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# Saturday a Wash Goods Day

We have just this week passed through the customs nearly three thousand yards of American Printed Wash Goods, the newest New York creations in designs and colorings, the entire Their Front Rank Displayed Admirable Coolness, the Report Says lot will be on sale next Saturday.

### Ginghams

### Prints

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This is above all other time the season for carpets. Our business in carpets this spring has exceeded our expectations, but we are ready for the increased trade with the largest stock we ever handled. We show an exceptionally fine range of hemps, unions, all-wools, brussels, velvets and Axminsters, but this week we want particularly to draw your attention to our immense stock of

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For all round wear, for bed rooms, parlors or dining rooms, for any room on which you wish to put a medium priced carpet, nothing will give you better satisfaction than a tapestry. We have one of the largest showings of tapestry carpets west of Toronto and can give you any desirable coloring and the newest designs. We sew all tapestry—and carpets free of charge and deliver them freight paid to any station in Ontario.

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Yard wide Percries, in very neat pink, sky and navy stripes, very special

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in elegant stripes and floral designs, in the new shades of old rose, sky, pink and green, very special values at..... 124c, 20c and...... 25

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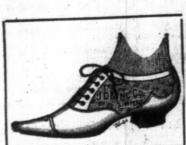
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5th house down past General Hospital. How truly is a kindl heart a foun--Washington Irving.

### **WORLD OF SPORT**

All the baseball games of yesterday seemed to show a tendency to large scores and numerous errors. In many cases doubtless the weather conditions were responsible. The results of the contests were as

follows :-NATIONAL LEAGUE. At Philadelphia-

Philadelphia-4 9 B. Brooklyn-5 8 6. At St. Louis-

St. Louis—12 9 5. Cincinnati—16 19 6. At Pittsburg-Pittsburg-3 .7 4. Chicago-2 fo 1. Rain at Boston.

AMERICAN LEAGUE. At Chicago-

Chicago-5 5 5. Detroit-7 6 5. At Washington-Washington-4 9 5. Baltimore-11 14 At Philadelphia-Boston-28 21 4. Philadelphia-14 19 3.

At Cleveland-Cleveland-7 12 1. Milwaukee-9 17 1

EASTERN LEAGUE. At Rochester-Montreal-6 8 2. Rochester-10 10 2. At Buffalo-

Buffalo-0 8 3 Toronto-4 8 5. At Worcester-Worcester-7 10 0. At Providence-

Providence-5 8 2. Syracuse-2 5 2.

WESTERN LEAGUE. At Toledo-

Grand Rapids, 8; Fort Wayne, 5 At Louisville-Columbus, 3; Louisville, 4.

At Marion-Marion, 4; Toledo, 7. At Dayton-

Dayton, 1; Indianapolis, 10. London, Ont., has organized a la

The London, Ont., cricket club meet

teams are playing this afternoon in the city league competition. A meeting of the Gun Club is call ed for this (Friday) evening, May 3, at 8.30, in the parlors of the Grand Central Hotel.

The C. C. I. and C. B. C. football

Says the Cincinnati Enquirer: The batting of "Wahoo" Sam Crawford in the late games has been ter-rific. If he keeps up the clip he set here, he will be among the leading sluggers of the National league this

LEG-BEFORE-WICKET.

London, May 3.—The proposal to alter the law of leg-before-the-wicket failed to obtain the necessary two-thirds majority at the meeting of the thirds majority at the meeting of the Marylebone Cricket Club Wednesday, the voting being 259 in favor of alteration and 198 against; thus, although the rule remains unaltered, it is evident that a very strong majority is in favor of the suggested change. The question has greatly agitated the cricket world for some weeks.

### GENERAL COLVILLE EULOGISES CANADIANS AT PAARDEBERG

-Other South African News.

laid report of the memorable fight at Paardeberg was issued yesterday. It gives great praise to the Caadians, who figured so conspicuously in this engagement, which brought about the surrender of Cronje. In reference to the assault on the 27th of February 1900 by 240 men of the Royal Canadian Regiment of Infantry under Lt .-Col. Buchan, C. M. G., the General says -"So well did they and thirty men of the Royal Engineers do their work that before daylight the enemy's advanced positions were completely commanded. Only thoroughly well disciplined troops could have successfully kept such orderly formation in the march in the darkness. The coolness displayed in the front rank of the Canadiana was admirable." of the Canadians was admirable."

GRAZING GROUNDS.

London, May 2.- A despatch to the Morniag Post from Pretoria, says that the consumption of captured stock and the loss of animals from overcrowding are so enormous that it has become ing and grazing grounds for the cattle. Large numbers of cattle are accordingly being sent to Zululand, their homes. necessary to provide favorable breed-

London, May 2.-Gen. Colville's mis- | and sheep to certain districts of the

MYSTERIOUS MURDER. Cape Town, May 2. - A European woman, her son and a native servant have been mysteriously murdered at Waterval Boven, Transvaal. The woman's skull was fractured, the son's breast was shattered, and the servant had been shoil. The house bore evidence of a terrible struggle. Nothing had been stolen.

MAJOR MERITT'S OFFER. Ottawa, May 2.—It is presumed at the department of militia that noth-ing is to be done in the case of Major meritt's offer to raise another Canadian corps for South Africa. Some time ago the department was notified

that the offer was to be kept open(till the end of April, but the department has heard nothing more from the imperial authorities. RETURNING WARRIORS.

Quebec, May 2.—Nineteen non-com-missioned officers and men, three of them invalids, who served with the Canadian forces in South Africa, will reach here to-morrow morning on the steamship Lake Megantic. Lieut. Peltier. D. O. C., was engaged to-day ar-

# DOING DAMAGE TO BOATS

Uranus Crashed Into the Pickands-Other Vessels in Danger-High Water at St. Clair Continues.

Marine City, Michigan, May 2.—At 3 ice opposite Schlinkert's coal dock, clock this afternoon the ice began to The water is still high in the river. o'clock this afternoon the ice began to move, but only for a short time. Within a few minutes vessel after vessel the water front here

the lines began to break with reports like cannon shots. Steam had been kept up on all the boats, so as to be raedy for any emergency.

The Northwestern made fast after drifting some 300 yards down the shore. Half a mile down the river a group of vessels got adrift with serious results. The stern of the Uranus crashed into the stem of the Pickands, and carried away part of the forward deck house. The Uranus suffered almost as much in her after deck house, and it is said will lose her rudder as well. The dock there was literally torn out by the roots when the piles to which the lines were made fast began to let go. A warm rain this afternoon gave encouragement that th eice would be softened soon, but the shower passed over in an

aground. There is less than 100 feet of navigable water between the boat and the shoal. The steamer Edward S, Hall, lumber laden, is fast in the

St. Clair, Mich., May 2.-The ice went adrift. Some were placed in great danger, which was averted only by the promptest action. The boats by the promptest action. The boats dock, at 5 o'clock. She is now tied up here. The ice stove a hole in her bow, but as soon as the vessel remarks. fixed ice this morning her crew patch-

> The captain reports having passed through ten miles of ice at the mouth of the St. Clair river, in Lake Huron, extending as far east as could be seen with glasses. The water rose eight inches at noon, and fell about nine in-ches by 3 o'clock. To-night the water rose over a foot, and is now three and one-half feet above the usual mark. It is the highest known here for a dozen or more years. Langell's shippard on Pine river, usually per-fectly dry, is now under water. The ice is moving slowly, but the indica-tions are that it will stop soon. It is reported here that Marine City and Port Huron are out of coal for ves-

Port Huron, Mich., May 2 .- The St. Clair River is full of running ice to-night but it is blocked a little above St. Clair. The great pressure of ice in the river to-day caused the jam to break at Stag island, and it moved Tarther down. The blockade is again forming and coming up the river. The Uranus and Pickands and is in a dangerous position when the ice starts again. The ice is crowding the steamer Nyanza on to the head of Fawn Island, and she is likely to go farther down. The blockade is again

A schooner, thought to be Herschel is sailing into the ice off Lakeport, and a tug has been sent to bring her through the ice fields.

### BRITISH ADOPT SNIPING TACTICS

Will Now Meet the Boers at There Own Little Game

Pretoria, May 2. - The British troops, who have come to understand the sniping tactics of the Boers at isolated points, and the danger therefrom, are now adopting the same methods. Boer snipers have recently been raiding cattle in all directions, and have outwitted a number of British commands. The British outposts four miles from Johannesburg recently hid in the long grass near where cattle were grazing, and waited for four days for the burghers to appear. The Boers came down and commenced to drive the cattle away, when the British disclosed themselves and op-ened fire. The Boers then fled, leaving two wounded on the field.

> ROBERTS ET AL. SENT FOR TRIAL.

London, May 3.—"Jack" Roberts, the pugilist, and the other men accus-ed of manslaughter as a result of the ed of manslaughter as a result of the death of "Billy" Smith, an American puglist, were committed for trial at Bow St. police court yesterday and released on their own recognizance. The magistrate, Sir Franklin Lushington, said he saw nothing to distinguish the contest from an ordinary

### BRODRICK DEFIES MICITARY CRITICS That

Will Push His Army Scheme Without Delay, With Lord Roberts Behind

London, May 2 .- At a banquet given in his honor at Guildhall, in Surrey, last night, Mr. Broderick, the Secretary of State for War, challenged the opponents to his army scheme and declared that if Great Britain is to maintain her commercial and im-perial position, she is quite ready to fight on the Nile, on the Yangtse, the

Orange river, or the Indus.

Mr. Broderick further declared that his scheme had received the imprimature of the greatest living milprimature of the greatest living military authority, and that as a Government they would stand or fall in their determination to improve the army without any delay whatever. He would be no party, he said, with those who urged the postponement of his scheme until the war in South Africa was ended and with the com-Africa was ended, and with the com-mander-in-chief of the army at his back he would not hesitate to urge for the necessary funds.

PROOF POSITIVE. Mr. Fulton Street-That was a very weet kiss you gave me at the masked

Miss Bay Ridge-Impossible! I was masked; so you could not be sure that you kissed me!

Mr. Fulton Street-Oh. but I am; I kissed every girl there!" 1 .

# The Keys

On the

### **Furniture**

Are all out. Please come in and try the locks.

### INCLUDE "CANADA" IN KING'S TITLE ?

The British Colonial Office Corresponded With the Dominion.

London, May 2.-At a meeting of the British Empire League yesterday, it was disclosed that the Colonial Office has been in correspondence with the Government of Canada with re-gard to including Canada in the title of King Edward.

The result of the negotiations will not be made known until the correspondence is published later.

### MR. MURRAY ENTERS PROTEST

Claims That Local Merchants in: Second hand Goods are Not Deserving of the Chief's

Censure

To the Editor of The Planet : Sir .- I noticed in your issue of the 30th inst, under the local items a reference made te junk dealers "Being a first-class factory te junk dealers "Being a first-class factory for making young criminals. In nearly every case of children stealing so far as brought to the notice of the police the stolen property was sold to the junk dealers," as eminating from Chief Young, a gentleman I have always thought of verity and measured thoughts who certainly would not make a statement of such magnitude without first carefully examining the criminal record of which he is supposed to keep a correct list.

posed to keep a correct list.

Now, if his assertion be true, why license men to manufacture criminals of children? Have we not enough old and hardened criminals to which Mr. Young makes his daily objesance? I believe Mr. Thomson, Mr. Milner with myself have attempted to be a support of the control of th live as honored citizens, all raising large families, all large ratepayers and possess conscience and the moral weal of our fellow citizens, offsprings, against the foul

Now I ask that Mr. Young produce evidence if the assertion be true and if he does not he should publish a retraction of

NATHANIEL MURRAY.

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### .The Planet ..

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SMITH VS. ROSS.

Goldwin Smith is not always right. As a general thing, he is, we think, far from right. But no man can dispute Mr. Smith's knowledge of British history, and no man is better able to apply the lesson of that history to the parliamentary proceedings of the present day. The opinion of Mr. Smith on the question of the right of Hon. Mr. Ross to pass legislation to prolong the life of the present legislature is therefore important. We find it in the Toronto Sun, and reproduce it here:

"Few more remarkable things have been done in the way of legislation than the act of the Ontario legislature prolonging its own existence. In two cases a British parliament has prolonged its own existence. One was that of the Long parliament, and was plainly revolutionary, though the parliament thought it necessary to excuse the step on the ground that it was required for the security of the public creditor. The other case was that of the Septennial Act, passed in 1716, at a crisis of extreme peril, when the Hanoverian government, threatened at once by Jacobite rebellion and foreign invasion could not venture to run the risk of dissolution. As a rule the British parliament, in stead of prolonging its own existence, has voluntarily shortened it, so that it might not seem, by taking its utmost term, to shrink from the appeal to its constituents. A British minister who should prolong the existence of a parliament for his political convenience would assuredly terminate his own. The British parliament, however, being absolute and not bound by a written constitution, unquestionably has the power of prolonging its own existence, as it has that of doing any-

thing else, no matter how eccentric, within the compass of legislation. The legislature of Ontario is not absolute; it is bound by a written constitution, which gives it no such power as that which, in the present case, it has assumed. The only power given it in this respect is that of "amending the constitution of the province," and that the act in question is not the exercise of that power is at once evident, since the constitution has not been amended or changed by the act in any respect whatever. The Septennial act, on the contrary, was a permanent and most t of the constitu-

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tion."

For "a nation of shopkeepers" Great Britain is sadly deficient in machinery for developing trade, says the Hamilton Spectator. John Bull sends Lord Fitzbang Chawley as a representative to a foreign nation. The lord is a diplomat, and he is great on functions. He knows to a hair's breadth the relative degree of precedence of the whole gang of diplomats assembled at the foreign capital in which he resides. He is a master of the diplomatic language, which enables him to talk a great deal without saying anything. He fully upholds the dignity of the great empire he represents by expensively entertaining all and sundry who may be entertained by the representative of Great Britain. He is generally a jolly good fellow, and is usually a favorite with the people of the country to which he is sent. But there's no business in him.

The country to which he is sent may afford wonderful chances for the spread of British trade, but he never sees them; there may be inventions and discoveries which would be invaluable to the people of Great Britain, but their representative knows nothing of these things. He wears his gold-mounted coat, arranges his decorations in proper order, is present at all social functions, says the right thing in the right place at the right time, leaves unsaid the wrong thing,

and has earned his salary. With Uncle Sam it is quite different. In every corner of the world he has a consular agent. This man wears no gorgeous coat, and if he has a title at all it is a complimentary colonelcy, or, at best, a military title won in the civil war. He is a plain, British South Africans have come forpractical man, with keen eyes, and ward so well and done such excellent good sense, and is always on the look- service that any cricket team would out for number one, which in his case is the greatest good to the United pire when the war is over. "The men States of America. If a country who held Wepener for the Empire needs anything Uncil Sam makes, the showed us that the South African needs anything out of the fact and British could stand up to any team promptly notifies the Washington government, which, in turn, promptly notifies the makers of the article idea, an invention or a discovery, serve the integrity of the Empire. Inturns up, and it would be to the ading for American goods the Ameri- athletic young men out of Africa to can manufacturer knows it at once; play games, while distant parts of

FOR CHILDREN

Nothing, that comes in bottle, is more important for children than Scott's emulsion of cod-liver oil. And "important" means that it keeps them in even health, on the highest plane of physical life.

"Do they live on it then?" No; they don't touch it, ex-

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Whenever they show, in whatever way, the least disturbance of even balance of health. It is not for acute diseases, with some exceptions; it is for a slight falling off from firstrate condition.

It is to be used as a food, whenever their usual food does not quite answer the purpose

of food. We'll send you a little to try, if you like. SCOTT & BOWNE. Toronto,

wherever there may be any cheap raw material, the American manufacturer is promptly posted; whenever new paving material-say tar macadam-is tried and found to be good, the whole United States knows of it in a few days.

A FOOLISH SCHEME.

The Brockville Times calls attenion to the fact that the following despatch from Cleveland is now being

"Cleveland, Apl. 29.-Canadians living in Cleveland are at work on a gigantic plan for the relief of Mrs. Florence Maybrick, the American woman confined for many years in an English prison for the alleged murder of her husband.

"Ten thousand Canadians live in this city and the plan is to have them sign petitions to King Edward, asking the release of Mrs. Maybrick. The strong association of Cleveland Canadians is to be used to get thousands more Canadian signatures to

the petitions. "The movement is expected to have nuch more weight with the King than previous attempts made by Americans, because of the abuse heaped on the British crown by citizens of he United States interested in the case, as well as because of the King's anxiety to be popular with his Canadian subjects.

This may be simply a fake newspaper story, but if it has any truth in it it is as idiotic a scheme as could be devised. It is hard to believe that there are Canadians in Cleveland or anywhere else who would be such asinine meddlers as to interfere in the Maybrick case. Mrs. Maybrick was tried and convicted in an English court. Her case has been carefully revised since her sentence to life imprisonment for the murder of her husband and the authorities have seen no reason why the sentence should not be carried out. The sentimental pleading of a lot of people who know nothing of the case will carry no weight nor will it interfere with the course of justice, as too often it does on this side of the Atlan-

The idea contained in the last paragraph-that the King would interfere in order to gain popularity with his Canadian subjects-is too foolish

WHEN THE WAR IS OVER.

Dr. Conan Doyle writes to the London Spectator, making a vigorous protest against the proposed visit of South African cricket team to Great Britain. "When our young men are going from North to South to fight for the cause of .South Africa; these South Africans are coming from South to North to play cricket. It is a stain on their manhood that they are not out with their rifles in their hands, driving the invaders from their country. They leave this to others, while they play games.".

One must agree with the Spectator in its note to Dr. Doyle's letter that be welcomed in any part of the Emin the world in something nobler and

better than cricket." No one begrudges the men and treaneeded. If, anywhere in the world a sure poured into South Africa to prevantage of somebody in the United upon the territory held by our South States to know it, the consul sends African brethren. It was as much our the information through the proper fight as theirs. Still those who are channel. Wherever there is an open-promoting the enterprise of sending

the Empire recall lonely graves of their sons on the veldt, might be accused of bad taste. Wait till after the

From the manner in which the syren song of the bagpipes emptied the House of Commons the other evening it is evident that other wind instruments have no show in such a competition

war, boys.

The Land of the Free had better take in ts sign. A Toledo (Ohio) judge has not only forbidden newspaper reporters to take the evidence in a murder trial held before him, but has forbidden the publication of anything purporting to be evidence in the case, no matter from what source it is procured! If the American Eagle doesn't shriek now he's no Bird o' Freedom.

The London Spectator utters a note of warning to the United States on its Monroe doctrine policy and says it should provide a large fleet to back it up. When a nation takes the position that it will allow no further growth of monarchial institutions in the western hemisphere and then proceed to push republican institutions, by conquest, into the eastern hemisphere it is laying up work for a large fleet one of these days.

CURIOUS ABOUT IT.

Belleville Intelligencer. "Hug the Machine" Preston is suing the Ottawa Journal for libel. Now, what could the Journal have said about Mr. Preston that was calculated to injure his reputation?

WHAT MAY COME.

Brampton Conservator. Rev. J. K. Unsworth, a Congregational minister, in a sermon on Sunday night in a Hamilton church advocated public owner ship of the liquor business. The first thing we know the Ross government will be proposing a plebiscite on the question.

POOR TORONTO.

Toronto Star. With crooks from all over the world at the Pan-American show in Buffalo, this is the worst possible year for Toronto to get the name of being easy to do. They will be coming over in row-boats to get at us.

CLASH OF MODESTY.

Alexandria Glengarian. This week we received an offer of free pass to eight Pan-American sideshows on condition that we publish goodness knows how many columns of 'highly interesting matter." We have already received enough lithographs to paper the attic. This Pan-American outfit is really too generous, we ain't done nothink to deserve it.

> SMIFF, THE SHAMELESS. Bobcaygeon Independent.

An effort was made last summer to discard coats and wests while in ordinary business occupations, just as is done while engaged in sports. There is no earthly reaon why a man should not go out in his shirt sleeves, if he wishes to. There is really no reason why a man should not go in his bare pelt, from the waist up if he found it more comfortable. If there were less mock modesty about the showing of arms and legs, there would be more sound

TRUE PATRIOTISM.

Toronto Star.

The man is a true patriot who pays his debts, who dog does not bark at night, whose hens do not get through them, whose children keep off a neighbor's lawn, who votes as he likes and lets others do the same, and dies leaving a respectable family reasonably well provided for. Patriotism isn't speechmaking at banquets; its holding one's end up when the state leans upon the people.

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Ladies' Egyptian Cotton Vests fine pure bleached quality, elastic weave, half sleeves or sleeveless buttoned fronts, silk trimmed yoke, special, 25c.

Hosiery Specials—20 doz. ribbed hose elastic weave, fast black good wearing ing quality 4 1-2 to 10 in. special per Ladies' Fine Egyptian Cotton Hose -Full fashioned, seamless, double soles, Hermsdorf dyed extra values at

per pair 25c. and 19 Guaranteed Kid gloves,-If you want a reliable glove that will give satisfaction in wear, buy our Pewney's and Trefousse makes, latest styles and colors, every fair guaranteed, at \$1.50, \$1.25 and \$1.00.

300 Pounds Patch Prints-Fine assortment of best quality, in every bundle, per pound, 20c.

stock in the city to select from, the latest shapes in black or white, at each, 25c, 35c, 50c, 65c, 75c., \$1.00, \$1.25; \$1.50 up to \$2.50. Ladies Straw Sailors-The largest

Trimmed Millinery-Dainty, becom ing styles-styles and values that are not to be had elsewhere in the city, any price \$2,50 up to \$12.00.

Clothing-If you want right clothing at right prices, this is your place to buy, everything in men's and boys' clothing at dry goods prices.

Ladies Wrappers :for 68c-two dozen only, ladies' dark print wrappers, good, strong quality, fast colors, well made, fitted lining, Sat-

Ladies' Summer Corsets 25c - five dozen ladies' corsets, fine quality net, well made, perfect fitting, in sizes 18 to 25, special, Saturday 25c.

Two Table Linen Bargains — one only, piece Irish bleached damask, all linen, satin finish, choice pattern, 60

One only, piece Pure Linen Table Damask, 70 in. wide, fine, firm quality, rich satin finish, grass bleach, worth 60c yard, special, 44c.

Five pieces Linenette Lining, extra firm quality, fast black, 36 in. wide, ergular 121-2c yard, Saturday 10c. Bicycle Tweed-44 in. wide, cam-

el's hair effect, in choice fawn and grey mixtures, heavy, firm weight, special, per yard 25c.

42 in. Satin Cloths - 10 newest shades, rich, silky finish, all wool quality, special, per yard 50c.

All Wool Dress Tweed at 25c Yard -in 8 leading shades, fine, pure wool twills, wide, double fold, matchless value at per yard 25c.

Ladies' Half-Sleeve Vests 5c Each -10 dozen ladies' soft finish, elastic vests, half-sleeve, finished yoke, special, Saturday, each 5c.

Ladies' Summer Vests-fine, clastic, rib weave, half-sleeves and sleeveless, trimmed yokes, special values at each 8c, 10c, 12 1-2c, 15c and 20c.

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The T. H. Taylor Co. Limited

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

the matter of James Cleeve of the City of Chatham, in the County of

Kent, Carpenter. Notice is hereby given that the above named James Cleeve, has made an assignment to us under Chap. 147, R. S. O., 1897, and Amending Acts, of all his estate and effects in tense.

estate and effects in trust for the benefit of his creditors.

A meeting of the creditors of said Insolvents will be held at our office, Victoria Block, Chatham, Ont., on Friday the 3rd day of May, 1901, at two p. m., for the appointment of Inspec-

tors and for giving directions as to the disposal of the estate.

All creditors of said Insolvent are required to file their claims duly verified with me on or before said

RUTHERFORD & DUNLOP, J. B. RANKIN, Assignees.
Assignees Solicitor.
Dated at Chatham,
April 22nd, 1901. t&f 2td t&f 2td

TENDERS.

Sealed tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned up to and including May 10th, 1901, for the erection of a brick firehall in the Town of Wallaceburg. Plans and specifications can be seen at Plans and specifications can b

lerk's office.

The brick are upon the ground and are to be taken by the contractor at the price paid for them by the corporation, namely five dollars per thousand.

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H. E. JOHNSON. Town Clerk, Wallaceburg

April 33rd, 1901, Wallaceburg, Ont.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Bulk and separate Tenders will be received at the office of the underreceived at the office of the undersigned architects, marked Tender for Wesley Church, up till 7 o'clock p. m., Friday May 3rd, inst., for the erection of a brick veneered Methodist church 8th con., Raleigh, Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Plans to be seen at the offices of the architects on and after Monday, April 22nd. REV. R. REDMOND,

Paster.
Ch. Trustee Board.
JAS. L. WILSON & SON, April 20th, 1901.

TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned and endorsed, "Tender for Factory," will be received up to noon on Thursday, May 9th, 1901, for the several works required in the erection of a brick building for a Binder Twine factory, Building to be ready for machinery by June 15th, 1901.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of T. J. Rutley, architect, on and after Saturday noon, 4th May. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Secretary, The Chatham Binder Twine Co., Limited. Chatham, May 1st. 1901.

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#### BITS OF FUN

The brilliant young preacher when he makes his parochial ealls endeav-ors to cultivate an acquaintance with the younger minds, thus after a fash-ion keeping tab upon his Sundaya

school teachers.

The other afternoon, while he wan waiting in the drawing room of a beau-tiful Cass avenue residence for the delayed appearance of Elsie's mamma, he was entertained by the little daughter herself. Taking her upon his lap he began a review of the church les-sons that had been given to the little maid of five.

"Can you tell me, Elsie, how many mandments there are?"

"Yes, sir; seven or eight." "Oh, no, dear; there are ten."

"Yes, I know there used to be, but heard papa tell mamma yesterday that you had broken two or three of them at least, and that would leave only seven or eight, you know,-Detroit Free Press.

"With a little care, Senator," said his physician, "you are good for many years yet. Having an unimparied

constitution-"Constitution!" exclaimed Senator Vest, momentarily forgetting where he was and gesturing vehemently. "The constitution, sir, thanks to the onslaughts of the party in power, is a hopeless wreck, and liberty lies prostrate in the dust, bleeding at every

Then he took a fresh chew of Missouri long green, and said he believed he felt better.-Chicago Tirbune.

It Was Broken Ofr. "So your engagement is broken?" said the girl in gray.

"Yes, it is," replied the girl in brown, frowning at the recollection "What was the matter?" "He basely deceived me," answered

the girl in brown. "You see, it was this way. I asked him one day to promise me that he never again would smoke cigarettes, and he promised. Then I asked him to refrain from the use of tobacco in any form, and he promised to do that. Later I told him I had a horror of any one who touched liguor, and he agreed never to tough it, After that I suggested that I thought clubs had a bad influence on young men, and I should expect him to give them up, and he said he would. I also took up the subject of gambling, and made him promise that he would stop playing cards and betting on races."

"Well, you didn't demand a great deal of him, did you?" said the girl in gray. "I suppose he deceived you in

the matter?"
"He did." "Broke his promise,, did he?" "Oh, no; I could have forgiven that. But just when I was congratulating myself that I at least had reformed one young man, I found that he didn't require any reforming. He wasn't addicted to a single one of the habits I had made him promise to break. It was a terrible shock, and I broke the

engagement at once. There. was no

longer anything in it to mi ai it in-



Alkali Ike-Say, kid, I've come to ick the editor

Office Boy-Just take a seat sir; there are three others ahead of you Stealing His Thunder.

The man with a slight fresco yellow mud on his shoes stopped the patent leathered friend and exclaimed:

"What's the trouble?" "No trouble? whatever. This is joy. My turn has come at last. Aren't you one of the people who used to make fun of me because I lived away out in the suburbs?"

"I believe so." "Didn't you say facetious things about 'Lonesomehurst,' and when you saw me performing feats of equilibri-um with a tall bunch of bundles didn't you make comic references to

the human express wagon? "Well, I want to call your attention to the fact that I am living only a few hundred feet from where the cars start. I'm one of the few persons who are sure of getting seats on a warm evening, and who brush proudly by while you stand on the corner and implore the conductor humbly, but in vain, to take your five cents."-Wash

Beginnings of Greatness. it was here in this old schoolhouse," mused the man with the big diamond pin, who had returned after an absence of thirty years to the scene of his boyhood days, "that I learned my letters! It was here I laid the foundation, so to speak, of all my success in life. Even then," he continued, "I gave in-dications of the business career I

have since folowed." "Yes?" said the old schoolmaster. with a note of interrogation in his

"Yes," pursued the other, pointing with his cane to the paper wads still on the smoke-blackened ceiling.

"Well, I threw them there." "And now!"
"And now I am the owner of a targe paper mill."

#### WILD WEST SCENES.

des That Indicate That the Ele of Danger Has Been Exaggerated It was midnight as a thundering knock came at the door of room No 48. Phoenix Hotel.

"What is wanted?" asked the occupant as he sat up in bed with furious ly beating heart. "We want you!" open this door!"

The man sprang out of bed and hurriedly dressed himself. His face was pale and his hands trembled, but he shut his lips with a determination "Then take the consequences." to sell his life dearly. He heard footsteps moving in the hall, and presently his door was burst from its hinges and a dozen men burst into the room. They found him standing with a revolver in each hand and the light of battle in his eyes. "You may hang me," he said in a

low, tense voice, "but twelve of you will go into the other world before "Who said anything about hanging?" inquired a voice. "But you have come for that. Twelve

years ago in this town I killed four men. You have recognized me and have come for revenge." "Not much, stranger. We don't know anything about the four men and don't want to. You live in Missourt don't you?"

"Well, what we wanted to ask was whether three of a kind beat a straight in your State."

"They don't. "Then that's all, and you can go back to your snooze. Sorry to have disturbed you, but we had a dispute

For fifty miles pursued and pursue had kept at about the same distance as they flew over the trackless prairie Now and then one had gained or lost, but the race had become one of endur-ance instead of speed. At last, ar hour before sunset, the face of the pursued began to lose its hopeful expression as he felt his horse giving way under him. He pressed home the cruel spurs, and the beaten animal seemed infused with new life; but on ly for a few minutes.

"I am doomed!" he exclaimed is despairing accents, as his faithful horse staggered again. From behind him came fiendish

yells of rejoicing. Another mile, and the horse of the oursued sand down in his tracks, and his rider stood with folded arms and defiant look on his face to wait the other's coming. "So I've got you!" said the pursuer

as he rode up and dismounted. "You have." "You know me to be the sheriff of Cold Chuck?"

"I do.' "And that I never let a man escape me. This forenoon as you rode through our town I shouted to you".

"Yes. You recognized me as Dandy Jim, the road agent, but I hoped to outrun you." "I did nothing of the kind. I asked

you for a chaw of tobacco, and you was so durned mean about it that I've follered you fifty miles to show you what sort of a man I am . Do you "Of course I do."

"And will you give me a chaw?" "With the greatest of pleasure. As my horse is dead I do not see how I can go back with you." "No one wants you to."

"But didn't you follow on to arrest "Not by a blamed sight, I followed on to make you hand over that chaw

I asked for, and you jest let this be a warnin' to you. Next time you ride through Cold Chuch and I yell for a chaw you want to come right down with half a plug." 'All at once two men each armed

with two guns leaped into the middle of the street and began firing at each other. Pop! bang! pop The street was cleared of pedestrians, and men looked from behind shelter with bated breath. Six shots, ten, fifteen, twenty. "Are they both dead?" was asked in whispers.

Pop! bang! pop! "But they must be dead now." Fifty shots, 100, 200. Then a man who had been asleep in a distant saloon slowly awoke and shambled outdoors and down the street. When he reached the fighters, the four guns were still blazing, but he closed in and took both men by the ear and led the pair around the corner and gave

them the boot and said: "How many times hev I got to warn ye that it's again the ordinance to shoot off firecrackers?"

Clever Idea of the New Bride.

Out in a big apartment house on Columbia Heights, not a thousand miles from the corner of Binney street there dwells a young married woman who is as naive as the bride in the comic weeklies. The house-keepers who live in the same house with her have been somewhat annoyed of late by mice. The young woman met one of them in the hall the other day, and their conversation naturally turned on their common pests.

"The mice have been so bad lately," said the elder woman, "that I keep everything locked up and all my eatables in the boxes.

The younger woman's eyes sparkled

"My!" she said. "I wouldn't dare do that, I wouldn't want to run such a risk. I leave crackers and cheese lying about every night when I go to bed so that when the mice come hungry they'll find something to eat, and not gnaw things. I'm always afraid they'll bite holes in my new table-cloths and my nice centrepieces if I don't leave the cheese right where they can find it easily. I feel perfect. ly safe when I know there's plenty for them to eat right where they can get

There's nothing after all like having a clever idea like that now and then.

### "WHIZ!! WALK A MILE

Is a laconic definition of a toboggan ride. It's quick work going down the slide, but it's a long climb back to the starting point. It is very much that way with health; it is quickly lost and slowly regained. When the first symptoms of failing health appear, proper care may prevent the descent to utter



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cocaine nor other narcotic.

"I was all run down; had no strength; had sharp darting pains all through me; head and back ache every day," writes Mrs. Frank Caswell, of Salamanca, N. Y. "I was also troubled with a distressed feeling in the stomach and pain in front of the hip bones. I had a severe cough and it nearly killed me to draw a long breath, I was so sore through my lungs.

"I wrote to Dr. Pierce, telling my symptoms as near as I could. He sent me a very kind letter, advising me to hy his medicines, which I did, and before I had taken them a week I was decidedly better. I took two bottles of the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and two of the 'Pavorite Prescription,' and am sure I never felt better in my life than when I quit taking them.

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### THE COOKBOOK.

Tomato soup is improved by a few slices of oranges just before serving.
Let celery lie in cold water for two hours before it is served raw at table. After boiling a ham let it coel in the water in which it was cooked. This helps to make it more tasty, moist and The same rule applies to a

Fried breakfast bacon is greatly improved if cooked in some of the bacon fat saved from a previous day. There should be just enough for the bacon to float in, and it must be quite hot before the rashers are added. Cook two or

The fishy flavor which clings about wild ducks, sometimes to such an extent as to render them uneatable, may be counteracted by the precaution of par poiling them before roasting with either an onion or a small peeled carrot inside each duck. The onion should be used it there is to be onion in the dressing, other wise the carrot is the preference.

Mrs. Nation of Kansas might add still more to the country's astonishment by not lecturing .- Washington Star.

Mrs. Nation evidently does not share the popular superstition regarding the ill-luck that follows the breaking of a mirror.-Peoria Herald-Transcript. The suggestion that Mrs. Nation should

be dramatized does not seem timely. She suggests herself rather as a subject for moving picture.—New York World. Something will have to be done with Mrs. Nation, of course. No one can be permitted to run amuck in a civilized community indefinitely .- Kansas City Jour-

Mrs. Nation represents reverence for law, and she proposes the law shall be enforced even if she has to break every statute and saloon mirror in Kansas to

#### enforce it. ELECTRIC SPARKS.

In Chicago there are 70,000 miles of leiephone wire, and they claim to have the best system in the world. It has been suggested lately that the wireless telegraph might find a useful application in fire alarm signaling. Electric fountains have become very popular, especially as attractions for amusement parks. In England especial-

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Navigation will open on the Upper Lakes on Thursday, May 2nd. Steam-ship "Athabasca" will leave Owen Sound about 1.30 p. m., on arrival of train due to leave Toronto at 8.25 a. m Every Saturday, Tuesday and Thursday, following Steamships: "Manitoba," "Alberta," and "Athabasca, will leave Owen Sound on arrival of the

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trade for 25 or 50 acre farm, part payment,
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Capt. Vick Robinson is laid up with an attack of lumbago. Printer with two years' experience wanted at The Planet office.

The Planet staff is indebted to C. Lister for a can of delicious butter milk. The Victoria Avenue Epworth League will elect their officers to-

Ex-Ald. John Piggott was in Detroit yesterday and reports the river as having risen six inches yesterday afternoon.

Wm. Baby, who is leaving the city, has instructed Andrew Thomson to sell all his household effects on May 7th. See adv. The results of the spring examinapublished in to-morrow's issue of The Planet.

Graham Smith and Frank Hayes peror Mutsuhito to entrust the task collided while wheeling across the of forming a new Cabinet to Marquis Aberdeen bridge at noon to-day, the latter being badly cut on the face.

Collector C. Dunlop reports that the Inland Revenue collections for the past month were \$2,073.36. In April, 1900, they were \$1,651.82, showing an increase of \$2,9154.

increase of \$421.54. new binder twine factory. The plans of T. J. Rutley have been accepted and the erection of the buildings will be at once proceeded with.

Col. and Mrs. Montieth and son left for Spokane, Wash, yesterday, and they will not return until-July 1st. During Col. Monteith's absence the will spend part of his time in his old home at Lewiston, Idaho, and will make an impact of the minimum of the control of the minimum of the control of the minimum of the control of the cont and will make an inspection of the mining property he is interested in with a number of local gentlemen. Mr. William Gordon, dry goods merchant, will perform the duties of American consul during his

A NEW OFFICE.

John H. Oldershaw, lately of the firm of J. & J. Oldershaw, has opened up an office on Wellington street, three doors west of Harrison Hall, with a full line of lime, cement, plas-ter, hair, cut stone, sewer pipe, etc. Mr. Oldershaw has been a resident of Chatham for over fifty years, having been born and brought up here, and has fo rseveral years been successful in business here, and would be pleased to have any of his old customers and any new ones call and see him in

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### MORE BUILDING

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Additions to the number of summe ottages at the Eau are already being made, Mr. Laird, of Blenheim, is putting up cottage near Shamrock Castle, the summe residence of Principal James Brackin, of

McKeough school. Miss Ryan purchased a house in Chathar and it was to-day moved in sections to the Eau, where it will be put on Miss Ryan's

lot at the west end of the Eau. The minds and hearts of Maple City re creation seekers have already begun to turn Eauwards and the days will soon com when the busy suburban residents will be seen cleaning up their cottages and prepar-ing for a pleasant season at Chatham's popular summer resort, Ericau.

### MARQUIS ITO

Opposition to Taxation Proposals so Great That the Ministers Were Unable to Cope With it.

London, Friday, May 3. - A de spatch to the Daily Express from To-kio says that the Cabinet of Marquis Ito has resigned, the Ministers being unable to cope with the opposition to the new taxation proposals of the Government.

All the other members of the Cabi net likewise tendered their resigna-tion, with the exception of the Minis-ter of War, Baron Kodala. It is asserted that Marquis Ito advised Em-Viscount Vatanabe.

Court of King's Bench, Though Will Not Punish Patrick

McHugh. Dublin, May 3. - Dunbar P. Barton, M. P., Attorney General for Ireland, present P., Attorney-General for Ireland, presented in King's Bench Court this morning his case against the editor of the Freeman's Journal for having published articles condemnatory of the prosecution of Patrick Aloysius McHugh, member of Parliament for Torth Leitrim and editor of the Sligo

Chamsion.
Mr. McHugh protested in his paper against what he termed the "packing of juries in Sligo by the Government," and accused the Government of having excluded all Roman Catholics from the jury appointed to try Roman Catholic prisoners. For this offence Mr. McHugh is at present undergoing six months' imprisonment.

The Court of King's Bench held that contempt had been committed, but refused to imprison or fine the editor..

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# MORT HTARD

Old Indian Remedy did not Save A herstburg Woman's Life.

Windsor, May 2.-Mrs. Louis Grondin, who lived on Stony Island, near Amberstburg, was bitten by a huge rattlesnake last Tuesday, and has since died from the effects of the poison. Mrs. Grondin was picking up chips in her yard, when the rattler, who had been lying coiled up unobserved near by, suddenly sprang at her, inflicting three distinct bites on the left hand. Medical aid was not at hand and the old Indian remedy for snake bites was resorted to. The hand and arm were encased thickly in blue clay, while big doses of whiskey were administered internally. Several hours elapsed before a doctor could be procured, and meanwhile the arm had swollen to almost twice its na-trual size. In spite of all that could be done, the patient was unable to rally from the shock, and died this

The snake, which was killed, was one of the largest seen in the neighborhood for many years, and pos-

KIMBRELEY'S DEBT.

Cape Town, May 3 .- As a result of the appeal to Cecil Rhodes, the De Beers Mining Company has promised to give the Kimberley Council £8,000 annually for the next three years, for the purpose of liquidating the muni-

To PRESERVE GUN CARRIAGES. London, May 5 .- In the House of Commons yesterday Rt. Hon. William St. John Broderick, Secretary of State for War, stated that the three gun carriages which had been used at Queen Victoria's funeral would be preserved and deposited, one in the Tower of London, the second in Edinburgh, and the third in Dublin.

THE NEW BRITISH LOAN. London, May 3.-In the House of

Commons to-day Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, Chancellor of the Exchequer, announced that £30,000,000 of the war loan had been allotted. Of this amount £11,000,000 would go to the Rothschild syndicate, £10,000,000 to J. P. Morgan & Co., and £9,000,000 to the Bank of England.

TO VISIT AMERICA.

London, Friday, May 3 .- A despatch to the Daily Mail from Vienna states that Mascagni has signed a contract States, which will last eight weeks. He will leave on October 15 with an orchestra of eighty players. He will receive £2,000 weekly.

RUSSIA'S LOAN

Berlin, May 3.—The Vossische Zeitung says that Russia has arranged with a group of French bankers for a loan of five hundred million francs. The rate of this issue has not been determined. The paper adds that this loan will not suffice for Russia's needs, and that consequently negotiations for a further loan have been opened with American and British bankers.

AWFUL FAMINE IN RUSSIA. St. Petersburg, May 3 .- Distressing accounts are arriving here of the situation of the village populations throughout Bessarabia, especially in Soroki district, caused by the famine arising from the failure of the last harvest. The peasants are living on husks of maise boiled in water. Half furniture or other household necessi- point to a settleme t of the difficulty from fifty to sixty per cent from fifty to sixty per cent owing to lack of forage. In some villages horses are sold at a rouble each. Elsewhere seventy per cent of the farmers have

### THE THEATRE

The great military drama, "Sout Africa," will be the opening bill by the Clara Mathes New Big Comedy Company at the Grand Monday evening, May 6th, being the opening of their week's engagement. They will present during the engagement, besides "South Africa," "The Legion of Honor," "Queen of Hearts," "Just Be-fore Dawn," "Cinderella," "Nell Gwynne," and the sensation of the day, "Sapho,"—all with special scen-ery and an olio of high class refined Vaudeville. Popular prices, only 10, 20 and 30 cents. Ladies admitted free Monday night on usual conditions.

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### KING'S BIRTHDAY ON THANKSGIVING

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Ottawa, May 3 .- In the House of Commons yesterday the bill respecting Victoria day was read a third time and passed. It makes the 24th of May a public holiday whenever it falls on any day of the week other than Sunday, in which case the following Monday will be the holiday. A clause was inserted making the

day a bank holiday also.

Mr. Borden read a telegram which suggested that Victoria day should be made to fall always on the fourth Monday of May, but the House de-

clined the proposition.

Mr. Rosamond asked if the present Sovereign's birthday would also be celebrated. He pointed out that it would come very near our present Thanksgiving day. Sir Wilfrid Laurier - We might

combine them. Mr. Fraser - If we go on adding these holidays there will soon be no no time left to work. Mr. R. L. Borden-Does friend object ? (Laughter.)

### EMPLOYES OPPOSE IMPORTED LABOR

Kingsville Glass Workmen Demand That Only Residents of the Town Be Employed.

Windsor, May 2.-The employes of the Kingsville glass factory, to the number of 150, and boys, are out on strike, because the management imported some outside help to fill vacancies. The workmen demand that only Kingsville residents be employed so long as the work is done satisfactorily, while the company claim the importations were made necessary owing to a scarcity of skilled labor. The fac-

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The following are the results of the students' work at the Central School during the past months of March and April, giving the percentage obtained y each pupil. This is the last report before the midsummer promotions. Senior Four+!. Total mark 100.

B. Weber 89, D. Dunlop 80, Maggie Hutchinson 77, A. Longley 75, W. Scott 74, L. McKie 72, B. Bedford 72, E. Dell 71, J. Riddell 70, O. Mahler 69, F. Dunlop 69, G. Thomas 69, G. Harwood 68, M. Hewson 67, R. Robertson 66, G. Gammage 66, L. Dean 66, D. Dale 65, L. Lynn 65, C. Nagle 65, W. Craddock 64, C. Sheldrick 64, J. Angus 63, R. Dunlop 63, C. Fleming 63, R. Campbell 61, E. McLean 61, M. Wanless, B. Binga, E. Mounteer, A. Wanless, B. Binga, E. Mounteer, A. Nevills 60, P. Coyle 59, M. Gray 58, H. Bragg 58, R. Duff 57, A. Willard 57, G. Potter 55, B. Milner 54, W. Lister 54, F. Chrysler 54, P. Mann 52, E. Smith 52, I. Gallager 51, K. Hennessy 51, A. Cumming 48, F. Quinn 47, Fanny Quinn 45, R. Perry 39, V. Hey-

Junior IV. A. F. Johns 81, F. Munro 79, W. Singer 77, R. Hall 74, J. McMurray 71, E. Thomson 69, V. Bosworth, V. Bent-ley, W. Harrington, B. Shillington 68, Campbell, A. Colby 67, B. Smith, Green 65, G. Barfoot, T. Harper, 63, F. Jordan, P. Watson 62, D. Ingram, M. Johns 60, E. Wilson, P. Pope, 59, J. Park, I. Stephens, L. Thomson,F. Bowers 58, L. Oldershaw 56, L. Smith, M. Cumming, S. Anquitel 55, W. Smith, A. Hewson 54, S. Campbell Taylor, E. Stringer 44, N. Hall 43, M. McMillan 41, E. Murphy, J. Boyd 38, A. Somers 37, V. Jones 34, R. King 32,

A. Somers 37, V. Jones 34, R. King 32, I. Wanless 26, E. Buck 25.
Jr. IV B.—B VonGunten 84, N Carswell 82, R Tyler 80, T McKie, S Douglas 79, G Richardson 78, M Badgely 76, A Dale 75, A Noah 74, E Hicklin 73, D Foreman 71, G Allen, N Appleyard 70, E Merrill, R Trewin 69, S Barr, M King, G Kempt, R Moore 68, R Hicklin, P Mosa G Richardson, G Sulman 67, M Lusty, G Johnson, G Gregory, R Swan 66, L Wemp, F Carver B Reid 65, E Redick 64, E Stover 63, G Dyer, S Knott, H Gardiner 62, M Milner, J Matthews 61, N Chrysler 60, G Hewson 58, C Jordan 57, F Brooks 55, R Kempt 48, I Taylor 46, M Kerr 45, E Coleman 40, N Barker 19.
Senior III Class:— Senior III Class:-

A. Hannon 80, S. Falls 75, L. Killins 75, E. Hewson 74, P. Quinn 74, S. Pool 73, H. Dunlop, G. Hall 72, M. Austin, J. Northwood 71, A. Massey, A. McGarry, M. Thomas 70, B. Connor 69, D. Campbell 66, V. Stone 65, R. Huff 64, R. Bur-



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Junior III. (A) Class:-W. Sullivan 88, B. Merrill 85, R. Robinson 84, C. Neison 84, H. McGarry 81, T. Waddell 80, F. Merrill 80, W. Thomas 78, B. Bromley 77, M. Robinson 77, I. Snook 77, R. Paxton 76, A. Hall 76, G. MacDonald 76, C. Martin 75, P. Schives 74, E. Hill 74, G. Ainsworth 74, J. McLean, 73, W. Cuyler 72, J. Douglas 72, L. Chrysler 71, P. Mitchell 71, N. Judson 70, R. Knott 70, H. Mahler 69, M. Harrington 69, J. Floyd 69, A. Ackert 68, R. Moore 68, E. Dolson 68, S. Morton 67, D. McKinlay 66, V. Mc-W. Sullivan 88, B. Merrill 85, R. Rob

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Jr. III (B):-Jr. 111 (B):—
S Smith 75, N Cummings 68, M Paterson,
R Westmore, R Holmes 66, H Filkey 64,
A Stirling 62, E Chrysler, B Mowers T
Somerville 61, A Anquetil 60, R Pope 59,
M Hegart 58, D Dunlop, R Wilson, R
Allen, C Mahler, A Johnson, 57, B Webb
56, P Graves 55, M Irwin 54, V Netherclift 53, R Forsythe 52, I Bryant 45, M Eddington 43, C Gaudion 35, E Cape 35, F Fenton 33 J Cape 29, T Moore 30.

Sr. II (A):—
L Phillimore 87, I Paxton 82, K Cadenhead 81, B Tillson 80, C Trott 78, G Morri77, C Thomas, B Kerr 74, C Glenn 72, W
White R Dean M Bedford 70, I Austin, F
Winegarden 69, F Reed, V Wellman, S
McCormick 68, A Cochram 65, A Kempt,
G Sirger, E Shepley 65, C Neville, W
Murphy, E Farby 62, E Baikie, J Finton,
F Johnson 61, A Miller 61, R Wilson 59,
R Ford 56, Ray Poke 56, M Buck 55, Dora
Symes 54, W Gray 53, M Roberts 52, W
Auvache 52, A Mains 51, Z Merrill, G
Clifford, F Boyd 49, E McCaw 45, I Schevis
40, F Fox 37, W Austin 35, F Custance 25, P Wells 58.
Sen. II. B. Sr. II (A):-

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M. Tighe 84, F. Custance 83, K. Hanmon 82, T. Waggoner 82, J. Brownley 82, G. Cape 80, R. Polson 80, N. Von-Gunten 80, G. McMurray 79, G. Rob-inson 79, V. Moffatt 78, J. Wetlaufer 78, S. Singer 77, J. Haggart 77, W. Garner 73, A. Buck 72, E. Morrison 72, C. Somers 71, R. Moffatt 70, R. Poag 70, F. Tichborne 70, S. Nutbrown 70, N. Guy 70, B. Stone 69, N. Legree 67, E. Huff 67, G. McGregor 67, M. Catheart 67, E. Mitchell 66, F. Roach 65, L. Harper 64, R. Sterling 63, E. Freeman 63, E. Huson 62, P. Pink 62, G. Rouse G. Barry 61, L. Judson 59, P. Wilkins 59, C. Cuyler 59, G.ertie McGregor 58, E. Bragg 58, J. Hancock 58, G. Williams 57, Tom Waggoner 57, G. Duff 54, F. Church 54, C. Musson 52, H. Polson 51, W. Killins 50, R. Stone 46, M. Ion 44, M. Ford 43, C. Peaker 37, L. Green 36, H. Hayes 29, A. Jenkins

Sen. I.-Class (A). J. White 78, E. McDougall 75, O. Tennent 73, G. Taylor 72, R. Killins 72, W. Radley 69, J. McMurray 69, V. Merrill 68, G. Wettlaufer 67, R. Thomas 65, D. Noah 63, M. Dynes 63, C. Forsythe 62, L. Lefler 62, L. Cole-man 62, M. Burgess 60, J. Cloherty 59, R. McKinlay 58, L. Clifford 57, G. Roberts 57, R. Brown 56, N. McGown 56, S. Gammage 55, E. Scott 55, J. Huson 51, C. Atkinson 50, H. Laguille 47, H. Fetterley 41, H. Learst 41, D. Keat 41, N. Daniels 40, A. Ray 37, D.

M. Taylor 63, E. Glassford 61, C. King 61, F. Blencowe 48, N. Davis 47, M. Martin 46, W. Dynes 46, A. Mof-fat 45, H. Cloherty 40, J. Roberts 38, Williams 34, R. Taylor 32, H. Merrifield 28, R. Hackett 14.

Austin 34, G. Jamieson 31, A. Garner

Junior 1st-Class D .-E. McMullen 87, H. Taylor 84, Margaret Scane 84, M. Scane 81, G. Sides 80, A. Taylor 79, G. Moore 78, M. Palmer 73, C. Hannon 69, I. Roach 68, L. Naylor 67, P. Wilson 66, W. Everett 65, T. Tennent 63. M. Coleman 63, E. Fletcher 63, M. Westman 62, G. Louis 60, M. Radley 57, A. King 51, A. Judson. 49, R. Glassford 45, M. Burgess 38, B. Anderson 33.

Class C:-E. Smith 81, C. West 77, E. Pilkey 75, J. Austin 73, D. Beaver 69, W. Pink 64, E. Brown 63, O. Hale 62, G. Charteris 61, M. Jenkins 60, E. Custance 58. Class B:-

A. Naylor 73, B. Garner 66, S. Carson 64. M. Stephens 58, H. Austin 55, G. Eliott 52. M. Waggoner 49, W. Hughes 47, G. Bogart 45.

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been quite ill for several days, is a little May 3.-Mrs. John Stephens, who has

better.

Patrick Burns, of Dawn township, was busy loading a freight car to-day with his household effects for Windsor, where he intends residing in future.

John Glassford, of Chatham, is in town. Harold McVean is home from Toronto. Miss B. Gourley, of Galt, who has been attending the wedding of Miss L. Rudd, returned home this morning.

Mrs. C. W. Watson, of Ridgetown, is the guest of Mrs. (Dr.) J. Wiley.

Ms. and Mrs. James Martin and Miss Mabel Leonard spent yesterday in Florence. John Girlaspie was in Chatham yesterday.

day. W. G. Cragg and wife are spending a few days with their son, O. B. Gragg, in Detroit.

### THAMESVILLE

May 2—R. H. Fowlie left Tuesday for his new home in St. Thomas. He will be very much missed.

Mrs. George Watts, of the Tecumseh House, was in Detroit the fore part of the week attending the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Kelly.

Miss Badder entertained her friends very pleasantly on Moaday evening.

On Tuesday morning at eleven o'clock at the residence of M. Macfarlane, his daughter Mary was married to Rev. John Borland, of Callingwood Mountain. Rev. J. C. Tolmie, of Windsor, officiated, assisted by Rev. John McInnes, of this place.

Mr. Baines, traveller for a w.ll-known shoe firm in Rochester, spent sometime in town this week, taking orders for the fall goods.

Mrs. W. A. de Pencier leaves next week o join her husband in Denver, where he has secured a good situation.

The Misses Ferguson are spending couple of weeks in Atlantic City.

### TILBURY

May 3.-Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Janes are expected home from Toronto this

week. Special services will be held during May in St. Francis' Church, commend ing at 7 o'clock. Mrs. Alex. Lemire has returned to Windsor, after visiting relatives in

this place. The noted Swiss Bell-ringers will appear in Tilbury on May 28th.
Died, on Thursday, May 2nd, Mrs.
Chas. Quinn, of Romney, daughter of
Mrs. Coutts, of this village, at the
age of 40 years. The remains are expected to be interred in St. Francis'

Cemetery to-morrow.

Miss Winnie Lambert has returned to her home in North Woodslee, after a visit with :Miss A. Coutts Mrs. Baird, of Blenheim, the coun-

ty president, will address the regular meeting of the W. T. C. U. to-mor-row afternoon, at the home of M. Miss A. Farran has returned :to Windsor, after a visit with her par-

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### GREEN AT THE GAME.

SHE HAD NEVER PLAYED PROGRESS IVE EUCHRE BEFORE.

The Remarkable Luck of a Woman Who Joined a Card Club, and What the Other Seven Members Had to

About six weeks ago a party of young Mount Pleasant matrons organized a pro-gressive euchre club. They found when they were making the plans that they were only seven, and so they let in a young Capitol hill matron well known to them all. The young Capitol hill matron didn't know how to play euchre and therefore told them that she was ineligi-ble, but they wanted her to join so badly that they wanted her to join so badly that they volunteered to teach her the game. She had four or five lessons be-fore the club's first seance. They were to play for prizes—first, second and third. Each member was to chip in \$1 in advance of each weekly meeting, making \$8 in all, and the prizes were to be pur-chased out of this fund. The prizes were steins. First prize was a \$4 stein, second prize a \$2.50 stein and third prize a \$1.50

The young Capitol hill matron won the first prize stein at the first session, although she had the merest elementary knowledge of the game and in spite of the fact that she usually had to ask, "What's trumps?" on an average of three times during each deal. The other seven, each of whom considered herself a pretty expert euchre player, were a bit chagrined, but they laughed with somewhat hollow merriment over the queer win out of the Capitol hill young matron and congratu-

At the second session the Capitol hill young matron walked off with the \$4 stein in what the racing folks call a canter. She was congratulated with a little more constraint this time, but still she

was congratulated. young matron from Capitol hill had no difficulty whatsoever in corralling the first - rize stein at the third meeting of the club. She didn't appear to be able to lose. Some of the members omitted to congratulate her this time, while the others only smiled wanly and made remarks

about her "ree-mark-able luck."

It appeared to be the simplest thing in life for the young matron from Capitol hill to carry the first prize stein off under ther arm at the close of the fourth session.

The cards came her way, and, although she played them with no particular skill, she played them well enough to get the big stein, with its bas-relief Teutonic cavalier, who looked to tip the beam at about 498 pounds, sitting astride a Percheron horse and picking an eight foot guitar beneath his plump cheeked fraulein's lattice. The other seven members, each of whom was simply wild to aggregate a collection of steins for the sideboard at home, merely gazed vacantly at one another on the occasion of this fourth win of the young matron from Capitol hill

and seemed to be in low spirits.

The fifth meeting came off last week. The young matron from Capitol hill led all the way from the drop of the bunting and won off by herself in an ordinary romp. She had an appointment to hold up her husband for his half month's pay at 4 o'clock that afternoon, and so, tucking her fifth stein, which was obviously an attempt to picture the Emperor Caligula after he had consumed seven tons of beer on a wager, under her arm, she graciously made her adieus, leaving the other seven still in session.

None of the other seven spoke until it became quite certain that the young matron from Capitol hill was out of the house and down the block, and then the following conversation ensued:

No. 1-Very extraordinary, I'm sure! Amazingly hard to account for! No. 2-Exactly what I was about to say! Never heard of such a thing in my born days! I'd hate to do anybody an injustice, but, goodness gracious sakes

alivel No. 3-They do say, you know, that her husband is an awful gambler and that he wins oftener than he loses, and— No. 4-It couldn't be, now, could that he has taught her card tricks-you

know-what our husbands call "stacking the cards," and that she's-No. 5-I was just perfectly confident all the time, although I didn't want to say so, that that was just a little story of hers about not knowing how to play euchre No. 6-I'm sure I hope for her sake that I'm mistaken, but I was watching her carefully this afternoon, and-well, I hope I'm not doing her an injustice-I saw her just as plain as day deal from

No. 7-Well, I don't know what the rest of you think, but in my opinion we had better get somebody else to take her place. Now, I remember-and I used to go to school with her, you know-she was always a deceitful, contriving girl, and-I suspected as much all the time-

have had my suspicions for years! Just at this point the doorbell rang, and the hostess, one of the seven, went down to answer the ring. It was the little wo-man from Capitol hill come back to get her gloves, which she had forgotten. As she entered the room where the session was still going on, here is what they all

No. 1-Did you forget something, my No. 2-It's such bad luck to come back, you know! No. 3—Yes, you had better sit down for

haif a second and count 13, and that'll No. 4-Catch her sitting down! She's

so anxious to see that dear, jolly, good-looking husband of hers that she can hardly contain herself!

No. 5—Well, I, for one, think it's just lovely that she should be so in love with her husband and he with her after they've

No. 6-What a lovely glow the cold wind puts into your cheeks, my dear! It makes my nose so red and my lips so blue!

No. 7—Now, take care when you go down the steps, and don't slip on the ice, Helen, dear! All-Goodby, dear! Be sure and come and see me soon!-Washington Post.

Not a Volunteer. Bill-My dear lady, I got this scar at

Gettysburg.
The Lady-How did you come to get it, poor man?

Bill—Just my luck to be haugin aroun' town when the vaccine physicians made der roun'.—Chicago News.

Bill—I understand Gayboy is one of the best known men in your town. Jill—Why, he's so well known that he has to go out of town to borrow money.

SHE WANTS TO KNOW.

Tell me how to woo thee, Freddie, I am anxious to begin; I have got my facts all ready: Tell me how your love to win.

Don't I have to take you hand, dear, Tenderly within my own, So that you may understand, dear, That I would be yours, alone?

only think what we've been missing, Till the New lot came to gush— Which of us should start the kissing— Oughtn't one of us to blush.

Tell me, Freddie, how to woo thee, For, when once our teachings go, Nomen mean that they shall do the Asking, and I want to know. E. A. Miller, in Home and Country

### CASE OF SUSPICION.

Old Lady Lendel had had a long con versation with her young friend and was enjoying herself very much. She was a dear, good soul, Lady Lendel, with a great desire to interfere with everything and put it all right, and remedy thus the raw amateurishness of Providence.

"The way I look at it, my dear," said old Lady Lendel, "is this. There can be no harm in making inquiries." "I suppose not," said young Mr. Heathcote, doubtfully.

"I think every woman ought to de it, really. It's very cheap, you know, and I could give you the address."

"Don't trouble, Lady Lendel."
"Oh, it's no trouble at all. What made me speak of it most particularly was that Mr. Heathcote is on the stock exchange and really, you know, my dear, I have heard tales about the stock exchange men that I should

blush—actually blush—to repeat.

"And if there is nothing to be found out just see how nice it is to know. And if anything was wrong, why, you see, you've only to send for me and I chould be most pleased." "I am sure you are very good," said

Mrs. Heathcote, faintly.

The result of this conversation was that a fortnight later young Mrs. Heathcote was welking up and down her drawing room waiting for Mr. Sweever. He was to call this aftermoon with the result of his inquiries.

She, on her side, had not failed to watch her husband with exceeding.

narrowness. She felt that she did not want to misjudge Henry, and she could see nothing to justify suspicion, but hollow hearts do sometimes wear a mask, as she knew, and it was just possible that his was a case in point. Of course she hoped it was not so,

"Gentleman to see you, ma'am." "Show him in, Watson." "I've called about the photogaphs, ma'am, that you were kind enough to

Mr. Sweever looked at the departing Watson and raised his voice. "The price will run rather more than we anticipated, owing to—" He crept up to the door and closed it carefully. "Thank you. Mr. Sweever."

"I beg," said Mr. Sweever, looking round to see that his hat was safe. "I beg, ma'am, that you won't mention it. It don't do to let the servants know everything. Gracious, why if you only knew the amount of information we get out of 'em you'd be astonished. You would, really, ma'am "What news have you, Mr. Sweet

The private detective sighed and took out his pocketbook. "I regret to say, ma'am," he said, slowly, "that I've found out terrible

news. "About my husband?" gasped young Mrs. Heathcote.
"About your 'usband," said Mr. Sweever. "I will begin at the begin-ning. You was married, you and Mr. "I will begin at the begin-Aitch-I call him Mr. Aitch for short,' explained Mr. Sweever-"was married at St. Paul's, Knightsbridge, on the

June 25, last year.' "Yes, yes; I know." "Good," said Mr. Sweever, checking "Mr. Aitch is on the Stock Exchange;

off the item. his address is 125 Copthall Court. He has a good many friends, and he is called by them Alf-a-Crown. I'aven't been able to find out," remarked Mr. Sweever, "why Mr. Aitch is called Alfa-Crown.

"Do go on," said Mrs. Heatchcote. "I should have had some trouble," went on Mr. Sweever, in finding out the particulars of Mr. Aitch's private life, only I 'appened by a bit of luck, to come across it all of a 'eap, as you may say. I put it all down here, and if you'll permit me, ma'am, to read it off seriaytum—that is to say, in proper order, it will be a saving of time and a saving of trouble. How I got the information don't matter. I got it. That's good enough for you,

She nodded her head quickly, and Mr. Sweever coughed and began: "Has been seen at places of amuse ment with a young person. Young person has never called at office, but she is known by sight to my inform ant. Rather a good-looking girl, with tall, slim figure, and, in a general

way, a merry manner with her. On "Mr. Sweever, excuse me for inter-

rupting you. "There's a lot more, ma'am," said the disappointed reciter.
"I can't bear to hear it," declared young Mrs. Heathcote, passionately. "Make a copy of your information, "Certainly, ma'am.

"Put down all the horrible facts that you have discovered. Omit nothing, Mr. Sweever.
"You bet," said Mr. Sweever, con-"Spare no expense in getting further

"I'll see to that, ma'am; I'll se there's no expense spared."
"And I will see that the matter is put into the hands of my solicitor at

"I'll tell you what I'll do, ma'am, With your permission I'll make a copy, of it now, ma'am." Mrs. Heathcote showed Mr. Sweever into the next room for the purpose and supplied him with pen and paper. That gentleman sat down with his pocketbook before him and proceeded laboriously to transcribe his notes, and the agitated Mrs. Heathcote left him and returned to have a good cry. Her intention was foiled by the en-

trance of her husband. Heathcote put

fifs silk hat on the table with a cheerful bang and went toward her.

"It's a leap frog day in the house,
dear," he said ganially, "so I thought
I'd get back early. I thought, perhaps, we might have early dinner and
go somewhere this evening.

She did not answer.

"Nohody has called, I suppose?"

He went to the mastle piece and
switched on the electric light, and
then saw that his wife was staring
blankly before her. He watched her
for a minute or two without saying a
word.

"Henry," she said presently, "I have had—I have had information brought me of the double life you have been leading for some time past. I have been told about the visits to the the-

"Who has dared to tell you of this?"

"Who has dared to tell you of the thundered Mr. Heathcote.
"It is useless to be violent," she said, with an effort at calmness, "the only point is, is it true?"

"It is true," he said penitently: "It is all true, Helen. Forgive me if you can overleak the past and try, try can. Overlook the past, and try, try to forgive me."

"I will never forgive you, Henry, and I thank goodness—"
"Thank who?" he asked.
"I thank goodness," she repeated, "that I have found out thus early. If it had not been for dear Lady Len-

"Oh, it was Lady Lendel, was it?" "Yes, I shall never forget her." "I'll try not to," murmured Heath-

"I should never have thought, Henry," said Mrs. Heathcote, brokenly, "that you could have behaved soin so shameless a manner!" Her handkerchief went to her eyes and Heathcote made a step toward her, but

stopped directly.

"Well," he said, doggedly, "your eyes are opened now, Helen. I thought I should have been able to keep the affair dark, but the luck, I suppose was against me. How the

keep the affair dark, but the luck, I suppose, was against me. How did you find it out?"

"It is not necessary," she said, recovering herself, "to go into that. It is sufficient for you to know that I shall be a miserable woman for the test of my life."

"I see," said Heathcote.

Mrs. Heathcote went toward the floor.

"I shall arrange," she said tearful ly, "that we shall never—"
"While I think of it, ma'am," said

Mr. Sweever, entering with his pen between his teeth, as though it were a bit, and a letter in his hand, "here's one little document that was given to me, and I've brought it to you unopen-ed. I'll get you to let me have it back, ecause it's addressed, I am told, to this very young party that we've been speaking of."

He handed to the agitated Mrs. Heathcote a square envelope. It was indorsed in her husband's handwrit-ing, "Dearest Nell," and she opened it quickly and read the contents. "Well, Sweever," said Mr. Heath-

cote, heartily, "how are you? Getting along all right with this little job? What? "S-s-s-h!" whispered Sweever, with

much concern. "Nearly finished your inquiries?" "S-s-s-h!" said Mr. Sweever again,

with earnestness. "I suppose you've been pretty hard at work over it haven't you picnic being a private detective, is it?'
"Can't you shut it?" whispered Mr Sweever in a perfect agony. you hold your silly jor? I wonder what in the world possessed you to come here? Aren't you afraid the guv'nor

will catch you? "Oh, I don't mind," said Heathcote

carelessly.
"I s'pose I shall have to explain a bit now, ma'am," said Mr. Sweever, approaching his client and pointing to Heathcote. "This here is, as you probably know, Mr. Altch's chief clerk. He gave me all the information on the strict q. t. when I called at the office, and he gave me that letter. I reckon that we're very much indebted to this young gent for all the kind help he's

Mrs. Heathcote threw down the explanatory letter addressed to herself. "Oh, my dear, dear husband!"

Mr. Sweever took up the note with astonishment and read it. Mr. and Mrs. Heathcote were for the moment

otherwise engaged.
"My Dear Wife,—You are a very silly little woman to doubt me, and I assure you that you have no one to be jealous of. I have given Sweever some incriminating facts in regard to certain incidents in which I was engaged. In each case the other party was your own dear self. Your affec-"HUSBAND."

"The point is," grumbled Mr. Sweet er, looking around for his hat, "the point is, where do I come in?" Poor Mrs. Heathcote put her hand to her pocket for her purse.

"No, no, my dear," said her husband,
"I'll pay. I've had the fun of this
show. As for Lady Lendel, the next plece of my mind."

"And I'll help," said young Mrs.
Heathcote.—St. James Gazette.

Printing Press on a War Field The latest idea of the Emperor Wil-liam is reported to be the construction of a printing press for service in the field. He has, it is stated, had a carriage constructed in which a little printing room is arranged so that in a campaign he will be able to have his orders, proclamations, etc., printed for distribution. Up to the present, he has always been accompanied by a carriage containing a table, on which his secretary copied his orders. His Imperial Majesty will, it is said, make use of the new field printing press at the great manoeuvres this autumn

Visiting cards were used by the Chisese, it seems, as far back as 1,000
years ago. Their cards were very
large, as they were on soft paper and
tied with ribbon. Venice is believed
to have been the first city in Europe
to use cards, some dating from the latter part of the sixteenth century being still preserved in a museum
there. The Venetian custom found
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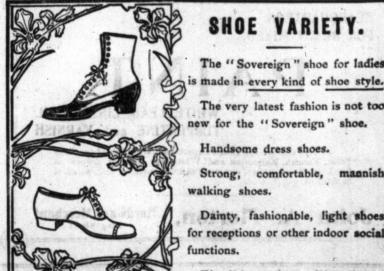
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All appeals therefrom must be made to the clerk on or before the 14th day of May, 1901.

GEO. M. BAIRD, Clerk's Office, Harwich, Apl. 29th. BILL OF THE PLAY.

May Irwin is planning a trip around he world, chiefly for pleasure. Joseph Jefferson celebrated his seven ty-second birthday a short time ago. Augustus Thomas is writing a new

"Colorado," which will be produced in New York in November. Sarah Cowell Le Moyne is said to be the only American actress who ever broke bread with Queen Victoria.

John Hare, the English actor, said recently that he was about to retire from the stage for an indefinite time if not

Rostand is at work upon a new play to be called "The Theater." Coquelin is to have the principal part, that of a broken down actor.

There is talk of an all star produc tion of "The Merchant of Venice," with Richard Mansfield, John Drew, Julia Marlowe and other notables in the cast. Marie Tempest has announced she will appear as Becky Sharp at the Prince of Wales theater in London before long. Her play is a new version of 'Vanity Fair."

This would have been Mary Anderson's "silver" year as an actress had she remained in active service in the profession. Her first appearance was made Nov. 27, 1875, in Louisville in the character of Juliet. Byron in the theater will be decidedly

a novelty to our generation. Yet Sir Henry Irving is to risk the experiment. At the final curtain call of his Lyceum season he announced for the coming winter the production of "Manfred." A company playing "A Pair of Tramps" were recently quarantined in their special car at Monmouth, Ills., the negro cook of the company having de-

### THE ROYAL BOX.

quarantine was removed.

veloped smallpox. The members of the company were vaccinated, and then the

The Duke of Connaught has been gasetted grand master of the Order of the

Bath. It is said that Prince Charles of Denmark, the second son of the Danish crown prince, will probably hereafter live in England, as both he and his sister prefer that country to their own.

Queen Alexandra is the obstacle that stands in the way of Prince George of York inheriting the title prince of Wales. She was devoted to her eldest son, the deceased Duke of Clarence, and has a sentimental feeling about her husband's title going to any one else.

It is a rare privilege to be permitted to visit any of the kaiser's palaces. He thinks he is entitled to at least as much privacy as the lowest of his subjects, and his orders in regard to visitors are strict. As the Neues palace is regarded as, above all others, a haven of rest, few tourists are permitted within its pre

cincts. King Edward VII is one of the oldest of parliamentarians. As a member of the house of lords since 1862 he has seen nearly all the peers of today take their seats. As Duke of Cornwall since his birth he has possessed a peerage for a longer period than any living man ex-cept Lord Nelson, who succeeded in 1835, and Lord Dufferin, who succeeded to a peerage of Ireland in 1841.

### THE JEWEL CASKET.

A lady's watch in plain black enamel object. "Tooth" ring mountings are used for

some very large diamonds for men's wear. They display the stone with great effectiveness. Pretty tie clips of gold wire in heart

shape are useful accessories in the evening toilet. They are set with pearls and turquoises. An adjustable bracelet adapts itself to

any size of wrist. It is constructed on the trellis pattern and contracts or expands after the fashion of the familiar iron gate.

Foreign fashion budgets tell us that the scent ball is to be the novelty of the coming season. This is a hollow sphere pierced with small holes and holding a bit of sponge saturated with perfur In simple silver trifles or elaborate gold affairs adorned with diamonds or other stones it affords an attractive accessory for chatelaine, chain or bracelet.

Her Fifty Dollar Purcause. "Goodness knows," said a Detroit woman who lived several years in New York city, "how many mistakes are made here every day in the sale and delivery of goods, but it was just awful in New York. In my own experience there I cannot number 1 of them, and I sup-pose other people could tell stories of carelessness not much different or fewer than mine.

"On one occasion I bought a \$50 rug from a big department store where I was known, and the bill was to be sent in on the 1st of the month. It was not sent, however, and I waited for another month. Still no bill, and at the end of four months I called to see about it. It had not even been charged, and the result of my call was that some one was disnissed for negligence and I paid the \$50. I was told afterward by several persons that I should never have said anything about it, and I was sorry I had, because my \$50 did not add greatly to the profits of the store and lost some poor fellow his

That Lovely Gorge.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson held an "at home" at their house in Manchester on the occasion of their return from a winter tour on the continent. They were very proud of the trip, and Mrs. Dawson was continually capting her backered if her was continually asking her husband if he remembered this, that or the other glo-

remembered this, that or the other glorious bit of scenery.

"And, oh, the gorge at Andermatt!"
she exclaimed. "You haven't forgotten
that lovely gorge, have you, Fred?"

"The gorge at the Grand hotel?" drawied Fred wearily. "By no means. I'll remember that gorge to my dying day.
Why, bless me, it was the only square
meal we got in Switzerland!"—London
Answers.

Escape Impossible. Jack-I wish I could get out of man.y-

fred-Why don't you tell her she is too good for you?

Jack-I did, but it wouldn't work. Now the wants to marry me to reform me.

Clothes turned right side out, careful folded and sprinkled are half troped.

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Is Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor, Is Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor, crowned by years of success, regal because unapproached and unapproachable, holding sway in this continent owing to its superiority, Putnam's Painless Corn and Wart Extractor. Sold by all druggists, or sent by mail by N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont., on receipt of 25 cents.

He who would keep his heart pure and holy must plant a sentinel at every avenue by which sin may find access there, guarding against none more than the little sins, as they are called .- Thomas Guthrie.

A grain of sand in the eye can caus excruciating agony. A grain of per per in place of the grain of sand in per in place of the grain of sand in-tensifies the torment. The pain is not confined to the organs affected. The whole body feels the shock of that little irritating particle. It is so when there is any derangement or disorder of the delicate womanly organs. The disorder may seem trivial, but the whole body feels it. The nervous sys-tem is disordered. There are fretful-ness, irritability, sullenness and deness, irritability, sullenness and de-pression of spirits. The general health of woman depends on the local health of the organs peculiarly fem-inine. Remove the drains, ulcerations bearing down pains, and other afflic-tions of woman, and the whole body feels the benefit. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a specific for the diseases that undermine the strength of women. It is free from opium, co-caine and other narcotic, poisons which enter into many other preparations for woman's use. It makes weak women strong and sick women well.

#### ENTOMOLOGY

The lady-bug is out-but she Has slim claims to gentility; She wears, without a twinge, I fear

#### The same red frock from year to year. When the Baby Cries at Night

there is a cause for it. Perhaps it is gas on the stomach, may be crampe or diarrhoea. Don't lose sleep, anticipate such contingencies by always keeping handy a bottle of Polson's Nerviline. Just a few drops in wat-er given inwardly, then rub the little one's stomach with a small quantity of Nerviline, and perfect rest is assured for the night for both mother and baby. You may not need Nervi-line often but when you do you need it badly. Get a 25c. bottle to-day.

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#### For whooping cough and croup, Vapo-Cres lene is a simple and perfect remedy.

Some people are enthusiastic in ac cepting invitations because they fig-ure that they will save that much by eating away from home.

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usands annually testify.

The Japanese taiko, or drum, is placed upon a permanent support and rests upon pivots.

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### CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

Chat H. Fletchers wings

### HE WRITES OF

## CALIFORNIA

Picton Visitor to the Sunny South Writes of His Expariences-Has Relatives in Chatham.

The following interesting letter was received from Dr. D. H. Platt, of Picton, Ont., who is travelling in California. Dr. Platt is a brother-in-law of Mrs. A. Patterson, Lorne Ave.

San Diego, Cal., April 2nd, 1901. Dear Friends: I said goodbye to the Phoenix on Feb. 20, and after a day and night ride through the mountains of Arizona, reached Southern California. In San Bernardino they nearly did me up. I was induced to try their hot mineral bath; took the plunge but soon scrambled out; water too hot felt my hair and found it didn't come out but in other respects I was nearly parboiled. After-effect, bad cold, near pneumonia; concluded San Bernardino was making it too hot for me, and moved on to Riverside where I met several old Picton boys, among them Mr. Chas. E. Wood, a genial good fellow is Charles. He nevers tires of the beauties of Riverside and its surroundings. He has a fine orange and grape fruit ranch and gave me enough to start a fruit stand. Found Mr. Wal-ter Clark, wife and baby well and nicely settled; Mr. Wilson Hubbs, well and looking quite 'obust; Mr. E. L. Eggle ston showed me a fine yoke of bulls gypsy wagon and camping outfit complete he had just purchased and in-tends going south 150 miles where he has secured land. He is lively as ever and invited me to go along and help manage the bulls, one of which has long horns and ring in nose, the other a moolly, otherwise well matched

except in size. San Diego is the most southern city of California and is a beautiful place of 20,000 population; is nicely situated on rising ground from the harbor, one of the largest and best in the werld 13 miles of protected coast, fine bait-ing and fishong. Hotel del Coronado on the beach is a great place for all sport, sea bething is indulged in by young and old, I haven't tried it yet am a little shy, good accommodation for tourists at reasonable rates, daily excursions into old Mexico and other places of interest near by. The Oriental Steamship Co. have a line to China and large tramp steamers call here for supplies. Good fishing is to be had off the piers which extend well out. Jewfish, baracopa, yellowtail seabass, leopard-shark, etc. abound, Jewfish weighing 300 lbs. will do some pulling.
I hooked a leopard shark that nearly pulled a Mexican and me off the pier we managed to get his head out of water, he broke loose, saved the hook. There is very little change of climate here, 'tis hard to tell where winter comes in, weather is now like our June and I regret to leave this place of paradise, but will as soon as I have to go deep in my pocket to find anything more than my return ticket. Goodbye.

D. H. PLATT.

A Domestic Disagreement. They had been married three months and were having their thirteenth quarrel -always an unlucky number.

"You only married me for my money," he said. "I didn't do anything of the kind,"

"Well, you didn't marry me because "I know I didn't." "In heaven's name what did you marry

me for then?"
"Just to make that hateful Susan Mil ler you were engaged to cry her eyes out because she had to give you up."

He fell down on the white bear skin rug at her feet and rolled over in it till he looked like a huge snowball. "Great Cæsar, woman," he shrieked,

"what have you done? Didn't you know I married you just because she threw me By the time dinner was ready their loving young hearts were once more so full of sunshine that awnings were absolutely

necessary .-An Artist's Excuse.

Lady (who has pestered artist with questions for hours)-All your marine pictures represent the sea as being calm. don't you paint a storm once in

awhile? Artist-We painters in oil can't paint a storm. I have often outlined a storm on the canvas, but as soon as I begin to spread on the oil colors the waves subide, and the sea becomes as calm as s

Lady-Yes, I've read about the effect oil has in calming the wayes, but I had no idea it was so effective as all that.

Strategy. Smarte—I don't suppose you want to borrow \$5 or \$10? Lamb-No; fact is I'm unusually flush

just at present. Smarte-Isn't that nice? By the way, I suppose you can accommodate with a twenty? Awfully gled to have met you, Entitled to Half Rates.

Beggar-Please give a poor old blind Citizen-Why, you Beggar-Well, then, give me a nickel.

Umbrellas are rarely seen in Poyta, Peru. It is the driest spot on earth. The average interval between two show-ers of rain is seven years.

What has become of the old fashloned woman who made her children's night-gowns out of flour sacks? — Atchison

"What a hideous hat Hilda has on!"
"Why, that's the latest style."
"Oh! Isn't it aweet?" A wise man avoids extremes—especially of wasps and hornets.

The Chinese translation of "Amen's, "My heart wishes to be exactly so."

#### DAY LIGHT ALONG THE HUD-SON RIVER.

A more magnificent panorama of beautiful scenery of beautiful scenery than is seen along the historic Hudson River, it would be hard to find, and this is offered to all patrons of the West Shore Railroad whose trains pass in full view of the river. Train leaving Chatham at 11.06 p. m., reaches New York at 3.30 p. m. following day, and is practically a day light train shortly after leaving Buffalo. Wabash ticket agent for further information.

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A6, 13, 20 27.

A few years after marriage it devel-ops that the defination of affinity is "both pulling one way."

### Children Cry for CASTORIA

The lord will not fail to come

### Children Cry for CASTORIA.

One man often talks another off his bench, and seats himself upon it.

### Children Cry for CASTORIA

There are some people who always iscover a mistake when it is too late

to rectify it. -Pimples, blotches and all other spring troubles are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla—the most effective of all

spring medicines. Wedlock often turns out to be a pad-

#### lock. TENDERS FOR VICTORIA BLOCK CHATHAM.

W. S. Ireland, and A. F. Falls, executors of the I. Garner Estate, will day the fifteenth day of May, 1901, for the purchase of Victoria Block,

Chatham, Ontario. This fine, substantial brick block with pressed brick front and cut stone with pressed brick front and cut stone facings, was built by the late Mrs. Garner, in the year 1899-196, and is situated at the corner of King and Fifth streets, in the centre of the business portion of the city of Chatham, having a frontage of sixty-one and one-half feet on King street and one hundred feet on Fifth street, is three storeys high, the remaining eighty-six feet on Fifth street being two stories high. There are three stores on King street, each with large, three airy, concrete floor cellar running full depth of store. The corner store

is under lease to a large clothing firm. On Fifth street are four large of-fices, all occupied. The second floor of of the building is fully occuped as of-

fices and residence rooms.

The building is heated by steam, fitted with gas and electric light fixtures and has ample water service, lavator-ties, closets, etc., etc. This is a most desirable property in

a flourishing city. Title good. Tenders will also be received until the above date for the following shares

of Company stock: Forty \$100 shares Chatham Navigation Company, limited, Charles, Fully paid up.
Thirty \$100 shares Northern Life Assurance Company of Canada, London, Ontario

Twenty \$190 shares in the Ontario Per manent Building & Loan Association, Woodstock. Accumulative stock. Paid in full. Paying six per cent. half yearly. Stock matures 30th June, 1910.

Twenty-five \$100 shares in the Merchants' Fire Insurance Company, Toronto. Ten per cent. paid. Sixty \$100 shares in the Trust & Guarantee Company, limited, Toronto. Paying five per cent. dividend. Ten per cent

Ten \$100 shares in the Chatham Peat Fuel Company, Limited, Chatham, Ontario. Fifty per cent. paid. Tenders may be for any parcel of

these stocks or for any portion of same. No tender necessarily accept-Sealed tenders to be addressed to above named executors or to Thomas Scullard, Solicitor for Executors, Chatham, Oatario. Marked "Ten-

Any further information required can be had from the Executors or So-licitor. THOMAS SCULLARD. Solicitor for Executors, Chatham, Ont

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amining the peculiar manner

which the lightning had acted, and

he gave it as his opinion that the heavy rain falling at the time must

have acted as a conductor in taking the electricity to the ground and

thus prevented the building being

burned. The peculiar action of the

lightning is worth seeing. The shat-tered building is plainly to be seen from the bridge. John Piggott and James E. Oldershaw were working in

their offices at the time and both distinctly felt the shock.

Preparations for the Work-W.

O'Hara on the Canadian Staff.

Winnipeg News.

Mr. W. F. O'Hara, who has been ap-

pointed by the Dominion government

on a board of four commissioners to

survey the international boundary was in the city last week and left on Sat-

rday for Ottawa to receive his in

structions concerning the work. Mr

O'Hara is a Chatham man, and is

him in the survey will be two Ameri-

can surveyors and another Canadian,

a Mr. McArthur, of Ottawa. The

work will last for two or three years.

The reason of the survey being made

at this time is that contests over the

mining properties in British Columbia

are becoming more and more frequent.

A recent controversy is over property

claimed to be both in Montana and

in British Columbia, and is only one

A start will be made in British Col

through to the Atlantic coast. Nearly

tries have been washed away by time

and weather, and these will be recon-structed. The last survey was some

cific was struck, the line from the lake to the Atlantic being surveyed

about fifty years ago. The survey is at the suggestion of the United States government, who notified the British

government that they intended to

send out a party and asked for the

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Borrowers should apply personally to The Chatham boan & Savings Company, and secure advantages of best rates, low empenses, etc.

PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.

Toronto, May 3, 10 a. m.-Fresh northerly winds; fine and cool, loca frosts at night. Saturday, moderate northerly to easterly winds, fine and slightly higher temperature.

Master Harry Fife is indisposed. Jos. Downey, Queen street, is able to

M. Wilson, K. C., is in Toronto on John Sowerby is in Dutton to-day on

'S. C. Walker is in Dresden to-day, M. Whitely, of Walkerville, is in

the city to-day. Alex. Dolsen, River Road, Raleigh, is seriously ill.

J. A. Buchanan, of Rond Eau, is in the city to-day. E. Burr, of Dresden, visitor yesterday. J. D. Dewar, of North Buxton, was in

he city yesterday. Owen McKay, of Windsor, was in the ity this morning.

W. W. McGuire, of Windsor, was in the city yesterday. J. L. Burk has returned from a bus

ness trip to Tilbury. Mrs. Geo. Merriam is so far improv ed as to be able to sit up. Broken sizes in \$1.25 and \$1.50 Fedora ats to-morrow 98c at The 2 T's. Barrister R. L. Gosnell, of Blen-

neim, is in the city to-day. Boy wanted, with some knowledge of printing. Apply at Planet. tf The Highgate station, on the new extension of the Lake Erie, is open. Charles Hubble, contractor, Thamesville, is in the city to-day on business. Young man wanted at The Planet Office, who is accustomed to feeding

The Epworth League of the Victoria Ave. Methodist church will meet this

To-morrow broken sizes in \$2.50 and \$3 Derby and Fedora hats at \$1.87 at The 2 T's. G. A. Taylor, Jos. Reeves and P. J. Latham will go to Wallaceburg this

Dr. Russell, dentist, has removed his office to cor. King and Fifth streets, over Merchants' Bank. dwlm A full attendance of the 24th Regi-mental Band is asked for to-night at

o'clock, sharp. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rouse, of Harwich, have taken up their residence on Baxter street.

Miss Montgomery returned this Burwell, in Ridgetown. Take advantage of the hosiery sale next Saturday. Fast black, fine double soles and heals ladies hose at 12½ at Thibodeau &

The advisory board of the Chil dren's Aid Society will meet on Tues-

Church Sunday school hall. It is worth your while to call and see the nice assortment of rustic chairs, awn seats, lawn flower stands, at Westman Bros.

The funeral of Mrs. Sarah E. Johnson took place this afternoon from her residence to the B. M. E. church, and thence to Maple Leaf

It is worth your while to call and see the nice assortment of rustic chairs, lawn seats, lawn flower stands at Westman Bros. Mr. and Mrs. R. Cameron, Palmyra, are rejoicing in an addition to

their family. Mrs. Cameron is a A start will be made in British Coldaughter of Mr. and Mrs. James umbia and the surveyors will trave Watt, of this city. The greatest attraction next Saturday

will be an offer of 25 elegantly trimmed hats at \$2.48 at Thibodeau & Jacques. The at \$2.48 at Thibodeau & Jacques. In T. & J. standard of excellence is sufficient

In the case tried under the Overholding Tenants' Act, before Judge Bell in chambers yesterday, his deforty years ago, when the boundry line from Lake Superior to the Pacision was given in favor of Mrs. Fletcher, the landlady, as against the tenant, and the order for possession

W. E. Rispin asks us to announce the popular Thursday excursions to Detroit via Grand Trunk and Wabash Railways on Thursday next, 2nd of May. Fare \$1, tickets good returning next day.

co-operation of a party from this side of the line. Yesterday was the warmest day this year, the thermometer register-ing 85 in the shade. This morning the registration was only 39. The rainfall yesterday afternoon amounted to 60 tons to the acre, which was the cause of the thermometer taking

such a drop. The Essex Heroes' march and two-step, by Catharine A. Westcott, of Kingsville, can be obtained at Tschir-hart's Music Store, King St. Price 25c.

### THE WORK OF THE LIGHTNING

Large Frame Building on the River Bank Struck in Yesterday's

During the rain storm yesterday lightning struck the red frame building on the river bank near the Aberdeen bridge. The property was used as a grain warehouse by Jas. Henry, and more recently by the late James Lamont. About five o'clock yesterday there was an especially brilliant flash of lightning and a heavy peel of thunder. It was then that the wandering electric fluid came in contact with the lightning rods on the old warehouse. The electricity ran old warehouse. The electricity ran down the rod to where it was broken off half way to the ground. The fluid then used the building as a conductor and the boards over a spot 5x10 feet are all shattered and splintaged.

"It came out as I journeyed on horseback through Dakota that almortgage, said a Westener, "and one day, when I came upon a pioneer seated on the grass by the roadside with a troubled look on his face, I asked him if it was the mortgage he was worrying about.

"Wuss that that, stranger,' he re plied, as he looked up wearily.
"Sickness or death in the family?

'Wuss than that.' "Then it must be a calamity, in-deed. You didn't lose family and home by a prairie fire?"

"'Nope, but you are right about its being a calamity. I've been tryin' to think of that word for two hours past. Yes, sir; you can put it down as an ewful calamity." "But wont you explain?" I persist-

"'I will, sir. Thar was a mortgage on the claim, and I was feelin' as big

as any of my neighbors, and takin' things easy, when my wife was left \$600. Stranger, dar I tell you what the did with that money?' 'She didn't lose it?'

"'No, sir. She jest paid that mort-gage, bought two horses and a plough, and this mornin' I was bounced out of my cabin bekase I wouldn't peel off my coat and go to work! Yes, sir, you are right. It's a calamity-a calamity that's landed me on the outside, and between my durned pride and her blamed spunk somebody'll be eatin' grass afore Saturday night!'

What the Moon Saw. Across the lake the willow whisper ed and hid her face behind her waving tresses. The moon, in answer to a cornstalk, blushed red and crept behind a passing cloud. The black bird, piping in the flags, grew silent, and the frog sank down deep in the ooze along the banks, turning his shinning back upon the scene transpiring on the bosom of the lake. The waters ceased their purling, and each little wave held its breath and did not stir. All, all was silent.

Adown the lake there crept a boat. Within it sat a maiden .and a .youth how fair was she! And, oh, how handsome was he! The oars lay on the seat, dripping a silent drop back to the water. They drifted. All, all was silent. Darker and yet more silent grew the night, for Nature's voice was hushed. The whole world seemed to hold its breath. And then-

The moon leaped forth from behind the cloud, the willow swept her locks from her eyes, the frog came forth, the cricket and the night birds sang and the world burst forth once more

For Goorge had kissed Angelina.

Cupid Decides an Election Bet. He was a bashful youth, and when he tried to frame a proposal to the girl of his heart his tongue glued itself to the roof of his mouth, and refused to be loosened. One day they talked of politics. And brother of Mr. O'Hara, of the Bank then of political bets. His eye sudof Commerce here. Associated with

denly brightened. "Wh-what do you say," he stammered desperately, "to making a little

bet with me?" "I've no objection," she sweetly answered.

"Then" he went on, "let's go ahead and make a bet. If McKinley is elected you w-will agree to m-m-marry me!" He could get no further. But she nobly came to his rescue.

"I'll make a bet, too," she softly murmured. "If Bryan is elected you will agree to marry me.' There was a brief silence. Then a queer smile struggled across the face of the agitated youth. Another smile all of the old landmarks through the west where waterways are not the dividing lines between the two coun-

lighted the countenance of the happy "Why wait for the election returns? he chuckled. And they were married the next

fexas Tells a Terrible Tale of Kentucky. Man born in the mountains of Kentucky is of feud days and full of virus. He fisheth, fiddleth, cusseth and fighteth all the days of his miserable life. He shunneth water as a mad dog

and drinketh much mean whisky. When he desireth to raise h- he planteth a neighbor, and lo he reap-eth twenty-fold. He raiseth even from the cradle to seek the scalp of his grandsire's enemy, and bringeth home in his carcass the ammunition of his wife's neighbor's wife's cousin's father-in-law, who avengeth the deed. Yes, verily his life is uncertain and

he knows not the hour he may be jerked hence. He goeth forth on a journey halt shot and cometh back on a shutter

He riseth in the night to let the cat out, and it taketh nine doctors three days to pick the buckshot out of him . He goeth forth in joy and gladness and cometh back in scraps and frag-

A cyclone bloweth him into the bo som of his neighbor's wife and his neighbor's wife's husband bloweth him into Abraham's bosom before he hath time to explain.

He emptieth a demijohn into himself and a shotgun into his enemy, and his enemy's son lieth in wait for him on election day and lo! the coroner ploweth up a forty-acre field to bury, the remains of the man. Woe, woe is Kentucky! for her eyes are red with bad whisky, and her

soul is stained with the blood of innocent moonshiners. Papa—Yes, my dear, I insist on your learning to swim. The danger of losing one's life in the water is an

er losing ones are in the specific ones of the specific ones.

Daughter—Oh, I'm not afraid. When f get married I shall expect my husband to rescue me.

Papa—But remember you are just as fikely to get shipwrecked after you have a mother-in-law.

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