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The entertainment consists of moving pictures, iilustrated songs and vaudeville acts, and they are proing very popular indeed. The vaude ville performers are secured from Detroit, and Mr. Brisco has been for-

The entertainment consists of moving pictures, illustrated songs and vaudeville acts, and they are proing very popular indeed. The vaude ville performers are secured from Detroit, and Mr. Brisco has been fortunate in landing some of the best acts procurable. This week he is showing a new class of pictures and is assisted by the Millens in Chinese magic. Each performance is perfect. is assisted by the Millens in Chinese magic. Each performance is perfectly new, even the pictures are all changed every day. Mr. Brisco should find that his extraordinary enterprise will not him very satisfactory results. These entertainments will be continued daily for the rest of the season, the only exception being when travelling shows appear for which arrangements will be made, and prices advertised.

#### A BIG ENTERPRISE

Society Proposes To Pray For All Those In Need Of Salvation In Chatham

For those who have not the time of will not take the time to pray for their own spiritual welfare, a new mode of salvation has been discovered. A society of devout and religious persons has been formed in this city, who will make it their business to pray for others.

A secret prayer circle was formed some little time ago with the object in view of offering up prayers by the wholesale for those in need of them. The circle is made up of a number of members of the various denominaof members of the various denominations in the city, and has in its possession a list of the names of all
the people around town who are considered to be badly in need of prayers.
The list is said to be a very long one.
The society has no regular night of
meeting, but they meet at a different house each night, and offer up
prayers for those whose names appear on the list of wandering sheep.
A society with such a praiseworthy
object in view should not be sneered
at. To offer up prayers for all those object in view should not be sneered at. To offer up prayers for all those who apparently stand in need of them in the city of Chatham is admitted to be no small proposition. It would be interesting to know

It would be interesting to know just whose names figure in these nightly prayers, and what names are placed at the head of the list. It is said that some of the members of the City Council figure quite prominent can be on the list, but this rumor can "Did he mention Thaw's name?" "No." tain a strict silence as to their busi-

#### CAN'T BEAT THIS!

R. J. Rankin of Mooretown Send the Planet A Peach Tree Branch

Those citizens who have been spending their money in ear-laps and fursined overcoats, evidently laboring under the impression that Canada is more than living up to her reputation as "The Lady of the Snows," will be surprised to learn that it is all a mistake. This Great Home Journal itself was beginning to think that of all seasons we prefer the summer time when we received the following letter from one of our subscribers:

Dear Sir: Enclosed please find a renewal of my subscription to The Planet, also a branch of a peach tree in bloom. Please ask others to beat that if they can!"

Those citizens who have been spending to think that night?" "After the shots were fired. He was standing over Stanford White. He held the pistol high above his head. He was very pale, his eyes seemed about to pop out of his head, and his hair was hanging well down on his forehead."

In your opinion, was his action rational or irrational?"

"I object," showted Mr. Jerome declared "Thaw's actions were irrational."

Mr. Jerome took up the cross-examination.

"We your testimony, were you char-

tree in bloom. Please ask others to beat that if they can!"

R. J. Rankin, Mooretown, Feb. 6.
We venture to remark that Mr. Rankin has the most of us stalled. A peach tree in blossom in the month of February is something rarely known during Canadian winters. We can only account for it by the excellent spring weather we have been having lately.

The said he is from San Francisco and is 36 years of age. McCaleb.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diph-

## Jerome Finds In Delmas Foe Worthy Of His Steel

Mr. Brisco Inaugurates A The Defense In The Thaw Case Now Commences To Take Shape - Stanford White Threatened To Kill Thaw-Mrs. Thaw's Note

So far, indeed, had the defence pro-gressed that at the close of yesterday's proceedings Mr. Delmas announced that either the wife or the mother of the defendant will be the first wit-

the defendant will be the first witness to-day.

For the first time since the beginning of the trial the court room during the afternoon was crowded to its utmost capacity by the general public, a large portion of the audience being women. Justice Fitzgerald's warning of the morning that there might be testimony that might well shock their sensibilities seemed to increase than decrease the number of women who sought entrance to the court room.

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White Made Threats.

Mr. Delmas directed that Benjamin Boman, whose testimony had been excluded Wednesday, be recalled as the first witness yesterday. Boman said that in 1903 he was a doorkeeper at the Garden Theatre, and that he knew both White and Thaw.

"Did you ever hear Stanford White make threats against the life of any person?"

make threats against the life of any person?"

'Yes. A few night after Christmas, Stanford White came up to me after the show and wanted to know if Miss Nesbit had gone home. I told him she had. He replied: "You are a liar." I told him to go back on the stage and see for himself.

'When he returned, and as he passed me he pulled a pistol from his pocket and muttered: 'I'll find and kill that — before daylight."

'Did you communicate the threat to this defendant?" asked Mr. Delmas. "Yes, I met him in Fifth avenue and told him I wanted to speak with him regarding Miss Nesbit. I then told him of the incident at the theatre and of White's threat."

'What was Mr. White's manner?" asked Mr. Delmas. "He was very angry."

'You may take the witness." re-

asked Mr. Deimas. He was very angry."

"You may take the witness," remarked Thaw's counsel to the district attorney, and the cross-examination was begun.

Unshaken By Jerome.

Mr. Jerome for nearly an hour questioned the witness closely as to details of his employment and places of residence within five years.

of residence within five years.

Boman denied that he had received

"When did you first tell this story to defendant's counsel?" "I don't remember the date of the letter, but I think in December last." On redirect examination Boman said he was a soldier in the United

States army from 1898 to 1899. Press Man Tells Story.

Martin Green, a newspaper man, said he was on the Madison Square roof garden the night of the tragedy, sitting not more than twenty feet from Stanford White.

met the district attorney.

"Some months ago."

"Where?" "At the Union Club."

"Did you ever make a statement
to him or his assistants?" "I made
a deposition."

"Did it remain in the district attorney's office?" "So far as I know
it is st I there."

Mr. Jerome asked Mr. McCaleb if
he thought himself qualified to pass
upon a man's mental state, and he
said he did.

When Mr. Jerome took up the re-

amination.
"By your testimony, were you characterizing Thaw's mental state or his conduct?"

having lately.

As yet, however, we have been unable to find any strawberries in our own garden. Our exparience has been limited to picking cherries—out of cock-tails.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diph.

ed. He said he is from San Francisco and is 36 years of age. McCaleb waid he was also with Thaw on the Madison Square Roof Garden, and testified that he saw Mrs. Thaw pass her husband a note at the table at Martin's the night of White's killing.

Mr. McCaleb testified that he left the

# INSTRUCTION

Masonic Fraternity Of Erie District Hold Important **Function Here** 

A LODGE OF

#### WORK IS EXEMPLIFIED

roof garden during the second act.

"I was walking out with Mrs."
Thaw," he said, "and just as we reached an archway three pistol shots struck upon my hearing—"

"Was Thaw with you and his wife or was he behind?"

"We were in the lead; I don't know where Thaw was. When I heard the pistol shots I turned around and beard Mrs. Harry Thaw exclaim:

"My God. he's shot!" There she A large number of Freemasons epresenting almost every longe of rie District, which comprises the territory from Glencoe and West corne to Windsor, attended a lodge of instruction, conducted by R. W Bro. R. W. Fraser, D. D. G. M., of Thamesville, in the local Masonic

Thamesville, in the local masonic Temple.

The splendid quarters of the local fraternity in the Scane Block were taxed to their capacity by the members of the craft, most of whom were visiting Chatham for the first time since the occupation of the new rooms.

Yesterday afternoon the Glencoo and Mertin Lodges exemplified the first and second degrees. Last night Parthenon Lodge, of this city, worked the third degree, and a fourth degree was arranged for by the officers of Wellington and Parthenon lodges jointly.
At 2.30 p. m.,

At 2.30 p. m., Lorne Slenoce, worked the fi he fo lowing officers:—
W. M.—W. K. Foucar, S. W.—G. A. Dewar.
J. W.—E. T. Houston, J. D.—M. C. Elliott, S. S.—F. Houston.
J. S.—W, D. Deacon, I. G.—D. McEachrea.

pistol shots I turned around and beard Mrs. Harry Thaw exclaim:
"My God, he's shot!" There she stood, pale and tremulous and apparently astonished. The next thing I saw was Harry Thaw, standing with a revolver held over his head. The but of the pistol was up.

Mrs. Thaw: Why Did You Do It?
"Mrs. Thaw exclaimed: 'Oh, Harry, what have you done; why did you do it?' He said: 'I have saved your life.' Then he kissed her. I turned to Mr. Beal and said: 'He has killed a man. I did not know who it was. Then I got into the elevator with Mr. Beal and Mr. and Mrs. Thaw and the man who had Mr. Thaw in charge. At the sidewalk he was turned over to a policeman. He said to me: 'Take my wife to the Hotel Lorraine and telephone Carnegie.' I could not understand the first name.' Witness said Thaw's manner was irrational.

Mr. McCaleb, said that he and Mr. Beal dined with Mr. and Mrs. Thaw on the night of June 25 at the Cafe Martin at about 7.40.

"Did you notice any communication between Mrs. Thaw and her husband at the table?" asked Mr. Delmas.—"I remember she asked him for a pencil and afterwards she passed him a folded paper."

"Did Mr. Thaw make any remark?"
"Not that I heard."
"Did you notice any change in Thaw's appearance?" I did not pay

At 5 p. m., Century Lodge, of Mer-in, exemplified the second degree. The officers taking part were:— W. M.—Dr. Oliver.

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W. M.—Dr. Oliver.
S. W.—E. Neil,
J. W.—Ed. Armstrong.
S. D.—R. G. Hutchinson,
J. D.—Chas. Smith.
S. S.—W. D. Marshall.
J. S.—Alex. Graham.
I. G.—S. J. Pritchard.
W. Bro. Dobertson delivered the charge in this degree, following which a meeting of the Past Masters of the District was held.
In the evening Parthenon Lodge, of this city, exemplified the third degree and received many encomiums at grain to their excellent work.
The officers are:—
W. M.—J. M. Pike.
S. W.—J. W. Draper,
J. W.—Edwin Be.l.
Secretary—J. W. Piewes.
Treasurer—Thos. Scullard.
Chap—Robert Park.
S. D.—A. W. Merrill.
The J. G. Martin.

"Did Mr. Thaw make any remark?"
"Not that I heard."
"Did you notice any change in Thaw's appearance?" I did not pay much attention."

Passed a Note.
"We understand," said Mr. Delmas, "that the note from Mrs. Thaw to her husband is in the hands of the learned district attorney. I now call upon him to produce the paper."

There was a dramatic silence. Mr. Jerome sat tugging away at his short, stubby moustache.

Not a muscle of his face moved, the appeared oblivious to the request. Finally Mr. Delmas continued. "I take it, your honor, that the action of the learned district attorney in not replying is not an act of discourtesy, but his conception of what are his duties in this matter. I shall, therefore, have to try to get something about the note in evidence."

Turning to the witness, Mr. Delmas said: "Do yoa know anything of the contents of that note?" "No."
"Was there any longer or whether you should go to the roof garden?"

Cross-Examined. S. D.—A. W. Merrill.
J. D.—J. G. Martin.
S. S.—H. English.
J. S.—W. J. Easton.

Cross-Examined. Mr. Jerome objected and was sustained. The cross-examination then

began,
"How long have you known the defendant?" asked Mr. Jerome. "Some

years."
"Where?" "In Paris and San

Thaw's Appearance Irrational.

Had a Drink With Jerome.

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J. S.-W. J. Easton.
I. G.-Alex. Carter.
W. Bro. Jehiel Smith delivered the charge in this degree.
R. W. Bro. Fraser, D. D. G. M., had charge of the proceedings, and was assisted by R. W. Bro. Crumb, R. W. Bro. Ed. Worth, R. W. Bro. J. W. Hodgins, W. Bro. Geo. Musson A great many doubtful points were cleaned up, and it was generally voted the most successful lodge of instruction ever held in Erie District. After the conclusion of the degree work a banquet was tendered the visiting brethren by Wellington and Paghlenon lodges, in the magnifi-Francisco."

"Did you know Miss Nesbit before she married Thaw?" "No."

"What is your occupation?" "My last occupation was as secretary to the Association for the Improvement and Adornment of San Francisco. I resigned because of ill health." He added that he is the author of two books and has "private interests."

"Were you not to dine at Sherry's the evening of June 25, 1906, instead of at the Cafe Martin?" "The note of invitation was to meet at Sherry's; it was not indicated that we were to dine there." visiting brethren by We, lington and Pauthenon lodges, in the magnificently appointed banqueting hall adjoining the lodge room. Covers were laid for 250. The committee in charge of the banquet were, Bros. A. W. Merrill, D. E. Russell, J. W. Draper and W. W. Turner. W. Bro. Geo. Massey presided over the toast list, which brought to a close a most interesting and profitable event.

#### FRIDAY MATINEE

"When you say in your opinion that Mr. Thaw was irrational, do you refer to his mental state or to his ap-pearance?" asked the district attorillustrated songs for to-morrow at pearance?" asked the district attorney. "I mean his appearance, his looks. It was so pronounced—" On redirect examination Mr. McCaleb was asked when he had first met the district attorney. "Some months ago." the Brisco Opera House. The Millens in their Chinese magic act is worth nearly ten times the price of admission alone. Remember the 4 o'clock cents at night.

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Mixed Pickles, 10c. per bottle.
50c. pails Apple Butter for 30c.,

when Mr. Jerome took up the recress-examination he offered as people's exhibit No. 5 the deposition referred to. The document was withdrawn from evidence when Mr. Delmas objected.

Mr. Delmas then asked McCaleb:
"When you had a talk with the district attorney die you tell him you
thought Mr. Thaw was irrational?"

Mr. Jerome's objection was sustained. 22 lbs. Bright, Yellow Sugar, \$1. Cooking Figs, 6c. per lb. Golden Syrup, best quality, 50c. per gal.
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7 lbs. Rolled Wheat or Rolled Oats

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"You say you had a conversation with me at the Union Glub?" shouted Mr. Jerome. "Was: it late in the evening?" "Yes."
"How many drinks had you had?"
"I had one with you."
The courtroom immediately was in an uproar of laughter, JOHN McCONNELL PARK ST. PHONE 190

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## GRAY'S CHINA HALL

to-morrow that they forget all about to-day!

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## The Baily Planet 8. STEPHENSON, PROPRIETOR.

TELEPHONES
53. Editorial Room 102.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1907.

COLD STORAGE.

A few days ago The Planet called attention to the remarks made by H. S. Clements, M. P., in the House,

as is erected there, may be modernized and in that case get this assistance of 30 per cent. In fact I would be in favor of increasing that amount on the completion of the building The building I speak of would be thoroughly up-to-date if modernized system the Minister advocates, and then it would have capacity of 175,000 cubic feet, which would be adequate to meet the wants of that district. If the Bill does not provide for the modernizing of such a building, it will be some years before we can get the kind of building ene with a new up-to-date system from start to finish, such as the Hon. candain manufacturers to dange grown in the easy of the other sections grow. I hope that the Honom inster will have a thorough inspection made of the building I speak of in the city of Chatham; and if after that inspection made of the building I speak of in the city of Chatham; and if after that inspection he considers it a proper building, I see no reason why he should not allow it to be modernized and give our people the benefit and so we have incomed and give our people the benefit and so we have incomposited and give our people the benefit and so we have incomposited and give our people the benefit and so we have incomposited and give our people the benefit and so we have incomposited and give our people the benefit and so we have incomposited and give our people the benefit and so we have incomposed to the months. The orders for the largest gross increase in a single year, it is also by far the largest gross increase in a single year, it is also by far the largest gross increase in the control of the proposition of the control of the c cannot grow. I hope that the Hon.
Minister will have a thorough inspection made of the building I speak of in the city of Chatham; and if after that inspection he considers it a proper building, I see no reason why he should not allow it to be modernized and give our people the benefit of the money to be expended as the Bill proposes. Otherwise I fear that on account of a plant being already established in Chatham, we could not get capital to come in and build another plant."

With Mr. McBride at the head of affairs in British Columbia; with Whitney directing Ontario's legislation; with Roblin making Conservative acts to the satisfact on of a large majority of the electors of Manitoba—who will say that the Conservative party is not in good shape to capture the citadel of Ottawa.—Galt Reporter.

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#### THE STAGE

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Agents. At the Brisco Opera House-

Morris Moving Pictures-All week. The Village Parson-Feb. 7. "THE VILLAGE PARSON."

He S. Clements, M. P., in the House, tar reference to the assistance proposed to be offered by the Dominion Government to encourage the establishment of cold storage plants. The rear many exciting status to fall text of Mr. Clements' remarks, as reported in Hansard, are as follows, and it would be well if the Government would heed the advice offered:

"While I opprove of encouraging the cold atorage system, and while I have frequently advocated it in this House, yet, I cannot endors the provisions of this bill in their shirtery. As I understand it, the 30 ger cent, subsidy will only be applied to new buildings, and I regret that the minister should so confine the scope of the bill heeaves it that limitation be persisted in, a greating of the Province of Ontario, will not get the benefit of this legislation, Left and of the Parson. The part of the wife which by chance falls into the hands of the Parson. The part of the wife which by chance falls into the hands of the Parson. The part of the wife which by chance falls into the hands of the Parson. The part of the wife which by chance falls into the hands of the Parson. The parson the part of the wife which by chance falls into the hands of the Parson. The part of the wife which by chance falls into the hands of the Parson. The part of the wife which by chance falls into the hands of the Parson. The part of the wife which by chance falls into the hands of the Parson. The part of the sellers, particularly in the Province of Ontario, will not get the benefit of this legislation, Left and a very strong seene between the benefit of this legislation, Left and a very strong seene between the benefit of this legislation, Left and the province of the sellers, particularly in the civity of Chatham, a namber of pablic spriited men there, soon fave years ago provided the capital and executed and

omedy neatly intervoven.

A FINE CONCERT

The concert riven in Park street by land, and if that be done the farmer surrounding Chatham and Alvinston and other places, would obtain some benefit from such a measure as this.

"If the Minister takes that course, it would be very difficult to get capital fine the city of Chatham for the purpose of building a storage plant, which would come into competition with the plant already established the propose of the Bill, is sufficient. It seems to me that 10 per cent. given in the competition of the bill in sufficient. It seems to me that 10 per cent. given in the competition of the building and the provisions of the Bill, is sufficient. It seems to me that 10 per cent. given in the competition of the building and the provisions of the Bill, is sufficient. It seems to me that 10 per cent. given in the content of the provisions of the Bill, is sufficient. The concert private interval to a strength of the provisions of the Bill, is sufficient. The concert privation and the filled privation and shadings, is unquestion, ter, it for the river with the refers to the filled there were forty inspections applied to the letter. It and the content in the content of the during and the provisions of the Bill, is sufficient. The concert private in part to a short time. The concert private the provisions of the Bill, is sufficient. The seems to me that 10 per cent. given the provisions of the Bill, is sufficient. The seems to me that 10 per cent. given the provisions of the Bill, is sufficient. The seems to meet the situation in Chatham, by providing that a building, such as in creeted there, may be moderaitied to the city of the strength of the case in the provisions of the Bill, is sufficient. The seems to me that 10 per cent. given the provisions of the Bill being made with the provisions of the Bill, is affected. The many contains a special than the provisions of the Bill, is a p

Contralso solo-Miss Alace Halls.

Duett-Miss Annie Reid and Ma

Duett-Miss Annie Reid and Mr.
Morris.
Reading-Miss Jean McDonald.
Tenor solo-Mr. Morris.
Trio-Loudon Trio Concert Co.
Violin-Mr. Ed. Jones.
Soprano solo-Miss Reid.
Duett-Miss Reid and Miss Halls.
Reading-Miss McDonald.
Contralto solo-Miss Alice Halls,
Tenor solo-Mr. Morris.
Reading-Ralph Connor.
Soprano solo-Miss Reid.
Trio-Loudon Trio Concert Co.
Duett-Mrs. S. C. Walker and Miss Halls.

## DR. CHARTERIS AND MR. PURSER

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FULL FACTS ABOUT IT

#### DEATH OF MR. SCHLENKER

A sad death was that of Mr. Frank Schlenker, of London. He was taken to the St. Joseph's Hospital, London, on Thursday last suffering from appendicitis, and on Friday morning was operated upon by the best surgeons in the city. His symptoms appeared favorable until Monday, when paralysis of the bowels set in and it became evident that his life could not be saved, and though everything possible was done for him he passed into rest at noon on Tuesday.

The remains were taken to Ridgetown, where, according to the wish of the deceased, they will be interred in Greenwood Cemetery, the family burying place.

burying place. Frank Schlenker was one of the bour of his death. All through his illness he was bright and cheefful answering every inquiry with a winning smile, and up to the last moment he was hopeful that he would recover to live for his little family. In June, 1903, he married the eldest daughter of the Rev. Mr. Colles, of this city, May E., who with their little daughter Tessale, 18 months old, survives him.

wish he will be buried with M

at Cumming's Baimoral Shaving Parlor. The boys arrived on the 4.30 p.m. car and at once commenced the attack. At 6.30 they all adjourned to Thompson's restaurant for an excellent oyster supper, after which they returned to the Balmoral, where the battle raged till 9.20. There were six on each side, and each one played two games with each other.

The score:

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garment, wrap, or what you will, is the manto. It is of some kind of fine black material and is worn thrown

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wish he will be buried with Masonic honors by the Ridgetown Lodge of A. F. & A. M., of which he was a member up to the time of his death. Mrs. Schlenker and her parents, as well as the immediate relatives, his sisters, Mrs. J. Bawden, of Ridgetown, and Mrs. C. Parney, of Edmonton, Alta, have the deepest sympathy of their many friends in both communities.

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20c Towels 14c Each. 20c Towels 14c each---2 doz. pure linen ringed huck towels, red borders, bleached ringed, size 19 x 39 in., reg. 20c each.

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Men's Odd Pants, dark tweeds, reg. up to

Regular up to \$4, sale price \$2.89.

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#### THE MARKETS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures Close Higher-Live Stock Markets-The Latest Quotations.

Tuesday Evening, Feb. 5.
Liverpool wheat faitures closed to day
3/d to 3/d higher than yesterday and corn
rutures 3/d to 3/d higher.
At Chicago May wheat closed 3/c higher
than yesterday: May corn 3/c higher and
May oats 3/c higher.

WINNIPEG OPTIONS. Winnipeg—Futures closed to-day: Feb. 74c bld, May 77%c, July 77%c bld.

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LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PHODUCE
LIVERPOOL, Feb. 5.—Wheat—Spot strong;
No. 2 western winter, 6a 1d; futures sten'y;
March, 6a 6%d; May, 6a 5%d; July, 6a2%d.
Corn—Spot firm; American mixed, new,
4s 6%d; American mixed, old 4s 7d; futures steady; March, 4s 2%d; May, 4s 4%d.
Bacon—Cumberland cut steady, 52s 6d;
ebert rib firm, 54s 6d.
Lard—Prime western in therces strong,
50s; American refined in pails firm, 50s 6d.
Tallow—Prime city strong, 53s.
Rosin—Common steady, 10s 7%d.

NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET. New York, Feb. 5.—Flour—Receipts, 18,-769 bbls.; exports, 5331 bbls.; sales, 4000 bbls.; market firm but quiet. Beckwheat flour—Quiet. Buckwheat— Quiet. Cornmeal—Steady, nominal. Barley —Nominal. Rye flour—Quiet.

#### CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Unchanged—U.S. Markets
Are Generally Easier.

London, Feb. 5.—Liverpool and London ables are steady at 11c to 12%c per 1b., ressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted t 9%c to 9%c per 1b. TORONTO LIVE STOCK.

Toronto, Feb. 5.-Receipts of live stock at the city market, as reported by the railways, since last Friday were 78 car loads, composed of 1278 cattle, 1059 hogs, 346 sheep and lambs, 84 calves and 20 horses.

Exporters.

A few lots and loads sold at fairly gool prices, some of them being of good quality. One or two small lots sold as high as \$5.40; one load at \$5.30, one load at \$5.25 and several lots at \$4.80 to \$5.15 per cwt. Bulls sold at \$4 to \$4.40 per cwt. More finished cattle would have sold.

Butchers.

Choice lots of butchers sold from \$4.50 to \$4.70; good at \$4.25 to \$4.40; medium mixed at \$3.90 to \$4.12½; common to medium \$3.50 to \$3.73; cows at \$3 to \$4; canters at \$1.50 to \$2.50 per cwt. Exporters

Feeders and Stockers, Murby bought 60 feeders, 850 lblbs. each, at \$3.75 to \$4 per cwt.

Milch Cows.

Not many good cows were on sale, and as there were several buyers from Montreal the demand was greater than the supply. Thirty or forty, some of which were little good, sold all the way from \$20 to \$70 each. The bulk sold at \$30 to \$50 and we only heard of one or two selling at \$60 and \$70 each.

Veal Calves.

Veal calves sold all the way from \$3.50 to \$7 per cwt. More good calves are wanted.

Sheep and Lambs. was a light run of sheep and were firm all round for any of good

prairity.

First quality lambs sold at \$6.50 to \$7
per ewt.; common lambs at \$4.50 to \$5.30
per ewt. Export ewes sold at \$4.50 to \$5.25
per ewt.; culls and rams, \$3.50 to \$4.25 per ewt.

On Friday last The World quoted hogs at \$6.75, and to day Mr. Harris advanced pitces like per cwrf. not 25c (as was reported in some of the evening papers). Selects, \$6.85 and lights and fats at \$6.60 per cwrf. EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET.

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East Buffalo, Feb. 5.—Cattle-Receipts,

500 head; fairly active and a shade easier;
prime steers, \$5.65 to \$6.25; shipping, \$5

vals—Receipts, 150 head; active and 25c
lower; \$4.25 to \$9.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 4800 head; active and ashade lower; heavy mixed, Vockers and
plays \$7.30; stags, \$4.50 to \$5.25.

Sieep and Lambs—Receipts 2000 head;
sheep steady; lambs higher; Isanbs, \$5

to \$8.15; yearlings, \$6.50 to \$6.75.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK. NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, Feb. 5.—Beeves—Receipts, i; no trading; feeling steady; exports to-y, 920 cattle and 3520 quarters of beyt porrow, 615 cattle and 2850 quarters of

beef. Calves—Receipts, 2; no trading; feeling steady. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1044; sheep mominally firm; lambs sold 15c to 25c higher; a few common sheep sold at \$3.50 per 100 lbs.; culls at \$3; fair lambs, \$7.60 to \$7.76; culls, \$6. Hogs—Receipts, \$214; feeling steady; light western hogs sold at \$7.40 per 100 pounds.

Chicago, Feb. 5.—Cattle—Receipts, about 6000; market steady; common to best steers, \$4 to \$6.85; cows, \$3.25 to \$5; heffers, \$2.60 to \$5.25; bulls, \$5 to \$4.60; calves, \$2.70 to \$8; stockers and feeders, \$2.25 to \$4.90.

\$4.90.
Hogs—Receipts, about 27,000; 10c lower; choice heavy shipping \$7 to \$7.05; primalight, \$6.35 to \$8.97\frac{1}{2}; assorted butchers, \$6.97\frac{1}{2}; assorted butchers, \$6.90 to \$6.97\frac{1}{2}; assorted light, \$6.90 to \$6.95; bulk of sales, \$6.90 to \$7.00; steady to strong; sheep, \$4.75 to \$6; yeavlings, \$5.75 to \$6.65; lambs, \$6 to \$7.65.

"Absolutely Cruel."

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ronto, Feb. 6.—More evidence of rowding the street cars was yesterday to the railway board, ev. J. E. Starr summed up his evidence in these words: "To see these women crowded in as they are absolutely indecent," he asserted. The conditions were "absolutely cruel" and appeared to be worse since are advent of the loops. The enquiry will go on to-morrow.

Mary Anthony Is Dead. Rochester, Feb. 6.—Mary S. Anthony, sister and lifelong co-worker of Susan B. Anthony, died yes-terday morning at her home. Miss Anthony would have been 80 years of age in April. She was a great help to her noted sister.

Public-Owned Coal Lands.

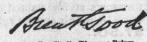
Calgary, Feb. 6.—At a meeting of ratepayers of the city, of which Rev. G. P. Kerby was presiding officer, the resolution passed was that all vacant coal lands, viz., anthracite, should be opened up by the Government.

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CURE SICK HEADACHE.

The topic of debate at the Poets' club meeting was, "Which of the Sexes Contributes Most to Life's Happi-

"I think," said a woman called upon to speak on the feminine side, "that there is no doubt that man contributes most to the life happiness of womanthat is" (upon second thought) "unless he happens to be her husband."

Not Innocent. "Tommy, I'm going to punish you

severely. "What for, pa?" "Now, don't try that innocence game. know all the bad things you've done

today.' "No, you don't, pa. You don't know where I hid the strap you whack me with."

Cure For Profanity.
The cure for profanity—reformers and educators please make a note—is merely wit enough to handle your words so that swearing will seem like baby talk in comparison.-Patriot.

One might call employment agencies the laboratories in which haman lives are vivisected.—Phelps.



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## ARE BUSY WITH BILLS

Premier And Mr. Graham Refer To Death Of Lady Grenfell

DEPLORED BY ONTARIO

Toronto, Feb. 6.—Feeling reference was made at the close of the session of the Legislature yesterday to the death of Lady Grenfell, daughter of Their Excellencies Earl and Lady

Their Excellencies Earl and Lady Grey.

Premier Whitney said it was fitting that the House should express its sense of the great bereavement which had visited the family of the Governor-General. The Province of Ontario, the Dominion of Canada, as well as the old province of United Canada, had been fortunate as a rule in the conduct of the distinguished gentlemen who had acted as Viceroys in the Dominion. It would be invidious to distinguish between them, but Mr. Whitney thought it would be agreed that their excellencies, at present at Ottawa, had been very close indeed to the life of the people of Canada. He desired, therefore, to express the public mind of this province, which was signally sensitive to the situation, the warm feeling of sympathy for their excellencies in their present heavy bereavement.

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The leader of the Oppostion, Mr. Graham, cordially endorsed the words of the Premier.

Senator George W. Ross had a seat on the floor of the House during the

on the floor of the House during the afternoon.

Companies' Act.

Mr. Hanna moved the second reading of his bill respecting joint stock and other companies, explaining some of the changes proposed. He said the first reading was formally moved last session, with the statement that the bill would be printed and distributed before the House met again. He was glad to say that the bill was approved by those interested in companies' law. Judges had given it considerable attention, and the chartered accountants had given the department the benefit of their views. The statute revision commission would also carefully revise it, and, when completed, he thought it would be as satisfactory as it would be possible to make it. The bill did not contemplate any radical changes in company law, but it did simplify the working out of that law.

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Section 5 meant that all classes of companies would be incorporated in the office of the Provincial Secretary.
Section 17 deals with the powers incident to the company. Under the new act all the possible powers of joint stock companies are enumerated, and when a company is incorporated all the powers suitable will be incorporated in the letters patent. With regard to meetings of companies, a section was added, requiring the provisional directors to report to the first meeting the number of shares subscribed or underwritten; the amount paid on them; all contracts entered into; the preliminary expenses, and a financial statement of the affairs signed by the auditors. This was important, the Provincial Secretary said. It had been suggested by the chartered accountants that a statement be put in the hands of every shareholder at least ten days before the annual meeting.

Proxy Representation.

Mr. Gamev asked would a share-

Proxy Representation.

Mr. Gamey asked would a shareholder be permitted to be represented

by proxy.

The Provincial Secretary replied that the bill required that a statement be furnished to every shareholder present.

Mr. Gamey: Why not include the

Mr. Hanna: That can be discussed. A new feature of the bill dealt with preference and debenture stock, de-

A new results of the bill described by the consumer of the powers of directors were dealt, with in another section. This was a provision, Mr. Hanna said, that should receive careful consideration. Mr. Graham asked what the penalty would be under section 114 if an auditor were not named by the company, and the Provincial Secretary said the penalty would be the salary of the auditor appointed by the Government.

Mining Companies.
Part 11 deals with mining compan Part 11 deals with mining companies. There were certain anomalies which would be cleared away by the new act, but there was no change in substance. An anomalous state of affairs also existed with regard to the passing of separate acts relating to different classes of public companies; as there are a number of acts relating to the control of public franchises.

The act did not confer on any com The act did not confer on any company any powers of expropriation that it did not already possess. In the past the provision for the winding up of companies had been a dead letter, and he was not sure that it would not be in the future. What he sought to do was to give the share; holders of a company an effective and economical means of winding up a company.

company.

In closing, Mr. Hanna said he thought the bill was a good one, but he invited suggestions for its imhad given the bill some attention, but he was not in the House, and an opportunity would be given to discuss it later.

The bill was referred to a special ommittee, consisting of Messrs, rawford, Downey, Ferguson, Foys committee, consisting of Messrs, Crawford, Downey, Ferguson, Foys Hanna, Hoyle, Lucas, McNaught, Studholme, Cameron, Harcourt, Mc-Dougall and Mackay. First Readings.

The following bills were read a first

time:
. Mr. Downey—To amend the Municipal Light and Heat Act. The object is to give municipalities the power to expropriate property for the extension of gas or electric lighting plants, which they own or may establish.

Private companies have this right, and municipalities already possess it in regard to waterworks.

Mr. Ferguson—To amend the Municipal Act. It requires that candidates in rural municipalities file declaration of qualification for the council before 9 p. m. of the day following nominations; otherwise, their names will not be on the ballot. This is the law with regard to urban municipalities.

Mr. Calder-Respecting the Village

ties. Mr. Calder—Respecting the Village of Port Perry.

Simple Funeral Ceremony.

Ottawa, Feb. 6.—By the desire of the vice-regal family, the funeral of Lady Victoria Grenfell will be just a simple ceremony at Government House before the body is entrained for St. John for its voyage to Alnwick, the family seat of Earl Grey, in Britain.

HIS WONDERFUL JOURNEY.

Swedish Traveler, Sven Hedin, Tells of Tibetan Explorations.
Calcutta, Feb. 6.—News from Sven Anders Hedin, the Swedish traveler, who last year started from Chinese Turkestan on a journey of exploration to Tibet, has reached here.
Hedin, who, when he sent off his couriers, had already explored eight hundred and forty miles of unknown country, said he hoped to reach the monastic City of Shigatse, 130 miles from Lhassa, at the end of February.
The geographical and geodetic results of the expedition are already exceptionally rich. The explorer lost his whole caravan of animals, but not a single man, and all the maps and collections were saved. Hedin discovered many unknown mountain ranges, rivers and gold fields, and traveled 44 days in the solitude of an Arctic winter, not seeing a single Tibetan. Hedin's report concludes:
The journey is the most wonderful I have made in Asia in my 22 years of travel."

McGEE'S DEFALCATIONS.

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Montreal, Feb. 6.—The total defal-cations of William McGee, formerly secretary-treasurer of the People's Mutual Building Society, now on re-mand, charged with fraud, are \$60,-000.

Against this, the accused is said to have surrendered securities amounting to \$79,000, and this may be increased by some debts which are due to McGee.

The securities surrendered, and now held by the society, consist of real estate equity \$30,000, life insurance \$21,000, stock in an electrical company \$18,000, mortgages and book debts \$10,000.

The story that the defalcations

The story that the defalcations amounted to more than a quarter of a million dollars is denied.

#### IN PARLIAMENT.

Ottawa, Feb. 6.—In the House yesterday Mr. McCarthy (Calgary) submitted an amendment to going into supply in criticism of the Robbins irrigation grants of 380,000 acres of land to speculators. Hon. Mr. Oliver defended, but the debate was not concluded.

W. F. Maclean called attention to the "listener" system in vogue in the Bell Telephone Co., whereby a constant espionage may be maintained upon the conversation of any subscriber. He urged the cancellation of the franchises and public ownership as a remedy.

Armand Lavergne called attention to his excommunication from the Liberal party for his independent votes, and said "country before party" was the rule which had characterized his conduct.

Up to the Commission:

Ottawa, Feb. 6.—The railway committee yesterday defeated the proposal for a two-cent rate, embodied in W. F Maclean's railway bill, the Minister of Railways holding that, in any case, the matter was one for the attention of the Railway Commission.

Clause three of the bill called for an interchange of local telephone business. The vote was called. The division was as follows:

For the clause, 18; against the clause, 35.

To Regulate Railways.

Ottawa, Feb. 6.—The railway commission.

clause, 35.

To Regulate Railways.

Ottawa, Feb. 6.—The railway commission yesterday morning agreed to the appointment of a commission to draw up a standard code of operating rules for all roads, large and small, which will at once set to work.

The Phone Enquiry.

Toronto, Feb. 6.—Mr. W. L. Mackenzie King and Judge Winchester heard evidence yesterday in the telephone enquiry, the first sitting as chairman of the Royal Commission. chairman of the Royal Commission.
Manager Kenneth J. Dunstan of the Bell Telephone Co. was the only witness heard. Mr. Dunstan gave a lengthy statement of the causes for the five-hour schedule and the reason for the change to eight hours. He said the latter change had simply been made in the interests of the operators and for the betterment of the service.

Vote to Go Over.

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Galt, Feb. 6.—The U. P. Church congregation, by a vote of 156 to 49, have decided to go over to the Canada Presbyterian Church. This is the congregation from which Rev. Dr. King recently resigned on account of dissensions. The property is worth \$25,000, and it is not-likely to be given up by the United States head-quarters. There will probably be special legislation asked for to legalize the transfer.

One Goes to Kingston.

John Lampman, arrested on a charge of stealing from the works of the Canadian Fire-Engine Co., were sentenced yesterday to one year in the Central Prison; and Lampman to two and one-half years in Kingston Peni. and one-half years in Kingston Penitentiary.

The Fair Wage Clause.

Winnipeg. Feb. 6.—All Provincial Government contracts in future will contain the fair-wage clause, the Legislature having adopted a resolution to that effect yerterday. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

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#### DISTRICT

THORNCLIFFE.

Mr. Garnet Shaw and Mr. Cook, of Chatham, were the guests of Misses Maggie and Mary Shaw on Sunday Maggie and Mary Shaw on Sunday last.

Mr. Brown and his son Alfred are busy cutting and drawing their timber to the bank.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Parry visited Mrs. Bedford on Sunday last.

Revival services still continue at Thorneliffe.

A personal right of action dies.

Kerby, of Croton, visited their bro-ther, A. Kerby, on Sunday. Quarterly meeting was largely at-Eldrid Holmes was the guest of

Stanley Hannon on Sunday.

Mr. Frank Houston intends moring to this vicinity in the near fu-

Thorneliffe.

A personal right of action dies
Mr. Charlie Kerby and Miss Della with the person

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Special per G. N. W. Toronto, Feb. 7.—11 a. m.—Light winds, fine weather. Friday, fair, with a little higher temperature.

## LOCAL

Remnants of dress goods half price Foreman's.

Mrs. Josie Chalmers, of Dover, left to-day to visit friends in Glencoe.

In regard to the statement 1 made in my letter yesterday as to the cost of purifier and the purifying of gas having been furnished me by Mr. Coate, manager of the Gas Company, I might say that I first heard the statement made by City Solicitor Wilson at the time that application for franchises were being made by various natural gas companies. Shortly afterwards in order to verify the statement, I asked Manager Coate and he corroborated the figures. I make this explanation in order that the shareholders of both gas companies will understand that Manager Coate has not been recently contributing information which they might consider as detrimental to any of their interests.

Chas Austin.

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"Did the Kerr outfit bring you any good luck?" Ald. Austin was asked him somoning.

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#### THE NATURAL GAS

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in Ald. Kerr's outfit. This caused some wonderment, but to those in the know, if is easily understood that no ill-feeling is harbored by either.
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## HALF FARE ON WEDNESDAY

The C. W. & L. E. Railway London Filgrims Give New This Time G. W. Sulman Will Introduce New Feature Into Car Service

For some time the merchants of this city have been conferring with Robt. E. Kizer, the General Manager of the C. W. & L. E. Electric Railway, relative to the establishment of a half fare rate on the line by way, relative to the establishment of a half fare rate on the line between Chatham and Wallaceburg on Wednesdays. The great benefit derived every Saturday owing to the large numbers brought into the city by the electric line is greatly appreciated by the merchants, and their aim in pressing for a Wednesday, and the property of the second of the secon appreciated by the merchants, and the r aim in pressing for a Wednesday rate was to reduce the Saturday rush, and to bring more people into the city. It is understood that the farmers along the route also want the Saturday rate on Wednesdays.

Mr. Kizer, who, since he assumed the managership of the roud, has all ways groven himself courteous and

obliging, as far as the interests of the patrons of the road are concerned, has consented to try the new scheme, and on Wednesday next the half fare rate will be adopted, with the regular care assume. the regular car service, and it will be continued every Wednesday until

Retiring Chairman Stone Entertains
His Colleagues At Library
Board

At the conclusion of the Library
Board meeting last night, Mr. Fred.
Stone, the retiring chairman, invited his fellow-members to his home on Lacroix street, where he tendered them a banquet.

It was indeed a very pleasant and enjoyable affair. The banquet itself was a very elaborate one, and all of the appetizing courses served were done ample justice to. Mr. and Mrs. Stone are to be highly complimented on its success. Those present were, His Worship the Mayor, Chairman Anderson, Messrs. Sheldrick, Humphrey, Smith, Twohey and Dr. Charteris. The genial host occupied the chair, while Mayor Stone occupied the vice-chair.

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while Mayor Stone occupied the vice-chair.

After the inner man had been thoroughly satisfied, the company repaired to Mr. Stone's spacious and well-stocked library, where before the cheerful crackle of a grate fire, stories of ye olden times were told, and the live topics of the day discussed.

It was very near to the twelfth hour when the very enjoyable evening came to an end.

Before their departure the guests tendered Mr. and Mrs. Stone a hearty vote of thanks.

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Larkin, aged of years, passed away at the home on Park St. yesterday morning at six o'clock. The cause of death was provided by a husband and three children. The children are, John and Laura, both of this city, and Mrs. Arthur Matzkı. of Detroit.

Solema requiem high mass will be held at St. Joseph's Charch to-morrow morning at nine c'clock, and owing to the forty hours' devotion, the runeral will be held from the house Friday afternoon at two house Friday afternoon at two o'clock, to St. Anthony's Cemetery.

#### NARROW ESCAPE

Afternoon

seizure, wrote to the Minister of Public Works, making representations for the fishermen. Hon. Mr. Reaume in his reply completely exonerates Messrs. Bagnall and Duphette. The fish were not caught in the Thames River, as Mr. Weldon wrongly concluded, but were caught pursuant to the fishery license in Mitchell's Bay. Hon. Mr. Reaume states that the fishermen were quite within the law in shipping these fish, and orders have been issued that the fish be released from seizure. released from seizure.

#### **FACTORIES CLOSED**

Fuel Problem Has Reached an Acute
Stage In Winnipeg.
Winnipeg, Feb. 7.—The fuel situation is growing serious in Winnipeg and dealers are practically out of coal.
The Sherwin Williams establish-

and dealers are practically out of coal.

The Sherwin Williams establishment shut down yesterday and others may be compelled to follow suit.

Wood is growing scarce and the board of control is taking up the question in earnest in an endeavor to reach a solution. Where the coal is to come from is a problem. Port Arthur is out and Fort William stock is growing short, while it is useless to look to Minneapolis or Duluth.

The only hope is wood, and as there is said to be plenty on the branch lines of the C.N.R. and C.P.R. every nerve will be strained to get those lines to open them.

To Help Others.

Prince Albert, Sask., Feb. 7.—Prince Albert City. Council called a public meeting last night, to make an organized effort to relieve the suffering caused by fuel shortage in the southern part of the province. Prince Albert has an abundance of fuel and the plan is to secure teams and haul wood along the railway tracks to points where it is most needed.

## ROUSING SEND OFF

Ambassador Farewell Banquet

IT WILL HELP CHATHAM BEST WISHES TO BRYCE THE SAN JOSE SCALE

London, Feb. 7.—The London Pil-grims gave a farewell banquet last evening at the Savoy Hotel in honor of James Bryce, the new Ambassador of Great Britain to the United States. Ambassador Whitelaw Reid in pro-posing the health of Mr. Bryce, refer-red to the presence of the Primate of



JAMES BRYCE.

all England (Dr. Davidson, the archbishop of Canterbury), and of conspicuous representatives of the Government, Parliament, the great universities, English literature, journalism and business, all testifying to the pride with which his countrymen saw Mr. Bryce set forth on his new duties.

Mr. Bryce set forth on his new duties.

In concluding, Mr. Reid said: "The selection of Mr. Bryce has been accepted as a compliment from the mother country to her giant offspring in the west. I can assure him a welcome as cordial as ever fell to the lot of a British representative, and I wish him in his new field, as I confidently anticipate, another distinguished and successful career."

Mr. Bryce said he was encouraged by the thought that the message he had to deliver was a plain and simple one. It was a message, he said, of true sympathy in weal and woe; a message of friendship between Great Britain and America that both countries trusted would stand unbroken through all the ages.

Sir Mortimer Durand toasting the visitors, said that President Roosevelt's last words to him on leaving America were of congratulations upon the relations of the two countries. In the president's own words, "nothing could be more satisfactory," said Sir Mortimer.

War Secretary Haldane, Lord Roberts and others spoke, and a cable message from Jos. H. Choate for the Pilgrims in the United States, was read.

Field Marshall Lord Roberts presid-

read.
Field Marshall Lord Roberts presided at the banquet.
Will Sail on the 13th.
London, Feb. 7.—James Bryce, ambassador of Great Britain to the United States, and Mrs. Bryce, will sail for New York from Liverpool on the steamer Oceanic, Feb. 13.

WIDOW SUES HOTELMEN.

Supplied Liquor to Husband Just Before He Was Killed.

Before He Was Killed.

Ottawa, Feb. 7.—A writ has been issued, claiming \$1,000, by the widow of John Purvis of Winchester Village, against A. & E. MacDonald of the Bower House.

It is alleged that they supplied the deceased with intoxicating liquor and caused him, under its influence, to come to his death. He was thrown from a rig and injured his spine.

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Continued from Page One.

"How many drinks had you had before you reached the one with me?"
The witness could not recall. Mr. Delmas objected to a further examination along this line and when he had been sustained, he himself asked: "What did the learned district attorney drink with you?" "The same as I did."

A Vivid Impression.

Lionel Strauss, who said he was a portrait painter, was called. Mr. Strauss is a young man of pale face and rather long black hair. He said he was on the Madison Square garden roof the night of the tragedy. He sat near Stanford White. The shots of Thaw's pistol attracted his attention.

"I first saw Thaw's face," he said, "and my whole attention was absorbed by it. It was imprinted on my memory and remains there still.

"His face was very pale, his eyes gave one the impression of bulging. His mouth was set." A Vivid Impression.

Flood At Belleville.

Belleville, Feb. 7.—Several portions of this city are now in the grip of a flood. The waters of the Moira River have risen to fully six feet above ordinary conditions and the furnace fires of West Front street have been put out, causing much loss and inconvenience.

Dined the King.

Paris, Feb. 7.—President Fallieres gave a luncheon at the Elysee Palace yesterday in honor of King Edward.

Believe if thou wilt that mountains change their places, but believe not that men change their dis-

# ONE MORE

Comes Forward With An Excellent Scheme

While in Toronto recently, Geo, W. Sulman, the Conservative nominee for the local house, took up with the Government, the question of the San Jose Scale, which means so much to the farmers of this county.

It is a well known fact that the orchards here are being destroyed by this miserable prist. Fruit trees cannol live where the scale is neglected and a lowed to spread. Unfortunately, the scale is spreading, and in a great many instances the farmers, who are anxious to rid their orchards of the soourge, do not know what

great many instances the farmers, who are anxious to rid their orchards of the scourge, do not know what to do, and what solutions to apply to the trees. Several formulas have been mentioned from time to time in the press, but there is no organized effort on the part of the farmers to stick to any one spray.

Mr. Sulman suggested to the Government that they send a man to San Jose, where this scale originated, and find out from the people there what is the most effective way of ridding trees from this scale. In this way, the farmers would be intinformed as to what was the best solution for spraying, or if there is any other remedy which effects desirable results they would have the information at hand, and would be in a position to start at once to eradicate the scale.

The Fruit Growers have intimated that they would be willing to bear half the expense of sending such a man to San Jose, and it is guite likely that after Mr. Sulman's visit to Toronto something along this line will be undertaken by the Government.

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Men's Overcoat Extra Special—we have taken all the odd sizes left from our best selling overcorts this season, lines worth from \$9 to \$15

weeds and some plain blacks, must go at \$7.50.

Youths' Long Pant Suits—made from all-wool tweeds, bought in our special cleared to purchase, suits worth \$6 to \$9, sizes 32 to 35, sale price \$3.95.

#### **NOTICE TO GAS CONSUMERS**

Natural Gas will be turned into the mains of this Company on February 15th next, on and after which date no

In order to use Natural Gas will be positively necessary for every gas consumer to have sure. This is necessary on account of the Natural Gas being delivered at about three times greater pressure than artificial gas.

used for Natural Gas must have closed tops, and in every case a flue connection must be made from stoves to chimney.

While the manufacturers of gas stoves state that 'artificial natural gas without being entirely rebuilt, it would appear from tests made at this Company's office that the artificial stove may be made serviceable with Valenciennes edging. with natural gas, by having a special closed top and flue connection made for the stove. A stove specially made for natural gas and one specially made for artificial gas may be seen by any consumer at this Company's office, both connected with natural gas, where any explanations necessary will be given by the Company's officers. Any coal range or wood stove may be easily and simply connected by special burner to use natural gas at

small expense. To use Natural Gas for lighting, it will be necessary to use mantles on all jets, since natural gas has practically no illuminating value when used as an open flame.

All connections to stoves or hot plates must be made with iron pipe, and in no case should rubber or other tubing be used for connections.

While this Company will look after as far as possible, any orders entrusted to its care for connections to stoves, furbe impossible for the Company, to take care of all its customers, and the public will find all the local dealers and gas fitters ready to take orders.

Consumers are requested to have their work done as rapidly as possible, so that there will be as little inconvenience as possible when the Natural

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Men's All-wool Elastic Rib Shirts and Drawers, natural artificial gas will be supplied. shade good weight, to clear at 48c. per garment.

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Pretty new Waists bring a note of change and contrast All stoves or ranges to be into the winter costume, and pave the way for the coming of spring finery.

You'll find this collection interesting, and new one's are being added continually.

Full sleeves with deep cuffs, silk stitched. \$2.00 - Of lustre cream or black, gas stoves cannot be used for solid tucked front, two pleats down back, deep cuffs tucked.

\$2.75-Of cream washable silk, open back, fine tucked front, prettily trimmed

\$1.50—Of cleam or black lustre with wide tucks down the front and back, black or cream, finished with clusters or fine and medium width tucks.

PROGRESS BRAND

CLOTHING

\$4.00—Of cream China silk with silk embroidered front and fine tucked yoke, open back, deep tucked cuff, sollar and cuff trimmed with Valenciennes lace and

back, fine tucked front, prettily trimmed with Valenciennes insertion, long sleeves with tucked cuff, coller and cuffc finished with Valenciennes edging.

\$4.50 and \$5.00.—Cream or black, open front or back, long or three-quarter length sleeve, trimmed in many styles with silk embroidery, French Valenciennes lace and insertion with tucking.

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New dress goods are here now in force. This week we are making a special shownaces, base-burners, etc., it will ing of some extra values in Black Voiles, Panamas, Satin Cloths and Henriettas at

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15c a jar. TOMATO SOUP. Special, 2 for 25c. PURE OLIVE OIL, 50c and 85c a bottle

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We want to tell you of the special prices we are naming on all kinds of winter goods. The only reason we can offer for our hurry to get rid of them is that we have too many. That accounts for the tremendous cuts we are making.

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#### TO-NIGHT

The Millens, Brisco Opera House, Park St. Choir will meet for pras-

tice at 8.
Chatham Encampment, No. 10, I. O. F., meet at 8. Court Chatham, No. 6, C. O. F., in heir rooms at 8.

Meeting of Water Commissioners, Harrison Hall, at 8. Local Branch No. 21, Association of Steam Engineers, Eberts' Block, at at 8 o'clock.

## LOCAL

B. Blonde was in Detroit yesterday

G. Reycraft was in Tilbury yester

J. M. Hess, of Wallaceburg, was ity visitor Tuesday. James McComb is confined to his

ome through illness Mr. and Mrs. G. Blonde are visitng friends in Cleveland.

Mr. Williston, of Detroit, visited friends in Chatham yesterday. J. H. Cade, of the Blonde Co., isiting his parents in Blythe. W. R. Hickey, of Bothwell, was ity visitor yesterday morning.

Remember the four o'clock 5 cent daily matinee Brisco Opera House. Lord Lake is the best 10c. Cigar n the market—made by O'Brien in the

The Wagon Works Co. shipped a carload of wagons to Battleford on

Tuesday.

J. W. Elliott shipped two carloads of cattle, en route for Liverpool, yesCheboygan, Mich.

terday. J. A. Gibson, of the Ingersoil Meat after a three Packing Co., was in town yesterday in Blenheim.

Mr. and Mr. and Mr. and Mr. and Mr. and Mr.

Brien Bros.

Mr. Walker, of the Woodburn Co., f Montreal, was in town yesterday in business.

Alex. MacDonaid Has taken to contract for putting up this season' ice for the House of Refuge.

Cap. Vic. Robinson has commens on business.

Special sale of table and pocket cuttery, seissors and razors at our losing out dissolution sale. Geo. closing out dissolution sale. Geo. Stephens, D. H. Douglas, phone 6.

of Raleigh street, are spending a few lays visiting at Mrs. Asher's old home

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Miss Fay Andrews, of Detroit, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Purser, this week.

Miss Lill'an Hughes, Lacroix St., is the guest of Mrs. Dr. Brock, West Lorne, Mrs. Ghekie, of Orillia, is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. B. Northwood, King street.

Mrs. Alex. Lucas has returned home after a three weeks visit with friends

Mrs. M. Woodlock, of Gray street, who has been seriously ill, is now very much improved.

Mrs. C. Bechard, of the Aberdeen House, visited friends in Dover on Monday. Mrs. Harry Barnes is still confined

Quail on Toast is the best 5 cent to her bed; suffering from a severe cligar in the market — made by O'Brien Bros.

Mrs. Harry Barnes is still contined to her bed; suffering from a severe attack of la grippe.

Alex. MacDonald has taken the

on business.

B. J. Rothwell, of Lacroix street, who has been quite ill with la grippe, is now improving.

Joseph Winterburn, of Walkerville, was in the city yesterday morning calling on old friends.

A. E. Sinclair, who has been ill at his home for some time, is now able to resume studies at the C. B. C.

Special sale of table and pocket

Lost, on Wednesday, between the jail and Lacroix street, a silver lor-

gnette. The finder will be rewarded by returning to this office. Stephens, D. H. Dougias, phone p.
G. H. Ross and H. G. Griffith, of
the C. B. C., have both secured positions as bookkeepers with J. T. Wing
& Co., of Detroit.

Mrs. R. T. Asher and son Gordon,

Mrs. R. T. Asher and son Gordon,

Challish at real are sending a few

pounds Miss Berta Robinson has resigned the position of assistant teacher in the Dresden Public school continua-tion class to accept that of teacher of Moderns and English in the Dut-



Don't you think you are foolish to pay 40c or 50c per quart for most nothing out of your tap at home. Measure the oysters in the next quart you buy, and then you will see that solid measure

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Roy E. Carscallen, C. McDermand and W. Bidell, of Dresden, were in the

city Tuesday evening attending the The Blonde Lumber Co. have been given the contract for the erection of a new chapel to adjoin the Assumption College at Sandwich. The chapel will be of a gothic style with groined arches, and when completed will cost \$38,000.

The debate put on by the No. 1 Debating Society of Harwich Tuesday night was, "Resolved that character has more influence in the world was taken by J. H. Cameron, W. W. Everitt and Lindsay S. Parrott; for the negative H. English, H. C. Duffus and J. A. McGeachy.

The speeches made by those gentlemen were all very good, and the

## **SPORT**

TILBURY WON.

At fifteen minutes after eight last night the Tilbury and Chatham hockey teams faced each other on the rink for what proved to be the swiftight this season. The first goal was scored five minutes after play started by the Chatham team, and from that out it was a steady play from goal to goal. At the end of the first half the score was 5 to 4 in favor of Tilbury. In the second half the Tilbury team seemed to grow stronger and, although the Chatham boys tried hard, they could not cure him. He got a bottle of Veterans' Sure Cure, The day before Christians I received a sot card from London, England, saying, "W. K. Merrifield, — Rheumatigm all gone tong ago. Compliant, saying, "W. K. Merrifield, — Rheumatigm all gone tong ago. Compliant, saying, "W. K. Merrifield, — Rheumatigm all gone tong ago. Compliant, saying, "W. K. Merrifield, — Rheumatigm all gone tong ago. Compliant, saying, "W. K. Merrifield, — Rheumatigm all gone tong ago. Compliant, saying, "W. K. Merrifield, — Rheumatigm all gone tong ago. Compliant, saying, "W. K. Merrifield, — Rheumatigm all gone tong ago. Compliant, saying, "W. K. Merrifield, — Rheumatigm all gone tong ago. Compliant, saying, "W. K. Merrifield, — Rheumatigm all gone tong ago. Compliant, saying, "W. K. Merrifield, — Rheumatigm all gone tong ago. Compliant, saying, "W. K. Merrifield, — Rheumatigm all gone tong ago. Compliant, saying, "W. K. Merrifield, — Rheumatigm all gone tong ago. Compliant, saying, "W. K. Merrifield, — Rheumatigm all gone tong ago. Compliant, saying, "W. K. Merrifield, — Rheumatigm all gone tong ago. Compliant, saying, "W. K. Merrifield, — Rheumatigm all gone tong ago. Compliant, saying, "W. K. Merrifield, — Rheumatigm all gone tong ago. Compliant, saying, "W. K. Merrifield, — Rheumatigm all gone tong ago. Compliant, saying, "W. K. Merrifield, — Rheumatigm all gone tong ago. Compliant, saying, "W. K. Merrifield, — Rheumatigm all gone tong ago. Compliant, saying, "W. K. Merrifield, — Rheumatigm all gone tong ago. Compliant, saying, "W. K. Merrifield, — The datages particles on any successful and the street Meass and successful and the street Meass are successful and the street Meass are successful and the street Meass are successful and the street measurements of the street and the street Meass are successful and the street measurements of the street measurements of the street measurement of the street



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"Nothing new?" asked the life assur-

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A LITTLE KNOWN TRIBE AND ITS STRANGE SUPERSTITIONS.

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In the far interior of the Island of Borneo is a race called the Dusuns, which is quite distinct from the Mohammedan tribes of other parts of the island and which has many customs of exceptional interest. Hitherto very little has been known about this curious race, but it is now attracting the study of ethnologists, and there is much speculation as to its history and origin.

Opinions vary as to whether the Dusuns are the aboriginals of North Borneo or are descended from Chinese who settled on the coast at a period far remote from the present era. The race is split up into differences between the language as spoken by the various tribes, making several dialects, as it were, of the Dusun tongue. The coast natives know little of these people and their habits and customs, a fact accounted for in part by the circumstance that they look down upon them. The coast tribes are Mohammedans, and the Dusuns have virtually no religion; hence the lack of harmony between these residents down upon them. The coast tribes are Mohammedans, and the Dusuns have virtually no religion; hence the lack of harmony between these residents of Borneo, for religious toleration is not a leading characteristic of the Mohammedan faith.

The nearest thing the Dusuns appear to have to a religion is their veneration for certain jars in the possession of the tribe called "gusi," which are objects of something akin

which are objects of something akin to fetich worship. The Dusuns be-lieve that long years ago a man was walking along a river bank when he saw rows and rows of jars. Taking up stones, he threw them and hit



BAJAUS DIVING FOR PEABLS—BRINGING THE "GUSI" TO A DUSUN VILLAGE. about twenty of the vessels. Those which were hit remained; the rest

about twenty of the vessels. Those which were hit remained; the rest melted away before his sight. These were the beginning of the "gusi," which the Dusuns believe to have such virtues that they send for them on the occasion of marriages or funerals or when sickness or trouble of any kind visits a village. The arrival of a talisman bringing a "gusi" to a village where there is siekness is a joyful occasion.

The Dusuns live in long houses of hamboo. They occupy these houses somewhat as did the Iroquois in days gone by—several families to a house, but each with its own section or apartment. An English writer, Cyril C. Pike, describes a visit to one of these bamboo homes, which was eighty feet long. Down the length of one side was a passage from which the rooms for the different families opened, and there were about a dozen of the apartments. On the opposite side of the passage was a raised platform running the entire length of the house, on which sat the people living in the structure, engaged in such occupations as spinning, weaving and making round conical hats. The Dusuns are very revengeful, and feuds between tribes are kept up for generations. Costliness of London Streets.

From several maintenance points of view it is, in many cases, cheaper and better in the long run to pave with Caithness flags than to lay granolithic even with the first cost of Caithness flags. Similarly there might be circumstances making it desirable, says "Engineering," to discard the macadamized surface of a roadway and pave with causeway sets—even with granite rather than with whinstone—and this notwithstanding the very great difference in the respective costs. Such consideration of the price of paving

as spinning, weaving and making round conical hats. The Dusuns are very revengeful, and feuds between tribes are kept up for generations. Each tries to get the "last word," or head. The matter may run along for some years, and then a man belonging to a tribe which has a feud with another will get lost in the jungle while hunting or a woman will go to the river for water, never to return.

Another interesting Borneo tribe is that of the Orang Bajaus, living on the coast at the head of Labuk bay. They are pirates and pearl hunters and live partly in houses erected over the water, forming a Bornean Venice. In obtaining the pearls the Bajaus strip and dive finto the sea, each carrying a basket of rattan cane. They remain under a long time and when they come up generally have their baskets filled with mud and oyster shells. The latter are piled in the boats, and the pearls are taken from them after they are carried home.

shells. The latter are piled in the boats, and the pearls are taken from them after they are carried home. When the pearl divers reach home the shells are opened and the contents thrown into a large iron pan of water. The pan is put on the fire and slowly heated. The contents are then placed in a tub and allowed to remain till thoroughly putrified. Next the rotten mass is taken up, a small quantity at a time, rubbed between the palms of the hand and allowed to drop into clean water, where the small pearls drop to the bottom of the pan, and the dirty water is thrown out.

Wireless to Prevent Wrecks A report comes from Germany of a patent for wireless electrical appliances by which steam will be automatically shut off in two vessels that are approaching each other in a fog at a distance of from one-half to three-quarters of a mile. IN THE WHEELHOUSE.

It Is There That All the Forces of a On entering the wheelhouse of an ocean liner a landsman is likely to be awed by the group of instruments and masses of complicated machinery on every hand. Your eye will first be caught by the wheel or wheels, for often there are two or more of them, one directly in line with the other. The first of these is an insignificant lookas light as if ing affair perhaps a foot or so in diameter, which seems out of all proportion to the work it must accomplish. Directly in front of it stands the ship's compass, while back of it are massed many complicated wheels and levers which transform the slightest motion of the wheel into the great force which

guides the ship.

box is teasing All the great steamers are steered nowadays by the aid of steam or elec-And you tricity. In the old days half a dozen men at times would struggle with the find a new delight in every wheel in high seas, and sailors have been killed by the rapid revolving of the projecting spoke handles. The modern steering gear makes it possi-You get perfection ble to guide these great ships with the slightest pressure. The rudder, weighing many tons, is perhaps, 500 feet astern, yet with a touch of the polished wheel the great 700 foot ship will Perfection swing from side to side with almost the delicacy of a compass needle.. The wheel that the steersman operates merely governs the steering engine, which, in turn, moves the great rud-

The most astonishing thing about the bridge is to find the wheelhouse with all its curtains tightly drawn, as Special Train For Injured Man.
Port Hope, Feb. 5.—John Kearney,
a G. T. R. section man, who lives
near Newtonville, was struck by a
"shunter" at the Smith street crossing here yesterday afternoon. His
left leg and left hand were severed,
and his right leg badly mutilated.
The injured man was conveyed by
special train to the hospital at Toronto, but his injuries are considered
fatal. often happens, and the man at the helm steering the boat without seeing ahead at all. At night or even by day if the light of the binnacle is con-fusing the wheelhouse is often completely shut in. The man at the wheel, it is explained, does not need to look ahead. The lookout high up in the "crow's nest" and the officer on watch on the bridge will keep him informed if any object is sighted. The duty of the man at the wheel is to keep the KIDNEY DISEASE ship on her course. Throughout his watch of four hours he must keep his

eyes on the compass and nowhere else.

On one side of the wheelhouse are posted the sailing directions, which give the wheelsman explicit orders. The course to be followed for the day is placed in a neat little rack called the compass control. . It suggests the rack in church at the side of the pulpit which announces the number of the hymns and psalms for the day's service. The compass control will announce, for instance, N, 7, 8, W, or some such formula. The wheelsman glances at this as he takes his watch at the wheel and holds the great ship exactly on this course until he is re-lieved.—Francis Arnold Colling in St.

#### IDEAS OF HEAVEN.

The Romans believed in the Elysian fields of the tareeks.

The Haitians locate heaven the one of

They go to the seat of trouble, strengthen the kidneys and help them to filter the blood properly and flushoff all the impurities which cause kidney trouble. Mr. Thomas Petty, Massey, Ont., writes: "After I arrived in Canada from New Zealand, a couple of years ago, I suffered very much from kidney trouble. I tried several remedies, but they did me no good. Finally my back became so lame I sould sparcely work. I was advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills and after taking them I felt like a new man.

Price 50 cents per box or 3 boxes for \$1.25 the beautiful valleys of their island. The Assyrians believe heaven is in the bowels of the earth or far away in the east.

Some natives of the south Pacific think heaven a place where they will Price 50 cents per box or 3 boxes for \$1.25 at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The Doan Kidney Pill Co., Toronto, Ont. The Greek belief, according to Secra-

tes, was that the pious went to heaven, like prisoners set free, to dwell in unclouded peace. According to the ancient astrono-

mers, heaven was seven or eight solid spheres, with a planet for the center of each. Some even ran the number up to seventy. The Egyptians thought heaven to be

on many islands at the foot of the Milky way. Those worthy spent the time harvesting beans and in feasting, singing and playing.

"Etiquette" is a French word which riginally meant a label indicating the price or quality, the English "ticket." and in old French was usually specialized to mean a soldier's billet. The phrase "that's the ticket" shows the change to the present meaning of manners according to code. Burke solem ly explained that "etiquette had its original application to those ceremon les and formal observances practiced courts. The term came afterward to signify certain formal methods used in the transactions between sovereign

A Widow's Double Grief. A clergyman who recently called upon a young widow to condole with her upon the loss of her husband placed considerable emphasis upon the proposition that the separation was merely temporal and painted in vivid colors the happiness of friends reunited after death. When he stopped for the sorrowing one heaved a deep sigh and quietly remarked, "Well, I suppose his first wife has got him again then."

Proved It. Bjones-Why the grouch? Psmith-My wife called me a fool. Bjones-Cheer up. It may not be true: Psmith

But it is. She proved it. Went and dug up a bunch of my old love letters and read 'em to me!

Answer a letter the day it is received and you will experience a sense of duty well done. Delay it, and after too long a time has elapsed shame will put stop to its acknowledgment altogether.

While Europe has 107 people to the square mile, Asia has but fifty-eight, Africa eleven and Australia one and a FASHION HINTLETS.

Narrow Belts With Shirt Waists. Pretty Neck Ruffs. If a waist the color of the skirt is worn, there should be a fitted silk belt if the bodice is at all elaborate, but if on the shirt waist order the stitched

narrow belt is more appropriate. As a finish to a blue costume the plaited ruffs of blue malines are very pretty. These neck pieces are either all blue or have a little white about them in small dots or large velvet They have blue velvet loops and ends, and an astonishingly attract tive ruff can be bought for \$2.

Colored silk embroideries on white silk muslin in intense green, blues and



A MORNING JACKET-5222.

purples, with conventionalized scrolls brightened by touches of gold or silver, are most effective.

It is rather a fad for gloves to match the costume, an outcry having been made against the extravagance of white kid gloves for even ultra smart occasions. Elbow lengths continue at top notch prices. Still, the tinted suede and glace gloves are no less expensive.

The garnet is the stone of constancy and fidelity. It is the birth stone of January, but to judge from the new and lavish display of this stone at the terreless its stone at the jewelers its use is by no means to be restricted to the January girl.

Garnets are not expensive stones. A bracelet of gold plate solidly incrusted with garnets in square settings costs

less than \$10. Brooches of garnets take the old fashioned round form, although some show new butterfly and floral designs.

One of the new automobile bags in

fine leather is a charming Christmas present for the woman who motors. It is fitted with toilet requisites—powder puff, comb, hairpin case, mirror, vinai-The morning jacket pictured is of French flannel and is a very comfortable affair to slip into early in the morning. It has a large cape collar

quarter sleeves have ribbon trimmed ruffles as a finish, JUDIC CHOLLET.

SNAPSHOTS OF FASHION.

trimmed with ribbon, and the three-

Suggestions For School Frocks-Ar-

good idea introduced this winter is the matching of school frocks and coats, and when these two garments are of rough finished blue serge, the dress worn with a white guimpe and the coat a reefer, an ideally practical school costume is attained. In danc-



over a pale cocoa brown chiffon skirt as a reception gown shows a most over a pale cocoa brown chiffon skirt as a reception gown shows a most harmonious combination of color. The dark tones are relieved by a bit of silver tissue and shaded silk flowers on the coat.

The same relieved to the far fast, thanks to the adoption of the turbine both on the Atlantic and on the Pacific, and that records a record of the same research and the records a record of the same research and the records a record of the same research and the records are recorded as yet to perhaps imperfectly understood. It may mean that we shall see a further substantial cutting down of the Canadian to the same record of the same record o

while others are of silvery mother of pearl, colored crystal and queer stones.

The bath robe illustrated is built along kimono lines and made of French fiannel in a blue tone. Over the surface is scattered a conventional rose design in pale pink. A blue silk cord holds the robe of the waist.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

ALFRED STEVENS

Painter of Fine Ladies and "High Life"

of Second Empire. Alfred Stevens died last week in the Alfred Stevens died last week in the soor little flat in which he for some years vegetated in the Avenue Trudaine, says London Truth. A Belgian by birth and early education, he become by choice a thorough boulevardier at a time when the beulevards were the literary and artistic salon of Europe. He caught the dandyism of the clubmen who frequented Tortoni's, the wings of the old Opera House and the Salle Ventadour. You can see them delving themselves in mail and other phaetons in the paintings of Lami and J. L.

themselves in mail and other phaebons in the paintings of Lami and J. L. Brown. They are in all the Bois and Champs Elysees scenes of these artists. Stevens took up the feminine side of "le high life" and sincerely painted it as it appeared to him. He had really fallen in love with it, and its glamour had taken him in. Had it been otherwise he would not have stood higher as a painter than did Arsene Houssaye as an author, or that poor creature imbert St. Arnaud. Imbert as a writer was a cavaliere servente, and Houssaye a coureur d'alcoves without a single ilusion. Want of perspicacity saved Stevens. If one could not fail in love as he did with his fine ladies one could not help admiring the manner of the artist. did with his fine ladies one could not help admiring the manner of the artist. Like a first rate chef, he had often to work on bad materials, which his skill rendered savory. The sauce redeemed the ingredients. There were times when he turned them into ambrosia. Stevens may live as Nattler and Lami live. A Fragonard would have lent to the cocodettes whom Eugenie gathered around her too much of his esprit for them to be really of their time. The Second Empire was a period of Philistinism. Stevens, if a man of good Belgian family, was not exempt from snobbishaess in his loves. I admit that a portrait painter-and

easel pictures of Stevens were portraits of femmes du monde in fancy surroundings or engaged in imaginary incidents—must hold the candle to what is low and vulgar in the originals. But there ought to be an undercurrent of protest oozing out through the work. It is allowable to hold the candle to his Satania Majorty. Satanic Majesty, if one is determined in so doing to scorch his face. One finds this determination in the portraits of Latour, the greatest artist in his genre of the eighteenth century. Latour began always by telling the real truth, whatever it was the process of the second of the contract of the second of t whatever it was. If he saw a fox or a wolf behind the countenance of a financier he set it down on canvas, or if a Delliah or a De Tincin lurked behind the smiles of some lovely comedienne or court lady he did not pass her oven After the third or fourth sitting he embellished according to the target of the state of the second of the same of bellished according to the tastes of the time and of the sitter. Stevens had not a penetrating eye. It must be said that he hardly needed it. He only dealt with favorites of fortune, who hardly needed to mask their propensities. In the arrangement of details of the toilette he had no equal, and the task was no easy. rangement of details of the toilette he had no equal, and the task was no easy one, seeing what debased Spanish taste prevailed. As a colorist he must ever take a high rank. I should say that it all his paintings there is not a single false note or jarring tone of color and that everywhere his coloring is felicitous and captivating. It is also to be said that in painting his cocodettes and their beiongings he never slid down to the level of the illustractor may be a great artist, but illustration is low art.

The fashionable world had for many years before his death completely forgotten Stevens. Had he been a Frenchman the Government would have found

man the Government would have found for him some post in the Fine Aris pe-partment. Harsh things are said of Leopold, the millionaire king, for mot recognizing in some handsome way the talent of the old painter.

Sir Victor Horsley.

"Energy, honesty and fearlessaess" are the characteristics attributed by a professional associate to Sir Victor Horsley. The slim, unobtrustive man who figured most effectively in two addresses before the British Medical Association in Toronto recently, is an Englishman at the top of the surgical ladder. As professor of pathology in University College, London, and sargon to the Queen's Square Hospital, h; is a busy man, but he yet is in demand for some of the biggest surgical work in England. Only a man of his restless energy could fill so man admiration by the best previty and terseness, combined with an admirable English style. His versatility is apparent from his two subjects in this country—alcohol and social reform in the afternoon, and brain surgery, which is his specialty, in the evening. Sir Victor is a son of G. C. Horsley, R. A. He was born in 1857. He has occupied many positions requiring exceptional scientific skill, assong them Secretary to the Royal Commission on Hydrophobla, Surgeon to the National Hospital for Paralysis and sion on Hydrophobia, Surgeon to the National Hospital for Paralysis and Epilepsy, Fullerian professor at the Royal Institution, and Professor of Pathology at the University College.

New Atlantic Record Breakers.

It will be a twelvemonth before the Mauretania is ready for sea, and somewhat less before the Lusitania makes her initial voyage. When, however, these vessels get to work, the Atlantic passage ought to be cut down to five days, for under the agreement with the British Government they are to be ca, able of maintaining a minimum average speed of from 24 to 25 knots per hour in moderate weather. They should thus be a knot or a knot and a half faster than the Kaiser Wilhelm II. of the Norddeutcher-Lloyd Co., which now stands in the first rank. What the further reduction of the Atlantic passage implies to the British Empire is as yet perhaps imperfectly understood. It may mean that we shall see a further The hatpin forms a very important part of the modern hat. Some of them are of huge dimensions, many being the size and color of a horse chestnut, while others are of silvery mother of pearl colored crystal and curve stores.

> Mrs. Gayboy's Faith. Gayboy—So Mrs. Neighbors called you a fool, did she?

Mrs. Gayboy—Not in so many words, but it amounted to the same thing. She accused me of believing everything you say.

#### CRIMINALS IN INDIA

WHOLE TRIBES WHOSE HEREDITARY PROFESSION IS THEFT.

Robbers Born and Kept So by Caste, They Are Polite and Modest Until the "Profession" Requires Them to Become Cruel and Ferocious.

India is usually spoken of as a land where life and property have become safe under British rule. True, the bands of thugs have been broken up, the Pindharee hordes have been suppressed, and the British police system is spread over the whole country, but the criminal tribes or castes, those whose hereditary "profession" is robbery and nothing else, remain, their instincts strong, wanting only opportunity to practice their traditional callwhich the Indian caste system forbids them to abandon.

These tribes are most numerous and most wayward in the united provinces, in which are Cawnpur and Lucknow, cities associated forever with the

Indian mutiny.

Half of the division is Oudh, the native province last annexed by Britain, many of whose old men vividly remember when every "talookdar," or feudal chief, lived in a fortified castle and retained a swarm of armed men, who received no pay, but lived on the country. They were official robbers, and their example gave free scope to the "professional" robbers, or, as they have always been known in India, the

These tribes are the Sanauriahs, the Barwars, the Sansiahs, the Doms, the Haburahs, the Aheriahs, the Banriahs, the Bhatus. Each tribe has its own dialect, dress and customs.

A singular feature of Indian life is that persons who would be considered depraved characters in a European country and would bear the stamp of their nature on their faces are not depraved in their own estimation or in that of the people at large. A casual murderer is not ashamed of himself nor abhorred by his neighbors, who redcome him back among them if be escapes the gallows and is released after a term in jail. The universal be lief that all things are decreed by fate accounts for this amazing state of feeling. Much more, then, are men regarded with indifference or even respect whose time honored, hereditary and natural profession is robbery with

So the members of these tribes go in and out of the towns and villages without misgivings, and there is not a sign in their faces or manner to indicate that their business is robbery and mur-

When a gang encamps outside of a town the inhabitants feel uncomforta-ble and take precautions, but cherish no ill will against the strangers. And when robberies and murders occur almost immediately within a radius of twenty miles they take more precau-tions, but regard the whole affair as a visitation of Providence, like a flood or a fire.

These habitual criminals are not depraved in any sense understood by the They simply have the misfortune to belong to a trade which is umpleasant for the neighborhood—like dyer's or a tanner's.

They are well satisfied with themselves and are as careful as other peo-ple of their respectability. They have ne unusual vices; they do not get drunk or riotous; they are civil, courteous unassuming. Oruelty and ferocity with them neither habits nor pleasbut simply methods of busin

During the excitement of a sudden strack the jeople if they do not run away will turn out and aid the police repelling or capturing the robbers. days after the robbers have done their work unmelested the people will usually do nothing to help in tracing them and will even deny that they here lost anything.

For many years past the government of India has worked to induce these eriminal tribes to settle down to a eable and in

But progress is very slow. Vagabond-age is bred in the bone and marrow of the tribes, and marauding is their ch occupation. From time to time men will suddenly disappear, perpetrate several daring dakaitis in another dis trict and escape over the border into one of the independent native states which cluster round three sides of the mited provinces.

The word "dakaiti," also spelled "dameans robbery by a gang of eoity," rmed men, and a dakait, or dacoit, is

member of such a gang.
An assault by robbers in India differs from one in Europe or America in that it always takes place at night and is accompanied by a tremendous amount of noise. The Indians are a noisy people at all times, and in a rol bery with violence the robbers' object is to terrify their victims into a panic; e whether travelers be waylaid on lonely road or a wealthy man's se be attacked in a village the as sault is always made suddenly, with loud shouts and yells and in the case of a village with beating of drums and

waving of lighted torches.

The persons attacked bellow for all they are worth, but rarely offer resistance, and the general effect is so terrifying to the cowardly people that the eighbors either fly or else barricade their doors and lie still till the robbers have got at least a mile away with their plunder. Even the shrieking of woen under torture does not put heart into one of them, for the men of a house that is attacked try to bolt for their lives if they can and leave the women to the mercy of the robbers, who apply fire to them and torture them re atrocious ways to make them tell where the valuables are kept.—New

DANGER IN HIGH SPEEDS.

The Force Developed by Swiftly

Danger to drivers of automobiles grows rapidly greater with each new burst of speed. A correspondent of the Scientific American develops the theme as follows: "The danger in all cases increases as the square of the speed. Take three machines of the same make, one going five miles an hour, one twenty miles an hour and one forty miles an hour. The second has stored up in it, due to its rapidity of motion sixteen times as muc energy as the first, and if it leaves the road and runs into an obstacle, such as a tree, a stone wall or a ditch, it will strike with sixteen times as great force. In going around a curve or turning a corner it is sixteen times as likely to upset, skid into the ditch or strip a tire. When the power is shut off and the brakes applied it will go sixteen times as far before it can be brought to a stop. If it comes upon a pedestrian suddenly the latter will have to exert sixteen times as much energy to get out of the way in time and if nck will be struck with sixteen times the force. The third machine will be sixty-four times as likely to get into trouble in going around a curve as the

"An object going five miles an hour is moving with the same speed as it would have attained in falling ten inches. In moving ten miles an hour it is going as fast as though it had fallen three and a half feet. Twenty miles an hour is generally considered a very conservative speed. Now, twen-ty miles an hour is the same speed that would be obtained were the machine to fall thirteen feet through the air, thirty miles an hour is equivalent to a fall of thirty feet, torty miles an hour to a fall of fifty-two feet, sixty miles an hour to a fall of 120 feet and

120 miles an hour to a fall of 480 feet. "A person struck by an automobile going twenty-five miles an hour receives the same jar as though he himself had fallen from a height of fwenty-one feet, or, say, from a second story window; by one going forty miles an hour, as though he had fallen fiftytwo feet, or, say, from the top of a lofty tree; by one going 120 miles an hour, as though he himself had fallen from the top of the Washington monument."

#### BUYING VOTES.

When British Electors Got Golden

Votes have been purchased shame lessly and on a huge scale in British elections. An arrangement was once made in the borough of Wendover by which two candidates were to be elected after a distribution of £6,000 (\$30.-600) among the voters. The account reads: "This being settled, a gentleman was employed to go down, when he was met according to previous pointment by the electors about a mile from the town. The electors asked the stranger where he came from. He replied, 'From the moon.' They then asked, 'What news from the moon?' He answered that he had brought from thence £6,000 to be distributed among them. The electors, being thus satis with the golden news from the moon, chose the candidates and receiv-

At Hindon a man dressed fantastically as the dancing Punch called at the aduses of the voters and left behind him sums of 5 to 10 guineas (\$25 to \$50). Another device was to collect the citizens at the inns and hand them their reward through a hole in the door. For these offenses the house of commons passed a resolution that Hindon should be distranchised, but so lax were the morals of the time—the close of the eighteenth century—that the res-

ed their reward."

Again in 1859 the "man in the moon" turned up in Wakefield. He went about openly distributing money and did not appear to be in the least ashamed of his occupation. At Dub-lin in 1868 a hole in the wall served the purpose of a distributing center for five pound notes, while at Shaftesbury an alderman paid through a hole in the door of his office a sum of 20 guineas (\$100) to each elector.

Harlem In New York

In 1636 there was a settlement at the foot of a little hill on Manhattan Island which the settlers called Slang Berge, or Snake Hill, but which is now called Mount Morris. As the settlement grew each Dutchman who lived there wanted to name it after his native town. But as each one had come from a different place in Holland they could not agree. Governor Stuynt made careful inquiries, and, finding that no one had come from Haarlem, he nipped all neighborly jeal-ousies in the bud by naming it Nieuw

Care of the Dog Dogs vary greatly in their appetites, and occasionally we find a dainty feed-er who will nose over a mixed dish of food, picking out a bit here and there and showing but little relish for what he does eat. This is an evident sign that something is wrong. Changing his teeth, if a puppy, thus disturbing his system, may be the cause, and in this case a little cooling medicine should be given.

A professor of Trinity college, Dublin, overhearing an undergraduate making use of profane language, rushed at him frantically, exclaiming, "Are you aware, sir, that you are imperiling your immortal soul and, what is worse, incurring a fine of 5 shillings?"

Edie-Were you taken by surprise when he proposed, dear? Ella-Goodness, yes! Why, I hadn't even looked up his financial standing!-Ally Slopen

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ANOTHER SCANDAL.

Men of Wealth and Social Standing Involved In California Deals.

San Francisco, Feb. 6.—The Call yesterday says: Acting under instruc-tions from President Roosevelt, Thomas B. Neuhausen, an inspector Thomas B. Neuhausen, an inspector of the Interior Department, co-operating with State Mineralogist Lewis A. Aubrey, has been investigating land locations in California, and has unearthed gigantic frauds, which will be made the basis of criminal prose-

tions.

The investigation will involve mer of wealth, influence and high social standing in California.

\$100 REWARD \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stagand that is Catarrh. Hail's Ca tarrh Care is the only positive cure now known to the medical fratern-ity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internal, acting directly upon the mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitu strength by building up the constitu-tion and assisting nature in doing, its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for and case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., To-ledo, O. Sod by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for con-stination.

JAPS NOT HUNTING WAR.

Not the Slightest Excitement In Regard to California Protests.

Tokio, Feb. 6.—The view taken here of the American-Japanese situation, arising from the San Francisco school

arising from the San Francisco school incident, is illustrated by the following official statement, which was issued yesterday:

"Since the talk of war was first transmitted from America, we have carefully watched the development of feeling here. There has not been the light transmitted from the light transmitted from the state of the state feeling here. There has not been the slightest excitement anywhere in the country.

The statement concludes with the words: "The talk of war is completewords: The talk of war is complete-ity ignored here, and implicit confi-dence is reposed in President Roose-velt and his Government. The chuli-tions of the anti-Japanese press of America are powerless to shake Jacordiality toward the United

HELPS MEN TO WORK HARD. That's what Ferrozone does; That's what rerrozone does, it supplies the additional strength that enables a man to maintain health under difficulties. "Last spring I was so completely fagged out that I could not work," writes J. W. Mc-Nichol. of Turnbull, Man. "In the manufacture I was tired a limbs sched. morning I was tired — limbs sched all over. Had no appetite, was sleepless, nervous and unhappy. Ferrozone rut new life in me. Now I cat heartily, nerves are strong. I slerp well, I know the joy of real health." It's by supplying nourish-ment and good blood that Ferrozone builds up; try it-50c. per box all dealers.

Greek Philanthropist Dead.

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Paris, Feb. 6.—Daniel Osiris, the philanthropist, who presented Malmaison to the French nation, is dead.
M. Osiris bequeathed \$5,000,000 to the Pasteur Institute. Daniel Osiris was a wealthy Greek, who purchased Malmaison, which was the residence of the Empress Josephine, from 1798 to 1815, renovated it, and, in December, 1900, presented it to the French people for use as a Napoleonic museum. In 1899, M. Osiris presented to the Institute of France a triennial prize of \$20,000, open to all countries, for the most remarkable work or discovery of general interest, especially in the fields of surgery and medicine.

STEEL KNIFE IN THE FLESH. That's the sensation expertenced by Robert Price, of Hecton, Ont. He knew it was of sciatica and of coorse used "Nerviline," As usual, it cured and he says: "No liniment course used "Nerviline." As usual, it cured and he says: "No liniment can excel Polson's Nerviline. Severe pains made my side lame. It was like a steel knife running through the (lesh. I rubbed in lots of Nerviline and was completely cured." A regular snap for Nerviline to ease Sciatica and rheumatism. It sinks into the core of the pain, cures it in short order. Large 25c. bottles at all dealers,

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Deep turnover collars and cuffs of stiff embroidered liner edged with the narrowest knife plaiting of pale blu crimson or light green and worn with a little bow of the same color are new and very becoming.

Dainty nove'ties shown in handker

chiefs are small squares of cambrid plaided with a hair line stripe of colo and edged with a narrow border of the same color.

There is a new opera bag very usefu to the woman who goes to the play in the street cars. It is a small bag of gray or green suede to hold glasses and kerchief. On the outside is a little pocket for car fare or cab tips.

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A STOREHOUSE FOR POISONS.

secretory organs. This enables

all its contents were destroyed.

IT RINGS IN YOUR EARS.

That same cough is everywhere

Aged Husband-You are going to

ruin me with your extravagance. You

don't need that cape any more than a

cat needs two tails. How often have

I told you never to buy anything be-

cause it is cheap? Young Wife (with

an air of one who has got the better of

the argument)-But it was not cheap. It cost 10 guineas.-London Fun.

LIKE A NEW DISEASE.

Never step over one duty to per-

Desperate Toronto Youth.

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Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 4.—"I am starving and desperate and must have some money, or I will kill you," declared a wild locking youth as he contronted Mrs. Charles A. Painter, wife of the millionaire from manufacturer, in her home yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Painter argued the revolver from her would-be assassin, and had him delivered to the police. At the police station the man describnimself as Ernest Davis, 18 years old, of Toronto, Canada. He said he was driven to the deed by fear of death from starvation.

Not the creed a man holds; but

PATERSON'S

THEY WILL CURE

is five feet deep here.

Nets of all kinds, silk mousselines lace and gauzes in infinite varieties rival tulle in popularity, and a skirt of some crush gauzy silken stuff, com bined with a coat or bodice of velvet represents one of the favorite ideas of autocratic fashion. These net skirts are set into the waistband as full as possible, yard upon yard of the material being used, and they are perfectly



CHEVIOT SUIT-7868, 5255.

plain save for a flat, deep band of some heavy stuff abothe skirt bottom which drags the extreme fullness down into graceful folds and lines.

Cheviot trimmed with velvet makes an exceedingly handsome suit. The suit illustrated is of marine blue cheviot relieved by a bit of brightness in the vest, which is made of velvet and oriental banding. JUDIC CHOLLET.

MODISH CONCEITS.

Caracal In Favor - Beware of Too Popular Colors.

Caracal is, fashionably speaking, the fur of the season. This does not mean that it is valued above such high class furs as sable, chinchilla, etc., by the smart woman, but merely that there is always a craze for some fur of comparatively reasonable price and that this winter caracal is the fur.

Very popular shades rarely last more than one season, and it is wise for the woman of moderate means to select what will not be a marked color after another year. Sleeves are to be rather small,

though they are elaborately trimmed.



PRETTY FROCK-5361.

On short coats they are generally of seven-eighths length, but street coats have long sleeves. For party and evening dresses for

girls from ten to fifteen the favorite material is challis, nun's veiling, cashmere or some of the pretty and inexpensive silks which are now considered perfectly good style for young girls' and even children's wear. In deed, mothers are apt to be embar

cuffs of simple all over lace. JUDIC CHOLLET NAPOLEON AS A LUNATIC.

Dr. Quackenbos Gives An Interesting Talk On General Subject of Insanity, With Some Notable Examples.

ity, With Some Notable Examples.

"Insanity," said Dr. John D. Quackenbos, a recognized United States authority on brain diseases and especially on abnormal mental manifestations, "implies a brain defect which shows itself in discordant language or conduct. The causes of insanity may be hereditary taint, or the strain on the brain or nervous system due to grief, worry, disappointed love, fright, shock, injuries, excesses, poison, drugs or alcohol. Alcohol is said to be the most prolific cause of insanity, for it causes about twenty per cent. of all cases.

"There is much in the life of to-day which contributes to insanity, for now the human brain is undergoing a

which contributes to insanity, for now the human brain is undergoing a strain which it was never intended that it should meet. Bad air, bad food, are large factors. Much of the food which we obtain has been robbed of its elements by adulteration. The flat life, the noise, the dust in the air, the strain on the eyes from electric lights, which finds a reflex action on the nervous system—all these on the nervous system—all these things make the nerve cells unstable and lower the nerve tone. The tear and rush of modern life itself has so increased that in order to meet it increased that in order to meet it business men may have to reduce their working days to four or five a week and seek repose and mental refreshment on farms or in other quiet places outside the cities."

Dr. Quackenbos recalled many notable men of genius.

"Peter the Great," he said, "was achiest to fit of including inspirity yet.

You may not think so, but that's what you become when the kidneys are affected. These organs cleanse the bod; they are the fites hit remove from the blood the waste matter that acts like deadly poison on the vitality and health of the system. Dr. Hamilton's Pills stimulate the kidneys, expel fermenting matter from the bowels, restore the subject to fits of circular insanity, yet he was the founder of Russian great-ness and an able and far seeing monlate the kidneys, expel fermenting matter from the bowels, restore the liver and stimulate all excretory and arch. Napoleon Bonaparte was a vic tim of paranoia. He also had an obtim of paranoia. He also had an obsession, and that was that he could
conquer England by invasion. In the
intervals which the allies gave him he
would continually go back to his pet
delusion. His mental decay became
evident on the day of the battle of
Waterloo, when he was stupid and inefficient. blood to quickly replenish itself and establishes perfect health. No med-icine does such lasting good as Dr. Hamilton's Mandrake and Butter-nut P.l's. 25c. at all dealers.

Buried By Avalanche.

Kempten, Bavaria, Feb. 2.—Two houses in a valley near Mittelbach were crushed and 15 persons were buried by an avalanche of Thursday. Eight of them were taken out dead yesterday.

General Store Burned.

Kingston, Feb. 2.—Fire broke out in the general store kept by Mr. Crew at Hartington, and the building and all its contents were destroyed.

Waterloo, when he was stupid and inefficient.

"Charles Lamb was several times sent to an asylum; Byron was an epileptic, and Poe was perhaps insane. Michael Angelo was referred to as the divine madman and Goldsmith as the inspired idiot. William Blake, the poet-painter, was accustomed to paint the portraits of imaginary sitters, and he spent thirty years of his life in a madhouse. Tasso had auditory delusions. Samuel Johnson was a victim of melancholia. The poet Cowper was in an asylum and he once attempted suicide. Sir Walter Scott ended his of melancholia. The poet Cowper was in an asylum and he once attempted suicide. Sir Walter Scott ended his life in a mental decline."

Dr. Quackenbos takes the position Five Feet of Snow.
Grenoble, France, Feb. 2.—The snow which has fallen on the Western Alps is the heaviest in 20 years. It that insanity is contagious and that

that insanity is contagious and that delusions spread.

"The Children's Crusade," he continued, "is such a delusion. What could the children hope to do except to leave their bones? I have known of communities to be seized by a dancing mania in which men and women actually danced away their lives. Christian Science is a delusion based on a truth.

"Delusions in themselves," said the physician, "are not in themselves a proof of insanity. The delusions of the sane are in themselves an interesting study. One of the common delusions of those sound in mind is that they are becoming insane. I knew of a woman who so thoroughly believed that sine was going crazy that she applied for a position as a nurse cold, never trifle with catarrh, go to your druggist and get Catarrhozone. It's instant death to colds, cures them in a few minutes. Throat trouble and catarrh disappear as by magic. Catarrhozone is the great throat, nose and bronchial remedy to-day. Thousands use it does relieve quickly and cure thoroughly. Two sizes, 25c and \$1.00, at all dealers. believed that sine was going crazy that she applied for a position as a nurse in the Bloomingdale Asylum, so that she would be in the right place when the day of her insanity arrived. Those who think they are becoming insane need have no fear that their forebodings will be realized. "Theomania, which is religious, has its manifestations everywhere. The most remarkable case of which I have any record was that of a child of five

any record was that of a child of five years, who believed that she had committed the unpardonable sin.

"This brings up the whole subject of moral insanity, which is as yet but little understood. I believe that the little understood. I believe that the time will come when the schools will be regularly inspected and the children who are weak morally will be separated from the others and placed in institutions. The law has not yet recognized moral insanity to any extent. It includes extravagant jealousy, pyromarfia, kleptomania, pseudomania or plain lying, swindling and the habits which come from the excessive use of alcohol and tobacco." New to the man who never had corns is the pain relieved by Putnam's Corn Extractor. Old corns and new ones cured quickly by "Putnam's." Sold everywhere.

Gallant Kaiser William.

A story is being told that Emperor William, while on a hunting expedition lately, took breakfast at the castle of a young, newly married couple. The soup was served en tasse and the Kaiser, who was busily engage. The publisher of the best Farmers' ed in conversation, asked the servant paper in the Maritime Provinces in for milk and sugar, thinking it was

paper in the Maritime Provinces in writing to us states:
"I would say that I do not know of a medicine that has stood the feet of time like MINARD'S LINISHMENT. It has been an unfailing remedy in our bousehold ever since I can remember, and has outlived dezens of would-be competitors and imitators."

The hostess was too shy to call attention to the mistake. The milk and the Kaiser added them to the soup. When he sipped it, he discovered his mistake, added them to the soup. When he sipped it, he discovered his mistake, and it was too shy to call attention to the mistake. The milk and sugar, thinking it was too shy to call attention to the mistake. The milk and sugar, thinking it was too shy to call attention to the mistake. The milk and sugar, thinking it was too.

India's Huge Population.

By the last census the population of India is given as 294,361,056, an increase of 7,046,385 as compared with 1891. The population of the British territory is 231,899,507; that of the native states 62,461,546. The urban population is 29,244,221. Considering the religion of India and dependencies, there were 2,232,241 Christians, 207,147,026 Hindoos, 62,458,077 Mohammedans and 9,476,759 Buddyhists. There were 277,728,485 persons who were unable to read and write and only 15,686,421 who could read and write. India's Huge Population.

Dr. Hans Richter, the famous musical conductor, is a thorough believer in comfort in dress and not infrequently sets fashion at defiance. One broiling evening in Paris he led the orchestra wearing the regulation dress coat and a pair of cricketing trousers, never dreaming that he would have to come into full view of the audience. At the end of the opera, however, so clamorous were the calls for him that he was compelled to show himself before the footlights arrayed as he was. His unconventional aspearance led to explosions of laughter.

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Duty to Discover the Pole New York, Feb. 4.—Commander R., L. Peary, the Arctic explorer, was the guest of honor at a dinner given by the Lotus Club Saturday night. Commander Peary said: "The discovery, not only of the North Pole but of the South Pole as well, is not only our privilege, but our duty and destiny, as much as the building of the Panama Canal and the control of the Pacific."

Winners of Grey Trophies.
Ottawa, Feb. 4.—The winners of the Governor-General's musical and dramatic trophies are announced. The Quebec Symphony Club wins the musical and Winnipeg the dramatical trophics. trophy.

Deafness of 12 Years' Standing.

Protracted Catarrh produces deafness in many cases. Capt. Ben. Connor, of Toronto, Canada, was deaffor 12 years from Catarrh. All treatments failed to relieve. Dr. Agasw's Catarrhal Powder, gave him relief in one day, and in a yery short while the deafness left him entirely. It will do as much foreyon. 50 cents.

Sold by W. W. Turner.

The Earth's Interior Iron?

Frequent earthquakes of late have enormously increased scientific cur-iosity about the earth's interior. On this subject Sir Oliver Lodge observes in Nature that "it has long been suspected that the earth is an iron planet, and now, through the work of Strutt and others, the evidence both for and against is intensifying. It is just worth noting as a matter of sim-ple arithmetic that a core of metallic iron of density 7 covered with a crust of rock 500 miles thick of density 2.5 makes an average terrestrial density of 5.6, but recent evidence points to a crust much thinner than the above. It is to be hoped that the 'boring' proposals of the Hon. Charles Parsons will before long attract the attention they desgyve."—Lond.m Telegraph.

WANTED

WANTED-Two dining room girls, Apply at Hotel Merrill.

WANTED-Colored bell men. Apply by letter to Grand Union Hotel, Toronto.

WANTED-A good girl for general housework to work in country, two and one-half miles from Chatham; wages. Apply Box B., Planet.

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with modern improvements, for sale, on Victoria Ave., at a baragein. Apply to Thos. Soullard on Planet Office. RESILENCE AND LOTS FOR SALE -Will sell my house and lots on the corner of Lacroix and Harvey streets, either separately or en bloc. Terms, \$1,000 cash, balance to suit

FOR SALE-On Taylor avenue, store with fixtures and three dwell ing houses, now occupied, all in good repair, good well water. For terms apply H. G. Kogelschatz, Taylor avenue.

FARM FOR SALE .- 50 acres of choice FARM FOR SALE.—50 acres of choice land in the Township of Harwich, lot 16, concession 5, good frame dwelling, storey and a half; first class outbuildings, barn 36 x 56 x 24, shed and stable 30 x 60 x 22; artesian well; good orchard of choice fruit. Apply on premises. Geo. E. Jordan, Chatham P. O.

CHOICE FARMS FOR SALE-200 HOICE FARMS FOR SALE—200-acres, lot 166 Talbot Road, West Tilbury East, owned by N. H. Shep-ley: 96 acres, 5th concession, Bal-doon Road, Dover, owned by Lucian King: 156 acres, part lot 24, 7th concession, Dover, owned by Grant Bros. Also money to loan at very owest rate of interest. Henry

FARM FOR SALE.-North-west half ARM FOR SALE.—North-west half Lot 1, fourth concession, Township, of Harwich, R. T. S., one hundred acres, more or less, in a good state of cultivation; barn 80x40; good drive barn and granary; good frame dwelling house; three good wells of water; one artesian well; fruit of all kinds; well located for dairy, one mile out ide city limits, on townline between Harwich and Raleigh. For particulars, apply to G. W. Kelly, Queen St., south of Faip Grounds, or address G. W. Kelly, Box 615, Chatbam, Ont.





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Annual report of the Chatham Pub-

Annual report of the Chatham Public Library for the year 1906:
Total number of members 1,055;
new borrowers 355.
Total cash receipts from fines,
cards, book deposits, etc., \$132.70.
Number of books given out 25,299.
Number of new books added to
Library 218.

Library 218.

A complete set of Encyclopedia, Americana 416 vols.) was placed in the reference library.

Number of books destroyed 48.

Number of books repaired 104.

(Sgd.) E. M. BARASSIN,

Librarian.

#### ANNUAL MEETING

The Loyal Orange County Lodge of South Kent met in annual session in the Orange Hall, King street on Tuesday, February 5, the Worship'ul County Master Bro. Wm. Miller in

Their being a large attendance, as business for making arrangements for the 12th of July demonstration, which will be held in the city of Chatham, the brethren of the counties of Essex, North Kent, West Lambton, Elgin, and city of St. Thomas, London, Woodstock, and also our American brethren from Detroit and Port Huron, also ladies and Orange Young Britton Lodges are expected to be present, and all friendly sister societies. There being mostly business of routine, after which the following officers were duly elected and installed by Past County Master Bro. Hugh Gallager for the ensuing year: Their being a large attendance, as

W. Co. M.-Thomas Jenkins, Glen-

wood.
W. Co. D. M.—Charles Baverstock,
Bothwell.
Chap.—Wm. Simpson, Ridgetown.
Rec. Sec.—Wesley Shaw, Chatham.
Fin. Sec.—Wm. Martin, Blenheim.
Treas.—B. Boothroyd, Thamesville.
D. of C.—Wm. Marshall, Blenheim.
Lect.—D. Ferguson, Chatham.
Dept. Lect.—Samuel Bicum, Fargo.
Dept. Lect.—Harry Yerks, Bothwell. Scribe-W. Shaw.,

#### SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

shows the following totals of the attendance:

McKeough school—Enrollment 368, average 306, percentage 83.

Central school—Enrollment 705, average 538, percentage 76.

Kindergartens — Enrollment 148, average 68, percentage 46.

January, 1907—Enrollment 1,221, average 912, percentage 75.

January, 1906—Enrollment 1,324, average 1,146, percentage, 87.

The enrollment for January, 1907, is 79 less, and the average 281 less than for December, 1906. The enrollment is 103 less and the average 234 less than for January, 1906.

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Take LAXATIVE BROMO-QUININE
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There are quite a number in Chat-ham and dicinity that have signified heir intention of using the spray according to the Boles formula.

Public Library Board Hold Inaugural Meeting
Officers Elected
THE MONTHLY REPORTS

according to the Boles formula.
The report of the Government (ests have not as yet been made public, but will be shortly.
If this spray is as effective, or even if it takes lorger, than the lime-sulphur, it is certainly less, trouble one to make and cheaper, and equally beneficial to promotion of growth as can be seen at any time where it has been used.

## MARRIED A MONTH-SEPAR-

Detroit, Feb. 4.—After being mar-Detroit, Feb. 4.—After being married only one short month, Albert Canningham, formerly of Dresden, and his wife, who used to be Mrs. Amelia Highes, of McDougall St., took out a bill of separation to-day and said their last farewell. The bride objected to her new husband appearing in police courts a deaple bride objected to her new husband appearing in police court as a drunk.

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Your size is here in any shade you may fancy, but the earlier you choose the better the assortment.

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This is about the last call for our Underwear.

We have just received a case of Underwear cleared from the maker at less than half their regular price. Our own excellent stock is added to the lot. For the balance of the week it is yours for less price than you ever paid.

Children's Vests and Drawers 22c and 18c.

Women's Vests and Drawers 18c, 29c and 35c

The above prices would not buy the yarn to make the garments.

# LAGE COLLARS.

In this lot you will find Collars for all occasions, some made of Guipure lace, some embroidered, some of silk, some of Battenburg and other makes. None of them are old stock but all this season's styles. On sale at one price for your choice,

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