor. "Would you mind"—he spoke more soothingly than ever, not to rouse the fear subsiding—"selling me just what it is has frightened you so?"

"Why, certainly. It's that sign I saw out in the hall: This floor will carry 80 pounds per foot, distributed quiescent load.' I didn't know but that the commissioner of buildings or somebody had put it there as a warning to fat men like me to sorter quiesce when they step around the place. I'm a little nervous ever since I fell through the hole in our haymow, and thought I'd ask you about it before I did much r'arin' up on my hind legs."

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The Chatham team was royal welcome. Over two thousand spectators, many of them ladies, viewed the game and cheered their favorities on to victory. The Reds gave their patrons a true spectacle of fast ball playing. Their hitting and base-ranning was hard and clever, while but one error, and tast one of a very excussible character—interfered with the gilt-edge fielding game they played.

THE PARADE.

The street parade organized at the Hotel Rankin, and was headed by the Boy's Brigade Band, of McKeonga's school, who played some of their best nusic in finished style, in the hacks which followed were the Hamilton and Thatham ball players, the Mayor and idermen of the city and the directors of the association.

Arrived at the grounds, the players of both teams lined up at the plate, while Mayor Smith addressed them as sollows.

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Hagerman, for the Reds, pitched to win the game. He had splendid speed, and although he gave several men their bases, it amounted to little. Hagerman was also responsible for some brilliant fielding, having six assists, some of them difficult captures, to his credit, and proving timself very handy with the bet.

The team behind him played wonder-ful ball. The infield was simply perfect and their playing was full of ginger and life, while the outfield covered lots of ground, and made several elever cap-

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Stratford, May 15.—The Stratford base bail team on the whole put up a pretty stiff game of bail against London this afternoon, and only for three errors—two by Egan and one by Spranger, in the third, when London scored five runs, the fluish would certain the sound of the control of t

Batteries—Cooper and McConnell; Habel and Pickard. Umpire—Eng-land.

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Guelph, Ont., May 15.—St. Themas awakened from their trance to day, and defeated the home team in a game that was very one-sided. Herbrand, the local side-wheeler, started in for Guelph and allowed St. Thomas to score six runs in the first three innings. Burke, another of alanager Black's finds, replaced him in the fourth, and succeeded in holding the visitors down to three hits for the balance of the game. The features of the game were Tibald's home run in the ninth over right field fence, and Trager's grandstand catch in left field. The score:—

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The Records are practicing every evening in the C. C. I. grounds and will soon be able to challenge everything that comes before them in their tize.

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Every dog has his day so do baseball players, and particularly to pitchers does this apply. Because Frisk, the Canadian Lesarue star, who did all of the good work for Detroit in the exhition games, happened to lack control of ball last Sunday, the hasty criticism was made that he would have to do better or be cast adrift. A race horse does not always run true to form, and men in other branches than that of the ball player do not always feel the same. A man who is employed in a factory at piece work cannot make the same wages every day, as when he is feeling in the best of spirits everything moves along smoothly, and an extra amount of work is accomplished, while at other times he feels gut of sorts and makes.

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## REID the TAILOR

a bungle of everything. Baseball players are human, their physical and mental condition is not the same every day, and because a man gets off badly in an occasional game, the hand of encouragement should be extended to him and not the ever ready boot applied that helps the unfortunate along when they get staried on the down grade. If anyone is to blame for the loss of Sunday's game it is Manager Stallings and not Pitcher Frisk. The twirler was trying to get the ball over the plate, but could not, and as long as he was not relieved, there was no hing to do but stick bravely to the task and make the best of a bad situation. Even the great Nichols, of Boston, has his troubles at times, and this can be said of every other pitcher and ball player in the business. If they were all perfect at all times, the game would soon die out, for it should be remembered that it is the uncertainty of the national pastime that preserves its popularity. bungle of everything. Baseball play-

## THE PROGRAMME

For the West Kent Teachers' Meeting.

in Interesting Bill of Fare-Institute

The Chatham District Teachers' Institute will be held in this city on Thursday and Friday, May 25th and 25th. The president, J. Warcup Plewie will preside white Inspector Park will act as secretary. The following is the program:—

THURSDAY.

Morning session.

10—Upening exercises. Reading of minutes and communications. Receiving reports. Roll call.

11—How to improve—Appearances inside, Miss Clark; appearances outside, R. Watson; school equipment, J.

1.30-Appointment of nominating committee. 1.40-My school program, Miss Po-

well.

2.15—Geography, Gordon Stewart.

3.—Points in discipline—Assembling and dismissing, H. W. H. Williams; communication by whispering, etc., L. L. Couzes; recess discipline, R. Brandon; politeness, J. P. Hickey.

A conversazione will be held in Mc-Keough school, beginning at 8 p. m. Principal Brackin and his committee promise the visiting teachers the most pleasant evening ever spent in the city.

FRIDAY.

Morning Session.

9:30—Relation of School to Home Life and Citizenship, Mr. Sparks.

10:15—How to Economize Time, two classes at once, Mr. Wells; Preparation of B. B. Work, Miss McKerrali; Examination of Pupils' Work, Miss S. C. Irwin; False Attempts at Economy; W. J. Robinson.

11:15—Election of Officers. Roll Call.

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1:45—Composition, Senior Classes, W. Dainty.
2:36—Drawing and Writing, Junior Classes, Miss Jeffs.
3:15—Continuity in the Teaching of History, Mr. McCallum. POINTERS.

History, Mr. McCallum.

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Teachers should record on their registers the same attendance for Thursday and Friday as on the two teaching days preseding the convention.

The new regulations require the roll to be called at each session, and a report to be sent to the trustees of the number of sessions attended by their teacher.

All candidates for these examinations who intend to write at Wallacesburg. Dresden, Tilbury, Merlin, Wheatley or S. S. O. 10, Raissigh, will please notify the P. S. I. for West Kent, R. Fark, Chatham. Those who intend to write at Chatham will please notify Rev. Dr. McColl, P. S. I., Chatham. Exams. June 25-30.

Form III examinations will be held at Dresden and Wallaceburg.

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## WALLACEBURG

May 16.—The tug Erie, of Detroit grought in a soow loaded with coal for the Electric Light Works Sunday. Gordon and Charles Boble, of Detroit risited relatives here Sunday. Mrs. G. Mallory spent Sunday in

Chatham.

Wallaceburg Baseball Club will play
the Indians on the 24th at the Island.

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Mrs. W. K. Parks and sons, Harry and Roy, left for Port Burwell yester-day morning.

A number of wheelmen on Sunday wheeled to Port Lambton.

Geo. Clark and Bert West paid Ma-rine City a short visit Saturday night.

Miss Bessie Royd was the zuest of Miss Anna Mickie, East Branch, over Sunday.

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The yacht Joker took a smail fishing party to the Sny on Sunday.

M. Cameron left for Inwood and oth-er coints yesterday morning.

T. Hurley, of Detroit, was the guest of W. D. McRae, Sunday and Monday. Miss Nora Taylor, of Detroit; is visit-Miss Nora Taylor, of Detroit; is visiting her parents here.

D. F. McRae's trotting horse, "Flashlight," ran away yesterday afternoon
and gave Mr. McRae a bad shaking
up, he being thrown out opposite the
post office. Gwen, his 12-year-old
daughter, was in the rig with him, and
pluckily held on and stopped the horse
out of town spiece.

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At Pittsburg:—

Media 2 15—Geography, Gordon Stewart.
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3 —Points in discipline—Assembling and dismissing, H. W. H. Williams; communication by whispering, etc., L. L. Couzens; recess discipline, R. Brandon; politeness, J. P. Hickey. At Pittsburg:-At Brooklyn :-

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## THE PROGRAMME

For the West Kent Teachers Meeting.

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Will Convene on flay 25th.

The Chatham District Teachers' Institute will be held in this city on Thursday and Friday, May 25th and Thursday and Friday, May 25th and Sight. The president, J. Warcup Plewes will preside while Inspector Park will act as secretary. The following is the program:—

The Chatham District Teachers' Institute of the city of the control of the city of t

Morning session.

10—Upening exercises. Reading of minutes and communications. Receiving reports. Roll call.

11—How to improve—Appearance inside, Miss Clark; appearances outside, R. Watson; school equipment, J. Stewart

1.40-My school program, Miss Po-

Evening session.

FRIDAY

Morning Session.

9.30—Relation of School to Home Life and Citizenship, Mr. Sparks.

10.15—How to Economize Time, two classes at once, Mr. Wells; Preparation of B. B. Work, Miss McKerrali; Examination of Pupils' Work, Miss S. C. Ir. Win; False Attempts at Economy, W. J. Robinson.

1.115—Election of Officers, Roll Call

J. Robinson.

11:15—Election of Officers. Roll Call
11:25 — Supplementary Reading
Comp., etc., in Jun. Classes, A. A. Frye Afternoon Session Afternoop Session.

1:30 — Announcement of Elections.

New Business.

1:45—Composition, Senior Classes, W. C. Dainty.

2:30—Drawing and Writing, Junior Classes, Miss Jeffs.

3:15—Continuity in the Teaching of History, Mr. McCallum.

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Teachers should record on their registers the same attendance for Thursday and Friday as on the two teaching days preceding the convention.

The new regulations require the roll to be called at each session, and a report to be sent to the trusters of the number of sessions attended by their teacher.

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May 16.—The tug Erle, of Detroit, brought in a soow loaded with coal for the Electric Light Works Sunday. Gordon and Charles Ibbie, of Detroit, visited relatives here Sunday. Mrs. G. Mallory spent. Sunday in Chatham. Wallaceburg Baseball Club will play the Indians on the 24th at the Island. A 'busloud of young folks visited Algonac Sunday. Mrs. W. K. Parks and sons, Harry and Roy left for Port Burwell yesterday morning.

A number of wheelmen on Sunday wheeled to Port Lambton.

Geo. Clark and Bert West paid Marrine City a short visit Saturday night. Miss Bessie Boyd was the zuest of Miss Anna Mickle, East Branch, over Sunday.

They son the sunday morning.

They are the sunday and Monday. M. Cameron left for Inwood and other points yesterday morning.

Therey, of Detroit, was the guest of W. D. McRae, Sunday and Monday. Miss Nora Taylor, of Detroit, is visiting her parents here.

D. F. McRae's trotting horse, "Flashlight" ran away vesterday afternoon and gave Mr. McRae a bad shaking up, to frice. Gwen, his 12-year-old daughter, was in the rig with him, and pluckly held on and stopped the horse out of town spiceos.

Mrs. Fitzpatrick, of Detroit, is visiting friends here.
Mrs. H. R. Thornton and daughters, of Petrolea, paid a short visit here yesterday.
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