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January Sale in our Lace Curtain Department has left us with some oddments, just a few pairs of many lines, these we clear commencing on Wodnesday Morning at prices that will mean money in your pocket if you buy them. Some Hundreds of dered homel disaster.

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This is The Curtain Sale of the Season, and intending purchasers should not come in on Thursday and expect to find the goods here. Sale will commence Wednesday Morning and these will all be sold that day.

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lanuary.

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THIRTY WERE DROWNED

By Reservoir Bursting.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Husband Aided in Saving Wife, But

Dunnville, Jan. 19.-The resider Dunnville, Jan. 19.—The restdence of Mr. William Spurbeck was destroyed by fire at an early hour yesterday morning. Mr. Spurbeck perished in the flames, and his wife was badly burned. They were the only occupants of the house, which was on the outskirts of the town. The fire was discovered only when the bad on which they stept was partly fire was discovered only when the bed on which they slept was partly burned. Mr. Spurbeck helped his wife out of the upstairs window, but was overcome himself by the smoke. Assistance was too late. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Werkman's control when the same was too late.

Workman's Serious Hurt. Galt, Jan. 19 — William S. Echlin, a married man, aged about 40, em-ployed by the Goldie and McCulloch ployed by the Goldie and McCalloch Co. as belt repairer, met with an accident while on duty yesterday morning that may prove fatal. He was engaged fixing a belt, and in some way was caught by it and carried around the shaft. His left arm was broken in several places, and almost torn from the socket necessitating amputation at the shoulder.

Three Killed in Kallway Wreek.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 19.-A cut of ars on the Iowa Central broke away cars on the lowa central visiting from a switch engine, and, rushing down hill at a fearful rate of speed, collided with a work train at the bottom, just outside the city limits, and instantly killed Allan E. Hire, and instance; Peter Johnson, car in-spector, and Albert O. Schwartz, car repairer, all of this city. Two sec-

Dayton, Ohio, Jan. 19.—The Allan School Building in North Dayton was gutted yesterday by flames, which originated in the basement. The 400 pupils were gotten out in salety with the exception of Edna Baum, a little girl in the first grade, who was thrown down, trampled on the state of the pupils. and fatally injured in the panic. A man at work in the basement is miss-ing, and is believed to have been

St. Thomas, Jan. 19.—Passengers on the L. E. & D. R. R. train which left here about 12 o'clock on Saturday night for London, had a very trying experience. Just north of Glanworth the engine was unable to plow through a deep snow bank, and be unfortunate passengers, of which there were seventy-five, were forced to remain in the coaches until morning, when two engines came om London and assisted in freeing the train from its position. When the half-frozen and hungry passengers alighted at the London depot it was just 10.15 o'clock, the train having been about nine hours in the drift. The snow in some places was even with the top of the coach win-

CANADA THEIR THEME.

Ottawa, Jan. 19.—The first annual banquet of the Canadian Club of Ottawa was held last night, and was a great success. Col. Sherwood, president, presided, and the club was honored by the presence of His Excellency the Governor-General, Sir Wilstid Laurier and R. L. Borden.

r-General, Sir Wilfrld Laurie

Wilfrid Laurier and R. L. Borden, leader of the Opposition. The speeches were non-political, and eloquent tributes to the glory of Canada and the Motherland. His Excellency expressed hearty appreciation of the club and its objects, and noted with pleasure the spread of the movement for such clubs in the country. The Premier and Mr. Borden were felicitous in their utterances, and both prohounced graceful tributes to the greatness of Canada. Wilfrid Laurier and R. L. Borden

Must Use Waterways. Toronto, Jan. 19.—Sir Thomas Shaughnessy spoke on the transport-ation question before the Canadian Club here yesterday. The attendance was the largest this season. Sir Thomas emphasized the necessity of using our waterways and their im-portance in considering all transport-ation problems in this country.

Germany to Send Reinforcements. Germany to Sead Reinforcements.

Berlin, Jan. 19.—Further advices from German Southwest Africa say the nergoes are murdering settlers and burning homesteads over wide areas. The German colonial troops in the disturbed district are wholly insufficient to deal with the revolted natives. At a conference between Chancellor Von Buelow, Emperor William, War Minister Von Einen and Admiralty Secretary Von Tirpits, it was decided to ask the Reichstag immediately to authorize the sending out of reinforcements.

PLEA FOR MODERATION.

Mine President Mirchell Tells Miners

his annual report.

The report urges that the convention be moderate in speech and conservative in action, adding "we should keep in mind that the elemies of labor and the opponents of trade unionism, as represented by the Manufacturers' Association and the Citizens' Industrial Alliance, are ever ready to make capital out of the smallest indiscretion, and to magnify out of all reasonable proportion the slightest mistake that trade union ists may make."

The report then outlines the situa-tion in each district. Of the anthra

cite field he says: 'It is a pleasur to report that since the close of th anthracite strike the relations of op erators and miners have grown steadily more cordial. With very few exceptions, the award of the Com-mission has been rigidly observed, and an era of comparative peace and contentment has reigned in that ter-

After reviewing the extension of the conference method of adjusting gravances, the report says: 'On the whole ances, the report says: "On the whole we have every reason to feel fairly well satisfied with the gains during the year 1903." The report says the organization has increased in membership from 91,000 in 1899, to 287,545 in 1903, which does not include members idle or on strike. In 1903 there was a net gain of 366 unions, making a total of 2,322.
"If," says Mr. Mitchell, "eyery local union would report in its full membership, there would not be less than

President Mitchell voiced his earn-est support of legislation prohibiting boys under 16 from being allowed to work in the mines, and asked the convention to endorse it. In closing, congratulatory reference is made to the "cordial husiness relationship that has existed between our organ-ization and the operators in all States and districts in which wages and conditions of employment are regulated and determined by mutual

Bloomington, Ill.; Jan. 19.—The first shipment of automobiles ordered by the street railway strikers to compete with the cars of the car company, arrived here yesterday. There will be twelve in all. The machines will carry sixteen becomes chines will carry sixteen passenger and will be operated along the various lines of the street railway have Passengers will pay five cents a rid and also will get transfers.

SIR WILFRID'S HAND FORCED,

Montreal, Que., Jan. 19.—The whole story is now out, and the mystery of the session fully explained. It is now learned on the very best au-thority that the leading shareholders of the Grand Trunk Company in London flatly refused to have anything to do with the arrangements entered into between the Grand Trunk Railway and the Government, and in spite of Mr. Hays' elequence and the directors' adhesion to the general manager's views, the shareholders concluded by threatening to repudiate the whole business at the next don flatly refused to have anything egular meeting should the project as accepted by Mr. Hays be allowed to go through. Accepts First Proposition.

The Prime Minister, however, who has set his heart upon inaugurating before retiring from public life, has, it appears, decided to sacrifice his it appears, decided to sacrifice his Quebec friends by promising them a lean bone, give up the eastern section of the G.T.P. and accept the Grand Trunk's first proposition, which was to buikl the road from North Bay to the Pacific Coast. It is also hinted that the Government will promise an extension from the Upper Ottawa district to Moncton as an absolutely independent Government work, this being for the purpose of appeasing the Quebec bridge promoters, and Hon. W. S. Fielding.

Blame Put on Captain.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 19.—Wm. Jensen gave evidence to the coro-ner's enquiry regarding the Clallam yesterday afternoon that if the pusengers had not been put in the boats until the Holyoke came no lives would have been lost until the tug same, and whether any would have been lost then depended on the captain's actions. He seemed not to have full control of himself.

New Wife Every Year.

Mexico City, Mexico, Jan. 19.-Leon Vargas Navarro, Mexican Con-Leon Vargas Navarro, Mexican Con-sul at Phoenix, Ariz., is in the city, having been called to the capital to explain several complaints made against him. One of these complaints is that the society of Phoenix is scandalized because, it is alleged, the Consul presents each year at the social functions of that town a different woman as his wife.

Against Canadian Twine, New York, Jan. 19.—The customs authorities have ordered that binder twine imported from Canada which does not centain 66 feet to the pound shall be seized and be subject to forfeiture or the penalties prescribed by statute.

Auditor Macpherson Submitter.
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Taken.

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THE REPORT.

Following is the report of F. H. Macpherson, P. A. C., upon the accounts relating to the administration of Justice, and Auditor Macpherson, P. A. C., upon the accounts relating to the administration of the several accounts relating to the Administration of Justice, and Auditor Macpherson, P. A. C. upon the accounts of the meintennous property in the property of the County of Kent and the City of Chatham. The Joint Committee under date of Konty and the City of County of Kent and the City of Chatham. The Joint Committee water

vember 24th, 1903. I beg to report that I have made an examination of the accounts relating to the Administration of Justice, as between the County of Kent, and the City of Chatham, covering five years ending Dec. 31, 1902. Accounts have been rendered to the City by the County from time to time, presumably under the terms of the agreement of Dec. 9th, 1898, which I think to contain many items not properly changeable as Administration of Justice, amongst which I mention the following:—

ing:

1. Payments made by the County in connection with Jurors fees, and payments of medical examinations in payments of medical examinations in connection with Coroners' inquests.

Sees. it and if of Chep. 97, of the Act of Coroners provides that where inquests are held in the County, the Coroner shall make his order fon the payment of examinations and of furrors' fees to the Treasurer of the County, and if the inquest is held in the City, the order for the payment shall be made upon the Treasurer of the City. Heretofore all these payments have, in the first instance, been made by the County, the City being charged a proportion under being charged a proportion under the head of Administration of Jus-tice. The majority of the deaths which are followed by inquests, soc-curred in the City and the whole cost curred in the City and the whole cost thereof should have been borne by the City. An exact examination of the accounts will show, in this par-ticular, that the city has an advan-tage over the county. It is but fair to state, that the present County Treasurer (J. C. Fleming) upon his accession to the office, came to the conclusion that the payments on account of Jurors' fees and Coroners' account of Jurors fees and Coroners' inquests were not being properly made, and he declined to pay such accounts except those for which the county was liable in full, and no charge has been made by the County against the city during Mr. Fleming's term of office.

ty against the city during Mr. Fleming's term of office.

2. Payments made by the County to Judges and Physicians in connect with the examination of insane persons, have also been included as a part of the cost of Administration of Justice, the City paying its proportion thereof. A reference to Sec. 37, Chap. 317, will show explicitly that the cost of inquiries are to be borne by the County or by the City as the case may be, in neither case being properly included under the head of Administration of Justice.

3. Payments made by the County to minor municipalities and to individuals, or other expenses incurred by

part of the cost of Administration of Justice, the City as where the cost of Inquiries are to be borne by the County or by the City as the case may be, in neither case being properly included under the head of Administration of Justice.

3. Payments made, by the County to minor municipalities and to individuals, or other expenses incurred by the County, for the care and keeping of lunaties at the county gaol, have also been included, and been made a part of the expenses of Administration of Justice.

3. The county for the care and keeping of lunaties at the county gaol, have also been included, and been made a part of the expenses of Administration of Justice. I find no provision in the Statute or in any existing agreement (presumably based upon the Statutes) which enables the County to include payments of any of the accounts mentioned in this section, as a portion of the cost of Administration of Justice.

4. Payments made by the County for the conveyance of lunatics to Provincial Institutions. These also have been included in the accounts rendered by the County against the City, as coming under clause 3 of the agreement of December 9, 1898. I assume that the city is bound by the City as coming under clause 3 of the agreement mentioned, so far as relates to the payments made by the County during the five years past. For the purposes of a calculation as to what may be the proper contribution, by the City to the County for the next five years, payments under this head. have, however, been excluded. There appears to be an inconsistency in the Statute with respect to this one matter. See, 37 of Chap. 317 refers especially to the County account of the city would have contributed (upon a 5 per cent. basis, as provided in sec. 516a of the Municipal Act, if any arrender the first payments so made I have determined as follows:

548,85

Repairs to Court House and

Total... Maintenance of Registry Of

Use of Gaol. Use of Court House Share County Treas, salary, 5.06
Share County Auditor's salary, 5.06

I am of the opinion that the me-thod practised in some other counties thed practised in some other counties of arriving at a lump sum, which shall be payable by the City to the County, quarterly, is preferable to the plan which has been in vogue in the past. By the suggested method the City has accurate information as to the amount which it must provide annually; the County has similar information as to the sum which it is to receive from the City. At the end of five years a readjustment of the amount to be contributed is made; such readjustment adjustment of the amount to be contributed is made; such readjustment to be based upon the payments made by the County upon the several accounts which enter into the Administration of Justice and the Registry Office accounts, during the preceding five years. The figures then obtained to carry for a further period of five years. In this way any fluctuation either way is fully provided for, and no injustice can account to either municipality.

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City has an insurable interest in the County property as stated above, viz., \$3361.54; an interest in my judgment, not insured, and which, in case of fire would be a total loss. The County carries insurance of a considerable amount which, in ease of a considerable amount which, in ease of siderable amount which, in case of fire, would be recoverable as to its own interest, but not as forthe City's on the ground that the City's interest was not covered, and litigation would surely ensue. To clear the whole ground I suggest that the City should sell to the County its interest in the sent property for the price stated (\$2455.00) and the County should buy from the City, at the said price its interest; and the transfer its interest; and the transfer its interest; and the reafter durprice, its interest; and thereafter dur-ing the life of the present building the annual sum being paid by the City for use of the gaol and court house to be increased by \$145.60; and for th use of the registry office by \$27,20

period of five years. In this way lect from the city an annual rental provided for, and no injustice can accrue to either municipality.

CITY'S INTEREST IN COUNTY'S PROPERTY,

Over its one-seventh proceeded to collect from the city an annual rental equal to 5 per cent. upon \$500.00, which latter would have been about the city's proportion had it been invited to pay in cash its proper share of the erection of the gaoler's residence.

dence.
My recommendations are, therefore?
(a) That the County should pay to the City the sum of \$2455.00 in full satisfaction of the proprietary interest which the City has in the gaol and court house and registry office.
(b) That the City shall pay to the County the sum of \$2205.60 in equal quarterly payments of \$351.40, in full settlement of the share or proportion which the City of Chatham should contribute toward the use of the gaol, settlement of the share or proportion which the City of Chatham should contribute toward the use of the gaol, court house, and gaoler's residence, and the cost of administration of justice; and the use and maintenance of the Rigistry office, such payment to date from January 1st, 1903, and continue for five years from that date.

(c) That at the expiration of the term mentioned, unless by mutual consent the agreement now proposed be continued, there shall be a readjustment, such readjustment to be based upon the actual expenditures of the County during the five years, and upon the several accounts included under the heads covered by this agreement.

Respectfully submitted,
F. H. MACPHERSON,
Chartered Accountant.
Chathem, Ont., Jan. 12, 1904,

The report was followed by a fusilade of questions from the different members present and all queries were promptly explained by Mr. Macpherson. Different points of the issue were discussed, all members taking a keen interest in the details.

Mr. Macpherson said he had made

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------Ask for Minard's and take no other

The Planet.

S. STEPHENSON - Proprietor. Business Office Editor al Room

known more of him these latter years. But if he has much of the blood running in his veins of his ancestors, which I have reason to believe he has, he will be true to his king and country and will not be willing to hand us and our country over to Uncle Sam. His grandparents saw the troublesome times of 1812 and could tell how Col. Talbot, on a certain occasion, saved his life and his money. His father also did duty in 1837-8, and he himself doesn't forget the times of 1866. And more than that, the whole line have been farmers and earned their living by the sweat of their brow, and as that has also been my occupation all my life, I would say to my brother farmers all over the province of Ontario, get in as many good, hone at farmers as you can and see how soon the expenses of our Government will come down, and not put in those men who only look ahead for some fat office or land grabs.

Those are the kind of men we want in both our Provincial and Dominion Governments.

A Constant Sub-criber.

Eouth Oxford, Jan. 7th, 1904.

South Oxford, Jan. 7th, 1904.

BUILD UP CANADA.

Mr. R. L. Borden has been address ing monster meetings in the Eastern Townships, and there as in the Maritime Provinces, Ontario and the West, he has received an enthusiastic reception. At Magog 1,000 workingmen from the cotton and print mills cheered the Conservative leader to the echo, as in his forceful style he impressed upon them the necessity of building up Canada, by preserving to her the right to develop her own natural resources, and finish on Canadian soil and products of her forests, mines and fields.

believe in the Laurier policy which bility more highly than does the repermits Canadian raw materials to be shipped to the United States; demonstrative is the French or Gerthere to be manufactured into finished products by expatriated Canabrief separation. The poet, Dr. Holmes, has described the self-poise ada in return for Canadian money. Mr. Borden has good ground for his contention. He has no less an authority than Hon. Wm. Patterson, Minister of Customs, who in his Trade and Navigation returns for 1903, shows that last year, among others, the following raw materials went to the United States to be made up into marketable merchan-

Copper, fine, contained in ore, matte, regulus, etc., 27,928,491 pounds Lead in ore, 16,267,956 pounds, Nickel in ore, etc., 9,032,554 pounds.

Silver in ore concentrates, etc., 3, 242,680 ounces.

Pulp wood value, \$1,795,768. Canada then turned round and bought abroad millions of dollars worth of the finished products of Pills. Price 25c. these articles. Why not manufac-ture them in Canada? Why not make this the greatest paper pro ducing country in the world? That is what the Conservative party wants, and Mr. Borden's reception is a pretty good indication

TO ELIMINATE BLUSHING

lected.

Canadians are awakening to the fact

that their industries are being neg-

The habit of blushing, not always regarded as curable, may most readily dealt with by curing the cause widely diverse in different cases. Un conscious egotism, which bids a per-son regard everything from a selfcentred standpoint, is sometimes re sponsible for the blugh; in other instances it is due to physical nervousness. That a school has been opened in London for the sole purpose teaching English maidens not to blush and that it is expected to attract many pupils, suggests that the blush is no longer regarded with favor. It may be well to explain to persons whose acquainfance with English girls is limited to the typical English maid is commonly represented as an unsophisticated bread and butter miss whose face fires at a glance from a man. There are persons of this generation who rather like to see blood rush to the plump cheek of inIf You-Are Afflicted With Foul, Offensive, Disgusting Catarrh, Your Progress Will be Slow

nocence, who who hold the blush to be a sign of delicate sensibilities. The woman who blushes, however, is unhappy. She is convinced that when a sudden allusion or spectacle causes her face to show the red flag of distress it is interpreted as con usion, embarrassment or shame. Among Englishmen, especially, and

to a large degree among all except the Latin races, self-repression is a general ambition. The art of concealing every sent ment, whether pain or pleasure, is carefully cultivated, and the Englishman who can meet one of his countrymen in the heart of a great descrt and pass him with a mere nod has reached an enviable measure of self-control. Not even the North The Conservative leader does not American Indian values imperturbasentative Englishman. We know how man father on meeting his son after a of the American father and son in circumstance which would warrant a display of strong feeling. The poet's son, (now Judge Holmes) was wounded in one of the severe battles of the civil war, and his condition was recivil war, and his condition was reported to be grave. The father sought him on the battle-field, in the hospitals, on transports, and elsewhere, fearing always that the wound had proved fatal. They met on a car filled with wounded soldiers, and as they grasped hands there was this exchange of greetings; "Hello, Burb." "Hello, Dad!"

ALMOST EVERY WOMAN.

Is inclined to habitual constipation and should use Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut, which

WABASH.

Hunter Burgess is working for Mr

Taylor.
No school on Friday owing to the teacher's illness.
Miss Mabel Kerby has returned home to Dawn after visiting Miss Pearl Phillips.
The funeral of Alf. Brown's little baby took place at the home on Sunat one p. m. by Rev. Mr. Hayden, of Dresden, the interment being at Dresden.

Dresden, Albert Howes is preparing to build a house in the near future,

The Letter-Box

TOWNSHIP OF CHATHAM

To the Editor of The Planet: In rasheling round Chatham and vicinity, I was pleased to find the humble frame school house on the 2nd Con., in Chatham Township replaced by a smart brick edifice with belfry and basement.

The trustees are men of magnificent ideas, hence this splend'd result of the control of the control

Being a rich section, an outlay of about \$3,500 does not count. As it is to be a general purpose building, it was dedicated by a concert, and then a dance party was organized to test the contractor's work, which they achieved with swaating labor. So you see, Sir, all concerned are to be accommodated. Nothing small about the Second.

RAMBLER

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DISTRICT DOINGS WALLACEBURG

Jan. 17.—The many friends of Miss Ruby Gordon are delighted with the many enconiums passed upon this talented young lady's singing in the talented young lady's singing in the Robin Hood opera shortly to be produced in Chatham. We understand it is the intention of the management to reserve a portion of the parquet circle and run a special train from Wallaceburg on the second night of the opera's production. No doubt a large number will avail themselves of this opportunity. The death book place at an early

The death took place at an early hour yesterday morning of Mrs. Miles McCarron, at the advanced age of 87 years. The deceased leaves a family of grown up sons and grandchildren children to mourn her foss. Requiem High Mass will be sung at the funeral to-morrow morning at 9.30 at the Church of Our Lady Help lof hristians.

The funeral took place this morning of Mrs. George Travis, who died in the hospital at Sarnia on Friday last. Solemn High Mass was sung by Rev. Father Brady.

Jan. 19.—Mr. Cecil Dunlop entertained a large number of friends to a skating party at the rink dast evening.

ening. Miss B. Stewart left yesterday for

Miss. B. Stewart left yesterday for an extended visit with friends and relatives at Montreal.

Messrs. O'Toole and Bissell, of Cleveland, Ohio, are spending a few days in town on business.

Miss Bessy Bomne is visiting friends and relatives at Sarnia.

The funeral of Mary Travis, aged 33 years and three months, wife of Mr. George Travis, took place yesterday, the services being conducted by

Mr. George Travis, took place yester-day, the services being conducted by Rev. Fr. Brady at the R. C. church. The death of Catherine McCarron, aged 87 years, occurred on Sunday, Jan. 17th. The funeral took place from the R. C. church to-day and was largely attended by friends and relatives, Mrs. McCarron being an old and much respected citizen in this community.

A carnival will be held to-morrow evening at the skating rink.

Wallaceburg is in the ring with
ha grippe victims.

Mr. Harry Gillard, of Cleveland,
Ohio, is visiting friends here.

KENT BRIDGE. Miss Miller, of Chatham, and her cousin, M'ss Shanks, of Spokane, Washington spent Sunday with Mrs. Alfred Langford.
Miss Eva Shaw has returned from an extended trip east.
Mrs. Adams, of New York, has been been the guest of Miss E. Smith, the past week.
Dr. Brake is all a second

Dr. Bucke is ill at his home in London. Geo. Curtis returned from Sombra with a bride. His host of friends



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were made. Service every Sunday at 3 p. m., The Methodist church ser-ice at 7 p. m. A large load of young people from

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The following is the formula that has proved successful in California according to the statement of Frank Dexter in the Farm Journal. It is cheap, easily applied, and if effectual, is many times better than the sulphur, lime and salt remedy. The caustic soda mentioned can be purchased in quantity at about 3 1-2 cents per pound. To destroy the scale proceed as follows: As soon as the leaves fall, the trees should be closely pruned. Saw out every limb that can be spared, and cut out the smaller limbs and twigs until the tree looks thin. Out the centre out well so that the spray can enter and the sun afterwards. Commence pruning as soon as the fruit is gathered, but do not spray with the leaves on. Gather and burn the cuttings soon after pruning. Draw the earth away from the trunk, down to the roots and brush the trunk. If the bark is rough it should be scraped. Dissolve one pound of caustic soda—78 per cent.—in every six gallons of water. In spraying, wet every part of the tree. Spray when there is no wind and finish not later than March lst in this climate or February 1st in warm climates. Repeat after a rain, or in two weeks, with no rain. This wash will not injure any kind of fruit tree, if but on when the tree is dormant. The soda should be crushed or ground. If uncrushed it is hard to reduce. Let every grower try this method this spring and good results must follow. The sulphur, lime and salt remedy is being discarded in California, except after the rainy season has ended.

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Here the values we are giving during out January sale. Extremely low prices prevail all over the store, but quality or style has not been slighted or sacrificed to accomp ish this end. These items for Wednesday will appeal strongly to. careful cash buyers. Come and see for yourself the many dollar-saving chances this sale offers.

Victoria lawn at 8 1-2c yard-45 nches wide, good quality, pure Vic-oria lawn, worth 12 1-2c a yard, Wednesday price

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Bienheim, made a short visit with Mrs. J. A. Langford last week. Mrs. O. M. Arnold and two sons, of Bracebridge, were visiting Mrs. F. Ar nold last week.

The Presbyterians have put a new furnace in the r church. It is guar-anteed to heat the building, and it certainly did at the time the trials

A large load of young people from up the creek spent he very enjoyable evening last Fr'day at the home of E. P. Langford.

Our harness-maker, Mr. Jno French, has to have an assistant, in Mr. Bridgewater, of Dresden, in order to keep up with the rush of business. Miss Annie Houston, of Chatham, is spending a few days with Mess B. Langford. The young daughter of John Lewis is improving after a brief illness.

north of this village.

A. C. Shaw took a large car of live stock to Toronto last Friday.

WHEN YOUR APPETITE FAILS

And it makes you dizzy to even The death of Catherine McCarron, aged 87 years, occurred on Sunday, Jan. 17th. The funeral took place from the R. C. church to-day and was largely attended by friends and relatives, Mrs. McCarron being an old and much respected citizen in this community.

The Presbyterian young people will eniov a sleightride on Thursday evenenjoy a sleighride on Thursday evening next, after which refreshments
will be served to them at the home
of Mrs. W. Twinch, East Wallaceburg.

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Custom That Has Been Followed By Many Writers.

Johnson told Boswell once in the course of a conversation, in which he praised the "Anatomy," that a man, if inclined to melancholy, should have a lamp constantly burning in his bed-chamber during the night "and if wakefully disturbed take a book and read and compose himself to rest." There can be little doubt that in thus indicating an appropriate course for any one afflicted with "constitutional melancholy" — his own trouble — he was stating his own practice. Many a book the wakeful doctor must have turned over in the silences of the night, and this increases the wonder that a desire to read any particular work should take him out of bed unusually early.

Gray must surely have been a reader in bed. A man who wished to be forever lying on sofas, reading "eternal new novels of Crebillon and Mari-vaux," must have been familiar with the faces of his favorites in the night hours. Elijah Fenton, a now forgotten coadjutor of Pope, was accustomed to lie abed at his lodgings, we are told, and be fed with a spoon, but Gray's love of ease was not of this type. Gray was a bookman, and most bookmer reading in bed. Lamb apostrophized his folios as "my midnight darlings," but those "huge armfuls," as he calls them, were not bedside books. They were the companions of the long hours of candlelight in the back room of the quiet little "gambogish colored" house beside the Chase at Enfield. Wycherley, one of the "artificial" dramatists for whom Lamb wrote a quaint defense, made a habit of reading himself to sleep. Nightly he shared his pillow with his favorite authors—Seneca, Montaigne and Rochefoucauld—and in the mornings made a practice of writing on those subjects which had caught his attention during the previous night's reading, with the curious though not unnatural result, as Pope

has testified, that his writing was un-consciously a mere echo of his reading. Somewhat later, when Grub street flourished, if so inappropriate a verb may be allowed, many a poor wretch of a hack author was glad to write as well as to read in bed for the all sufficient reason that seemly clothes were lacking for going abroad.—London

EPIGRAMS OF NOVELISTS.

One crawls into friendship, one occasionally drifts into matrimony, but in love one falls.-Frankfort Moore.

There is no place like the top, especially when it is narrow and will not hold many at a time.—Anthony Hope. Love and friendship are stronger than charity and politeness, and those who trade upon the latter are rarely accorded the former.—Seton Merriman. It is the American's regret that at present he can do nothing with his feet while he is listening at the telephone, ubtless some employment will be found for them in the coming age.-Ian

There are two unpardonable sins in this world, success and failure. Those who succeed can't forgive a fellow for being a failure and those who fail can't forgive him for being a success. G. H. Lorimer.

There are two classes of people in the world, the people who are clever and the people who are keen, and you must never mix the two. They meet and touch, they are necessary to each other. but they never never blend.

Concerning a very modish woman the late Julian Rix, painter and critic,

had this story to tell: "Mr. Rix, I've come to ask you a great favor," she said as she fairly burst into his studio one fall day. "Everything I have is at your com-

mand, madam. "I want to show you some costs

arms and ask your advice about making a choice." "Which side of the family do you

wish to follow, maternal or"—
"Oh, neither! The herald says I can hoose any of these. I want something that will look well on whist counters." "Yes. Well, what about this?"
"That will do nicely. But don't you

think I ought to have more than one? I do tire so quickly of things, you

Canals In England.

Canals in England date back to an early period, for the Romans built two in Lincolnshire—the Foss dike, forty miles long and still navigable, and the Caer dike. The first British made canal was constructed in 1134 by Henry I. and joined the Trent to the Witham It was toward the end of the clean. It was toward the end of the eight-It was toward the end of the eight-eenth century that the greatest amount of energy was expended in the building of canals, mainly due to the Duke of Bridgewater and the skill of his engineer, James Brindley. In the last decade of that century a canal mania raged.

Rebuking an Emperor.
Once, so the story goes, Emperor
Nicholas of Russia asked Liszt to play Nicholas of Russia asked Liszt to play in his presence. The musician compiled, but during the performance the czar started a conversation with an aid-de-camp. Liszt stopped playing at once. The czar asked what was the matter. "When the emperor speaks," said Liszt, "every one must be silent." The czar smilingly took the hint, and the playing proceeded.

Purely Business.

"Are you sure," asked the captain of industry, "that you love my daughter?"

"Come, I say," replied the duke, "you're not going to be sentimental at your time of life, are you?"—Chicage House. Record-Herald.

A CHARNING TRIEUTE.

Eulogy of the Late George E. Casey, Ex-M.F., that is Truly Con Amore-"The vo.d fellow."

Hospital on St. Andrew's night, and with his passing goes as generous and mirthful a soul as ever drew

lie entered Parliament in 1872, and even among the intellectual giants who might be found in the House in those days the young sprig of twenty-two years, just bresh from University honors, won a large measure of distinction. He was a brilliant linguist, and could address the House in both the authorized languages, a too far and the woman who reaches over the cliff for the coveted flower goes crashing down into the abyss below. Just a little too far and the woman, who, day by day, neglects to cure the womanly diseases which weaken her is prostrated upon a bed of sickness. No woman should trifle with the diseases peculiar to her sex. Neglect to-day means a worse condition to morrow. in both the authorized languages, a faculty as rare then among the Dag-lich-speaking members of the House a: it is now. Casey had a veritable glit of tongues, and one of his favorite recreations was to keep on adding to his polyglot equipment. It is almost safe to say that Casey was the only men at Ottawa who habit hally drew from the Parliamentary library books in Franch. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a safe and reliable remedy for the cure of diseases peculiarly womanly. It estab-lishes regularity, dries enfeebling drains, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness. "My wife, Mrs. Mary Estes, has been taking our medicine and received great benefit from," writes Mr. Geo. Wm. Estes, of Springgrove, a. "Was troubled with female weakness, guage, or for that matter a patois, it was his custom to stick to it until he had acquired an adequate vocabulary and a fair comprehension of its syniactical peculiarities. He shared with Nicholas Flood Davin the habit of seasoning his speeches with Latin and Greek quotations, and he could have his Hornes like a gentlement of Va. "Was troubled with female weakness, heavy, bearing-down pains as severe pain in base and head, and a tired, worn-out feeling all the time. Tried all the remedies we cond hear off, but they did no good. Finally we wrote to you and my wife commenced taking 'Eavorite Prescription.' Took ten bottles, and is in better health than before in a long time. We shall always recommend Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription to all who are thus afflicted."
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FOOTBALL.

The Old Fashioned School Game Wherein Everybody Played.

There is no such spirit in the school today as in old times. They have a football eleven, it is true, and it holds its head well up among its mates; a litthe old school's the old school yet, I tell 'em—but, after all, it isn't the old game nor the old spirit. I go out sometimes to watch them and think, "Well, it's a queer game they play now and call football!" They trot out in such onishing toggery—padded and guarded from shin to crown, welted, belted, strapped and buckled beyond recogni-tion. And there's no independence in the play; every move has to be told 'em. It's as if they weren't big enough to run alone, and so they hire a big stepmother of a university "coach," who stands round in a red sweater and

yells and berates them. Not a man answers back; he doesn't dare to. They don't dare eat plain Christian food, but have a "training table" and diet like invalids. I've seen 'em at a game not dare take a plain drink of water. When they got thirsty they sucked at a wet sponge, like babes at the bottle!

It was not so in our day. No apron strings of a university coach were tied us. We were free born men. When we wanted to play we got together and went down to the old pasture, to the big oak tree that stood near the middle of it, and there we would "choose up" and take off our coats and vests and neckgear and pile them round the oak and walk out on the field and go at it— everybody—not a pitiful dozen or so, while the rest stood with their hands in their pockets and looked on, but everybody! And it was football; no playing half an hour without seeing the ball in the air once. We kicked it all the time except when we missed it, and then we kicked the other fellow's shins. And when we got thirsty we went down to the spring and took an lonest drink out of an honest tin cup.-

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George Casey died at an Ottawa

lie entered Parliament in 1872, and library books in English, French, Spanish, Italian, and German. He had picked up somewhere a working inowledge of the Cree tongue and had a scholarly acquaintance with many of the Indian dialects. Wherever he met on his trayels a new language or for that matter a patient guage, or for that matter a patois

but from sheer inability to keep down the ebullient riches of his down the ebullient riches of mind. Casey was not a pedant, conceived that a subject which worthy of being publicly debated was worthy of the most glittering treat-ment that his memory and fancy sould give it. In private he never obtruded his superior attainments. Although a man of family, of fine old Irish doscent, and of almost seignor-ial standing in his county, he was a

staunch democrat and a practical believer in liberty, equality and fra-ternity. And just as the Celtic poet-ty of his nature, enhanced by the assimilated literature of many peoples may have embarrassed his judgment so that lively fraternity of his operated to keep his life from frilling as grandly as it hould have done. He had, also, the faults of his qualities, and the very characteristics that made him levable kept him from being great. When men less brilliant but more practical pressed forward with single aim to the lonely moun-tain tops of supremacy, Casey fell-quietly back where the company was more cheerful and the talk more en-tertaining. And being of the name of Casey, he had too keen a sense of humor ever to be a leader. Garfield, who was a great wag, having once formed the ambition to become Pre-sident of the United States, deliher-

ately forbore from that time on to make anything like a joke. All the bon mots that are now ascribed to Lincoln gained currency after his death. Casey was a delightful raconteur. It was such a passion with him that he could not give it up. Reading maketh a full man. It de-velops every side of his nature, and if there goes with it a lively desire or human communion which prevents man 'rom being a mere book-worm, e sure that this earth harbors a

personality that will make it bright cr. It is the pleasure of men like Casey to radiate their charm in snug little smoking-room circles and to make comradeship a blessing. When the fortunes of politics turned against the whilom member for West Elgin, his friends got together and said: "What can we do for this good." "What can we do for this good soul?" There were two things open, either of which Casey was eminently fitted to fill—the archives or a post in the library. The archives were not in the Legislative building. The library was, and so Casey got the place in the library, where he would be near his companions of the olden time. Whatever may be said about politicians, they like to keep the sunbeams near them. They re-fused to make a postmaster of that other bright spot and hold him at a distance of two hundred miles. No. They put Dr. Landerkin in the Sen-ate, where he would-never be more

than a hundred yards from No. 16, and they just kept him there until he faded sweetly away into the Valley faded sweetly away into the Valley of the Shadow.
And now Casey is dead, too-Casey the story-teller, Casey the good fellow!—Toronto Star.

A Pleaser Fressman Dead. Thomas Fox Davies, who died in Thomas Fox Davies, who died is Barrie, recently, was the pressman of the Toronty Globe's first cylinder press. Having learned his traue in Manchester, Eng., and spent a few years in the United States, he came to Toronto in 1845. Feter Brown has just bought his first cylinder Hoe press, but no one knew much about it and he persuaded Mr. Davies to prolong his stay in the city and Hoe press, but no one knew much about it and he persuaded Mr. Davies to prolong his stay in the city and set up the new machine. This he did and became permanently employed in The Globe office, remaining until 1847, when he went north and established The Barrie Magnet. After the first cylinder press had been set up in The Globe office, the maker, Mr. Hoe came from New York to see it in operation. While here Mr. Davies suggested to him the possibility of making a web press, the called printing machines of his (Mr. Davies') native district of Manchester, Eng., having furnished the analogy. Mr. Hoe "pocketed" the idea, worked it into practical shape, and the next time he visited The Globe office he handed Mr. Davies a ten dollar bill for the suggestion. For the past 40 years Mr. Davies was connected with The Barrie Examiner.

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John McGregor, who has a ranch

John McGregor, who has a ranch 30 miles from Calgary, is visiting in the city. Mr. McGregor was once a resident of this County but he is much enamoured of his western home. The irrigation scheme which the C. P. R. are going to undertake will affect his lands considerably.

"ROBIN HOOD"

A ful! rehearsal of all interested in

the oroduct on of the opera "Robin

mencing at eight o'clock, in the aud-

itorium over the Standard Bank. A full attendance is specially requested.

Rehearsals are all private now.

FOR MISSIONS

Canada, Huron Diocess was expect ed to contribute \$11,500 for the year

1903. The returns which have just

been completed, show that the Dio-cese raised several hundred dollurs in excess of the above amount, and that Christ Church, Chatham, con-

tributed \$50 more than was asked

CASE 113

Case 113, a highly thrilling and in-

teresting story, will be commenced in the columns of this paper on Sat-urday. The story is one of the best and should not be missed. It should

TILBURY

is expected here to night for a game with the Tibury seniors. As this is one of the league teams of the city, a

fast game is expected.

Rev. Mr. Keith, of Leamington, con-

CHICAGO MARKETS

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PROBABILITIES.

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Special per G. N. W. Toronto, Jan. 19.—11 a. m.—Fresh to strong easterly to southerly winds, milder; light snowfalls to-night and on Wednesday.

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

Barometer 29.87. Thermometer 5. Highest yesterday 9.
Lowest yesterday 3 below.
Direction of wind, southeast.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

William Vance, Tupperville, was Chatham vis.tor to-day.

Miss Bartha Capman, of this city, is spending the day in Detroit. J. A. McGregor, of Tilbury, was registered at the Rankin House yes-

Barrister. Walter Mills, of Ridge-town, was in the city yesterday on

When you want en artistic design, call up or visit Victoria avenue Green Houses, 'Phone 181.

All of the Lake Eric trains were on time again this morning. The tracks near Sombra are all cleared.

C. H. Adkins, advance agent for "A Thoroughbred Tramp." was registered at the Ramkin House to-day. Found, this morning, on bank of the river, a boy's overcoat. Owner may have same by paying for this

Buy best hard coal at cheapest rate from C, R. Hancock, West street, Tel. 303, F. Marx, office. 10t

Robert Deyo, of Guelpin, formerly an old C. C. I. boy, is in the city on business and incidentally calling

on business and incidentally calling on a few of his friends.

Mrs. Frank W. Phelps will receive at her home on Raleigh street south on Thursday, the 21st inst., from three to six o'clock.

Miss Maggie Hogarth, Tilsonburg, who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Bensen, Cross St.,

sster, Mrs. W. H. Bensen, the returned home to-day.
W. C. Sifton, of Palmyra, Peter Haggart, of Blenheim, and Warden Thomas Rubinson, of Coatsworth, were in the city yesterday on county business.

A full rehearsal of the cast for the Macaulay Club presentation of King Henry VIII. will be held this even-ing under the direction of J. S.

The Women Folk will gie ye a graund time on the e'en o' the 22nd of Jamuary at St. Andrew's Sabbath schule, what wi Scotch airs and songs and out cake forebye.

The Dramatic and Debating So-ciety of No. 1, Harwich, will hold the following debate to night. Riselved that the territory west of Lake Su-perior is desined to become the most important and influential section of Canada. Affirmative, Lindsay Par-rott; negative, Will. McGeachy.

July 821 rott; negative, Will. McGeachy.

J. M. Pike, chairman of the Dramatic committee of the Macaulay Club, this morning received word that Orville B. Oragg, of Detroit, who so skilfully superintended the intricate duties of the "making-up" in the presentation of the trial scene from the Merchant of Venice last year, will come down from Detroit' next week to perform these duties and those of stage manager for the production of the two scenes from King Henry VIII., to be presented at the Grand on Friday evening, the 29th inst. Mr. Oragg is one of the best in the business.

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NOT EVEN KILTS? The members of the Ottawa Cana ian club are discussing the question of dress suits for their evening meet ings. The regulation costume for

GENEALOG CAL.

Canadian club man is a sack coat

In a field near Rome recently hear vy rain uncovered an ancient headless statue bearing the inscription: "Publius Elius Apollinaris." It is presumed by antiquarians to be the companion sculpture that originally stood at the other end of the bar from the well-known "Scotus Apollinaris Highballus,"-Indianapolis News.

will affect his lands considerably.

Buzzard vs. Buzzard, an action to cancel an agreement for maintenuace and support, was dismissed this morning by his honor Judge Bell. Judge Bell had granted an order to the defendant for security for costs. The security was not given and an order was made dismissing the action with costs. Capit. John Buzzard, the plaintiff, now residing in Detroit, deeded some property in Port Huron to his daughter-in-law. He claimed that he deeded the property to secure his own maintenance, but the daughter-In-law alleges that he deeded the property to secure it against a claim being made by plaintiff's wife, who was suing him for divorce. Crown, Attorney H. D. Smith for plaintiff, O. L. Lewis contra. A KENTUCKY OPINION. "This Iroquois fire," says a Phila-delphia clergyman, "I believe to be delphia clergyman, "I balove to be a warning from God to a wicked world. Churches have been razed to make room for theatres, and God is wrathful." This divine might make a stronger argument that the froquois tragedy was the work of God if the theater had been filled with the proper of his strice instead of with litmen of his stripe instead of with lit-tle children.—Louiscille, Ky., Courier-

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Journal.

CHARMING RECITAL.

A delightful musicale was that given by the piano students of the Misses Louise and Florence Hillman in the I. O. O. F. auditor um last evening lto a large and very appreciative audience. The excellent and artistic display of skill by the many young students is no mean tr bute to the teaching ability of the Misses Hillman, who are among the foremost in Maple City

nusical circles. Misses H. Edythe Hill, and Pearl White, vocalists of Park St. Method'st choir, and Miss Eva Birassin, elocution ste, assisted.

All the numbers of the above were most heartily received and well ren-

be read by all, as it is one of the most entertaining tales that has ever been written. The scene of the story is laid in Paris, and the plot thickens as the story advances. The Program-

Two Pianos (8 hands), William Tell—Rossint Missus M. VonGenten, G. Shillington, E. Stropp, C. Fleming, Piano—"At Morn,":—Godard—Miss Jennie Bedford.
Vocal — Selection—Miss H. Edythe

Hill:
Plano-"Ty Pense" — Meyer-Hel-mund Miss Winnfred Arnold.
Plano-"Rindo Capriccioso, op. 14"
— Mendelssohn, Miss Candaco Flem-Jan. 19.-Windsor Hockey team

ing,
Piano Duett-"Rule Br'tannia,"Dr. Arme. Master Murry Catheart

Ray, Mr. Keith, of Leamington, con-ducted services in the Presbyterian Church here last Sunday, Charlie Richardson, of Essex, spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Richardson. Mrs. A. R. Nicol, who has been vis-iting her parents, Mr, and Mrs. Jas. Stewart, returns to her home in New Dr. Arme. Master merry catheau and Lawrence Thornton.

Reading—Beethoven, Miss Bird Kindree. "How his Moonlight Sonata was composed."

Piano — "Moonlight Sonata,"—Beethoven. Miss May VonGunten.
Vocal—Selection, Miss Pearl White Piano—"Valse Lente"—Shutte, Miss York to-morrow.

Mrs. Kelly is quite ill.

Nominations for the vacancy in the

Mabel Brown, Piano-"La Coquett" - Browski,z Miss Gertle Spackman.
Recitation—"The Lost Cherd". Miss
Eva Burassin. village council take place this even-Piano Duett—"On Blooming Meadows"—Rrive-King, Misses Florence Munros and Jennie Bedford, Piano—"Etude in A Flat"—Wollen-

hanot Miss Anna Chinnick.

Piano Solo-Mess Nelle Henderson. Vocal — Selection-Miss H. Edythe Hill.

Piano-"Scnata, op. 31 (Allegro)Byethoven. Miss Genevieve Shilling.

ton.
Piano—"Spring Seng"—MendelssohnMiss Erie Stripp.
Rading—"Our Creed." Master
Lawrence Thornton.
Piano Duett—"Glipsy Dance"—Marz
Miss Norma Shillington and Grace
Gammage.

Miss Norma Shillington and Grace
Gammage.
Plano—"Shepherds all and Maidens
Fair."—Nevim Miss Ruby Jamieson.
Vocal-Selection Miss Pearl White
Plano—(a) Rustle of Spring, (b)
Valse op. 64, No. 2—Sindn g—Chopin,
Miss Freda Syackman.
Pjano—"Titanja"—Wely. Miss Minnie Cummings.

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DEATH'S CALL

Archie Lamont, one of Chatham's oldest and most respected residents, passed away last night, at midnight, in Grace Hospital, Detroit. Mr. Lamont has been ill for some time with a cancer in his throat. He has received expert surgical treatment without any permanent success, and for the last three months he has been in Grace Hospital. His death, while not entirely unexpected, has been a sad blow to his relatives who have the undivided sympathy of the entire community. Miss Lamont, his daughter, was at his bedgide when the end came. Hugh Lamont, of this city, a son, is the only other surviving member of the family.

The remains will be brought to Chatham for interrment.

WAR NOT WORTH WHILE Questions Disputed Not Serious

Enough For Supreme Remedy.

ituation in the Far East-Ministers Are Talking Peace-Two Questions Upon Which Negotiations Are in Progress to Secure a Peaceful Settlement-Peace Party Ascendant in Councils of

St. Petersburg, Jan. 19,-The Associated Press correspondent on high authority is able to give the follow-ing as the status of the negotiations

ing as the status of the hegotressis between Russia and Japan:

"Russia recognizes Japan's predominance in Corea, and Japan recognizes Russia's special position in Manchuria. There are two main questions still at issue—the Russian demand for a neutral zone on the demand for a neutral zone on the Corean side of the Yalu River which Japan met with a proposal for the similar neutral strip on the Man-churian side. Japan also asks for churian side. Japan also asks for certain guarantees covering Man-churia which Russia thus far has de-clined to grant. It is pointed out, however, that the assurances given a few days ago by Russia regarding open ports in Manchuria and respect for treaty rights is a concession on this point."

War Not Warranted. That the two countries are not so far apart may be fairly inferred from the following statement made by Mr. Kurino, the Japanese Minister, to the Associated Press: War now would only be disastrous to both countries. Owing to the geographical situation, an armed conflict would result in a great drain of the men and treasure of both Japan and Rus-sia without being decisive. Besides, I believe it would not be worth while

to go to war on the questions still in dispute." There is a strong indication that through the Czar's personal acts, the peace party is completely in the as-cendant M. Bozobrazoff, the head of the war party, has gone abroad. Foreign Minister Lamsdorff, who from the beginning, has favored peace, is now completely rehabilitat-ed and Viceroy Alexieff has been made subservient to the Foreign Office in the Russo-Japanese negotia tions. His extensive powers are cur-tailed, and he can make no move without the Czar's personal approv-

Another strong influence on the his energies to avoid a conflict. is predicted that if peace prevails M. Witte again will become a great power in the Government. Rising of People Probable.

Seoul, Jan. 19 .- The Government declares the reports of the disturb-ance on the northern frontiers to be unfounded, but it seems to think that a rising of the people is prob-

Off Fer the War.

Montreal, Jan. 19.—William Maxwell and C. L. Brownell of The London Standard, and R. J. McHugh, of The Telegraph, war correspondents, passed through yesterday on their way to Japan.

POT BOILS IN OXFORD. Both Sides Adding Fuel to the Flame-Whitney and Ross Speak in Woodstock

Friday and Saturday.

Woodstock, Jan. 19.—In the north riding of Oxford the political pot now no longer simmers; it boils. Both parties are throwing themselves nto the contest with vigor and into the contest with vigor and en-thusiasm. The Conservative and Lib-eral headquarters are the scenes of activity never before equalled in an election campaign in this constitu-ency. A large clerical staff has been busity engaged all day at both places under the direction of the organizers perfecting the arrangements of the plan of attack to be followed out during the week. Each party has called meetings for every portion of the riding, these gatherings to be addressed by leading speakers from the members of both parties in the

the members of both parties in the Provincial and Dominion Houses. J. P. Whitney addresses a Conservative mass meeting in Woodstock on Friday night, while the Premier, Hon. George W. Ross, speaks at Liberal meetings in the Opera House here Saturday afternoon and evening. Looks Bright For Conservatives.

Thus far everything appears extremely bright for the Conservative cause. The members of the party cause. The members of the party here, encouraged by the support extended, and the interest manifested in the contest by the leaders of the party at Toronto, are entering the fight with enthusiasm. They present a united front, and all are determined to prove their ability to fight against great odds. They are confident of success, not withstanding the against great odds. They are confident of success, notwithstanding the fact that very large Liberal majorities have been rolled up in this riding in the past. They recognize that on this occasion the Liberals have not only to fight the Conservative nominee but the members of the dissensionist element in the Reform party here occasioned by the manner in which certain sharp tactics were reacticed at the convention one week ago, and also by certain appointments made in North Oxford recently by the Ross Administration.

Models For Statue.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 19.—Models for the statue of Hon. Joseph Howe to be erected next autumn on the 100th anniversary of his birth have been submitted to the Monument Committee by Hamilton McCarthy and L. P. Hebert.

Rails in Britain.

London, Jan. 19.—The Grand Trunk Railway have ordered 15,000 tons of the best English rails at \$23.50 per ton, as against 25,000 tons bought in the United States by the Canadian Northern Railway at \$26.

Clearing

of Men's and Women's Fancy and Felt Slippers

We commence this week to clear out the following:

Men's Fancy Velvet Slipps, all sizes, 6-10, \$1.00 for 500 Men's Fine Alligator, tan and black, sizes 6-10, \$1.00 for **500** Women's Fancy Felt, sizes 3-7, reg. \$1.50 for 1.00 Women's Fancy Felt, \$1 for 750 Many others reduc-ed accordingly.

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TEN CENT BARGAIN NO. 3-A Genuine French Sardine for 10c. Try it and if you say it is not a dandy for 10c. we will give you your money back, that's all will give you your money back, that's

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At \$2.- Seven only, solid oak, golden finish or birch, mahogany finish, arm rockers, embossed leather seats, regular price \$2.50, January sale price \$2.00.

At \$3-14 only, solid oak, quarter cut, gold-en finish or birch mahogany finish, arm rockers, embossed leather seats, regular \$3 75, January sale price \$3 00.



\$5.—Rockers, made of selected quartered oak, some are upholstered, some cobble seats, some leather saddle seats and others oak roll seats, regular up to \$5.75, January sale price \$5.00.

At \$9.—Rockers made of selected quarter cut golden oak, highly polished, upholstered in best quality silk, all double stuffed, assorted colors,

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Have you ever taken the trouble to compare clothing stocks, to examine the qualities and styles of what is offered here town? You'll find it very interesting and profitable to do so. Examine the quality of material, the style, the fit of each garment, the tailoring and every detail of the making and finish. Then decide where the best clothing is to be found. After that consider the stocks as a whole, get the largest variety of styles, invest your money and have, the biggest returns. We're quite willing to undergo the test in any way you like, and you may be sure we'll do all we can to help you make an intelligent comparison.

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Any irregularity on the part of The Planet carrier boys will be im-mediately remedied by calling at the office or phoning 53a.

ro-Night.

Toronto University Harmonic Club, Park St. Methodist Church, at 8.

THE LOGAL BUDGET

Miss Anna Bechard left this morn-

ing to v.sit relatives in Adrian, Mich.

The innocent Maids are here—about
40 in the company. They appear at
the Grand to-night.

The reserve seat sale for the Big
Maccabee Minstrel Show opened this
morning at Brisco's with a rush.

FERNS—Three-day Sale of Boston
Ferns. Your choice for 25c., Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this
week. Chas. W. Baxter.

Mrs. Robert Ferguson and daughter

Mrs. Robert Ferguson and daughter Jean, Port Stanley, are visiting at the residence of Judgo Houston, Victoria avenue. Lamon & Avichouser are having a a discount sale of su.t.ngs, trouser-ings,etc., for one week. Don't miss the bargains. 6dlw

Mr. and Mrs. John Woods, Van-couver, are visting the former's par-ents, Judge and Mrs. Woods. Do not fail to hear the University of Toronto Harmonic Club this even-ing in Park street Methodist church. Admission only 25 cents. The best

of the season.

Lost—Thoroughbred Scotch Collie

dos, answers to name of Mac, lest near
C. P. R. Hotel, Monday afternoon, apply to W. W. Snider, Correspondence
Schools office, 19 Victoria Block. Don't fail to call and see the bar-

Supt. Tectors, of the Gray and Sons Co., has purchased the house of Mr. Colby, Grey street. He, paid \$900 for the place and will entirely remodel the house.

Lost, between the Fifth street bridge and the rink on Saturday evening, a bolt pen with a maple leaf enamelled in the centre. Finder will please leave the pin at the post

will please leave the p.n at the post office of this office.

If Taken in Time "The D. & L." Emulsion will surely cure the most serious affections of the lungs. That "run down" condition, the after effects of a heavy cold, is quickly counteracted.

teracted.

Maccahee Comedians of to-day—Dr. Fraser, G. W. Sulman, Burney Weldon, Holly Shepard, John Glassfort, Sam Maines, Ira Burk and Will Chrysler. Don't miss the show for Thursday night.

As so much interest was exhibited At so much interest was the last lecture given by Mes C. F. Shaw-Hillier, of London, England, it has been arranged to have another lecture on Wednesday next, Jun. 20, at 3 p. m., in Northwood's Hell. 2

A. M. Lafferty sustained a nasty fall on the sidewalk in front of W. E. Hispiris office last evening. The workmen who have been remodelling the building left a stone slab on the sidewalk, and over it Mr. Lafferty tripped in the dark.

Leather Gloves ! and Mitts

That is a line to which is we have paid particular attention this year with the result that we have a very complete line at ; prices that should be very Interesting to you.

Lined Mitts, 40c to \$1 pair. Unlined Mitts, 25c to 40c pr. Lined Gloves, 50c to \$1,50 " Unlined Gloves, 30c to 50c "

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Dressy Chathamites.

The season is getting pretty well along and yet there are many social functions on the tapis. Chatham has had her share of these occasions, and evening dress was never more on call than this season. Morley & Co. claim a specialty in the making of these garments.

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The Innocent Maids, Grand Opera "Robin Hood" rehearsal, Auditorium over Standard Bank, at 8.

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McKay's new cafe-Meals and lunches of all kinds, oysters in any style, hot sodas, home made pastry. Willard McKay, King street Confec-tionery and Cafe, Garner Block, Open till midnight.

Dr. Piper, dentist, graduate of the Royal College of Dental Surgeons, of Ontario, and of the University of Michigan, is now associated in practise with Dr. A. W. Thornton, of this city. Dr. Piper was for some years with Dr. H. R. Abbott, of London, and comes to the city very highly recommended.

John Green, the charcter study John Green, the charcter study in mail carriers, met with a bud accident this morning. He has to come from his stable out over the C. P. R. track at the corner of King and Adelaide street. While he was driwing out this morning his sleigh up-set, throwing him out on his head. Mr. Green received such injuries that he was unable to attend to his duties and had to employ a substitute. He said to employ a substitute. He said that when he struck the ground some-thing seemed to go off n h's head like a p'stol shot.

DIED IN SARNIA

Word has been received in this city of the death of W. F. Wrighton, of Sarnia, a former Chathamite. The news came as a sad surprise to his many friends in this city who did not know of his illness. Indeed his death came as a surprise to his own family, as he was not ill over a couple of days, and before this illness he seemed to be enjoying the best of health.

Mr. Wrighten, who owned a tan-

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Mr. Wrighten, who owned a tannery in Sarnia, was sitting in dissoffice attending to his correspondence of the control of the correspondence of the control of the correspondence of the control of the control

Mr. Wrighton was a prominent Mason and he will be buried with Masonic honors to-morrow.

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THE ORGANIZED HYPOCRISY. Premier Ress Won't Let Election Trials Proceed, Although Opposition Leader

Shows the Way,

Toronto, Jan. 19—Mr. Whitney and the Premier occupied all afternoon yesterday in discussing the address in reply to the speech from the Throne. The battle of the giants was listened to with considerable attention by nearly filled galleries. Both were at their best, Mr. Whitney attacking with courage and the Premier resisting unflinchingly. The leader of the Opposition made a suggestion to the Premier which the latter did not adopt. He desired to test the sincerity of the Government in claiming that the early session of the House was for the purpose of voting the interim supplies and rushing through an extension of the Temiskaming Railway. If this was the real object of the hurriedly called session, Mr. Whitney agreed to expedite these matters of legislation, so that the House could adjourn in two or three days and allow the election trials to Toronto, Jan. 19.-Mr. Whitney days and allow the election trials to

This proposition was characterized by the Fremier as the most childish and absurd he had ever heard, and, of course was not accepted. Mr. Whitney also discussed the prerogatives of the Lieutenant-Governor, defending His Honor from attack by reason of his continuing to accept reason of his continuing to accept advice from the present ministry. He believed the Lieutenant-Governor would have been justified in refusing to call the House, but perhaps he followed the wise course, as the Government has a majority, no matter how small. The onus would be upon the minister who tendered the representative of the King bad advice.

The Opposition's Policy.

"We propose to give the people an onest 'Administration," said Mr. Whitney: "to take no revenge for exdusion from office; to carry out our policy as to transportation and agriculture; to preserve the public do-main; to do justice to the reasonable and righteous demands of the uni-versity; to jurnish free school books o the children. We will not try any tricks with the people, but we will trust the people, seeling confident that if we do the people will trust

The Premier's Speech.

Mr. Ross dealt with several points in Mr. Whitney's speech. In the cold storage problem, matters had taken a different course than that antici-pated. Was there a butter or cheese 'actory which was not using cold storage? A wave, not of indignation, but of approval of the Government's plans, had swept over the country as a result of what they had done. Their drainage legislation had brought a quarter of a million acres under cultivation. Several counties had adopted the good roads system which had been proposed.

Barnacles and Pirates.

Mr. Ross wound up his speech with a slashing attack on Mr. Whit-ney anent his quotation of The Globe "barnacle" editorial. Mr. Whitney had not read it im full, he said, for t bore as heavily on members oppo-ite as it could on the Government. Ie declared he would rather have a few barnacles on the bottom of the ship of state than a pirate on board her. Many a vessel had, sailed the seas with a few barnacles, but what vessel could reach its haven of refuge with pirates on board and an unskilful captain? Notwithstanding her captain and crew, Mr. Whitney's ship lay in the trough of the sea, she was waterlogged and the waves of indignation rolled over her. Soon she would be scuttled and go down. Then the stormy petrel that so disturbed them would no longer fly about with tales of distress, and the House and the country would have peace.

J. J. Foy, K. C. moved the adjournment of the debate and the House adjourned at 6.15. essel could reach its haven of refuge

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AN OPEN LETTER TO THE CHIEF OF POLICE,

Sir.-It is no wish of mine that you Sir,—It is no wish of mine that you in your official capacity of I as a citizen should rigure in print, but II can no longer remain silent upon the subject which I brought to your attention privately some days ago. The common decency of our city is daily insulted by the degrading, identious and often fifthy nature of the theatrical posters that face us on every street corner. I suppose one must endure the hideous distortions of human nature that are intended to nan nature that are intended to make Canadians laugh; the blood and thunder, the pistols and throat-cut-ting scenes reaching well nigh to

ting scenes reaching well nigh to heaven on the expansive bill-boards; we must even endure the exhibitions of semi-naked women on the plea that this is just the way our women dress for a ball; but when these that this is just the way our women dress for a ball; but when these have palled upon the dulled senses of Chatham's, youth, and we are asked, to tolerate upon the public boards a scene from the brothel, it is time surely for some one to call a halt. I again ask you to look out of your office window at what I refer to—a besotted tramp surrounded by a host of lewd women—a scene which, in the flesh. I defy you to find outside a house of ill-fame. If you have observed, for the past week there has scarcely been ten minutes of the day when this picture of debauchery has not had its coterie of small boys gazing in admiration. I am not protesting now against any particular dress or undress, but against the whole conception of the thing, a scene from the brothel for our women to look at the brothel for our women to look at, and to invite boys and men to Chat-ham's theatre to see the thing itself; Why waste money on schools to teach boys and girls clean, honest thinking and acting, while those in authority permit the streets and theatres to educate villains and prostitutes? What can the best home in-fluence do when so many outside in-fluences invite children to the devil?

This sort of thing has figured as Chatham's scenery for months past now much longer are you going to wermit it?

We have a by-law against the posting of indecent placards; the man to enforce it is the Chief of Police, and the respectable munhood of Chatham demands that you shall clear these posters from public view and shut out the people whom they represent from this city.

Yours,

T. BEVERLEY SMITH.

Chatham Jan. 19th. 1904. permit it?

Chatham, Jan. 19th, 1904.
P. S.—I refer you to By-laws to rovide for the Good Order and Government of Chatham; Sections No. 5 nd 8, copies of which are hereunder

written:

No. 5. No person shall post up in No. 5. No person shall post up indecent placards, writings or pictures, or write indecent words or make indecent pictures or drawings on any wall or fence in the streets or public placas within the town.

No. 8. No person shall, within the town, exhibit or perform any indecent or immoral or lewd play, or give any indecent exhibition; and the Police or any Policeman or other Peace Officer may prevent the chibition or performance of any such play, or the giving of any such exhibition.

Also, to By-law Governing Bill Posters, Section 2, a copy of which is hereunder written:—

No. 2. That before posting any show bill or picture of doubtful morality or indecency, the billposter or employe above mentioned, is hereby required to exhibit a copy of the same to the Chief of Police of the city for the time being, and if his consent to the posting of the same is refused or withheld, it shall not be posted, put up, or displayed in any manner within the said city limits, and any bill poster who violates or may violate the provisions of this section, shall, in addition to any oth-

er penalty or penalties that may be imposed on him under this by-law, forfeit any license that may have been granted to him as a bill poster.

T. B. S. K. O. T. M. Knights Assisted.

" ROBIN HOOD "

A splendid rehearsal of Robin Hood was held last evening over the Standard Bank. There was a good attendance, 75 being present, and the rehearsal was a very satisfactory one to Musical Director, J. Will Wilson. Several new dances were learned and the first act was gone through in its entirety. The music of the other acts was also rehearsed. One of the pret-tiest dances of the opera is the one to the Morris Dance, which was reto the Morris Dance, which was re-hearsed for the first time last evening. The libretto work was commenced last night and it will now be continu-ed every night. B-fore the end of the week the show, will be put on in

its entirety.

As it was decided last week to exclude visctors, there were none up at last right's practice and the chorus are now down to earnest work. are row down to earnest work.

As the time for presenting the opera is now very close rehearsals will be held now every night. Another practice will be held this evening when it is hoped that as many as possible will attend.

OFFICERS INSTALLED

The Sons of England met last evenng and the following officers were nstalled by District Deputy Bro. W.

A. Moore: Past President-G. B. Clements. Worthy President-Geo. Wardle. Vice-President-John Draper. Chaplin-Geo. Meynell. Scoretary—Arthur Fennings. Treasurer—T. W. Smythe. Surgeon—Dr. W. R. Hall. First Guide-Jas. Dyer, Second Guide-Frank Simmons. Third Guide-John Poole Fifth Guide—F. Turrill. Sixth Guide—J. J. Couzens. Inside Guard—J. E. Oldershaw. Outside Guard—Homer Turner. Grand Lodge Delegate-T. A. Smith Auditors-Ben Longley, Geo. Meynell, H. Horstead.

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make this show eclipse their own previous efforts.

Mr. Shepard, the director, has put in weeks of hard labor to bring the show to a point of artistic perfection; that they have succeeded will be a verdict of the audience when the curtain falls on Thursday, night's performance.

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The Planet is authorized to state that this show will be the most artistically finished performance that Chatham amateurs have appeared in. The program contains no rough comedy, slap-stick comedy or horse play. Mr. Shepard has been content to let the performers seek applause by quiet methods, and the various acts are refined, neat and artistic.

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On a detached rock about a mile in tide, in the harbor of St. Helier, Jersey, stands Elizabeth Castle. Sir Hugh Paulet, Governor of Jersey in 1551, commenced to fortify the pro-montory for Edward VI., but little progress was made until 1586, the reign of Elizabeth, when the fortress was practically completed, and the name of the Virgin Queen bestowed name of the Virgin Queen bestowed upon it. Projecting beyond the castle, near the end of the breakwater, is a rudely-built chapel, with a pointed, arched roof of small stones. This is of the most venerable antiquity. Legend has it that it occupies the site of the cell dwelt in by St. Helier himself, for the pairon saint of the island lived as an anchorite on this rock. He was a great charite on this rock. He was a great saint of the island lived as an anchorite on this rock. He was a great preacher, and on July 17, 599, proclaimed Christ with such power to a horde of pirates that their captain feared his men might desert him, and murdered the saint. In 1126 Hamon, a Norman nobleman, and a descendant of the sea rover, built an abbey on the rock with savent heartists. on the rock, with several beautiful churches, in expiration of his ances-tor's guilt. This abbey and its churches were still glorious in Paul-



all their remaining ornaments, bells, carvings, etc., which he sold in order that he might apply the proceeds towards defraying the expenses of putting in the foundations of the new fortress. In April, 1646, Charles II., then Prince of Wales, came to live at the castle and stopped there till June 25 the same year when he emparked for France. During this period Sir George de Carteret, the governor, found it difficult to get the Prince to the town church because of rough weather. So he resolved to make the abbey church, which had been used as a granary, once more a piace of worship. The flooring was, therefore, relaid, the ceiling restored, pews erected, and even bells cast. carvings, etc., which he sold in order pews erected, and even bells cast pews erected, and even bells cast. But just as all was ready the Prince went to France, and Sir George had his trouble for nothing. Charles returned to the castle as King in 1649 and remained five months. The Parliamentarians took the place in December, 1651, a shell thrown by them wrecking all that remained of the phase and doing such demonstrates. abbey and doing such damage generally that Sir George de Carteret thought it best to surrender. One of the most notable residents at Elizabeth Castle was Lord Clarendon, who came there in 1646 and remained for over two years. He lived in the second terrace of the castle and there began his famous history. As it was reckoned in the past so is Elizabeth Castle to-day a most formidable fort, which has recently been provided with the latest and most powerful modern guns. Moreover, it is very picturesque, and standing boldly out on its rocky promontory at once arrests the attention of all visi-

A Life-Saving King. King Christian of Denmark, the father of Queen Alexandra, recently performed a most heroic act, and one performed a most heroic act, and one which is especially notable, since he is eighty-five years old. In spite of his age, however, he still retains much of his old-time vigor and agility, and not a day passes that he does not spend some hours either on horseback or at gymnastic exercises. He is also very fond of taking long wells during which he is unlong walks, during which he is un-accompanied by any one, and it was on such an occasion that the follow-ing incident occurred: The King was waiting for an electric car to go by, and suddenly saw two little girls, one four years old and the other five, start to run across the track. one four years old and the other five, start to run across the track. The car was coming quickly towards them, but they had no idea that they were in any danger. Several persons shouted to them to stop, and others actually screamed with terror, so certain did it seem that the little ones would be crushed beneath the wheels, but just as the car was within a few feet of them, an old gentleman leaped forward, grasped them by the arms, and quickly drew them back to a place of safety. It was King Christian, and the crowd which had gathered, recognized him at once and respectfully saluted him. He bowed in reply, and then, after giving a few words of advice to the little girls, walked on alone to the Palace. 'What a pity,' says one who witnessed this scene, 'that there is no medal which can be presented to a life-saying monarch!'

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In the Ontario Norma, School at Toronto the other afternoon, Miss Jessie P. Semple, instructor in draw-Jessie P. Semple, instructor in diawing in the Toronto public schools, delivered a lecture on how to make the hone beautiful. In Canada's awakening this element has not received the attention it deserves, and Miss Semple said many things that are applicable all over the Dominion.

Miss Semple gave some examples of the growth and avverssion of the said.

the growth and expression of the self in children—the psychology of child-hood—as noted in the classes under her care—and showed her addence several examples of work dine by children, showing how art "happens" under our very eyes. She drew attention to the fact that such accuracy was shown in the drawing and color-ing of coveres. was shown in the drawing and coloring of flowers by the little ones,
proving that true art was based upon
a love of the thing pictured, and of
the work of portraying it. We must
be in sympathy always with nature,
the laws underlying which make for
beauty. In our homes we should
have nothing which we do not know
to be useful or believe to be the to be useful or believe to be beautiful. There must, of course, be a place given to the sentimental. Most of us, Miss Semple said, have too

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One of the most interesting as well as the most deadly of all rankes is the hooded cobra of India. In that country hundreds of people die every year from the venomous bite of these reptiles. As it lies coiled up in a heap in its cage it looks inoffensive mough, and not nearly so unpleasant as the stub-tailed chony moccasins. But when excited the cobre rears in the stub-tailed chory moccasins.

as the stub-tailed chony moccasins. But when excited the cobra rears upits head and about one-third of its body, and we now see the reason for the name "hooded." The ribs just back of the head are very long and slender, and when they are extended straight cut from the body the skin stretched between them forms a curved shield or hood around the head.

On the heaf, at this head, in the

ved shield or hood around the head. On the back of this hood, in the adult snake, is a most remarkable ornament, looking like two eyes or a pair of spectacles, nosepiece and all. In no two snakes is this ornament exactly alike, and some individuals lack it altogether.

When the snake sways back and forth all ready to strike, its tongue playing like lightning, one may indeed be glad that a thek sheet of grass is between him and this terrible threat of death. But one must remember that this tongue has nothing to do with the venom or bite, the poison fluid being stored up in little sacs, and when the snake strikes it is forced down and out through

es it is forced down and out through

the hollow teeth.

This is the snake which the snake charmers of the East use in their performances. The music of the flutes evidently excites them to spread their hoods, as does the presence of food.

When the hood is not in use it

closes back upon the neck and folds so neatly between the ribs that it disappears, and the neck of the snake shows no sign of being different in structure from that of ordinary

The cobra 'sometimes grows to a length of six feat, and often finds its way into the walls and roofs of houses, being fond of the rats which abound in such places in India. These snakes go about in pairs, and they never stray far from each other

they never stray far from each other. The female lays about twelve teggs, which are nearly as large as those of a pigeon, white, and very

they call "snake stones," which are very porous and absorbing substan-ces, and when these are applied to

the wound they draw up a considerable quantity of blood. How such crude treatment can ever effect a cure seems incredible, but many instances

have been reported by Englishmen where deception was out of the question. The wild jungle fowl are said to feed on the young snakes, and that curious little furry creature, the

mongoose, is the cobra's worst enemy, showing great skill and cun-ning in attacking and avoiding the fangs of the reptile. The snake is invariably killed in these encounters,

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much in our homes, thereby going directly contrary to the whose home decorations are simple and in exquisite taste.

In the decoration of the home there

are laws which must be obeyed; when disobeyed we have ugliness, when obeyed under compunction, we have freely, we have beauty. There is the law of harmony in color, in illustra-tion of which Miss Semple showed several flowers and color charts. Inseveral flowers and color charts. Incidentally she corrected a common mistr'se of most people in pointing out that "tints" are the light tones of a color, and that "shades" are the dark tones of a color. The people who make artificial flowers pay no attention to this law at all, placing on a flower a green leaf of a discordant shade, not knowing that all green leaves harmonize with the particular color of the flower they adorn. Miss Semple explained the laws of color harmony and contrast—harmony between "like" shades or colors.

A second law is that of space or different colors in the color of the flower they adorn.

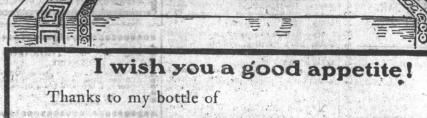
tween 'like' shades or colors.

A second law is that of space or difference, to illustrate which Miss
Semple drew a pretty little crayon
drawing of a sunset on the blackboard. In walls, windows, pictures,
picture hanging, she showed that
beauty was created by having a difference in lengths and breadths. In beauty was created by having a dif-ference in lengths and breadths. In arranging flowers, she told her hear-ers it was taler and better to keep to one kind and one color, and she exhibited a number of vases to em-phasize her advice. The housekeeper should study what color suited the conditions in her house; she should use the leaves of the flower used or those of one of the same color; she should always remember that the re-ceptacle is subservient to the flowers it contains; and that the very best it contains; and that the very best vase was one of clear glass, which allowed the freshness of the contents to be seen, and to become a thing of Transparent green made the next best receptacle, after which came a vase of a transparent glass of the same color as the flow-ers. A vase with a glazed green exterior harmonizes with almost any-

terior harmonizes with almost anything, it takes on so many colors. In reply to a question, Miss Semple gave some simple formulae for hanging pictures. The shape of the picture should harmonize with that of the wall on which it is to be hung. Variety in space divisions should be considered, and the householder should avoid hanging things in pairs, insisting on the same height above as below, or any other forms of the usual idea of balancing. A balance there should always be, but it should be more on the principle of the teeter-board, with the smaller pictures hung-nearer to the ends of the wall-space than the larger pictures. The space than the larger pictures. The heavier pictures should always gravi-tate lowest, and as far as possible pictures should be hung flat to the wall, instead of the prevalent prac-tice of hanging at an angle.

Lightning Photography. A boy who was killed in The Bronx, New York, recently by lighting had the likeness of a fern imprinted on his body by the shock. A similar incident is reported from Europe. During a shooting competition at Pont, in the Canton Yand, not lower are the considered. not long ago, the grandstand was struck by lightning, and twenty-five nersons received shocks, from which, however, they sustained but little physical injury. One most singular effect, however, remained. Every person who had felt the electric shock had, photographically stamped, upon the back, the face or the arms, the reflection of the pine trees behind the firing line.

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lingers as in content There fall on the old, gray city
An influence, luminous and sereneA shining peace.

The smoke ascends in a rosy and golden haze. The

spires
Shine and are changed. In the valley Shadows rise, The lark sings on.
The sun,
Closing his benediction,
Sinks and the darkening air
Thrills with a sense of the triumphaine might: , ing night; Night, with her train of stars And her great gift—of sleep.

So be my passing! My task accomplished and the long

day done,
My wages taken and on my heart
Some late lark singing,
Let me be gathered to the quiet west
The sundown splendid and serene.

Coughs, colds, hoarseness, and other throa The best sermon is that which

thinking for himself. Skirts gathered into the waistband all around, but only for the very slight woman.

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of the same brigade.

Regimental esprit de corps and rivatries of nationality caused constant quarrels, when swords were often whipped out or bullets exchanged. After a small battle had occurred in the streets of Madrid, in which over 200 French and Italian soldiers had taken part, the officers of the two regi-ments, in a council of war assembled, lecided to give such breaches of order a great blow and to re-establish discipline. They decreed that the masterspline. They decreed that the masters-at-arms of the two regiments should take up the quarrel and fight it out. Imagine a whole army in battle array on one of the large plains that sur-

round Madrid. In the center a large ring is left open for the contestants. This spot is raised above the plain so that not one of the spectators of this tragic scene—gayly dressed officers, soldiers in line, Spaniards, excited as never a bull fight excited them—will miss one phase of the contest. It is before 10,000 men that the honor of an army is about to be avenged in the blood of thirty brave men.

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many kinds of medicines, but found Italian. The second, tall, also hand-some and with muscles like steel, stands modestly awaiting the word of command. His name is Jean Louis. The econds take their places on either side of their principals. A deathlike silence

mary kinds of medicnes, but avan-no relief or cure until I got hold of Paire's Celery Compound. Your medicne possesses such curing powers that in my case two bottles set me all "On guard!" The two masters cross swords. Giacomo Ferrari lunges repeatedly at Jean Louis, but in vain. His every thrust is that it my case two bottles set me all right, so that I can work as will as sever, sleep well and enjoy my food, feel deeply grateful for such medicine, and at every chance I recommend it to others. No doctor can cure as quick as your Paine's Celery Com-pound." met by a parry. He makes up his mind to bitle his chance and caresses and teases his opponent's blade. Jean Louis, calm and watchful, lends himself to the play, when, quicker than lightning, the Italian jumps aside with a loud yell and makes a terrible lunge at Jean Louis, a Florentine trick, offen suc-cessful. But with extraordinary rapid-ity Jean Louis has parried and risposts

quickly in the shoulder.

"It is nothing," cries Giacomo; "a
mere scratch." And they again fall on
guard. Almost directly he is hit in the This 'time the sword of Jean Medical advice free to all who desire it. Address "Consulting Physician," The Wells & R chardson Co., Limited, 200 Mountain St., Montreal, Louis, who is now attacking, penetrates deeply. Giacomo's face becomes livid, his sword drops from his hand, and he falls heavily on the turf. He is dead. Jean Louis is already in position. He wipes his reeking blade; then, with the

point of his sword on the ground, he calmly awaits the next man.

The best fencer of the First regiment "Did you hear about the catastrophe has just been carried away a corpse, but the day is not yet over. Fourteen "Why, Mrs. Brown gave the baby a bottle to play with, and while she was adversaries are there, impatient to measure swords with the conqueror, in the kitchen it fell out of the cradle ourning to avenge the master they had

deemed invincible.

Jean Louis hardly had two minutes rest. He is/ready. A new adversary stands before him. A sinister click of swords is heard, a lunge, a parry, a rispost and then a cry, a sig over. A second body is before Jean

A third adversary advances. They want Lean Louis to rest. "I am not tired," he answers, with a smile. The signal is given. The Italian is as tall as the one who lies there a corpse covered by a military cloak. He has closely watched Jean Louis' play and thinks he has guessed the secret of his victories. He multiplies his feints and tricks; then, all at once, bounding like a A dozen shades of white, just to tiger on his prey, he gives his opponent a terrible thrust in the lower line. But Furs fearfully and wonderfully be-decked with crochet, embroidery, braid and chiffon. Jean Louis' sword has parried and is now deep within his opponent's breast. Big beaver sailors trimmed with

What need we to relate any more? Ten new adversaries followed lim, and the ten fell before Jean Louis amid the excited yells and roars of an army.

At the request of the Thirty-second regiment's colonel, who thought the lesson sufficient, Jean Louis after much pressing consented to stop the combat, and he shook hands with the two sur-vivors, applauded by 10,000 men.

From that day fights ceased between French and Italian soldiers. This wonderful and gigantic combat might be held a fable were not all the facts above stated still found in the archives of the ministry of war.

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He was a Cornish miner, and he went to the local dentist to have a troublesome tooth drawn. "I want a tooth held out," he announced, with a fine air of unconcern, taking his seat in the chair of torture and opening his mouth for inspection. "Which one is it?" asked the dentist. "Thicky there, I reckon," he replied, pointing a coal grimed Lager toward the one which seemed to him to be the seat of torment. There was brief silence, a long, sickening was brief silence, a long, sickening wrench, and out the supposed offender came. "Why, this isp t the one, man. It's perfectly sound," said the man with the forceps. The miner looked at the tooth gravely, return-ed it, leaned back in the chair com-posedly, gripped its arms ready for the fray and quietly remarked, 'Well, I reckon ye'd better go straight on till ye come to 'n.''

DISLOCATED HER SHOULDER.

Mrs. Johanna Soderholm, of Fergus Falls, Minn., fell and dislocated shoulder. She had a surgeon get it back in place as soon as possible, but it was quite sore and pained her very much. Her son mentioned that he had seen Chamberlain's Pain Balm, adventiged for grains and sorross had seen thanhirman and sortness, and she asked him to buy her a bottle of it, which he did. It quickly relieved her and enabled her to sleep, which she had not done for several days. For sale by all druggists.

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The man who never laughs i-n't worth laughing at.

The slave of a passion thinks in ring, as hares run; he will cose where he began.

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The peculiar cough which indi cates croup, is usually well known to the mothers of croupy children. No time should be lost in the treatment of it, and for this purpose no medi-cine has received more universal ap-proval than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. For sale by all druggists.

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Think that you are but human, and

A puny child is always an anxiety to the parents. There seems gener-ally no reason why the little one should be weak when it is so well fed. But the fact is that it does not mat-ter how much food the child takes if the stomach cannot extract the nour-ishment from it. No benefit can be derived from just eating. That is the condition of many a sickly child. The stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition are not doing their work, and the body is really starving. It is little use to give fish foods, like col liver oil or emulsions, in such a case, because these also have to be the stomach cannot extract the nour col liver oil of eminators. The scase, because these also have to be digested; they may lighten the stomach's labor but they don't strengthen it. Strength is what the stomach needs. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery' strengthens the stomach nourishes the nerves and increases the action of the blood-making glands. It is superior to every other preparation for children's use, on account of its body building qualities, and also because it is pleasant to the taste and contains no alcohol, whiskey or other intoxicant. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are a valuable aid when the bowels are irregular. They are small. Children take them readily. case, because these also ha

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THE WILY RED MAN.

Some Instances of the Indiansi Quickness of Wit. Numerous instances of the red man's quickness of wit are related by those who have had dealings with him. A Canadian chief was looking idly on while some Englishmen were hard at work improving property newly acquired from the dusky tribe.

"Why don't you work?" asked the supervisor of the chief.

"Why you no work yourself?" was

the rejoinder.
"I work headwork," replied the white man, touching his forehead. "But come here and kill this calf for me, and I'll give you's quarter."

The Indian stood still for a moment,

apparently deep in thought, and then he went off to kill the calf.

"Why don't you finish your job?" presently asked the supervisor, seeing the man stand with folded arms over the unskinned, undressed carcass. "You say you give me quarter to ill calf," was the reply. "Calf dead. kill calf."

Me want quarter."

The white man smiled and handed the Indian an extra coin to go on with

the work.
"How is it," asked the Englishman one day after a series of such one sided dealings, "that you so often get the better of me?"
"I work headwork." solemnly replied

the man of the woods.

A white trader once succeeded in

selling a large quantity of gunpowder to one of this tribe on the assurance that it was a new kind that the white man used for seed and if sown in es-pecially prepared loam would yield an amazing crop. Away went the Indian to sow his powder and in his hope of making money from his fellows was careful not to mention his enterprise. When at last, however, he realized how he had been duped he held his tongue for a year or more until the trickster had completely forgotten the occur-rence. Then he went to his hoaxer's store and bought goods on credit amounting to a little more than the price of the planted gunpowder. He had the reputation of a good payer, and his scheme worked easily. When setfling day came, the creditor called

promptly. "Right," said the Indian slowly "right, but my powder not yet sprout-Me pay you when me reap him."

CURED BY SARCASM.

A Lesson In the Use of Simple Terms in Letter Writing.

A few months ago the son of a railway director was through his father's influence given a position of some importance on a large railway. He was fresh from Cambridge, and in the or-ders which he from time to time issued to the men under him always made use of the longest, most unusual words. This habit led to some rather expensive blunders, and, the matter coming before the general manager, he wrote the young official the following letter:

"In promulgating your esoteric cogl-tations and in articulating your super-ficial sentimentalities and amicable phil-osophical or psychological observations beware of platitudinous ponderosity. Let your conversational communication possess a clarified conciseness, a compacted comprehensibleness, a coales cent consistency and a concatenated cogency. Eschew all conglomeration of flatulent garrulity, jejune babblement and asinine affectation. Let your ex temporaneous descantings and unpre-meditated expatiation have intelligibility and veracious vivacity, without rho-domontade or thrasonical bombast Sedulously avoid all polysyllabic profundity, ventriloquial verbosity and vaniloquent vapidity. Shun double entendre, prurient jocosity and pestifer ous profanity, obscurant or apparent In other words, talk plainly, briefly, naturally, sensibly, purely and truthfully. Don't put on airs; say what you mean what you say, and don't

use big words." The young official took the gentle hist and changed his style.-London

Doing Europe.
Facilities for traveling nowadays are so accelerated that it is quite possible for the tourist to pass through five European countries in fourteen hours; barring accidents—namely, England, France, Belgium, Germany and Ho land. Take the express from Charing Cross to Dover and cross over to Calais—two countries. Then with the in-tercontinental express you proceed to sels-three countries. From the Belgian capital by train to Aix-la-Chapelle, which is German territory making the fourth country, and after allowing time for a meal a drive to Vaals, in Holland, makes the fifth country-and all in fourteen hours.

An Odd Collection An entertainer who visited the Fiji islands and gave his performance be-fore the natives had the following receipts for one night: Four sucking pigs, 800 cocoanuts, 1,000 of a common class of moonstone collected on the beach, 40 pearls, 23 model canoes, 200 yards of native cloth, 42 Fiji costumes, 3 whale's teeth, hundreds of sharks' whale's teeth, nundreds of banks teeth, one or two cart loads of beautiful coral, war implements, such as spears, knobsticks and knives, native mats and pillows and 7 grog bowls.

"You say the audience laughed when you recited 'Marco Bozzaris' in Chica-

"Yes," answered Mr. Stormington Barnes. "You see, when I came to the lines beginning 'Strike!' the people thought it was a local allusion."

When a man will kill himself because woman refuses to marry him it is onclusive evidence that the woman

SCOURGE OF THE -GL IS KIDNEY DISEASE

it is Common to Ali Classes and Conditions of Perple

It Creep Stealthily into the Systen and Develops into Many Diseases

Bright's Disease, Heart Disease, Diabetes, Dropsy, and Rneumatism are Among the Forms it Takes.

Dodd's Kidney Pills the One Bemedy That Nover fails to Cure It, No Mat-ter How or When It is Found.

Of all the diseases the human has to combat m its struggle for health, the one that is steadily grow-ing in strength and terrous is Kid-ney Disease. Quietly, stealthily as a ent, it creeps on no victim till latter is enveloped in its folds, and the greatest, physicians the world has ever known stand helpless world has ever known stand helpless before it. As the last fold goes around the struggling victim and the doctor shakes his head and whis-pers "Bright's Disease," hope fades to nothing, and the sorrowing friends feel that death has marked their lov-

feel that death has marked their loved one for its own.

The alarming increase this terrible disease is making is evidenced by the columns of almost every newspaper. For not among the lowly of the earth alone does it look for its victims. Statesmen, judg s, eminent lawyers, and honored divines are numbered among those who in recent months have gone down to their graves with the fell marks of this dread disease upon their bodies. In fact, so prevalent has the disease become that a upon their bodies. In fact, so preva-lent has the disease become that a celebrated New York specialist stat-ed recently that not one person in a hundred was free from some tain? of Kidney Disease.

cine. Among those cured of this terrible ailment is Mr. Charles Glichrist, for fifteen years Chief of Police of Port Hope, and afterwards for twenty many moment your chances of successfully fighting him are terribly diminished. So it is, with Kidney Disease. Its first warnings are se faint as to be hardly noticeable, a slight pain in the back that is charged up to over exertion, a slight discoloration of the urine or a burning sensition while urinating attracts attention. That is all. But that means that Kidney Disease is at work gradually eating its way into your system. The pain in the back grows more severe, the urinary trouble more complicated, swellings under the eyes and of the limbs denote the coming of Dropsy, sharp shooting pains in the joints and muscles tell that Rheumatism has you in its grasp, or perhaps a day or two's illness leads to the celling of the doctor, and success, Bright's Disease, and Rheumatism. I was so feeble I was unable to expending the terrible truth is forced upon you—Bright's Disease has you in its grasp. WAY OF Excape.

With this silent, retentless enemy slowly but surely eating its way into prominence and marking that prominence by a yearly increase in the lengths of its death list, the demand of the day, of the hour, is "Show us the way of escape." Nature never put mankind in a critical condition without credition.

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of Canada. Is it the common people of Canada who die of Bright's Disease? No, it is the bright and shining marks, those who are stationed above the heads of the masses. Ask the reason of, this! Go to the people who are practically exempt from Kidney Disease in its worst form, and ask them. With alworst form, and ask them. With alworst form, and ask them. worst form, and ask tuem. With all most a single voice they will reply: "We cure our Kidney ailments with Dodd's Kidney Pills, and they never get a chance to develop into that terrible disease that carries so many prominent men into the grave." ON WITH HIS WORK.

Ana so it is; the man who does manual labor must heal his slightest aches or they hinder him in his work. When he has a backache he cures it with Dodd's Kidney Pills, and goes on with his work; when he feels a twinge of Rheumatism he drives it out of his body with Dodd's Kidney Pills and goes on with his work. Necessity has taught him that he must cure his Kidneys to get rid of his pains, for he must work to live. He has not been educated to that standpoint where a prescription to cure must be written by a specialist at a cost of dollars to every letter. He may not even know that there never was a disease that took in all classes of the community but what nature provided a cure within the means of all classes of the community. What he does know is more to the point than all this. He knows that Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure all aches which experience has taught him come from the Kidneys. He takes Dodd's Kidney Pills and goes on with his work.

SOME EXCEPTIONS.

RHEUMATISM CURED.

Rheumatism and kindred Kadney. Diseases, such as Lumbago, Sciatica, and Gout, are caused by uric acid in the blood, if the Kidneys are put in working order they strain all the uric acid out of the blood, and the Rheurican goes with it. Take the case of W. G. Cragg, of Dresden, Ont. Here is his statement:

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W. G. Cragg;

Ex-Reeve of Dresden, Ont.

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Thousands of Canadans are shouting.

Thousands of Cam diams are shouting their praises of the conqueror.

Just a few of those who have neglected the early symptoms, reached the more advanced stages of Kidingy Diseases, and found a cure in Dodd's Kidney Pills are given below. There are thousands of others. Askin your own immediate neighborhood. You will not have to go far to meet men, women and children who have either warded off or cured the terror of the present age by using the old Canadian stand-by Dodd's Fidney Pills.

BRIGHT'S DISEASE CHARE

BRIGHTS DISEASE CURES

Bright's Disease has invariably ielded to a treatment of Dodd's Bright's Disease has haveinby yielded to a treatment of Bodd's Kidney Pills, no matter how firm a held it had secured on its victim. Possibly the most talked of case of recent date is that of Alise Educiparker, of Shubenacadie, Bants Co., N. S. The full story of this case will be found in the current number of Dodd's Magazine. Herewith a short statement from the young lady's mother is appeaded:

ther is appeaded:

Two doctors pronounced my daughter's illness: Bright's Disease, and gave her up to die. Her cyclids swelled till she could hardly see, her legs from her ankles to her kuees swelled. Her belt in health was twenty ed. Her set in health was twenty inches, when she was at her worst it was 48 inches. Then she gave up all other treatment and started to take Dodd's Kidney Fills, By the time she had taken the :first box I saw a had taken the first box I saw a change. It took a long time to bring her back to perfect health, but Dodd's Kidney Pills did it. To-day my daugh-ter is in perfect health.

Mrs. T. G. Parker,

Shubencadie, Hants Co., N. S. DIABETES CURED.

Diabetes is another of the most fearful and tatal forms of Kidney Disease that has been cured by Dodd's Kidney Pilis, and by no other medicine. Among those cured of this terrible ailment is Mr. Charles Gilebrist, for fifteen years Chief of Police of Port Hope, and afterwards for twenty-two years Fishery Overseer under the Dominion Government. He makes the following statement:

I was a sufferer for ten years with Diabetes and Kidney Disorder. At Diabetes is another of the most

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Dropsy, another disease cured by diseased Kidneys failing to do their work and remove the surplus water. from the blood, is another ailment Dodd's Kidney Pills always cure. Here-

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I was a total wreek before I sbarted to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. In the mornings before I got out of bed I could hardly put my feet to the floor they were so much swollen from Dropsy. My arms used to swell at times so that I could not put on my coat. I had to be tapped to be relieved from my terrible pains. On the advice of a friend I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. Before I had finished the second box I felt much better. Seven boxes cured me completely. I don't know what it is to be sick since I used Dodd's Kidney Pills. Pills.

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Of course, there are exceptions to every rule. Even among common people there are those who neglect the early warnings of Kidney Disease. It takes exceptions to prove the rule-but many of these exceptions prove more—they prove that no case of Kidney Disease is too far gone for Dodd's Kidney Pills to cure. Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Dropsy, Heart Disease, Diabetes, Dropsy, Heart Disease in its advanced stages—have been met by Dodd's Kidney Pills, and never ones has Canada's great Kidney Remedy had to admit defeat,

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The entertainment closes with a genuinely funny farce called "A Lot-

tery Ticket," an up-to-date burlesque

containing many laughable situations, and calls for the strength of the entire company. During the action of the burlesque many features of a new and novel nature will be introduced.

HE DESERVED PITY

His suffering from Sciatica was so

Forget the sorrows and anxieties

Handsome evening cloaks of

fyesterday.

THE STAGE

ANNOUNCEMENTS. At the Chatham Grand:-

Innocent Maids—Jan. 19-20. Maccabée Minstrels—Jan. 21-22. Ritchie Co .- Jan. 25. A Thoroughbred Tramp-Jan. 27. Henry VIII.-Jan. 29.

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INNOCENT MAIDS.

The great success attained for the mast three seasons by the "Innocent Maids," which come to the Grand tonight, is largely due to the many novelties presented by this excellent attraction. This year Manager Dinkins, after careful consideration and considerable research, has gotten together a company that promises to scripse any burlesque company on the woad. Two new and osiginal bur-lesques are presented, which will cer-tainly create a sensation. The first tainly create a sensation. The first part is a funny skit brimful of genaine comedy entitled "The Magic
Hat," and introduces twenty handsomely gowned young ladies in medleys and dances to the accompaniment of bright and catchy music. An
entire innovation in this class of entertainment will be the introduction
of a sensational novelty entitled "A
Study in Art," in which the entire
remeany takes part. Ten chances company takes part. Ten changes of scenery, especially painted for this production, are required.

The olio comprises many acts new to the vaudeville stage, besides a few old favorites, such as Foley and Dale,

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Has been added to Willard McKay's Confectionery. For short order and regular meals, give him a call, also Hot and Cold Lunches.

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Two pianos (8 hands) —William Tell
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Piano—Prelude No. 17, op. 28, —Miss
B. Kindzeie.
Piano—Moonlight Sonata—Miss M.
VonGunten.
Piano—La Coquett — Miss Gertie
Sonekman.

Piano—Sonata op. 31 (Allegro)—M ss. M. G. Shillington.
Piano—Shepherds all, and Maidens Fair—M ss. R. Jam'eson.
Piano—a. Rustle of Spr'ng; b. Valse op. 64, No. 2—Miss Freda Spackman.
Mrs. J. M. Sheldon and George Sheldon were here on Friday, attending the funral of little Frances Sheldon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Biggar, of Cal-

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Biggar, of Calgary, who have been visting friends and relatives here, left for Chatham to visit her brother, Mr. Jeff Stokes.

Last summer Roy Nelles of this town wrote his name and address on an egg. On Friday last he received a Postal Book of Views of Weymouth, Dorsetshire, England, with the folfollowing writtren in it.

14 St. Leomard's Rd. Weymouth, Jun. 4, '04.

Having found an egg with your name and address on, I thought you would like to know its destination so am just writing you this brief note. We greatly appreciate the eggs and butter we receive from Canada, and trust as time goes on her trade with the mother country will increase. Wishing you a happy and Prosperous New Year, I remain

Yours truly, ROBT. S. COMBER. Mrs. John Cameron, Sr., is visiting

friends in Someoe.
On Saturday the evening freight train was blocked in a snow drift near Trotter's Lane, on the L. E. & Miss Nina Dodd's of Lakeview House Ericau, is visiting relatives in town

Ericau, is visiting relatives in town. Marks Bros. played here last night to a good heuse. The play nut on was entitled the revealed Mystery and, as usual, was good throughout. Mr. and Mrs. D. Hasting and son have returned from Wingham. The hockey boys play the boys of Huffman's Corners this afternoon. The R.v. C. T. Scott, of London, will preach the anniversary sermons, both morning and even mg, at the Method'st church next Sunday.

Mr. Lind and Mr. W. Gonnor, of London, were in town on Monday.

RULES FOR LONDON THEATRES.

There is printed on the program

His suffering from Sciatica was so great, but thanks to Nerviline he was cured. "I suffered for three years from sciatica," writes E. S. Jenkins, of Portland, "and no man ever suffered more. I spent a small fortune on different remedies, but the only one with real medit was Nerviline. I used a few bottles of Nerviline and was perfectly cured. I can recommend Nerviline as a sure cure for sciatica; it's excellent also for rheumatism and neuralgia." Try Nerviline, 25c. at all druggists. There is printed on the program of every London theatre the following extract from rules made by the London County Council:

The name of the actual, responsible manager of the theatre must be printed on every play bill.

The public can leave the theatre at the end of the performance by all exits and entrance doors, which must open outward.

open outward.
Where there is a fireproof screen

to the proseculum opening it must be lowered at least once during every, performance to insure its being in proper working order.

All gangways, passages and stair-cases must be kept free from chairs

cases must be kept tree from chars or any other obstructions.

Rules which experience has demonstrated are needful for the protection of life in English theatres may well be adopted in Chicago with-Start each day as if commencing

out the slightest demur. It really is possible occasionally for Americans to learn something from Eng

lishmen.

It is the law in Chicago that there shall be no obstruction of gangways or passages and no overcrowding, but it is constantly being violated. The difference between London and Ohicago is that rules and regulations when once made there are enforced. Here they are not.—The Chicago Times.

A Conversation with a Climax

When a Professional Man Talks, It's to the Point. Several famous American physician

and surgeons were recently dining together after a session of a national meeting held in New York. "I had a remarkable case this winter," remarked a surgeon present, winter," remarked a surgeon present, whose name as a specialist in rectal diseases is world wide, "my patient was a woman, a delicate, nerveracked creature, who had suffered so fearfully from the ravages of hemorrhoids, that the knife seemed the only solution of the trouble, and yet her learn was weak and her strength so wasted by this fearful disease, that we dared not operate. "I hid coased my visits to her for time and find given up all hope, when one morning she entered my office looking like a new woman; the pallor had desappared and the lines of suffering were nearly cradicated for had disappeared and the lenes of suffering were nearly cradicated from her face. She told me she had bought at a drug store for fifty cents a proprietory medicine in suppository form called Pyramid Pile Cure, and had obtained instant relief from the first insertion. I made an examination and found the rectum in excellent condition, the inflammation entirely disappeared and the swollen veins in normal condition. swollen veins in normal condition.

swollen veins in normal condition.

"I was so interested in the case that I had the remedy analyzed carefully and was so pleased with the result of the analysis, finding a combination of the most healing and scientific remedies present in the Pyramid Pile Cure and in a more convenient form than I could secure them otherwise, that I wrote to the Pyramid Bring Company at Marshall. them otherwise, that I wrote to the Pyramid Drug Company at Marshall, Mich., asking for their booklet on Piles, their Nature, Cause and Cure, which by the way is sent free, and have since used their Pile Cure extensively and with the best results in my practice. I do not hesitate to recommend at to you all. It will often save your pattent from a painful surgical operation which in many

FINDING OF

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a pretty thorough investigation, and having no interest in either the City or the County, his recommendations were on the fairest basis he saw possible. Neither the City or County representatives seemed inclined to bring the matter to a focus, so it was decided to receive the report and to adjourn till, two o'clock Friday afternoon.

Warden Robinson, seen after the meeting by a Planet representative, wid:
"Although F do not think the City

is paying as much as it should I think the suggestion of Mr. Macpherson as to a settlement is a good one. It will be, I think, slightly better for the County than the pres-ent way, and not only that, but it will mean the saying of much time to all concerned and is a much

CREW AFLOAT ON A RAFT

Morley's Characterization of Premier Balfour's Cabinet.

The Imperialism the Author of the Life of Gladstone Swears By-A Refresh Public Men-Echoes From the Cam paign in Britain and Australia-What Japan Would Do.

London, Jan. 19.(C.A.P.)-John Morley yesterday was presented with the freedom of Arbroath in recognithe freedom of Arbroath in recogni-tion of his public services and for de-dicating to the community his life of Gladstone. In an address he called the Balfour Government a scratch Cabinet crew afloat on a raft. The slower increase of trade was due to the larger volume of trade of the great free port of London, which drew like a loadstone the wealth and produce of every part of the world. That Imperialism he swore by. Re-taliation was not possible. "The Government was not possible. The Government was unable to say that the president of the United States was unfair because a certain Pittsburg firm was sending British goods. Lord Avebury's View.

Lord Avebury says he cannot see any colonial inclination toward free trade with the Motherland. If the colonies shut out our goods it is lit-tle advantage to us if they raise further barriers against foreign coun-tries.

British Public Parity.

The Empress says the determination of Mr. Gibbs, M.P., to resign his seat in Parliament on account of being an intermediary in the purchase of the Chillan warships, speaks volumes for the purity of British

How the Campaign Goes,

The proprietors of Kynoch's ammunition factory, Birmingham, employing 6,000 hands, say the preferential tariff would damage their

An open-air meeting of 3,000 peo-

An open-air meeting of 3,000 people at Sydney yesterday cordially approved preferential trade.

Premier Seddon declared at Wellington that his preferential act had done something to help his kinsmen against foreigners, and more would follow if their overtures were not

follow if their overtures were not repelled.

The Attorney-General, addressing his constituents, vesterday, said in spite of difficulties and the objections of preferential tariffs, he thought the colonies desired most having a voice in Imperial affairs. Made Nearly in Germany.

The Leader announces that the John Bull's store song, which aroused tremendous enthusiasm in the Music Hall, has been printed and published by dumped German capi-

tal. Premier Seddon wires The Express

that the preference act was not forced through Parliament. It had a majority of 50 to 16.

What Japan Could De.

Marquis Ito told an Australian vis-itor that it was a great mistake to shut the doors against the Japanese. If Australia was invaded by an enemy Japan would come to the rescue with both an army and a fleet. Hold Together to Be Strong.

London, Jan. 19 .- (C. A. P.)-Mr Chamberlain, writing to the Attor-ney-General of New South Wales, said: "If the Empire breaks up into atoms. each will be comparatively atoms, insignificant, powerless and uninter-esting. If it holds together it will be the most powerful civilizing influence in the world."

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If you contemplate the purchase of a fur lined coat this season now is your chance, as we are selling them at reduced prices, and have as complete a stock as you will find in Ontario. There are three qualities of linings and you can have your choice between a Persian Lamb or Otter Collar in each quality.

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In Men's we have 100 pairs Box Calf Bals, G. W. newest lasts, reg. \$4, 3.50 and 3.00 shoes for \$2. Sizes as follows—14-6, 5-6½, 12-7, 12-8, 12-½, 19 9, 7½, 13-10, 1-11.

14 pairs Men's Waterproof (dry foot) Bals, newest last, heavy double sole, G. W., regular \$5 for \$4. Sizes, 1.62, 1.71, 3.8, 2.1, 3.9, 1.92, 1.10, 1.101, 2.11.

30 pairs Men's G. W. Box Calf Bals of best grade stock. \$5, \$4 and \$3.50 for \$3. Sizes 3 6, 3 6 1/2, 2-7, 4-8,

18 pairs Men's Dong. Bal, G.W., regular \$3 shoe for \$2.50. Sizes 3-6, 2-6\frac{1}{2}, 3 8, 1.8\frac{1}{2}, 5.9, 2-9\frac{1}{2}, 1-10, 1-11 41 pairs Men's im. Alligator and Velvet Slippers; reg. \$1 Slippers, 50c.; sizes 4-6, 1-7, 13-8, 9-9, 10-10,4-11

10 pairs Men's Opera Slippers, worth \$1.50 for \$1. Sizes, regular.

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115 pairs Empress and the Hague Shoes, all sizes, regular \$3 for \$2.50.

89 pairs Vici Kid Bals, G. W., pat. top extension sole, latest up-to-date last, reg. \$2.50 for \$2.76 pairs Women's Shoes, latest design: up-to-date toe, pat. tip, reg. \$2 for 1.50 all sizes.

Women's Rubbers for 50c.; Women's Rubbers for 25c.; and all sizes.

All sizes in Misses' Shoes, reg. \$1.75 and \$1.50 for \$1.25.

Children's and Boys' Shoes reduced accordingly.

REMEMBER this sale starts on Monday, Jan. 18 and ends on Jan. 30, for two weeks only. Remember the place and call and secure a bargain. NO GOODS ALLOWED ON APPROVAL OR BOOKED only at regular price as the terms of sales is STRICTLY CASH. REPAIRING DONE AT STORE.

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