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THE CAMPAIGN IN WEST KENT

Successful Meeting Held by Mr. Fraser in South Bux-ton-Good Attendance.

Another Address

ive meeting was held last evening in Mr. Fraser's interests at South Bux-ton. The hall was crowded and the speakers were accorded an attentive and, at times, enthusiastic hearing. A. E. Robinson, of Raleigh, presided, and in a brief and appropriate address introduced the speakers.

John S. Fraser, the Liberal-Conserrative candidate, was given a very hearty reception. He expressed his appreciation thereof and proceeding placed before the audience clearly and pointedly the principles upon which he appealed for their support. Mr. Fraser outlined his convictions upon the assessment of the railway and other corporations and assured the gathering that, if elected, he would introduce legislation to remove the injustice of the taxation to the farmers he believed to be in existence under the Ross enactments. The Liberal-Conservative candidate also briefly outlined the policy of Mr. Whitney, with which he expressed himself as in

Mr. Fraser's address was received with applause.

Thomas Scullard dealt with the development of New Ontario from its inception. He had recently visited the Clergue works at the Soo and illustrated their development in a most interesting manner. He pointed out that the development of New Ontario received its initial impetus by the genius and foresight of the late Sir John A. Macdonald, who brought nating it a barren country.

pecially upon the educational system and the school book monopoly, and the West Elgin and other election scan

The meeting was concluded with hearty cheers for the King, Whitney

building was full. Geo. Stephens, M. P., spoke for 40 minutes. Mr. Gauthier, of Quebec, spoke for an hour. N. H. Stevens closed the meet-

THE MARKETS.

There was a very poor market this norning. Offerings were very scarce and what was offered sold very rapidly. There were practically no regetables offered and dairy produc was very scarce.

There are few changes in the prices The following is the full price list: IN THE SHEDS.

Eggs, 11 to 12c. per doz. Butter, 18 to 20c. per lb. Chickens, each, 30c. to 45c. Honey per rack, 13c. VEGETABLES.

Rhubarb, 2 bunches for 5c.
Lettuce, per pound, 25c.
Green onions, 2 bunches for 5c.
Radishea, per bunch, 10c.
Sage, a bunch, 5c.
Apples, 40c. a peck.
Cauliflower, 10c. head.
Carrots, 15c. peck.
Cabbage, 5c. to 15c. per head.
Potatoes, per bag, \$1.00.
Summer savory, 5c. bunch.
Peppers, 10c. dozen.
Tomato plants per box, 10c.
Cabbage plants per hox, 10c.

L. E. &. D. R. R. MEETING

Windsor, May 13.—The annual meeting of the Lake Erie & Detroit River Railway was held this morning in the offices of the company at Walkerville. Secretary Radford presented a satisfactory financial statement, and it was accepted without discussion. The officers elected were Messrs. F. H. Walker, President; E. C. Walker, Vice-President; E. Radford, Secretary; J. Harrington Walker, Treasurer. These officers, with Dr. S. A. King of Windsor and W. Aikman of Detroit, comprise the Board of Directors. The question of extending the line from St. Thomas to Niagara Falls was discussed, but no action was taken.

Herb. Ryan, of O'Brien Bros. fac-tory, severely lacerated his finger while at work yesterday.

MOEACHERN KILLED

Atlanta City, N. J., May 13.-Archie McEachran, the Canadian cyclist, was killed this afternoon while racing behind a motor ridden by Boake and Thompson. The chain of Mc-Eachran's wheel broke, and he was hurled violently to the ground, sus-taining injuries from which he died at the City Hospital an hour later.

McEachren had earned for himself reputation as one of the world's fastest cyclists. He was well known here in Chatham, where he competed in the C. W. A. meet, and the following year returned and did his training on the Peninsular track. At the present time he holds the Canadian

MINGLE MIRTH AND SADNESS

While the People Celebrate the Queen Regent Weeps-An Impressive Occasion.

Scenes of Galety in the Spanish Capital and One of Sorrow in the Royal Palace.

Madrid, May 13 .- The brilliant feature yesterday encouraged the crowds to pour out into the streets of the city and every thoroughfare was filled with merry-makers, who were apparpearance of the streets was in strong contrast to the scene at the same time being enacted within the palace. Here the festivity gave place to a drama, The Queen Regent of Spain was sorrowfully taking leave of her Ministers and practically relinquishing to the hands of her son the solemn charge which she has so faithfully filled for the past sixteep and a-half years. It was a pathetic scene when the Minwere ushered into the Queen John A. Macdonald, who brought about the building of the C. P. R. All this was then vigorously opposed by Mr. Ross, who is on record as designificant the substruction of the control of t J. M. Pike followed. He briefly took gasta with emotion. Finally, with the issues of the day, dwelling as-

HOME AGAIN

R. A. Harrington, who was the delegate of the Independent order of Foresters to their great convention at The Liberals held a meeting at esters to their great convention at Big Point last night in Sheff's Hall. Los Angales, returned home last even-

> "I had a splendid and fine trip," said Mr. Harrington this morning, "Our special car, with one of the offi-cials of the road on it, gave us the cials of the road on it, gave us the privilege to stop at any point. We had a good convention, and returned by way of San Francisco and the Rockies. The country is fine and the journey a nice one, but tiresome. But taking things all round, Chatham is the place for me."

Miss Maggie Knight, who has been visiting friends in the city, returned last evening to Bothwell.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the residence of Mrs. Toll, Hyslop street, Thursday, May 15th, at 3 o'clock p.

Crown Attorney Bell will visit Wallaceburg to-morrow to prosecute a number of persons charged with making the lives of the Belgians uncomfortable. Since the arrival of these foreigners they are alleged to have been subjected to many annoyances which the Crown proposes shall

John Barr, of Park Bros., narrow ly escaped serious accident while at work yesterday. He was tightening the gear on a lathe machine when his sleeve caught in the gear, and had not James Park been passing at the time and seeing Barr's predicament, stopped the machine, serious results stopped the machine, might have followed.

might have followed.

A very pretty wedding takes place to-day at the residence of the bride, 8th concession, Chatham Township, when Miss Flora Smith will be united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Frederick W. Parkyn, of the same township. Ernest Montgomery, of Quinn & Patterson, of this city, will be best man, and Miss Eva Moore, also of this city, will be bridesmaid. Rev. Mr. Nealy will perform the ceremony.

The barns and outbuildings of Eli The barns and outbuildings of Eli Bellanger, of Dover, which were destroyed by fire, were insured in the Waterloo Fire Assurance Company for \$1.400, which partially covers the loss. The residence was not damaged seriously. It was with the furniture, insured in the Gore Mutual Fire Assurance Company, of which company F. P. Weldon is the local agent. The fire, an account of which was given in last night's Planet, was started by a little child who was playing with matches around the barn.

DREAD DEATH

Appalling Catastrophe to Party of Pleasure Seekers Narrowly Averted.

Pilot was Unsteady, and Nearly Furnished Father Thames With More Victims.

One of the most horrible accidents in marine history is not recorded today, just because Tom Bignall, Dover, displayed rare presence of mind. It happened last evening Mr. Tom. Bagnall asked Calixte Bechard and family and some of the boarders at the Hotel Aberdeen to take a pleasure trip on Mr. Bagnall's electric vapor launch, the "Wa-

ter Wag." It was a merry party that boarded the launch, consisting as it did, of Calixte Bechard, his three daughters, Marie, Rosy and Hilda, Robert Hallinan, Julius Peron, Samuel Moore and Tom Bagnall, the owner,

The tale of the almost sudden extermination of the pleasure party is best told in the words of Robert Hallinan, the butcher. Mr. Hallinan generally tells stories that are founded on facts only, and sometimes barely that. This time, however, Robert's story is backed by Calixte Bechard, Tom Bagnall and all the rest of the party except Sam Moore. Sam, it appears, is ently in the happiest humor. The ap- blamed for the threatened terrible

calamity. . The start was made safely and all went well till the launch reached the old Foote place, down the river.
Up to this time Ernest Cloutier had

been at the wheel. From this point perhaps Robt Hallinan had best take

"Samuel," said the burly butcher, "had been watching with much interest the work of Cloutier at the wheel. Suddenly he made his way over to the wheel and began steering. He based his claim to the position on the fact that he had often steered boats on the River Thames, in England, and, during his life time he had always steer-ed clear of the police. Of course with such recommendations as these," con-tinued the meat dealer, "there was no

refusing Mr Moore the position of pitioned not to talk to the man at the wheel, Sam took the post of honor. He tried to turn the boat around for the return trip and nearly ran up in Backus' orchard. I yelled at him that the strawberries were not ripe yet and so he altered the yacht's course. Soon we met the Euna tow-ing the Kolfage down the river. Then Sam tried hard to run down the Kolfage and it was only the presence of mind of Tom Bagnall that averted disaster. The girls screamed, the crew looked scared and Sam alone was calm. A hair's breath alone stood between the occupants of the yacht and the loy water. I began to think of the disaster to that millionaire's yacht last year off Cleveland, so I threw the only life preserver over Calixte Bechard as he had only one arm. After the party were safe on land again, Sam Moore explained that in his occupation of lineman, he had absorbed so much electricity while calm. A hair's breath alone stood beabsorbed so much electricity while cleaning lamps that he was like a magnet and had affected the compass. The party blamed the trouble on the fact that Mr. Moore used to steer steam boats and this was gasoline, and I asked Sam if he was any good

steering schooners across a bar.
"'Never mind,' responded Sam. 'I'll
go down again and show you how it

was done.'
"'No, you won't go in my boat,'
said Mr. Bagnall, 'unless you sit down
and keep away from the wheel.'
"Jack McLeod and William Wilson were to have gone in the party too. But they backed out on learning who the pilot was. They said they could-

"I told our pilot," concluded Robert, "that John Maynard had been drowned, while saving his crew, but he was greater because he had saved crew and himself."

Calixte Bechard was congratulating himself this morning that he

ing himself this morning that he wasn't at the bottom of the river.

FINE MEDAL

E. J. Macintyre has Presented a Trophy for Competition in Gun Club's Tournament.

E. J. MacIntyre, the enterprising Maple City Jeweller, is the first to contribute to the trophy list for the Maple City Gan Club tournament.

This morning Mr. MacIntyre formally presented a handsome medal for competition in the June contests. In so doing Mr. MacIntyre took occasion to express his hearty appreciation of to express his hearty appreciation of the efforts of the club to patt on a first class tournament in Chatham, and expressed his opinion that the en-terprise would meet with hearty en-couragement and support from the

The MacIntyre medal has been presented subject to the approval of the executive committee of the club, which will also decide the event for which it shall become the trophy.

BOERS CAPTURED

London, May 13.—The weekly report of Lord Kitchener, received to-day, shows that nineteen Boers were killed, that six were wounded, that 802 were made prisoners, that nine surrendered, and that 600 rifles, 157 wagons, 400 horses and 4,300 head of cattle fell into the hands of the British.

Gen. Ian Hamilton's columns have arrived at the Western Railroad, after sweeping the Lichtenburg district of South-western Transvaal. These troops brought in 357 prisoners, and practically all the wagons and stock of the Boer commands in that district. This makes a reduction in General Delarey's forces of 860 men since he defeated Major Paris at Roviraine's Fontein, March 8, and captured General Methuen.

GRAIN DUTIES IN BRITAIN

Commons Rejects Harcourt's Amendment Which Declined to Accept Them.

Laurier's Mission to England has Nothing to do With the Matter Says Mr. Balfour.

London, May 13.-The House of Commons to-day, by a vote of 296 to 188, rejected the amendment offered by Sir William Vernon Harcourt (Liberal) at the second reading of the Finance Bill in the House of Commons yesterday that this House declines to

impose duties on grain, flour and other food of the people.

In the course of a speech supporting the amendment made by Sir Wm. Vernon Harcourt, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the Liberal leader in the House, referred to the speech of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Canadian Prem-Wilfrid Laurier, the Canadian Premier, in the Canadian Parliament the previous night, and demanded to know whether the policy Sir Wilfrid Laurier foreshadowed in the interests of Canada was to be the policy of the British Government. Sir Henry

of the British Government. Sir Henry also demanded to know if the free ports of England were to be shut by preferential duties.

Replying to the Liberal leader, Mr. A. J. Balfour, the Government leader in the House, said that the mission of the Canadian Premier to England had absolutely nothing to do, directly or indirectly, with the grain tax, which was imposed for purely fiscal reasons.

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 14.

NEW ONTARIO IS FOR WHITNEY

When the Rossites gave the new seats to Northern Ontario, they did so with the idea that they could control that region, but each day the evidences are multiplying as to the discontent up there with the existing administration.

Mr. Whitney, in his tour met with a far more enthusiastic reception than Mr Ross, and more than one Reformer in those districts will on May 29th vote Conservative.

Here is one more instance in that essential, supplied By Mr. W. J. Kearns, of Kearns Brothers, Sault Ste. Marie, who, speaking on Saturday last said-

"I have always been a supporter of the Ontario government. I have never polled a Conservative vote in my life, but I will this time, for I have come to the conclusion that wee want a change. I have only been on a public platform once in my life, and that was in 1886, but I'll face Mr. Ross or Mr.

"He has had my support, and I have helped to put him where he is, but (I am going to help to put him away

New Ontario will help to swell the majority of the Whitney government.

ROSS VS. MOWAT.

The Hamilton Spectator draws attention to two assertions made in yesterday's Teronto Globe: Toronto has profited by 30 years of

the best Government any country ever had. In the three years Premier Ross has been in office he has set the wheels of

If the second paragraph is true, 27 years of the "best Government any country ever had" was bestowed by a Government which let the "wheels of

progress" remain idle. And look where the Globe outs that wonderful man, Sir Oliver Mowat, and the dead man, Hon. Mr. Hardy.

According to the Globe, which, when they were in office, lauded them to the skies, and told people that they were the greatest and best statesmen in the country, model legislators and champions of progress-they were nothing but a couple of Stick-in-the-Muds.

ONTARIO SHOULD UNITE AGAINST THE MACHINE.

The machine is, of course, aimed at Conservatives and Independents. It is instituted to deprive them of their votes by fraud at Provincial and Federal elections.

But there is good season to believe that fair-minded Liberals despise it and would like to see it destroyed.

No honorable Liberal ever asked that this ballot-box stuffing expedient be established, Nobody outside of the machine it-

self can defend the thing, or conscientiously vote for it.

What is there in it for the non-official Liberal except the long procession of painful confessions and judgments all telling of wrong committed, and of meanness resorted to under a party name that deserves better treatment?

The public-spirited Liberal, and indeed good men of all parties, would have been reassured if the Government had exhibited independence of the machine by deposing its head-centres, by punishing its agents, and by dropping the politicians who are too closely associated with it.

Unhappily this guarantee of better things for the future has not been given; and the battle to-day is the battle of the machine against the people There is no reason why the elector,

may, should vote for the continued ascendancy of this evil influence. There is every reason why every

be his political classification what it

man of honor should do his best to out it down. It is time for a change.-Mail and Empire.

SIGNS OF THE TIMES.

On all sides there are indications of defection among former supporters of the Ross Government. Among those

The Stimulus

of Pure Blood

That is what is required by every organ of the body, for the proper performance of its functions It prevents biliousness, dyspepsia, constipation, kidney complaint, rheumatism, catarrh, nervousness, weakness, faintness, pimples, blotches, and all cutaneous erup-

It perfects all the vital processes. William Ross, Sarnia, Ont., took Hood's Sarsaparilla to make his blood pure. He writes that he was all run down, his appointe was gone, and his nerves were so unstrung he could not rest nor sleep. He had tried many remedies without benefit when Hood's Sarsaparilla was recommended and he began its use. Three bottles of this medicine entirely

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already noted is another of considerable significance. On Saturday the Ottawa Irish Catholic organ, United Canada, in a leading editorial announced itself as out in opposition to the Ross Government, and it has a few plain truths to advance as its reason for taking the stand. It

Without going into details, it may seem proper and just that United Canada should define and state briefly its own position in this provincial campaign. We would prefer to remain passive-or chained to the Government chariots like the other Catholic papers-and it would be more profitable to do so, but duty, as we see it, points in another direction.

In the first place we take sides be cause there is nothing left of the old Ontario Liberalism, except the sign over the door. If there were any political issue in this campaign involving the teaching or principles of Liberalism on one side, and Toryism on the other, we say at once, having been brought up under the shadow of the great names of Gladstone, Blake and Mercier, and there could be but one course open. But this is purely a domestic, municipal battle, in which the real issue is: Decency against indecency-honesty against "grafters"law against anarchy. To you who than ever before. "Dissension" ayhave all your lives been Liberals, we say, you cannot take issue with us Liberals and the pesky word crops up on the commandment "Thou shalt not steal." To the young men of Ontario of both parties-you who have no fears or fetters-we appeal, to end the reign of this domestic dynasty at Toronto, and drive the money changers out of the temple. This so-called reform county council has been 32 years in office, and they rest their claim for a new lease on the statement that the opposition could not find men qualified to be provincial ministers. Just fancy? We can stand at the parliament gates in Ottawa and call six men out of Central ward who are the peers of Ross' colleagues. The ministers are simply the delegates of their various creeds, and the creatures of the wealthy criminal class. This is our position, and we

Whitney and an honest ballot.

driven from power.

shall stand by it quite regardless of

consequences until that aggregation

of antiquated bogus reformers are

Register! Register!! Register!! Fraser and Davidson will be the her-

oes of People's Day, May 29.

Fraser will win-and his supporters won't have to work on Sundays to do it, either.

Surely the Pardo workers should be able to do all their cam higning in six days of the working week, without desecrating the Sabbath.

Evidently the Banner has been cau ioned not to expose the weakness of the Government's educational policy, and is waiting for Ross to discover

FAT NERVES.

A whirl of excitement was recently caused among scientists by the discovery of "how nerves act".

Healthy nerves are fat nerves. It is fat in the core of a nerve that by hardening and softening creates nerve action.

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some plan of adopting Mr. Whitney's ideas, as he has so often done.

Notwithstanding the exigencies of the campaign it would seem that those Pardo bill posters, including the local Liberal official, could better employ the hours of the Sabbath than by campaigning in the manner they are reported as adopting in Pain Court.

The Chatham Planet and Banner are using the"You're a liar" argument in great shape. The Banner is the most lurid, but the Planet appears to have the most reliable ammunition. Some troublesome Banner chickens have come home to roost at a very inconvenient time-St. Thomas Times.

The three following Thursdays of May, 1902, will be historic. On the 15th the Boers are expected to accept the British peace conditions; on the 22nd the provincial nominations will be held in Ontario; and on Thursday, May 29th, the Ross government will be beaten out of its political boots .-Ottawa Citizen.

Premier Ross is being corrupted through association. The Berlin Telegraph tells how he used bad language: Speaking at Sarnia the other day Mr. Ross caught the audience by his first paragraph: "Time for a change!" he exclaimed. "Why, I'm only here three years. What's the matter with me? The rebellious Israelites had to serve 40 years in the Wilderness Jm mghtyty trt trt tt the wilderness.

> AS A FIRE PRECAUTION. St. Thomas Times.

It has recently been hinted that it would be the proper caper to have the ballots printed on asbestos paper.

NO WONDER HE'S RATTLED. Ottawa Citizen.

Those who met Premier Ross during his hurried visit to Ottawa on Friday report that the honorable gentleman is badly rattled. Things are not going smoothly in the constituencies and the defection of the better class of Liberals is spreading.

WHERE THE DISSENSION IS.

St. Thomas Times. Speaking of party dissensions, the Liberals are having a few more than they can comfortably handle, while the Conservative ranks are more solid pears to be ringing in the ears of some at all sorts of times and places.

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MORPETH

Miss Rose Duck ,nurse in training, s home from Petoskey, Mich., and will remain for several weeks.

Mrs. Huffman has returned to To-

ronto after spending several months with her sister, Mrs. Cornwall.

John Gardiner, druggist Jackson, Mich., is on a visit to his parents, Ralph Gardiner and wife.

Miss McDermid, 12th con., has gone

Miss McDermid, 12th com., has gone to Scotland, where she will remain a year with her aunt, Mrs. (Capt) Scott.

We understand a social will be given in the near future at the house of Mr. and Mrs. Trudgen, west of the village, the proceeds to be in aid of the acetylene gas fund in connection with St. John's church.

Mrs. John McLearn, 12th com., is recovering from a slight attack of tycovering from a slight attack of ty-

phoid fever.
The work at the sheds at the Rondeau Park is rogressing rapidly and will be completed before the picnic

Thomas Harrison, one of our oldest esidents, who has been confined to couse during the winter, is able to be

out again.

Walter Harris, who left several weeks ago for British Columbia, has returned home.

A, Leibner, Talbot street, is moving his barn, and will erect a stone wall under it, and otherwise improve it.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized in St. John's church on Wednes-

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Organdies, lovely new effects, in rich colorings, fine, sheer qualities, at per yard 20c, 25c, 35c and Rich lace stripe zephyrs, in hand-some designs, fast colors, special per yard at

Plain linen batiste, fine quality,

Real Irish Dimities, fine sheer qual- wide width, natural shade, special per Linen grass cloth, 30 inches wide,

superior quality, natural shade, spe-cial per yard Eclair de soie, a fine sheer linen fabric, with fancy woven mercerized stripes, will make a handsome waist,

Black lace stripe muslins, in wide

special per yard

White P. K's, assorted welts and pink and grey, special per yard, cords, extra special values at per yard 10c, 15c, 20c and

French organdies, fine sheer qualities, 1 1-2 yards to 2 yards wide, in colors, fast dyes, special per yard, at white and black, soft finish, extraor
5c, 7c, 8c, 10c and Fine Imported Dress Muslins and dinary values at per yard 25c, 35c, 50c, 60c and

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• *** day morning, 30th ult, being the marriage of Miss Annie Hughes, niece of Mrs. Henry Stewart, west of the village, to Mr. Dale of Chicago, Rev. E. Softley performed the ceremony, after which a dainty breakfast was served at the residence of Mr. H.

ANCIENT ORDER UNITED WORK-

Every Workman should attend on Friday, the 16th, and join in welcoming our Grand Master Workman, Joseph Gibson, Ingersoll, also D. D. G. M. Hinnegan, who will visit us accompanied by Brothers from Wallaceburg and Dresden Lodges. This will be a most interesting meeting, as the Workman Degree will be conferred upon the largest number of candidates we have received for initiacandidates we have received for initia-tion for some time. Don't fail to hear our Grand Master Workman's

address. Visiting brethren welcome.
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ious story, expatriated by the American musician by declaring him of Italian birth and rejoicing in the name of So, to which, in a spasm of patriotic favor, he was supposed to add the initials Y. S. A. in order to make the familiar name of Sousa. This story has been printed all over the world, and in many instances has been accepted as gospel truth. But the fact remains that the "March King" was born in Washington, D. C., forty-five years ago, although his ancestry is Portugese. At the royal concert at Sandringham, England, in December, the ambassador of Portugal at the Court of St. James told him that the name Sousa is one of the most famous in that country. Sousa, by the way, will bring his band here

by the way, will bring his band here on Monday afternoon, May 19th, for a single concert at the Grand Opera

DISTRICT DOINGS.

THAMESVILLE

May 13 .- C. W. Nicholls, of London,

s in town to-day.

T. J. Arnold returned from Detroit

F. E. Hatch, of the Briggs Ledger

System Co., Ottawa, is in town. R. G. Lind, of London, was in town

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WALLACEBURG

May 14.-A Liberal Mass meeting

was held in the town hall last Monday

candidate for West Kent, was present.

Oundas acted as chairman. Mr. Grace and Mr. Warde Williams.

of Algonac, are visiting at the home of Mr. McDougall. The Westminster Guild of Knox

Church held their social evening last

Monday night. After a good program, the contest—Suggestions from

a watch—was held; questions were asked, the answers being some part

of a watch. The ladies' prize was won

by Mrs. C. McCausland, while Mr. D.

Mrs. John Murphy entertained a few friends to a euchre party last Carrier boys are not authorized to collect subscriptions. Our collector calls in each town once a month; if a

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Dobie, carried off the gentleman's

Addresses were Given by H, Gauthier, M. P., D. A. Gordon, M. K. Cowan, M. P., T. L. Pardo, candidate, T. B,

evening at which T. L. Pardo, Liberal

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-:- SATELLITE *******

Everything is coming our way, even the mosquitoes.

Johns will run, so will John Lee. John Davidson will be elected.

It wasn't necessarily because Green was a barber that he got into that scrape.

Why didn't the Banner-News report the speech that T. L. Pardo spoke?

that the police made a raid on the market on Saturday? Some of the shareholders in the binder twine factory feel as though

Has the Banner-News learned yet

they had been roped in. The Public Library Board couldn't have known their book or they wouldn't have got gold-bricked.

That Binder Twine Co. will have to start a factory to make itself binders to bind up the splits in the company.

Light weights are worth something in prize fighting, but they don't score worth a darn when the police raid the butter market. It looks as if the Cemetery com-

mittee considered the letting of trees and shrubs grow wild on the lots at the cemetery as a grave offense. All that's the matter with the

Binder Twine Factory is that the law-yers don't own it yet and the share-holders have still a little interest in A crazy girl up at court the other

day said she wanted to get married. Judge Houston remarked that it

wouldn't do to say all girls were crazy who wanted to get married. That little difference between this G. H. J. and its garbling contempor-

DECEPTION

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If people would on
way about medicines they would
be a great deal
better off in
health and pocket. A number of
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making" and
"flesh forming"
"tonic" medicines are only
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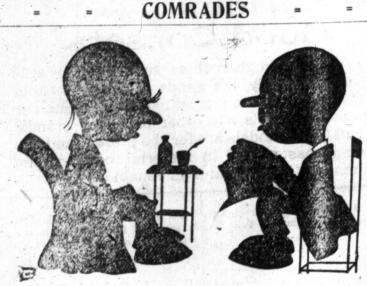
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battered red rag looked last Thursday-Red and Green.

I', not much of a prophet, but I am pretty safe in predicting warm weather to make up for this cold spell. T. L. Pardo would make a good speaker for the House of Commons. Everybody else would have a chance

The Maple City Gun Club are going to give a big tournament on June 5 and 6, but you won't be able to watch their smoke because they use smokeless powder.

**************** Theatrical

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The Westminster Abbey Choir Glee and Concert Company have been meeting with crowded houses on their Canadian tour, in many of the towns they have appeared in the seats having all been sold three and four days in advance of the day of their arrival. No musical organization that has been heard in Canada has given more genuine delight than the coronation choresters and the sweet boy sopranos. The famous company come direct from Westminster Abbey, England's most historic cathedral, and is composed of many of the finest soloists, the most remarkable male altos and most wonderful boy sopranos in England. Mr. Edward Branscombe, director of the tour, is one of the principal lay vicars of the Abbey and has a beautiful tenor voice of very sweet quality. The contralto, Madam Marie Hooton, is a charming London singer and has delighted her Canadian audiences many times, responding three times when she renders Down the Burn. The male alto, Mr. Walter Coward and Mr. Harry Oakley have voices seldom ever heard this side of the Atlantic. They are the two finest alto singers in Great Britain. Mr.

ary is as nothing when compared with the differences between the share-holders in the binder twine factory.

Tecumseh Park now looks like the tecumseh like the tecum sang with Madam Albina at Albert Hall, London. No one should miss hearing this musical treat.

John Philip Sousa has been pursued by a persistent fable coined some five years ago by an inventive genius who saw an opportunity to juggle with the "March King's" name. This individual in uttering his ingen-



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THE LOCAL BUDGET

The Maple City Gun Club shoots to-Oliver Currier, Taylor Ave., still

Wm. Riddell, of London, is spending a few days in the city on business. The little child of Ed Hogel, Harvey street, is very ill with pneumonia. Dr. Arthur Holmes, of Detroit, is

spending a few days with his uncle in this city. Geo. Whittaker, of London, is slating the roof of Harry Stevens' house,

Victoria avenue. James W. Carswell, architect, has returned from a business trip to Wallaceburg-and Sarnia.

The funeral of the late Miss Jennie Luce, whose death occurred on Monday, took place this morning at ten o'clock to St. Joseph's church. The remains were interred in St. Anthony's cemetery.

Supt. Jones, of the civic lighting staput in by the Chatham Electrical Co., is the best in the plant. It is splendidly put together. The whole plant is now in good shape for doing work. Monsieur Joseph Dauphin sold this farm in Dover and came to live in Chatham that he might engage in his occupation of horse breaking. He was breaking a yearling colt this morn-ing and furnished amusement for the

people of Fifth street. The city has secured the piece of ground across the 2nd concession, Chatham Township, adjacent to the continuation of Elizabeth street as a dumping ground for old tin cans and refuse. This is the property purchased from the late William Dela-

WESTMINSTER CHOIR

The plan for the Westminster Choir opened with a good showing this morning. Appearances are bright for a good house. This will be the musical treat of the season.

SUNDAY DESECRATION

"I used to think at one time that the Liberal party was a good pure party," said James Verrall, a veteran Reformer and worker, to The Planet this morning. "But my views have greatly changed or late. This work of some of the party leaders on Sunday in putting those posters up through the country was a disgrace. Of course there are a lot of good men in the party, but as a whole it is

SHOCKED

Henry Dunn, electrician at the civic electrical works had a narrow escape last evening. He was fixing the brushes on one of the dynamos, his sleeve was rolled up and his wrist touched the dynamo. He had hold of one of the brushes and the touching of the wrist on the dynamo completed the circuit. The shock threw Mr. Dunn clear across the room. He narrowly missed the fly-wheel. Mr. Dunn had a close shave, but outside of a badly burned hand is none the worse for his shock.

WILL CORRESPOND

One of the employees of The Ark, while unpacking a consignment of roods from Pennsylvania, found, in a hina sugar' bowl, a slip of paper bearing the address "Miss Annie Snyder, Box 27, Avenue P. O., Alley Co., Pa.," which was evidently placed there by the packer of the goods. A few days ago a similar piece of paper was found, also in a sugar bowl, while unpacking another consignment of goods. The first piece of paper also contained the coods. The first piece of paper contained the address of the young lady who packed the goods and was shown to a Maple City young man, whose sentimental tendencies prompted him at once to write a letter to this unknown lady. A letter has also been written to the last young lady who sent her address and the employees of The Ark are now anxiously awaiting the answers.

"DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COF-

PEAT FUEL CO.

A delegation of capitalists from Michigan, who are interested in the formation of a peat fuel plant in Capac, Mich., were in the city yesterday and, in company with J. L. Scott, of this city, and Mr. Wright, of Dresden, the control of the company with J. L. Scott, of this city, and Mr. Wright, of Dresden, the control of the company with J. L. Scott, of this city, and Mr. Wright, of Dresden, the control of the control They were taken there by a special Lake Erie train in charge of Conductor Sam. Pierce, and left Chatham at the Sam. Pierce, and left Chatham at the special chat one o'clock. They were delighted since. Although the doctor told me with the Eau factory, and gained considerable information concerning the manufacture of peat fuel. When they left Chatham they were more enthusiastic than ever over their scheme to are a feature of Chatham. I can't find either of them. I formed the party were W. H. Arthur, E. J. Marshall, E. J. Grant, S. F. Dob-bins, of Marshall, Mich.; S. Rallett, A. D. Bougham, C. R. Chinch and Hy. Cavanagh, of Homer, Mich.; Dr. Oliver, L. A. Dudley and T. J. Kellcher, of Battle Creek, Mich., and F. T. Ban-croft, A. L. Dudley, Fred Cook and E.

"DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COF-

TELEGRAPH

Queen Wilhelmina is pronounced out of danger.

The body of a male infant has been found in the Grand River at Brant-

Parliament will probably wind up business this evening and prorogue on Thursday.

found in the river.

Lord Kitchener's weekly report shows that 800 Boers were captured, and 30 others are accounted for.

Mackenzie & Mann have secured control of the Nova Scotia Central Railway, an old line about sixty miles

A large frame dwelling collapsed while being raised at Winnipeg, and six men engaged in excavating nar rowly escaped death.

The Saskatchewan Land Company with a capital of \$3,500,000, has been organized, to purchase 1,000,000 acres of land in the Saskatchewan Valley.

It is now estimated that the number of deaths on the Island of St. Vincent from the volcanic eruption has reached 2,000. Most of the victims are

Carib Indians. The Montreal Board of Trade passes a resolution favoring Canadian contcibution to an Imperial defence fund, and urging tariff retaliation against Germany and the United States.

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SEARCH FOR WIFE

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'Alex. Hopper, Northwood, was in the city to-day in quest of his wife and child and \$9 in money. Mr. Hopper had been sick,, and while he was ill, a neighbor used to come in and sit up with him. His wife and the neighbor became interested in each other and leaving their own families, departed together. The man borrowed \$20 before he left. Mr. Hopper said he was willing to take his wife back, but he wanted the man punished. Mr Hopper told the following story of his troubles to The Planet and referred the reporter to Billy Hacket, if further details were wanted.

"I was taken sick with pneun about four weeks ago. Dr. McRitchie, of McKay's Corner's told me I had only one good lung, that the other was gone. While I was sick a neighbor, Napoleon Ebare, came over and also heard they were in Cleveland. Ebare is about 48 and old enough to be my wife's father. She is 31 years old, and I am 32 years old. Ebare left

"Why didn't you take Ebare's wife?" Hopper was asked. "I don't do no such thing as that," Chief Holmes promised to do what

he could for the man.

Lieut.-Col. White is retiring from command of the Canadian Regiment stationed at Halifax. He will become D. O. C. at Frederickton, and will be succeeded at Halifax by Col. Buchan. C. M. C.

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RODNEY.

C. C. Brown and Dr. F. C. Brown are home from Moosonim, N. W. T. J. Springstead and family, who have retired from hotel business, have removed to a farm south Several members of the I. O. O. F. attended services of the Order at Blenheim on Sunday. Services for the same Order will be held here on Sun-

day, 18th inst.
D. McIntyre, Port Glasgow, who has been on the sick list for most of the winter, is able to be around again and was in town last week.

Miss Jennie McVicar is managing the millinery establishment of Mrs Streit during the absence of Miss Lottie Adams at West Lorne. N. Hartwick, L. E. & D. R. R. agent,

removed into the house owned by D. Mistle. Percy Slater, the genial wine clerk of the Bindner House, will retain his position with the new proprietor.

The Lord's Day Alliance are taking active steps to prevent the desecra-tion of the Sabbath in this village

and vicinity.
Several brethren of the I. O. O. F. attended services of the Order at A. McCrimmon, Liberal candidate, held meetings in the township this

Diarmid meeting at St. Thomas last Wednesday evening. F. G. McDiar-mid, Liberal-Conservative candidate, will hold meetings in Alborough this

The A. O. U. W. will hold Lodge ervices here on Sunday, 25th, at

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Births, Marriages and Deaths

BORN.

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PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet. Toronto, May 14.—10 a. m.—Moderate winds; mostly northerly, and fine to-day and on Thursday; stationary or little higher temperature.

The following figures were register. ed to-day at 7 a. m. at Turner & Platt's weather bureau; Barometer 29.55. Thermometer 45.
Highest yesterday 59.
Lowest yesterday 35.
Direction of wind, west.

Local Briefs

Geo. Dyer, of C. E. Gammage's gro ery, is laid up with measles. Thomas Boon, of Bothwell, was isitor in the city yesterday. S. A. Wellwood, of Merlin, was regis tered at the C. P. R. yesterday.

Henry Stokes, of Sombra, called this Maple City friends yesterday. F. E. Nelles of Tilbury, was in the ty yesterday on legal business. Judge Woods and Magistrate Hous on, are spending the day in Merlin.

The representative of Bow Park Co. Hamilton, was in the city yesterday. C. Wangenheim and C. W. Rekowski, f Dresden, were in the city yesterday on business.

P. Crouchman, of Windsor, an employee of the Lake Erie, spent yesterday in the city. Sergeant Farnsworth is drilling the

officers in the morning at between eight and nine o'clock. Capt. Asa Ribble, of Dresden, was in the city yesterday in the interests of the Beet Sugar industry. R. A. Hughes, of Windsor, inspector of weights and measures was in the

city yesterday, on business. "DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COF

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M. Bloom, of Florence, is in city to-day. Miss Tilt, Wellington street, leaves

to-day for Cleveland. The special ear of the "Royal Box"

N. Massey shipped a car of cattle o. Wyoming to-day. Wm. Kenzinger. of Toronto, was Chatham visitor to-day. The Walker Co. shipped

eggs to London to-day. Park Bros. made a large shipment of pipe to Aylmer to-day. Judge Houston was in Merlin to-day

attending Division Court. J. McNary, of Windsor, was the band decided on getting ne uniforms last Monday night.

Live hogs brought from \$6.25 \$6.60 on the local market to-day. A gang of men are at work put-ing new floors in the G. T. R. station.

Miss Clara Wilson, William street, visiting her grand parents in De Miss Florence Tilt, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. Tilt, returned to Cleveland to-day.

R. A. Harrington has returned from his recent triy to San Francisco, Cal-gary and other western points. Hector Jackson, of the Sutherlandinnes office staff, is confined to his nome to-day, through illness. Ralph McCubbin has quit his job at

the Wagon Works, and is engaged at McKeough & Trotter's foundry. There will be a special meeting of both encampments of the Oddfellows to-night for the purpose of forming

a degree team. Tom Carter, a former student of the C. B. C., leaves to-morrow even-ing for Effingham, Ill., where he will enter a photographer's college, for a term of instruction.

Mrs. Jos. Spiring called on Chief Holmes this morning and complained that the boys were calling her husband names. Spiring is not bright, and the boys, the wife says are taking advantage of him.

Crown Attorney Bell informs The Planet that the lists for East Kent have been copied, and that many them have been certified to, and that the completion of the West Kent lists will be reached in about ten

Daniel Finister appeared before Judge Houston last evening on the charge of stealing a coat from Harry Fitzsimmons. The coat was taken from the hotel Garner about a week ago. Dan said he had been drinking and woke up one morning with the coat. He said he had no idea where he got it. The coat isn't worth much. Dan was remanded till Monday.

"Take care of the pennies and the pounds will take care of themselves." Large things are but an aggregation of small things. If we take care of the small things we are in effect taking care of the large things which the

you eat, and how you eat, and your stomach will take care of itself. But who takes care of such trivial things? That is why, some day, the majority of people have to take care of the sto-When that day con no aid so effective in undoing the re-sults of past carelessness as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It strengthens the stomach, and restores the organs of digestion and nutrition to a condition of healthy activity. It cures biliousness, heartburn, flatulence, indigestion, palpitation, dizziness, cold extremities and a score of other ailments which are but symp-toms of disorder in the stomach and

\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$ WORLD OF SPORT

******* BASEBALL.

Three baseball games are already scheduled for this week. The Business College and the Banks this afternoon at 4.30; "B" Company and "C" Company of the Regiment tomorrow evening at 6.20; and the Chatham Mfg. Co. and the Standard Bank Saturday afternoon at 4.30.

Saturday afternoon at 4.30. CRICKET. The cricketers are beginning to come out to practise for the game with Detroit on May 24th here.

GUN CLUB.

The Gun Club tournament will be

great event on June 5 and 6. The best in Ontario will be here. The merchants ought to be very generous with prizes for the merchandise

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BOTH MEET

The affairs of the Binder Twine Co. remain about the same to-day. The newly elected directors met yesterday in the Company's office. Routine business only was transacted, and the most of the work for some time will be chiefly ozganization and enquiring into the state of the company's af-

Manager Ross, when interviewed this morning, said that the work of organization is progressing nicely and small things combine to make.

Take care of what you eat, when if they remain unmolested by the old directors the factory will soon be running. As yet these old directors and T. C. Smith have done nothing directors, although it is thought that they are preparing to enter proceed-ings. The mail in the post office is being held by Postmaster Barfoot urtil he receives instructions from the The funds in the bank department. are credited to the new directors. While the new directors are meet

ing in the company's office the old ones are meeting in Matthew Wilson's M. J. Wilson, president of the old Board, in company with T. C. Smith and Mr. Bullis, was in J. G. Kerr's office when interviewed by The Plan-

et this afternoon.
"Do you intend to take any steps tobeing re-installed?" he

wards "Re-installed!" replied Mr. Wilson.
"We don't have to be re-installed. We are the only directors of the company

"Well, do you intend to take any steps towards regaining possession?"
was the next question.
"Well, I don't wish to say anything just now. We will see about that later."

"Have you done anything yet to wards regaining possession?" "Well--," don't want to tell you a lie, so I think I had better say nothing at all

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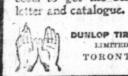
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BILL HOOPER'S LEGAL LORE

... By George F. Canis

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Lawyers had poor picking in Deadwood in the hurrah days of the camp. Somehow the motley crowd there got on the place that needs it. For into the habit of settling disputes out whooping-cough it's the perfect of court-mostly with six shooters and Winchesters. Homicides were of frequent occurrence-in fact, the "man for breakfast" schedule was observed. But vigilantes often interfered and persisted in dropping the killer, even though discussion of the incident was continued. Then, too, when a shot was taken at a claim jumper, that was considered a privileged communication, according to the unwritten law. Except for the fashion and common practice of the camp all the lawyers in it-and there were lots of them-would have had a case apiece and at short intervals. As matters stood, however, it wasn't often that any one of them was able even to arrange for a fee.

When Bill Hooper took a case for \$25, his law partner seriously objected, though it was the first either had had in weeks. Bill said he did it to en-



"I'LL SHOW YOU."

courage trade. That was no excuse, for while human-anatomy might be carved with impunity or any sharp instrument, prices couldn't be cut. Bill opinion that his client was a fool for employing a lawyer anyway, for he didn't have a ghost of a show of winning his case, and to take his gold was just like finding it. These were also trivial matters, he was informed. As for finding gold, wasn't that what brought them all to the camp? No one expected to work for it. Bill wanted to stand well with his partner, who had kith or kin somewhere from whom he thought he could borrow money if it came to the pinch. Bill was lame. As the roads to Cheyenne and Sidney were both long and dusty, he preferred to ride on a stage rather than walk out of camp. From the looks of things, unless business picked up one means or the other would have to be resorted to before long. It was policy for Bill to humor his partner. He went to the saloon keeper who had mashed the head of a man with a bottle and told him he would have to charge him \$100 instead of \$25 to take charge of his case. When the client remarked something about it being a holdup game and declined to be robbed, the lawyer told him there was no defense, for the assault had been unprovoked and \$100 would be dirt cheap to get him off. Bill pointed out that the victim was likely to die, in which event the place to which the ginmill man would go was not noted for laying up treasures. Finally a bargain was made, with the understand-ing that a hundred dollar fee would be paid if the case was dismissed or the accused went free; otherwise no charge was to be made by Bill.

The trial was held in the office of the justice of the peace, and the room was packed. Preliminaries over, the justice asked who appeared for the defense. No one answered. Everybody looked at Bill, who was standing in the doorway. He continued smoking, but made no other sign. When questioned the prisoner said Bill was his counsel. "Do you appear for the defense, Counselor Hooper?" asked the justice.

"The prisoner says you agreed to."

"Do you intend to take part in this "Nop."

"Do you refuse to appear in this case?" "Yep." "What do you mean, Counselor Hooper, by taking a man's money and then

refusing to do your duty to your cli-

"l'idn't see the color of his money," was the only comment of Bill. He and the justice were ancient enemies. The latter thought he saw a chance to put the lawyer in a hole. He conferred with the prisoner and then fairly roared: "Hooper, you ought to be turned out of court and out of camp. The prisoner says he bired you to defend him and took you for a man of your word and depended on you and con-sulted nobody but you when there are

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piles of men in this camp what knows more law than you.'

Bill waited till the justice exhausted himself and sank back in his chair. Puffing away at his cigar so he wouldn't have to waste more time and matches on it when ready to resume his smoking, he exclaimed:

"You see it was this way: Jim come to me and wanted me to take this case. I told him I didn't want to take his money for nothing, but just to humor him said he could give me a hundred if I got him off. I knew there was no use trying a case before this court and didn't fool away my time fixing for it. It's just like I told Jim-a man can't get justice in this camp till we're rid of the duffer what thinks he knows law and don't know a little bit." "You did, did you? howled the jus-

"That's what I did," blandly remark-

ed Bill. "So you go 'round telling the boys I don't know nothing 'bout law, do you?" The crowd guffawed in chorus, either because Bill's estimate was common property or the expression of it by the justice himself gave them a chance to concur therewith. Here the temper of the justice boiled over. He thumped his desk and yelled out, "Did you tell this prisoner he couldn't get justice in this court?"

"This is no court," was the comment. Without seeming to notice the sarasm or implied insult, the justice reented his question. It called forth his response: "Yes, I said just that, and, what's more, I believe it, too, and so does everybody in this camp. A

man can't get justice while"-Gasping with rage, the justice threw himself on top of the desk, whacking it with his fists till the boards cracked and delivered this decision: "I'll show you, you clubfoot duffer, that a man can get justice in this court; I'll si this camp what a liar you are, Bill Hooper-the prisoner's discharged." Outside the office the man who was released from custody paid Bill \$100,

as he had promised, and then took the

next stage out of Deadwood, for he was

afraid of vigilantes. Foiling the Common Enemy. The widow of an English army officer was visiting me with her son, a charming little fellow about five years old. The mother told me with pride honorable he was, how high minded, and that she had never for an instant seen in him indications of any

traits that were low or base. The child was put to bed every night at 6. We dined at 7. I was sitting in the drawing room one evening before dinner. The room was dark, the doors open, and my seat commanded a view of both the stairway and the dining room. The table was set, and in the center was a dish of tempting peaches. Presently there came to my ears the patter of little bare feet, and a childish figure clad in a nightgown stole down the stairs, through the hall, into the dining room, up to the table. Small fingers seized the topmost peach from the dish and the little fellow turned

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and trotted away up stairs again.

As I sat in the dark in an agony of apprehension there came again the patter, patter of little feet, and a white clad figure stole down the stairs, through the hall, into the dining room, up to the table. Small fingers replaced the stolen peach just where it had been, and a stubborn little voice mut-tered, "Done again, old devil!"—Har-

Freaks In Hunting. The biggest authenticated bag se cured at one shot of which I have ever heard consisted of one rabbit (the cause of the shot), one beater, one onlooker (a French cook), a boy and a dog. I once shot nine snipe at a shot but this was in South America. They were on the ground, and they were shot for the pot. I have read of a sportsman (not Baron Munchausen) who shot a bumblebee and a butterfly right and left, and indeed sometimes a large bumblebee does for an instantaneous second look uncommonly like a distant advancing grouse, just as, when on the alert for partridges, the fieldfares breasting the hedge often

cause a nervous twitch of the gun. Curious circumstances sometimes occur out shooting. A friend walking in line down a turnip field saw a startled hare running fast and straight toward him up a furrow. He stood still, waiting for her to turn, but the bare with her peculiar vision did not see him and ran her head plump against his shin, killing herself and very seriously bruising his leg.-Fortnightly.

Poison of the Centiped.

The centiped is popularly supposed to carry a sting on each foot, but I have several times handled them, after their heads were removed, without the claws producing any result. It is the first pair of claws only that are venomous, being hollow and provided with poison bags like a snake's fang. The largest I ever saw was eleven inches in length, a grewsome creature. A bite from one of this size would most likely have been fatal to a man in weak health.

The tarantula, though his powers of offense are nothing like those of the scorpion or centiped, is, however, a more unpopular character than either. The horror of these large spiders entertained by many people is curious and unaccountable. I have seen Australian bushmen, who in everyday life scarcely seemed to understand danger, turn white as a sheet at the sight of a small "triantelope," as they called it .-Chambers' Journal.

Favorable Point. "Will there be any honor for the man who discovers the north pole?" "Certainly. He will be a great life

saver." "A life gaver?" "Yes. Explorers will cease going then."-Chicago News.

JINGLES AND JESTS.

A Slight Slip. And a little rain And some sleet, you know, Freeze with might and main. Venture on the street On the frozen sleet; Slide, like all of us,

Break a rib and cuss! Problem Solved. Lady (seeking a cook) - You have good references, I suppose? Applicant-No, ma'am. I haven't any

Lady-But I really do not like the idea of engaging a cook without refer-Applicant-Oh, that'll be all right, ma'am! You can pay me in advance!

Meeting the Demand. Farmer Oatcake-Yep; I call my reed o' hens the Pierpont Morgan va-

Mr. Askit-That's a funny name. Why? Farmer Oatcake-Because they lay three eggs a day durin' Lent.

The Modern Miraele We marveled once when in a night The blackest hair was turned to white On some poor nervous fellow, But nowadays how many girls In half a day change raven curls To rich and golden yellow?

Theater Beform. "Manager Joltum has a great scheme for bringing about a theater reform." "Yep; he will have the ushers pass

around cards bearing the notice, 'All except baldheaded ladies, will kindly move their hats." The Best of Reasons.

"Why do you bring me this?" thundered the weary editor, thrusting the manuscript back into the hands of the "Because," replied the bard timidly,

My Rathers.

Of all the things I'd rather be
Than what I am-now, I declare
I really think-just let me see—
Ah, yes, I think I'l rather be

"I have no stamp."

Observing Johnny.

Johnny (visiting -'Can't I have another biscuit? Johnny's Ma-Why, Johnny, what an appetite you have! Johnny-H'm! You're two ahead of me, ma.

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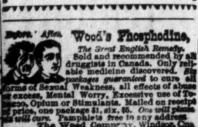
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lining years.
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Children Cry for CASTORIA

The 7:45 Express

An Adventure in an English Compartment Car.

Two men were sitting in the smoking-room of a London club. One, a tall, athletic looking fellow with black hair and clean-cut features, was slow-ly blowing rings of smoke in the air as he lay back in the big arm-chair. The other man, slight and clean-shaven, with a singularly mobile face and twinkling gray eyes, was looking over a daily paper. Between them was a small table furnished with a couple of stands of club soda and a decanter of brandy which gave signs of having

been well used.
"Gerald," said the small man all at once, dropping the paper into his lap. "what do you think of train robbers?" The tall man looked up in lazy sur-

"Toppy Russel," he drawled, "now, what in the name of all that's wonderful ever put such a question as that into your head?" "The paper," explained the other; "and seriously I ask you, what do you

think of train robbers?"

"And just as seriously I reply," returned the tall man, "that I think the fellows who strip you of your watch and valuables, and depart with your Gladstone or portmanteau, are clumsy rogues at the best. And the people they rob-well, they are a shade less admirable; for in every case I have heard of they appear to have acted like cowards or fools, and a regue's always preferable to either of these, to my mind. And now that you have my candid and, doubtless, authoritative opinion on train robbers, please finish that B. and S. and try one of these cigars; they are worth trying, if I say

it myself." "Only one more question," said Russel, as he took the proffered weed. "You laugh at the way railway travelers, act in these little affairs. Now, how would you act? Suppose a fellow were suddenly to put a pistol to your cheek, and insinuate a desire for your watch! No one is near. You are alone in the carriage. What would you do?" "I'd knock the pistol out of his hand,

while pretending to comply with his demand, and throw him out the window after it." . Caruthers said this quietly and determinedly, and Russel knew him too well to suspect braggadocio, so he only laughed lightly at his companion's em-

phatic reply and proceeded to envelop himself in clouds of smoke. "Well," said the tall man, looking at his watch, and starting up; "I must be going. The express starts at seven-forty-five, and I've to stop at a couple of places before making the station. And he rang for his beg and overcoat.

"Now. Gerald Caruthers." said his companion, as Gerald was being helped into his coat, "remember what you have told me. If I hear of any attempt at train robbery on the seven-forty-five express I shall not write to you, but shall at once have the track examined, and the body of the robber discovered and interred. I suppose you will be willing to do that much for your victim, won't you?"

Oh, certainly," laughed Caruthers, and the next moment he had wrung Russel's hand and had gone.

At the station he secured a first-class ticker, and then set about to find an empty compartment if possible. As luck would have it, the second coach he looked into was unoccupied, and he quickly stowed his portmanteau away and, settling himself luxuriously in the corner, uttered a silent prayer that no one would come in to interrupt, with the usual traveler's commonplaces and platitudes, the nap he had in prospect. He tooked at his watch; only one minute remaining till train time, and already he heard the doors being banged

to as the guard went his rounds. And then-then, just as he was putting his watch back into his pocket with a breath of relief, the door of the compartment suddenly was jerked open and, framed in the narrow opening appeared the figure of a man of slight stature, with gray hair and bent shoulders. He peered curiously into the coach, and his eyes traveled quickly and with apparent indifference over the big frame of Caruthers. Then ha stepped in and, with a slight nod to Caruthers, dropped a small handbag on the cushioned seat, pulled his soft wool hat over his eyes, sunk down in one corner of the compartment, and

thrust his hands deep into his trouser Caruthers witnessed these movements with some satisfaction, and, after a glance or two at his companion, and an instant's look outside at the yellow lights which were flying by as the express gathered sp. ed, he spread out his legs, pulled his cout up about his ears, and proceeded to make himself comfortable for the hundred and twentymile ride before him. Five minutes later he was sound asleep and making

that fact unmistakable by the most tremendous snores. But if Caruthers snored loudly, his brain was thiny as active as were his lungs, and, for a time, he passed through a series of adventures in dreamland which were anything but unpleasant. Then, suddenly, he was transported from a delightful fantasy into what seemed to him to be an im-mense haberdasher's shop, where he found himself unceremoniously set down before a little old man, who insisted upon fitting around his neck s

most prodigiously high and stiff col-Now, if there w s anything against which Caruthers was for all time and most vehemently oppose i, it was high collars, therefore he struggled hard to push away his tormentor and remove the objectionable neckplece. But all to no purpose. To his surprise he found his arms weighted down as if with lead. His persecutor coolly continued to fit on the collar, and finally, having done this to his satisfaction, pushed over his head until the top edge of the collar cut into his neck and was chok-

Caruthers used every endeavor to drops of sweat seemed to drain down his face as he tugged at his invisible bonds, and all the time he felt the litthe old man passing his hands, which were plump and smooth, over his body, thrusting them now into his pockets, now inside his vest, and again pulling

All at once, however, even the desire

for resistance left the dreamer, his sensations became dull, and he fell again into unbroken sleep. His next sensation was when his eyes

By FRANCIS CHURCHILL WILLIAMS.

began to feel the light, and he slowly became aware of a dull, dead feeling in his arms, a fulness of the head, and a dry contraction of the throat. After a while he was sensible of the motion of his resting-place, and at last his eyes took in enough of what was about him to show him that this was no haberdasher's shop, but the inside of a rallway carriage traveling at high speed, that there was no high collar about his neck, and that no little old man stood opposite him. But it was some time, nevertheless, before his brain became clear enough to appre-ciate that all he seemed to have gone through with lately was only a dream, and that he now was in the seven-

journey?

He slipped his fingers into his waistcoat pocket for his watch. Then, with an exclamation of surprise, he raised nimself quickly to his feet and somewhat weakly stood there, feeling for the handsome hunting case which he could find nowhere. It took him but a minute to realize this, and also that the gold cuff-buttons he had worn and his diamond scarf-pin were gone, and that a curious stone-studded ring had disappeared from the little finger of

forty-five express from London, and

probably-how many hours on his

his left hand. They all had gone; but where? A sudden recollection of the old, bent man who had been his traveling companion made him neer closely into the corner in which that figure had been curled when he last saw him. But the

corner was empty now. As Caruthers' glance moved quickly over the opposite seat, however, one object caught his eye. He picked it up. It was a handkerchief, innocent of any markings, but smelling strongly as he instantly noticed, of chloroform. The pungent odor told Caruthers all he needed. It was a complete confirmation of the theory which had flashed upon him at the first. He had been robbed, and in all likelihood by the little old man who had been his com-

panion. Caruthers pressed his face against the window. He was familiar with the country through which the train was passing, and he soon saw where he was. The express was fifty miles out of the metropolis, and by schedule must have made a stop at R-, about ten miles back. It was there, he decided, that the thief had got out. The next stop would be made some twenty five miles farther on, and he would have to wait until then to communicate the knowledge of his loss. So he arranged himself as comfortably as possible and began to consider how he which had been taken by the robber he had not thrown out of the window, and whether he could prevent the news of the robbery from spreading so that he should not receive the taunts of Toppy Russel, by telegraph or otherwise, upon this doubly trying experi-

As soon as the guard had opened the door of his carriage at the next station, half an hour later, Caruthers jumped down, and, dashing into the telegraph office, quickly despatched statement of the facts to the chief of police at R-. His message offered a generous reward for the apprehension of the rascal and the recovery of the stolen articles, with the least pos-

sible publicity.

Two hours later, arrived at his destination, he left the train, took a han som to police headquarters, and notified them that a despatch address his name might be received there from -. If such a despatch did come it was to be sent to the B- hotel, he ordered. Then he was driven to the hotel, and, having engaged a room, turned in and quickly fell asleep.

It was seven o'clock in the morning when he was awakened by a knock o the door of his room, and a telegram was handed him. It was from the police at R-, and ran as follows:

"Have got thief, and recovered all Thief disguised. Young man. Think he is old hand at business. Com-

nunicate at once." Caruthers sent the servant double guick for a morning paper, and, having satisfied himself that the news of the robbery and of the capture of the thief had at least not gained circulation outside of R- he dressed himself leisurely. Then he ate a comfortable breakfast, lit a clear with the utmost satisfaction, and strolled down

to police headquarters. To his surprise he found another despatch from R- awaiting him there.

"Come and get me out of this. I was the old man who traveled with you and stole your things. I wanted to see you throw me out of the window. I acknowledge the corn. Come quickly. This confounded place is damp, and they won't believe my story.

In amazement, which rapidly gave way to laughter he could not restrain, Caruthers read the message a second time, and then he telegraphed to the chief of police at R--:

"Hold thief. Dangerous man. Pay no attention to his story. Be with you to-morrow. "G. CARUTHERS."

It was a woebegone and Irate specimen which Caruthers saw when the "dangerous man" was led forth from a cell at the police station at R- next day. But Caruthers smothered his laughter at the sight, smoothed Russel's wrath as far as possible by apologies, and, having paid the costs and fines which the police demanded that someone should pay, after his explana-tions, walked out of the station with

To this day, however, Toppy Russel has serious doubts as to Caruthers' statement that he "believed Russel's telegram a forgery;" and he awaits cha e to turn the tables on the man

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gain and Sale Attempted. The people of this great Province re now aroused to the fact that the an oligarchy, pure and simple, in de-fiance of the honestly expressed will of the people. Nero fiddled while Rome was in flames, and the Ross Government is so entrenched in office through an organized conspiracy to thwart the honest expression of the electors through the plugging and plunder of the ballot boxes, that nothing but an outraged people arising en masse in their might and righteous indignation can remove this evil thing out of their signt. It was amply proved that at the last general elecion the Government money-that is, the people's own money-flowed out in corruption in a continuous stream to subsidize the pluggers and bribers that infested every back cancession of the Province. And while the pluggers, ballot box stuffers and bribers may come and go and change, this golden stream of corruption, like Ternyson's brook, goes on forever. The whole Province is practically organized into so many grand associations to perpetuate the tenure of the Government. It is ramified and fortified. cap 'a pie at every point through the liquor traffic, the corporations and the innumerable horde of hungry officials feeding at its corn-crib, from pound master up to our Dakota cattle rancher Minister of Agriculture. Is there any denying or gainsaying this? All the Liberal-Conservatives in office were compelled either to become good Grits or lose their positions, or liquor licenses, as the case might be, so that the attempt to get an honest, fearless, conscientious expression of public opinion at the polls is frustrated, impossible and a farce. When any nation or province is in this unfortunate position, the beginning of its end is nigh, even at the door. It has been so in all history without one exception, and great Rome itself, once the mistress of the world, tumbled into utter ruin and decay just from the causes stated, and, like Lucifer, she felland great was the fall thereof-never lous and groud Roman in his own city, to rise again. The Globe will no doubt pooh, pooh! this. Well, let us see, and ask how long before the Government of our fair Province will be a mere commodity put up at auction a mere commodity put up at auction to the highest bidder? Going back some 1,700 years, Rome was governed by a contemptible, unscrupulous, infamous scoundrel and tyrant — Commodus. This man was so desperately wicked that one of his abandoned courtezans made him step down and out by assassination. I certainly make no comparison between this infamous ruler and Premier Ross, nor

up the now staggering throne of the present Government.

Well, followingt he death of Commodus there was naturally great ex-citement and confusion, and the pretorian guard who commanded the cartal city-just like the army of Ross' officials now-having the supreme power in their own hands, undertook to place on the throne a creature of their own. They hit u on an old sena-tor, Pertinax, but to their horror, af-ter electing this old fellow, they discovered that he was not a boodler olugger, or ballot-box thief; that he did not graduate from the Ross Acad-West Elgin or North Waterloo, but instead, was an honest ruler and politician. So, some of the plug-gers just stepped into the old man's palace one fine night and brutally murdered him. Then the greatest precedent for the Ross government and the most remarkable political incidents in the history of the world took place. The imperial throne was acsoldiers, and after a spirited bidding by the local politicians of the day, the by the local politicians of the day, the "bar"!" of Senator Didius Julianus was too long for the other small fry senators, and Julianus mounted the throne at the price of \$1,000 each to the 16,000 men com mising the pretororian guard; that is \$16,000,000 of our money. This was in A. D., 192. But another branch of the army that

would I for a moment impugn or

deny the high personal character and morality of Mr. Ross. But the same

vicious principle that kept old Commodus in power is, in this enlightened

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-----received no boodle squealed and kicked and just in two months Mr. Didius Julianus had to walk the plank. From that date Rome was doomed and its descent rapid and ruinous. The great state wass rotten to the core and its government utterly corrupt. The Huns, Goths and Vandals soon dictated terms to the imperlines, and have the same object exactwas much the more manly and open They did not steal the votes out of the ballot boxes, nor did they stuff the ballot boxes with fraudulent votes, neither did they burn the ballots to escape trial and punishment. The Ross corruption machine has done all these things that we know of, and it reasonable to suppose that what we know of is only a small heak upon the great mountain of rascalities herpetrated by the gang of scoundrels who infested every riding for several elec-tions. The fact is the Ross government is practically in a position to bid a speering defiance to the whole electorate of this province. It does not do this, and never will do it so long as it can carry out its ends with a semblance of constitutional authority, semblance of constitutional authority, but it is in a position to do so practically now. It has the whole machinery of government, money, public offices, to liquor traffic, the wealthy including the scrap iron corporations, including the scrap iron monopolists. In one word, the whole thing is organized on the sole basis and with the chief end in view to perpetuate the government in power for-ever. But evolution is a law of poli-

win's origin of species, and while moving slowly in both spheres, it nevertheless moves surely.

That the people of this province desire a change of Government as if it were by Jack Falstaff's "instinct" is heavened all doubt; the same strong is beyond all doubt; the same strong feeling permeated the people of On-tario at the last general election, indeed to such an extent that had the honestly polled votes for the Conservatives been counted, instead of beservatives been counted, instead of being stolen Whitney would have carried the province. This feeling and desire for change of Government are infinitely stronger to-day than four years ago, and judging by the reports from all over the province it is now all but irresistible. Pardo is a very nice social man and neighbor, and just the nice smiling—"howdy-de-doo" nice social man and neighbor, and just the nice smiling—"howdy-de-doo" for old women's tea parties and short-cake eating. But holy Jerapteth—Jerum!! What has he done for Kent in eight long years? In the name of all the gods at once from the very summit of Olympus I demand the bill of particulars in detail. John S. Fraser is a veritable Jupiter among such small gods. Kent will John S. Fraser is a veritable Jupiter among such small gods. Kent will speak loud and long and to the point on the floor of Parliament when Fraser, the sound lawyer, and the extensive agriculturist and practical man of affairs will represent it. Nobody in the Conservative party desires man of affairs will represent it. Nobody in the Conservative party desires to say one unkind word against Mr. Pardo; he is just the man I would like as a friend or neighbor, but it is no unkindness to Mr. Pardo to tell him candidly that the cloth was wofully short, and pretty bad and shoddy at that when his friends undertook to fit him out as an aspiring politician. Mr. Pardo can render very valuable services to the County of Kent by running his lumber mills at Cedar Springs, but "fo' de lawd I done gone declar" that as a statesman or orator good Mr. Pardo—in the vernacular of the wheat bull pit—is awfully short.

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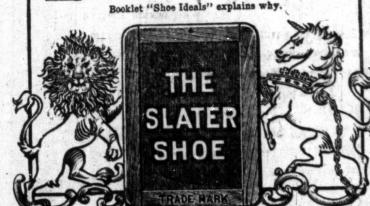
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