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After Eight Months Preparation

Eight months ago we commenced making preparation for the Fall's trade, determined that we would make it the largest and best in the history of the store, samples were submitted by the best manufacturers and jobbers on the two continents, from which we selected what we know to be the finest stocks of dress goods, millinery, mantles, furs, staples, carpets and house furnishings ever brought to the city, for the past fortnight these have been piling in on us and now they are all or nearly all here, we are ready to serve you with worthy goods-goods that you can rely on giving you satisfaction and we guarantee that our prices are as low as in any other place in Canada. Our motto is

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So Far 18.000 Coal Miners Have Cone Out.

THE GREAT STRIKE

The Mine Owners Taking it Cooly -Some Talk of Arbitration.

Hazelton, Pa., Sept. 18.-Following is the statement issued by President Mitchell on behalf of the striking mine workers:

"Reports received at our office from Districts Nos. 1, 7 and 9, of the anthracite coal regions, show that there have cite coal regions, show that there have been great accessions to the ranks of the strikers to-day. Im District No. 1, (Hazelton) no less than 1,500 mine lworkers who mined yesterday failed to report for work this morning, thus increasing the total number on strike from 10,000 to 11,500 to-day.

"In District No. 9 (Schuylkill) our forces have been augmented by 4,500 mine workers in addition to the 30,000 reported yesterday.

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"The situation in District No. 1 (Lackawanna-Wyoming) is practically the same as the first day of the strike, only 200 men remaining at work. Total number of men idle, 118,000.

"From every section of the anthracite region reports indicate that much dissatisfaction prevails among those who have up to this time failed to participate in the strike and we confidently expect that the number at work will grow less with each succeedwork will grow less with each succeed

work will grow less with each succeeding day until the mines shall be completely closed."

Conditions in the Lackawanna district to-day were practically the same as yesterday in the miners' strike. Not a pound of coal is being mined and the number of culm washeries at work re-

mains unchanged.

The Columbus washery which supplies fuel for the electric light, city steam and trolley plants and which shut down yesterday resumed to-day by permission of the strike leaders, who did not desire to cripple the pub-lic utilities, but the strikers evened things up by inducing the twenty men at the adjacent carbon coal company's

at the adjacent carbon coal company's washery to turn out.

This washery was bent on working night and day. Late last night the men were stoned from a hill overlooking the culm pits and driven to seek shelter in the engine room, but when the assailants dispersed, operations were resumed. At 9 this morning a crowd of more than a hundred men and women assembled near the washery and by jeers and threats induced the whole force to quit work and go home. The strikers persuaded a Delaware, Lackawanna & Western crew to go back to the yard without the to go back to the yard without the train load of coal which they were sent to take out of the switch of the Diamond washery, one of three Delaware, Lackawanna & Western places which are keeping at work. Later the which are keeping at work. Later the engine and crew returned carrying a squad of detectives and a case of rifles. The strikers had gone in the interim and the coal train was taken

out without incident.

Benjamin Davis, a superintendent of the Clark (tunnel in the northern end the Clark tunnel in the northern end of the city, was arrested on the charge of pointing firearms preferred by a striker named Frank Payne. It is alleged Davis invaded the public highway with a gun, halted Payne, who was peacefully coming from his home to town, and threatened to shoot him to be did not turn beach. Later the if he did not turn back. Later the case was settled. The operators say, they are not making any particular effort to work any of the mines and have no immediate intention of importing men to take the strikers' places. Binghamton, Elmira and Sy-racuse customers of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Co. are, it is stated, cancelling their contracts and entering into long term contracts with soft coal companies.

MAY ARBITRATE. Philadelphia, Sept. 19.—Talk of arbitration is persistent and the hope is growing strong that this method of settling the strike will be finally adopted, although the mine owners de-clare that they will deal only with their employees as individuals, and the strike leaders say they will insist on formal recognition of the union. This difference would appear sufficiently strong to keep employe and employer apart forever if persisted in. Many

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to close down.

One little band of miners in the Wyoming Valley, those of the West End Coal Co., at Mocanaqua, numbering a few hundred men, stand cut prominently as the only men at work out of nearly 90 000 in the Lackawanna and

nearly 90,000 in the Lackawanna and Wyoming region. Efforts to induce them to join the strikers have failed, They say they have always been treated kindly, they have not grievance and they will therefore remain loyal to their employers."

MEN LAID OFF. Wilkesbarre. Sept. 19.-As a result of the anthracite coal strike, 1800 engineers, firemen, conductors, and trainmen empoyed by various anthracite railroad companies were suspended yesterday until further orders.

FOR HIGH TREASON

The Boers Imprisoned This General Because He

Would not Break His Parole to the British-Lord Roberts' Last Despatch.

London, Sept. 19. - The War Office has received the following from Lord Roberts, dated Machadodorp, Sept. 15: "French reports all quiet at Barberton. Among his prisoners are the landdrost of that place, and Com-

mandant Van Der Post, the late chairman of the Orange Free State Raad. Gen. Schoeman was found in jail at Barberton. He fought against us at Colesberg, and surrendered to French when we occupied Pretoria. He was tried by court-martial, and put in prison by the Boers for high treason, his crime being his refusal to break

his parole.

"A party of Boers, belonging, it is believed to the commandoes which surrounded Ladybrand, appeared near Brandfort with a view to destroying the railway. Kelly-Kenny at once strengthened the several posts between Smaaldeel and Bloemfontein, and communicated with Macdonald, the commander of the Highland brigade of Hunter's division. Hunter was about to carry on a campaign against these bands of roaming Free Staters. On Sept. 13 Macdonald crossed the south bank of the Vet river, near Tafelkop, on the Winburg-Bloemfontein road, and came in contact with the enemy eight miles west of that place. He drove them northward across Vet river, and pursued them in that direction along the Winburg-Smaaldeel railway. The enemy retired in great confision and the his parole. burg-Smaaldeel railway. The enemy retired in great confusion, and the road was strewn with things thrown away by them in their hurried flight. Seven Boers were captured. Macdonald also captured 31 wagons, 370 trek ald also captured 31 wagons, and treatoxen, six cases of dynamite, and a quantity of gun and rifle ammunition, groceries, blankets and clothing. We had no casualties. Paget arrived at Hebren, north-west of Pretoria, yesterday afternoon, having driven off terday afternoon, having driven off the Boers. During his march from Pienaars river station he captured ten prisoners and 1,000 cattle."

She Must Have the Leaders of the Boxers' Outrages

Delivered up Before She Will Treat With the Chinese Government.

London, Wednesday, Sept. 19, 4.30 a. m.—As might have been expected, coincident with the arrival of Count Coincident with the arrival of Count Von Waldersee in China, comes the most important declaration of policy yet issued by any of the allies. As the Daily News remarks, Germany's the Daily News remarks, Germany's circular note has turned the tables on Russia, whose evacuation proposal had put Germany into an awkward corner. Now, if Russia assents to CHATHAT, ONT. the German note, she will be unable to continue, says the Daily News, to pose as China's lenient and forgiving friend, while if she dissents, Russia will lay herself open to the charge of reducing the punitive expedition to a farce. The London Morning papers farce. The London Morning papers have little but praise for what is called "Germany's admirable note." The Times goes so far as to wish that the credit for making such a proposal belonged to Great Britain. The Morning Post alone, in a cogent and well-reasoned editorial, points out a grave objection, namely, that if the real instigators of the uprising should prove to be identical with the personnel of the Chinese Government, personnel of the Chinese Government, it can hardly be expected that they will deliver themselves up, aand if the Chinese Government should be designated as guilty, it would be under the ban of the powers—a condition of things only terminable by the conquest of China or producing a new government. "Therefore," says the Morning Post, "the powers should carefully weigh the matter before committing themselves,"

committing themselves,"

GERMANY'S DEMAND.

Berlin, Sept. 18.—The foreign office has sent a circular note to all the powers announcing that the German government considers that an ndispensible preliminary to the beginning of peace negotiations with China is the delivering up of those who were responsible for the outrages. The text of the telegraphic note is as follows:—

"The government of the Empero Detroit

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The government of the Emperor holds as preliminary to entering upon diplomatic relations with the chinese government that those persons must be delivered up who have been proved to be the original and real instigators of the outrages against international law which have occurred at

colleries are badly drippled and forced Pekin. The number of those Pekin. The number of those who were merely instrumental in carrying out the outrages is too great. Whole-sale, executious would be contrary to the civilized conscience, and the circumstances of such a group of leaders cannot be completely ascertained, but a few, whose guilt is notorious, should be delivered up and punished. The representatives of the powers at Pekin are in a position to give or The representatives of the powers at Pekin are in a position to give or bring forward convincing evidence. Less importance attaches to the number punished than to their character as chief instigators or leaders. The government believes it can count on the unanimity of all the cabinets in regard to this point, inasmuch as indifference to the idea of just atonement would be equivalent to indifference to a repetition of the crime. The government proposes, therefore, that the cabinets concerned shall instruct their representatives at Pekin that the cabinets concerned shall in-struct their representatives at Pekin to indicate those leading Chinese per-sonages from whose guilt in instiga-ting or perpetrating outrages all doubt is excluded.—(Signed) Von Bue-low."

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THE PROHIBITION VOTE.

A correspondent of the Montreal Witness, who says of himse'f, "I am no disappointed office-seeker, nor a political partizan, but a prohibitionist and one who took somewhat active part in the plebiscite campaign two years ago," undertakes t enlighten prohibitionists on the subject, "Which party should I support ?" He writes:

In the first place I cannot see how the prohibition party can support the Liberal government after the treatment received from their hands. It is not necessary for me to go into details, for your readers well know how the prohibition plank was placed in the platform of the Liberal party at the convention held at Ottawa a few years ago, and during the campaign of 1896 this plank was freely held up before the independent prohibition voters and they gave almost every assurance that a plebiscite would be taken, and the party would stand by the majority. This appeal had its effest, and the result was that the Liberal party was placed in power, and I believe largely by the temperance vote. After two years' bickering and trying all ways to evade the issue, they finally gave us the plebiscite. and with what result? We all know that two or three of the cabinet ministers took the platform against us, and used every possible means to defeat us yet, notwithstanding, we secured a fairly respectable majority and we had good reason to expect that the government would abide by the medision, or at least recognize it in some way. But no, Sir Wilfrid then came forward and informed us that there was an understanding between the prohibitionists and the non-prohibitionists of his party that unless we polled a majority of the possible votes, it was to be considered as defeated, and that would end the matter as far as his party was concerned. We have no reason to doubt Sir Wilfrid's statement, but why did they not make this plain to the people, and thus save the country about two hundred thousand dollars, and the temperance people their time and money, which they freely gave for the cause? Did they not know it was almost impossible to poll such a vote as they must needs have before taking action? Why this si ence during the campaign I think it is plain to everybody. The prohibition plank above referred to was merely a bid for votes, and now cure, they not only ignore our just claims, but some of the leading party papers have insulted us, called us 'cold-water drinkers"-thank God we are "cold-water drinkers"-and some have even cast reflections on our sincerity in the cause. Why, then, should we support them? Have we any reason to expect anything more

In the second place, It think we should vote for the Conservative par ty: Not that they deserve our votes for they have done nothing to merithe temperance support, but we mus show both parties that we are in earnest and here to stay, and as I have shown, we cannot expect anything from the Liberals, let us vote for the Conservatives, and let them know that we are giving them our support, and if elected we expect something from them or they will receive the same treatment as their predecessors. Let each party understand that they must give us prohibition, or at any rate what they promise us, or out they go at the very first opportunity. This is why I think we should vote against the government and for the opposi-

from the party?

We must defeat the present government, and we may have to defeat their successors, and even their successors but we must keep at it, and in the near future the temperance cause will triumph and our grand Dominion will set an example to the nations of the world worthy to be followed.

The landslide of Liberals from the Laurier government seems even more extensive than anybody dreamed of.

"Personally," says Hugh John Macdonald, "you know I am no prohibitionist." That explanation was superfluous, excepting that the presence of the Hon. Mr. Foster in the combination might cause suspicion, -Windsor Record.

The explanation was not superfluous. It simply proves to the people that a Conservative leader, against his own inclinations, will keep his promises. Hugh John Macdonald told the people of Manitoba that though he was not a prohibitionist himself, if they voted for prohibition he would give it to them. And he kept his word. Sir Oliver Mowat and Hardy and Ross told the people of Ontario that they would give them prohibition as far as the Privy Council decided they had the power. The Privy Council surprised them by deciding they had almost absolute power in the matter. Then they refused to keep their pledge. Everybody knows wha Laurier's pledges amount to, therefore Hugh John in stating his own person at position emphasizes the fact that even a politician can be

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Mayor Smith appears to have a few friends among the Liberals who will give him a helping hand.

Mayor Smith, if elected, will keep his promises. In making this announcement we are not throwing coal oil cans or any missiles of that kind at Archie Campbell.

AS OTHERS SEE HIM.

Hamilton Spectator. Mayor Smith, of Chatham, will lead Liberal-Conservatives of Kent to vicory in the Dominion contest. He is a clean man and has the full confidence of the Kent electorate.

HENRY DAGNEAU MUST STOP THIS.

Kincardine Review. And now a celebrated physicians dvises that germs are conveyed to human beings by dogs. Moral-Boil

> WE'RE WITH YOU: SHAKE. Denver Ledger,

John D. Rochefeller has dyspepsia and an income of 30 millions a year. What an unfortunate man! All those millions and cannot eat a tough beefsteak or sustain a jag for one night. If I were John I would trade it all for an appetite. I feel sorry for him. Only those are really rich who have health and happiness. I am worth over a billion.

> HOW'S THIS FOR BRIBERY \$ Saskatchewan Heraid.

To ingratiate himse'f with the halfbreeds here Mr Davis told them it was due to him that many of them got scrip, especially of those born in Manitoba. He induced the government to give them scrip, "not because they had a right to it, but as a matter of policy." He might as well have said to influence their votes, and of course he will expect to get them for his kind-

THE BIGGEST ADVERTISERS.

Ottawa Citizen. The heaviest advertisers in United States are the two leading political parties. Manager Hanna has been collecting enormous sums which he says are to be expended in campaign advertising. Most of the newspapers of the land contain col-umns of editorial articles daily that are intended to advertise the merits of one party or the other. There could be no better proof of the value of "ads" than the large dependence of shrewd politicians on their influence

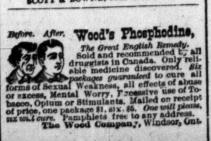
FUN, BUT NO FAKIRS.

London Free Press. We say nothing of the gamblers, be cause their presence within the grounds and under fair auspices i hardly a matter for discussion. On no pretence can it be justified. If our fair cannot get along without the fees from such persons playing upon the credulous and simple with "loaded dice," it is time for it to close up. But the sort of games, which are a test of skill and afford amusement are legitimate enough, and are found at fairs everywhere. They are a part of their make-up, and to draw too tight a line is the folly of prudishness.

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COSTLY DOORPLATES.

Many Were of Silver and Went Ove the Hundred Dollar Mark.

"People who get about town much must have noticed one change that has taken place in the past few years," said the man with the red mustache, "and that is the abolition of doorplates for all except business purposes. There was a time, and not so very long ago either, when everybody that aspired to any kind of social prominence decorated his front door with a plate on which his name was engraved. These plates were made of all kinds of metal, ranging from plain tin to solid silver, according to the prosperity of the owner. Some of them were very expensive. happened to be in the engraving business when the doorplate craze was raging in its most virulent form, and I know for a fact that we turned out any number of plates that mounted up to and even beyond the hundred dollar

"One of the most expensive plates we ever made was for a man who lived over on East Twenty-second street. This man was a Russian who had embraced American customs, and he had a name about seven feet long. I can't remember now what it was, but I do know that it used up about all the plate we had in the shop to fit him out and that when we were finally through with him his front door resembled nothing so much as the billboard of a vaudeville show. There was a peculiar thing about another block over in that part of the city. There were 40 houses in that block. Each was ornamented with a doorplate, and on 31 of those houses the name was 'Green.' I went over to that neighborhood the other day out of curiosity. There are no doorplates there now, and I had no means of ascertaining whether the Green colony still sticks to its old

haunts "In one way these doorplates were a mighty fine thing. They gave a stranger within our gates invaluable assistance in sizing up the nomenclature of the city, but they savored too much of self advertising to suit the quiet tastes of the more conservative element, and gradually the custom went out of fashion, until now a private house that sports a doorplate is a curiosity."-

Might Have Shot Custer.

Major Thomas Lawson, a prominent ex-Confederate of this city, tells an interesting story of General George A Custer, the dashing Federal command er, who afterward fell in the massacre of the Little Big Horn. Major Lawson served with the Virginia troops. He was in Pickett's charge at Gettysbur and, although still hale and hearty, bears the marks of three serious wounds.

"During the Virginia campaigns," said Major Lawson, "our forces made a night attack. Our regiment charged into Custer's camp and stampeded the Yankees. Chance sent us in the direction of the general's headquarters. . In the midst of the rout I saw a handsome man rush from a tent a few feet from me. He was only half dressed, and from his long bair I recognized him even in the dim light as Custer. He had no arms of any sort, and the Confederates were in almost complete possession; but, hastily pulling a bridle over his horse's head and without waiting to saddle up, he jumped on the animal and galloped off, without arms, to attempt to rally his routed men. He was within ten feet of me for more than a minute, and I drew my revolver to shoot him, but I could not kill so brave a man when he had no means of defense himself. It would have been too much like murder.

"I have always been glad that I did not fire op the gallant Custer that night."

They Drink Blood,

"The fire eaters are dying out, but the blood drinkers are on the increase," says a New Orleans physician in The Times Democrat of that city. down to the slaughter pens near the barracks any morning, and you'll see a crowd of them waiting for their daily draft fresh from the animals' veins. Most of the drinkers are people who show plainly the ravages of tuberculosis, but others are merely run down and debilitated and take the blood as a tonic. There are always women and children in the gathering, and, while all classes of society are represented, it is one place at least where there are no caste distinctions. Their afflictions and the curious treatment they are taking give them a common meeting ground, and it is singular to see how they fraternize. You will find wealthy business men chatting confidentially with hoboes and society women swapping symptoms with women in ragged calico. It's a queer sight."

Street Car Riding For Insomnia. One of the most prominent physicians in the city is recommending a new remedy for insomnia, a cheap and pleasant remedy, which is at least worth trying. Two hours before bedtime, says he, put on your most comfortable clothes, your easiest shoes and your least choky collar. Then walk over to the nearest car line, take a front seat in the first open car that comes along and sit there till time to go to bed, riding from one end of the line to the other with the cool night wind blowing in your face. An hour's street car riding, he says, scarcely ever fails to bring on a feeling of drowss, and he has actually been able to ng sleep to the most nerve wro usomniacs by his simple dev

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Orford, Highgate. Oct. 12 and 13.
Howard, Ridgetown, Oct. 3 to 5.
Aldborough, Rodrey, Oct. 10 and 11.
Alvinston, Oct. 3 and 4.

Essex, Sept. 25 to 26.
Learnington, October 3 to 5.
Comber, Oct. 1 and 2.
East Kent, Thamesville, Oct. 1 and 2.
Merlin at Merlin, Oct. 2 and 3. Moravian Indian Fair—At Moravian-town, October 16th, 17th, 18th and

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But there (confound my luck) on high The sun amid the azure sky
Poured forth its goiden light,
But I—I wished each piercing ray
Would, fading ,put an end to day
And; hasten on the night.

From yonder west, where ocean rolls Her foaming waves on sandy shoals, A dark'ning storm cloud blew; The bright sun faded soon away. While biacker grew the antumn day Still there I sat with Sue.

Alas! I knew the storm full well Would drive us from the cosy dell Where oft the hours we whiled; But Sue, she sighed and bent her head Then looking up, "Why, Jack," she

"How dark it grows," and smiled.

A Famous Comhat That Had Deadly Re-ults.

But the Famous Daniel. Never go Over Pegretting His Deed.

The story of an Irish political duel is told by Michael MaqDonagh in the Cornhill Magazine.

On January 22, 1815, at a meeting of the newly framed Catholic association, Daniel O'Connell urged the necessity of infusing fresh life and energy into the movement for Catholic emancipation. No petition, as he pointed out, had been presented to parliament the previous year. "I am conment the previous year. "I am convinced," said he, "that the Catholic cause has suffered by neglect of discussion. Had the petition been, last year, the subject of debate, we should not now see the beggarly corporation of Dublin anticipating our efforts by a petition of an opposite tendency." The speech was reported in the newspapers the next day, and J. N. D'Esterre, a member of the corporation, sent O'Connell a letter demand. tion, sent O'Connell a letter demand-ing retraction. The latter refused to either admit or disclaim the expression respecting the corporation, and D'es-terre then widely proclaimed that he was going to horsewhip O'Connell pub-licly. Clansmen of both parties gath-ered, ready for a general row, but D'Esterre did not attempt to make his threat good. However, he challenged O'Connell to a duel, and on February D'Esterre and O'Connell stood face o face in mortal combat in a field in

the county of Kildare, twelve or thir-

teen miles from Dublin.
O'Connell, for a portion of the time the seconds were arranging matters, walked up and down at the end of the field near the road wall, closely wrapped in his great cloak, apparently engaged in prayer. The position was all the more trying to him as a devout Catholic, for he knew that, by a de-cree of the council of Trent, Catholics who took part in a duel were excommunicated. Therefore, none of the clergy of Dublin could accompany him to administer the last rites of the church should he be fatally wounded; but in a cabin hard by there was a suspended priest, named Father O'Mullane, prepared to give him absolution in articulo mortis, if necessary. These thoughts had for a moment a depressing effect on O'Connell, but shaking them off he joined his friends and recognizing in the throng Jerry Mac-Carthy, a well known Dublin tailor, he exclaimed in his wonted exuberance of spirits, "Ah, Jerry, I never missed you from an aggregate meeting." Seeing Charles Phillips, a well known Irish barrister, and author of "Curran and His Contemporaries," in the crowd he called him aside and said, "Phillips, this seems to me not a personal but a political affair. I am obnoxious to a party and they adopt a false pretense to cut me off. They have reckoned without their host, I promise you. I am one of the best shots in Ireland at a mark, having as a public man considered it my duty to prepare for my own protection against such unprovoked aggression as the pressing effect on O'Connell, but shaksuch unprovoked aggression as the present. Now remember what I say to you. I may be struck myself, and then skill is out of the question; but if I am not, my antagonist will have cause to regret having forced me into this conflict.'

As O'Conneil flung off his coat before repairing to his position, his sec-ond carefully looked him over and, noticing that he wore a white muslin cravat, and that a large bunch of seals hung from his fob, he removed, remarking that such conspicuous objects wou d regulate the aim of D'Esterre. The latter displayed the same cool indifference H: was observed twirling his right leg around a cane resting on the ground, and chatting unconcernedly to his friends. When he appeared in his place he declared that whatever might be the result of this unpleasant business between himself and O'Connell, it did not originate self and O'Connell, it did not originate on his part from any religious animosity or party feeling. From the bottom of his heart he could say—and he appealed to God to witness the truth of his words—he harbored no ilfeelings against his Catholic fellow-countryman.

countryman.

The combatants were placed facing each other, ten paces apart, with a pistol in each hand, the directions being that when the signal was given they might fire whenever they pleased, advancing or retiring before or after fire as they thought proper. After the signal both men stood with weapons down for a few seconds, closely pons down for a few seconds, closely watching each other. Then D'Esterre manoeuvering apparently to confuse O'Connell and make him fire at random-moved a pace to the left, took a step forward, and raised his pistol, as if to fire. But O'Connell, who stood still on the alert, anticipated him Quick as lightning he lifted who stood still on the alert, anticipated him. Quick as lightning he lifted his weapon, aimed low, and fired. About the same moment D'Esterre's weapon exp'oded—the bullet truck the ground at O'Conneil's feet—and the unfortunate man staggered, then fell heavily forward, amid the wild exulting sharts of the stage of t Now is the Time to Subscribe Both the surgeons hastened to him. The bail had traversed the hip and to could not be found; but thought D'Esterre was bleeding profusely, no one suspected that he had received his

death-wound. In fact, Major Mac-Namara shook Sir Edward Stanley by the hand, warmly congratulating him that the duci had ended without loss of life.

The popular excitement in Dublin when the result became known was tremendous. Bonfires blazed till midtremendous. Bonfires blazed till midnight in the streets, which swarmed with crowds shouting in joy for the safe return of their favorite. Next day 700 gentlemen left their cards at O'Connell's residence. Meanwhile, D'Esterre was slowly bleeding to death in his house at Bachelor's Walk. The end came on the afternoon of Friday, the second day after the duel. Before his death the unhappy man made a declaration that he alone was responsible for his death, that O'Con-

made a declaration that he alone was responsible for his death, that O'Connell was blameless in the matter, a she himself had provoked the duel.

So ended an 'event memorable in the yaried vicissitudes of O'Connell's career. He was at heart the kindest and most goodnatured of men; he was also of a deeply religious nature, and he had a genuine horror of bloodshed. The death of D'Esterre therefore filled him with remorse. He publicly declared shortly afterwards that he had made a vow never again to send or to had made a vow never again to send or to receive a challenge to a duel If, on his way to or from the Four Courts, he went by Bachelor's Walk, he always lifted his hat in i murmured a prayer for his adver-sary's soul, or for his own forgiveness, on sing the house in which D'Esterre died. In late years he went to the extent of wearing a black glove always on his right had as a token of his mourning for having killed D'Esterre. But the effect of the duel on O'Connell's fortunes as an agitator was immense. On that day he became known and loved throughout the length and breadth of Ireland—on that day dated his power and influence as the tribune of the Irish people.

NEWS IN A SUISHELL

Three buildings belonging to the Welland Peat Works were burned on Friday morning. It is reported from Norwich, Eng.,

that the Standard Oil Company trying to obtain control of the Cheshire salt trade. The 4-year-old son of Cassey Thomas of Metcalfe, near Ottawa, while climbing a fence, pulled a log over on himself and was instantly

On Friday a masked mob of be tween 60 and 100 men broke into the jail at Tunica, Miss., and took out three negroes, whom they strung up to a tree within 100 yards of Not a shot was fired. jail.

Elisha Hogle, aged 55 years, committed suicide Friday night on the grave of his wife in Floral Park Cemetery, Binghamton, N. Y., swallowing the contents of a four ounce bottle of carbolic acid.

Victor Faffard, lighthouse keeper at Point des Montes, has notified the Marine Department that bridge was carried away and the lighthouse boat together, with several others in the neighborhood, was damaged in Thursday's storm.

John Smith of Watertown was lasting for stone under a tree on the Galvin Stock Farm, East Flam-boro, on Friday, when the tree fell on him, injuring his back. Physicians fear Smith's back is broken, and his condition is very critical. married and has two children.

David Sutherland of South London,

The Prince Pleads Not Guilty

Ottawa, Sept. 15. - "Prince" Anad Andersing, who was arrested at Niagara Falls on a charge of ob-taining a gold watch and a gold ring, of the value of \$130, from James A. Leslie, jeweler, on Sept 11, 1899, was arraigned before Sti-pendiary Magistrate O'Keefe in the Police Court yesterday, an the formal charge of intent to defraud. He entered a plea of not guilty. The "Prince" in his replies, spoke excellent English. He says he has just reand that he was robbed of a letter of credit for £5,000 stelling and \$135 whilst at Niagara Falls on Aug. 31 on whom the letter of credit drawn. Case was adjourned till to-

Ottawa, Sept. 15. - The fire inceived a circular from the Canadian ng them that the rates on lumber in half and three-quarters per cent. This, following the heavy increase on mercantile risks, means an enormous tax on Ottawa. In future, where John R. Booth and others paid \$2 a hundred, they will now pay \$2.50 and \$2.75 for protection from fire.

The Western Fair Over. London, Ont., Sept. 15. - The the main thoroughfares, which for the past three or four days have been rowded with visitors, are beginning to resume their normal condition. At a meeting of the Fair di-rectors held on the grounds yesterday morning the Fair was voted a big success in every way.

Belgrade (via Semlin, Hungary), 15. - Owing to the discovery a plot on the part of the Macedoman Committee to murder the kings of Roumania and Servia, the court guard at King Alexander's parace in Smederevo has been increased by two companies and the rules have been made stricter in order to watch over his safety.

It is only when he feels joy or sorrow that man knows anything about him-self, and only by joy and sorrow is he to be instructed what to seek and what to shun .- Goethe.

It matters not how a man dies, but how he lives. The act of dying is not of importance, it lasts so short a time. —Samuel Johnson.

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Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets act gently but effectively. Women value the

Why Not Home Made Ice.

If the courts fail, science may be de pended upon to knock out the ice trust says a chemist in the Kansas City Star. "I venture the prediction that the average well to do family will be making its own ice inside the next two years. For a long time past a number of the cleverest inventors in the country have been trying to devise a small, compact ice machine, with a capacity of from 50 to 500 pounds a day, that can be operated by any domestic servant, and they have made sufficient progress to bring success clearly in view. It is an interesting fact that nearly all the remarkable improvements which have been made in large commercial machines during the last two or three years have suggested themselves in this tireless search for a practical household apparatus

"When I say that success is in sight, I mean that all the most serious problems have been solved, and the difficulties that remain to be overcome are purely mechanical. As a matter of four or five small machines are already in the market, but none of them quite meets the requirements. The ideal apparatus for use in cities will probably obtain its power from an incandescent lamp socket, just like the ordinary electric fan. The cook will fill up the receiver with water make the connection and go about her business.

There is nothing Utopian about this little forcast. Private ice plants are already practical for very small commercial concerns-resturants, confectioners, etc.-and the household machine is one of the advances along the line or domestic economy to which we may look forward with absolute confidence By the by, one of the inventors who is pegging away at the problem is a New Orleans man, and I was told lately that he had turned out a very suc cessful working model. I have said nothing about liquid air, because that strange product has proven so tricky and intractable that it is risky to venture any predictions as to what may or may not be done with it. Another substance which has been exploited as the 'refrigerant of the future' is a so call ed 'freezing powder.

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like a soldier, at her post, and now is

UNDER THE HAMMER.

Chicago and Grand Trunk System Be Sold at Auction.

Detroit, Sept. 19 .- Judge Swain, of

he United States Court, has granted

decree of foreclosure of the Chicago

and Grand Trunk railway, a part of

the Grand Trunk system, under the

first mortgage covering the property

of the company. The complainants in

the action are the Mercantile Trust

Company, of New York, The amount

due on the first mortgage, with interest, is now nearly six million dollars.

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Rev. Albert E. Jones and Rev. A. Thomas

are registered at the Garner. The social and literary department of Victoria Ave. Methodist League will entertain the visiting students of the

city on Friday evening next. Dr. and Mrs. George Baker, Holland, Mich., arrived in the city this morning to attend the wedding of Mrs. Baker's sister, Miss Carrie L. Shaw to Rev. Albert E. Jones.

The ceremony will take place this evening at the family residence, Lorne Ave: The first election bet of the campaign was made this morning in Laren. & Bartlett's barber shop. A supportof T. A. Smith bet \$5 that he would beat any man whom the Liberals may

SALISBURY THREATENED. London, Sept. 19.-There was an unusual gathering of uniformed police and Scotland Yard detectives at King's Cross railroad station, await-ing the arrival of Lord Salisbury from his country seat. It is said that since the Premier's return to Hatfield be has received an anonymous letter of a character which has led to increased police vigilance.

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Are the Liberals in the Two Elgins.

Convention in the West Breaks up in a Row-Dr. Wilson Nominated in the East.

West Lorne, Sept. 19.-As has been predicted for some weeks back, G.E. Casey, M. P., for West Elgin, met with a strong and formidable rival for the nomination at and formidable rival for the nomination at West Lorne, in A. D. McGuigan, of the township of Aldborough. However, the convention broke up in great disorder and without chosing a candidate. Several names went before the convention, all withdrawing with the exception of Mr. Casey, the present member, and Mr. Guigan. After both nominees had addressed the meeting a vote was taken, but when the returning officer made his count it was found the ballot box had been stuffed so the convention broke up in a row. broke up in a row.

IN EAST ELGIN.

St. Thomas, Sept. 19.—The Reformers of East Elgin met in convention at Aylmer. Dr. Wilson, ex-P. M., of St Thomas, was nominated by John Farley, Q. C., and seconded by Peter Storer, G.T. R. engineer; Dr. Sinclair by two Aylmer delegates. Speeches were made by John Farley, John Campbell and J. M. Glenn, Q. C. The latter gentleman spoke strenously against Dr. Wilson and in part srid:

Now, gentlemen, what do you think of our old candidate—a man that would appoint Colonel Stacey who had been a strong Conservative all his life to a Government position in the militia."

He said he was not in IN EAST ELGIN.

tion in the militia." He said he was not in favor of the doctor's candidacy. A vote was taken and resulted in Wilson carrying the convention. The vote stood: Wilson 62, Sinclair 39. Dr. Wilson then addressed the the convention in answer to Mr. Glenn, and said he did not believe in mixing politics up with the militia. Col. Stacey had been recommended for his appointment by Col. Holmes, of London, and Col. Aylmer, of Ottawa, and by himself (Dr. Wilson). He thought the appointment a just one, as Col. Stacey's qualifications were unquestionable, and thought Mr. Glenn very small to allude

ONSLAUGHT ON SCHREINER.

But He Declines to Resign His Seat.

Cape Town, Sept. 18.—A meeting has been held by Mr. Schreiner's constisu-ents to express disapproval of his atents to express disapproval of his attitude on the treason bill, now before the House of Assembly. The meeting was engineered by the leaders of the Afrikander Bond and the Onsland, the organ of the Bond, and Mr. Schreiner was given no chance to attend to justify his position. Many Afrikanders journeyed from other districts with the osject of swamping the meeting should it appear that Mr. Schreiner's real constituents were inclined to declare in his favor. The attack made clare in his favor. The attack made on Mr. Schreiner in the House of As-sembly yesterday by ex-Ministers Sau-er and Merriman were carefully cal-culated to arouse indignation against their former leader. Mr. Schreiner will not resign his seat, but will face

ASSIGNEE'S SALE

In the Matter of D. Gorrie, Insolvent

A public auction of the effects, of said in-lvent will be held on the premises, King St., on Tuesday, Sept 25th, 1900, at 2 o'clock, by Andrew Thomson, auctioneer. Three parcels as follows:

1. The stock in trade and contents of con

tionery store \$428.56. 2. The contents of the bakery \$88.50.
3. The contents of the stable \$155.95. The inventories are in the hands of the ssignee for inspection.

Terms—10 per cent. cash at time of sale, palance when stock is checked. G. W. SCLMAN,

· Assignee.

Chatham, Sept. 19, 1900.

CAPTURED THE TRAIN.

Ambulance Escort Falls Into the Enemy's Hands.

Pretoria, Sept. 18 .- A detachment of Australians, who were part of General Clements' force and were left at Wasboschfontein, at the head of Nivet valley, arrived here to-day. They brought 35 prisoners with them. During the ride of 40 miles here they were sniped at continually from both sides of the valley. The Boers who live in the hills have mattresses placed on the rocks for their convenience and comfort while sniping at the troops mov-

ing through the valley.

On Sept. 9th, an ambulance train of three wagons, in charge of Dr. Per-kins, left there to join Clements' command. The men and wagons never arrived at their destination. Kaffirs say they were captured and five of the men were killed. Clements is do-ing good work in clearing the country of these sniping bands. He is now on the way to burn twelve farms which are known to be night resorts of

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This Letter Places E. E. Parrott on His Honor

As a Prohibitionist to Tell Who the Fifty Men Were He Says He Consulted.

To the Planet.—I feel it my duty, as a prohibitionist to answer an article which appeared in your issue of September 12th, in which you saw fit to call Mr. Parrott "one of the energetic manner of the Province." call Mr. Parrott "one of the energetic temperance workers in the Province," regardless of the position in which he placed himself, and the lame excuses he has made for moving a vote of confidence in the present administration. Like Kruger, he changes his metropolis so often that it is difficult to capture him but during the prohibition campaign of 1898 he was known to say again and again that. "no man bition campaign of 1898 he was known to say again and again that, "no man could be honest in saying that Mr. Laurier did not fully intend to pass a prohibitory law if a majority of the vote polled was in favor of it." But now he justifies the present administration on the ground that the majority was not large enough, while no ity was not large enough, while no man knows better than Mr. Parrott that the people of Canada are in favor of prohibition. And again, he votes confidence in a party who took office with a majority of eighteen thousand against them. Thus he tries to throw the blame on the temperance people of Kent, by saying that he wrote to about 50 men regarding the calling of a convention of the prohibitionists. It would be interesting to know these 50 men. Franklin B. Baldwin, whom I have no hesitation in saying is one of the most active temperance workers and is secretary of the organization at Port Alma, seems, to know nothing of it. H. H. Freeland, who is president and acting secretary at Coatsworth, has not heard from him and although I was asked in 1398 to organize Romney for the prohibition campaign and did so and was patted on the back by Mr. Parrott and told that I had done the most effective work of organizathe most the county and was made a member of the county executive at his suggestion, yet I received no letter from him regarding a convention. Se that I have good reason to believe that some of his statements will bear investigation. Now I hope that some of his statements will bear investigation. Now I hope that the next time the Reform-ers of East Kent catch a parrot and split his tongue, that they will not turn him loose on the public till he learns to talk sense. And if Mr Parrott still further tries to wriggle out of the quicksand in which he has placed himself he will find that I am not through with him. Thanking you for space, I am yours for prohibition,

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Apron Ginghams,

38 in. Factory Cotton Apron Goods white or black grounds, with pink and red spots, good washing colors, special per yd. 12½c.

Elderdown Flannels,

New patterns, just in, beautiful colorings, thick heavy nap, 6 pat-terns, from 28 in. wide, special per

Furniture Chintz,

6 pcs. of Chintz, suitable for cushions, etc., dark or light grounds, beautiful patterns, fast colors, reg. 12½c value, special per yd. 10c.

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White Cottons, See our special value in bleached cotton, 36 in wide, at 8c and 10c yd. 32 in. bleached factory at 7½c yd.

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10 patterns, full 36 in. fancy strip ed shaker flannels, English manufacture, at 10c yd.

30 pcs. Dark Shirting Flannels, in stripes and checks, the kind you pay 122c for, to clear at 10c yd.

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A big snap, 10 dez. all linen huck towels, red border, fringed ends, 23x46 in., reg. 18c goods, to clear at 15c each. Fancy Towel Racks, with 3 rings, at 25c a rack.

Table Linens,

Our own special linen, harp, rose and thistle patterns, pure flax, 60 in. wide, fine finish, worth reg. 60c, special per yd. 50c. Special 70 in. unbleached tabling, 40c per yd.

Apron Linens,

New colored bordered apron linens, fine cloth, 38 in. wide, at 17c, 20c,

Toweling Specials,

17 in. heavy huck red border, 8½ yd. 15 in. heavy crash toweling, 8c yd. 17 in. heavy plain crash, red borders, 7c yd.

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A 36 in. wash material, cashmere weave, royal and cardinal shades, suitable for children's dresses or quilt linings, worth 15c for 121c yd.

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A complete stock to choose from, all bright new goods, here are three specials:—

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Our Christmas stock of these goods now ready for your inspection, consisting of round, square or oval shaped D'Oylies, Lunch Cloths, Tray Cloth, Carvers, Side Board Runners and Centre Pieces, all at

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10 pcs. 56 in. homespun, in light, medium and oxford gray, green, navy blue, black, brown, all pure wool and from the maker, a special cloth for tailor made suit, we are selling at \$1 per yd.

8 pes. 52 in. broad-cloths, all pure wool, in solid shades of navy, brown, light and dark green, myrtle, fawn, cardinal, slate, these are great values, we are selling them at \$1 per yd.

2 pcs. 48 in, black and navy Vienna cloth, all pure wood, heavy material for seperate skirt or tailor-made costumes, extra value, we are selling at \$1 per yd.

4 pes. 52 and 54 in. black and navy blu serges, fine hard finish, in heavy weight and medium weight, all pure wool, unshrinkable goods, special for tailor-made suit or seperate skirt, we are selling at \$1 per yd.

4 pcs. 42 in. black poplin cord, fancy in pretty raised design, correct style for this season, they are special for seperate skirts or a fall dress, extra value, we are selling at \$1

4 pcs. 42 in. black crepon, in fancy raised design, also fancy raised stripes, all-wool, rare value, we are selling at \$1 per yd.

3 pcs 46 in. black velour, henriettas, extra fine silky finish, in jet black also heavy cord-ed back, they are values, we are selling them at \$1 per yd.

2 pes. 48 in. black poplin cord, extra fine silky finish, all-wool firm weave, durable cloth, makes a stylish dress, come an inspect the value, we are selling them at \$1 yer yd.

4 pcs. 48 in. colored ripley serge, pure wool, extra finish, in all the pretty mixed colorings, a stylish cloth for suit, no better value, we are selling them at \$1 per yd.

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DRESDEN.

Sept. 19.-Council met last evening. MaMyor Cragg was in the chair and all councillors present except Badder Several accounts handed in were or-

dered paid, also an account of some 8300 from Mr. Brown for oak lumber, which was referred to the finance com-

The rate for 1900 was struck at 20

J. E. McGloghlon asked the council to procure a first-class artificial limb Eva Turrill, who had her leg taken off by the bridge when a child Moved by Steeper and King, that the council purchase a first-class ar-tificial limb. Left to Dr. J. I. Wiley to look after the matter and see that

to look after the matter and see that the child is properly fitted. Councillor Wiley spoke at some length with regard to the typhoid fe-ver epidemic in North Dresden. He wishes to board of health to investiggate at once and locate the cause if

Moved by Wiley and Tassie, that the board of health search the typhoid locality thoroughly and locate cause

of possible.—Carried.
Veterinary Clapp heard, asking for a grant of \$25 for the Camden-Dresden Agricultural Society.
Moved by Tassie and Wiley, that \$25 be granted.—Carried Council adjourned. -Carried.

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Oct. 2, 3, 4, and the young people of all
denominations are looking forward with
pleasure to the great feast.

The president and secretary sound
"Discipleship" as a dominant note, practical methods in soul winning. The junior
superintendent wants to answer the prayer,
"Long live Christian Endeavor," by giving
the junior work an impetus that will enable it to corner the boy market for
Christ.

Christ.

Rev. Chas. M. Sheldon, of Topeka, Kansas, author of "In His Steps," will be there and deliver addresses on the subject, "The Open Door;" he will also speak to the juniors and conduct open conference.

William Shaw, of Boston, treasurer of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, will be on hand for the opening session, Tuesday aftermoon, and evening also on Wednesday.

Ontario will pour out her best talent, go to the Norfolk Street Methodist Church and you will hear the leading Baptist and Presbyterian divines. In Chalmers Presbyterian Church eloquent Methodist and Congregational speakers will delight you

gregational speakers will delight you General Secretary Crows of the Epworth League of Christian Endeavor will have charge of a practical conference

Dr. McKay, foreign missionary secretary of the Presbyterian Church, will prove a great uplift to the young people
President Harriss, of the Toronto Bible
Training School, will touch vital questions.
Rev. W. F. Wilson, the Methodist orator, will reply to Guelph's welcome, and give

another address besides.

Rev. A. L. Geggie, of Parkdale Presbyterian Church, late of the Maritime Provinces, will be a splendid acquisition.

Rev. J. L. Gilmore, of the Baptist Church,
Hamilton, and other leading workers have a

place on the program.

Purchase lingle tickets from your rail road agent, being sure to ask for, a certificate, and you will get home for one third, or free if three hundred attend. Any person can attend the convention and secure the reduced fares. Ask for certificates,

Hotels and private houses have made a rate of one dollar a day. There is no reason that this should not be the best convention Ontario has ever had, and every reason for its being much.

Further information can be had from the secretary, A. T. Cooper, Clinton, or Rev. R. J. M. Glassford, Guelph.

Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart acts directly and quickly, stimulates the heart's action, stops most acute pain, dispels all signs of weakness, fluttering, sinking, smothering, or palpitation. This wonderful cure is the sturdy ship which carries the heart-sick patient into the haven of radiant and perfect health. Gives relief in most acute forms of heart disease in 30 minutes.—11 Sold by J. W. McLaren, Chatham.

OUT OF HIS MIND.

John C. Kinsella had been a resident of this city since August the first but a few days ago he left his boarding house on Willirm street and disappeared. By profession Mr Kinsella was a corn doctor and he made money at his calling. When he left the city he took to the woods, thinking that a train of cars and 7000 men were after him. When the unfortunate doctor got as far as Bridge End, he. found a ball of fire and having the key he unlocked the ball of blaze but the heat struck to his fingers and some of the conflagration got on the back of his neck. This necessitated Kinsella throwing off all his clothes and thereby shocking all society in the neigh-borhood of Bridge End. Magistrate An-drew Neal gathered the naked man in and Constable Peters, of Chatham Township, went out and brought him to Chatham. In went out and brought film to Chatham. In his pocket was a post office savings book in which \$65 had been deposited during Au-gust. On Aug. 31 and on Sept. 5, \$60 had been withdrawn but the man had no money on him. The address on the bank book was Woodstock so that Kinseila evidently belongs to that village. He was committed to jail as dangerous to be at large

A PAVEMENT PROTEST.

James Goodall, the well-known C P. R. foreman, is very much disgusted at the manner in which the work on King St. is being conducted. "Why," he said this morning, "they tore up the entire walk in front of the market weeks before they were ready to pro-ceed with the new pavement and that one act has caused greater inconvenience than most people suppose. Then look at the way they mix the concrete. In the first place the specifications were wrong when they allowed the broken brick to be put into the concrete at all, but even that blunder would be overlooked if it were not for when he overload it is were not the the practice of mixing dirt and dust with the brick and stone. Concrete. if it is to be any good at all must be perfectly clean, otherwise when it hardens it will not be strong enough to bear any great weight. The grano-lithic walk contractors are doing a good job, as they are very careful in mixing their cement and the walks will undoubtedly be excellent ones."

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Bicycle Repairs at Brisco's. Wm. Ferguson, of Harwich, is im

T. C. O'Rourke has returned from an ex ed visit to Toronto Mrs. Quinn was able to leave Joseph's Hospital this week.

Morton's for sporting goods. Will Wanless and family left this morning to take up their residence in Amherstburg.

Earnest Strange, of the Bank of Montreal staff at Kingston, formerly of this city, is visiting friends in town. There will be a special practice for the choir of the Victoria Avenue Methodist

Mr. and Mrs. Hanks, Florence, have re-turned home after a brief visit with Mrs. Hanks' mother, Mrs. Healey, Amelia

Mrs. Alex. Gordon, Mrs. Nesbitt and David Gordon, who have been visiting Mrs. David Holmes, Stanley avenue, have returned to their home in Detroit.

Will Mercer, son of Robert Mercer, left on Saturday for Little Rock, Ark., where he has secured a situation in his uncles Cotton Oil Mill.

Ex-Ald. Fred. Stone, treasurer of the Children's Aid Society, has received \$2.60 from the Y. P. S. C. E. union of Mull, through the treasurer of the society, Mrs. Duncan McCully. Mrs. Lawton, of Ridgetown, suffered

a relapse on Sunday, but has somewhat recovered this week. She is at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Maclonald, Harwich. A large crowd is expected to take in the Farm Laborers' Excursion to the Canadian Northwest by Canadian Pacific Ry. A num-

ber of passengers have already arranged to leave Chatham Wednesday to catch the train leaving Toronto Thursday, 20th. The fare is only \$10 going. Over one thousand farm laborers are required in the Northwest. The Cauadian Pacific Ry. will run a farm laborers' excur sion, leaving Toronto 1.30 p. m., Thursday Sept. 20th, 810 going, \$18 returning. For

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particulars, etc., enquire of W. H. Harper,

One of Roadmaster's colts, Harold H, belonging to Swartz, of Leaming-ton, won the 2.17 page at Columbus, Ohio, in three straight heats. The time was 2.11 1'4, 2.12 1-2 and 2.14 1-4 Mrs. R. S. Coltart, of Montreal, will be at home to her friends on Thursday

afternoon from 3 to 6 ofclock, at the residence of her father, William St Sam. McCornock, of the Sutherland-Innes Co's. mill at Munising, Mich., is spending a few days with his family in this city. Barrington soft hats of different

shades,—pearls, browns, and black. The syles are many this season and the best of them we have. \$2.50 is the price. The 2 T's, sole agents. The Breezy Time Comedy Company put on a good, clean show at the Grand Opera House last evening. A crowded house greeted them. Their

jokes were new, at least many of them

Miss Howie, late organiste of the Baptist Church and one of Mrs. Mar-shall's most promising pupils, assisted in the musical service of St. An drew's on Sunday evening, playing the accompaniment for Mrs. Marshall's solo, which was sung in her own in-imitable manner. Miss Howie left the early part of the week for New York, where she will remain for some months to continue her musical stud-

WILLIE HOUSTON ACQUITTED. The jury in the Erie Beach shoot ing case were out over four hours yes-terday. Finally they brought in a verdict of not guidty. Ralph Stuart, a boy from Botany was charged with

assault on a seven-year-old child he was playing with. He was also acquitted. HE WAS ACQUITTED.

Isaac Serling, a descendant of Abra-ham, and keeper of a junk shop, was at the police court this morning to ex-plain how certain domestic utensils, the property of Richard Stevens, came into his possession. Serling explained his wife had bought them from an unfortunate woman who is usually in an intoxicated state and will sell anything for drink when in this condition. It was clearly shown that no blame could be attached to Serling and he was 'dis charged.

THEY WANT A SMITH, TOO.

Liberals are Trying to Induce Robert of that Name to Run.

The Liberal leaders in their hun or a candidate have turned their at tention in another direction, and are now after Robert Smith, the well known farmer who resides a short distance down the river in Dover. From present indications it looks as if their efforts to induce Mr. Smith to allow his name to go before the convention on Saturday next will be successful, as Liberals who know have said that he has al-most made up his mind to take his chances. Should Mr. Smith decide not to come forward, Ald. Mc-Keough will undoubtedly have the re-fusal of the nomination. His friends, however, are getting much annoyed at the hunt going on for a candidate. They say it looks as if the party will get somebody else if they can, and if they fail, fall back on Ald. McKeough. Ald. Stephens, it is understood, has definitely decided not to run. Mr. Smith is looked upon as a strong can-didate. He is said to have lots of

-Pimples on the face are not only annoying but they indicate bad blood. Hood's Sursaparilla cures them by purifying the blood.

THINKS HIM A GOOD MAN.

"I think the Conservatives have nominated a good candidate in T. A. Smith," said Ex-Ald. John W. Dyer. "Though I am a Liberal myself I must say that Mayor Smith is a clean man and a a fine fellow whom no party need be ashamed of."

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A WORD ABOUT THE GORDON STORE

As we again begin our Fall trade, we celebrate our sixteenth Fall opening. In these days of keen competition, we are leaders in all the lines we carry, namely Dress Goods and Silks, Ladies' Jackets, Ladies' Fine Furs, Blankets and Flannels, Printed Cotton Goods of all kinds, Bed Room, Dining Room and Kitchen Wear, Lace Curtains, Damask and Chenille Drapes, Ladies' White Wear, Cotton, Silk and Woolen Underwear, Ladies' and Children's Ready-to-wear Garments of all kinds, with many minor lines and last though not least, our Men's Furnishing Wear. Each department is under skilled and dilligent care. We guarantee our customers satisfaction all round In the style, quality and price of our goods lies the milk of the cocoanut.

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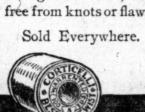
We have received this week a car of Kansas Turkey Red Winter Wheat direct from Kansas We ask the Farmers to try this variety. It will be sold at cost, \$1.00 per bushel. bags extra A. RARE CHANCE to procure GOOD SEED. This wheat has been grown in Waterloo County for two years with good results. Messrs. Shirk & Snider, Bridgeport Out., write us that this year's crop turned out as high as 40 bushels to the acre testing 64 1/2 lbs. to the bushel

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HIS JUBILEE.

This evening the celebration of the 50th anniversary of Father Andrieux entry into the priesthood will be be-gun at Pain Court. Bishop McEvay will arrive in the village to-night. sent Father Andrieux with an apos-tolic robe. A large number from Chatham will attend to-morrow.

entry into the priesthood will be begun at Pain Court. Bishop McEvay will arrive in the village to-night. All the young men on horseback will meet the Bishop and escort him to the scene of this evening's festivities. The church and grounds will be illuminated and the parishoners of Father Andrieux and their friends will assemble and extend their greetings to the oriest who has so long and faithfully labored amongst them. Father Loiselle, of Big Point, has had charge of the preparations and he has worked hard. On Thursday morning St. Joseph's Church choir will sing High Mass at Pain Court and the Bishop will pre-A Deep Mystery

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The Grand Jury on the Public Institutions of the City and

The following is the presentment of grand jury foir the fall assizes. The jury completed their duties yesterday. The presentment was received by Judge Woods in the absence of Chance for Boyd. The judge in ac-knowledging the receipt of the document, made a fine address, compli-menting the grand jury on the effi-ciency with which they had performed the functions entrusted to them, and ongratulating the county upon the fact that but two cases had come up for trial.

Our duties were light, there being only one case that the crown counsel brought before us which we disposed of. This we consider a matter for congratulation. We found the grand jury room fitted up in first class er-der, in accordance with the other improvements that have recently been made to the court house. We visited

made to the court house. We visited the jail, wherein were five immates, and everything in connection therewith was quite satisfactory.

We also visited the house of refuge There are at the present time 33 inmates, nearly all of whom are employed at some profitable work in connection with this grand institution, which is a credit to the county of Kent.

The interior of the building is kept in a neat, clean, and excellent condition, while on the farm there is a splendid crop of vegetables and also about 23 acres of first class corn now harvested and being husked by the overseer and the inmates. The gen-

eral appearance of the farm is most satisfactory.

We likewise visited the Public General Hospital and St. Joseph's Hospital. These hospitals are situated in the city and are successfully managed by competent matrons and nurses and are fully equipped with all modern appliances.

The home of the friendless of this city was also visited by us, where we found thirteen inmates, all aged people. Everything in connection therewith was in excellent, order. Tole, foreman of grand jury.

THE COLONEL'S BOMBSHELL THE COLONEL'S BOMBSHELL.

The deciaration of Col. Sam Holmes to the effect that T. (As Smith will have his support in the coming election has created considerable excitement in local political circle. That a man who has all his life been a staunch Liberal, should give his vote and influence to the Conservative candidate is looked upon as a strong indication that Mayor Smith's popularity is greater than even his most intimate friends supposed. (The Colonel's change of attitude has created something like consternation in the Liberal ranks. The faithful talked of getting out their knives and starting after out their knives and starting after Sam, but as the Colonel is supposed to be somewhat of a fighter himself, they have some hesitation about tramping on his corns.

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and consequently she amused hersel by teasing him for half an hour be-fore she let him have a chance to

And then he balked.
She couldn't understand it. knew that he was on the verge of asking her to be his wife, but he didn't put the question. He became suddenly very ill at ease and nervous, and sheered off every time they got invwhere near the subject that was ppermost in the mind of each.

She looked at him soulfully, and he returned the look, but that was as far as he went. She sighed and he sighed, but he didn't put his hopes and wishes into words. She became sive and romantic, and talked of he loneliness of a woman or girl who nad no strong arm to lean upon as she walked through life, but it did not bring an avowal from his lips. She feared that she had played with him too long, and had, possibly, lost him; but at last he spoke:

"Shall we go out into the garden?" She knew, although he did not, that there were others in the garden, and she pleaded that she was afraid of

the night air. He looked about the room anxiously, but seemed to find nothing that gave him any hope. He seemed to be lespondent, but in a measure deter-

"Mabel," he said at last, speaking very softly.
'Yes,' she returned, endeavoring not to show her agitation.
"There is something I wish

much to say to you.' She looked down at the toes of he boots and said nothing. He came over to her and her hand.

"Mabel," he said earnestly, "if you will take that confounded parrot out of the room, I'll tell you what it Then she understood why he had

beer so nervous, and the parrot was put where he could not overhear and repeat what might be said.

It is not uncommon for an English udge to try to raise a laugh - and strange to say, he usually succeedsby affecting infantile ignorance of all things but purely judicial matters. Sir Henry Hawkins not long ago asked in court: "What is hay? A correspondent of The Philadelphia

Ledger says that in a recent libel suit a strange affectation of judicial gnorance was evinced by Lord Rus-Sir Edward Clarke read, from a book of the plaintiff's, a description of Chopin's "umber-shaded head." "What shade?" asked Lord Rus-

"Umber," replied Sir Edward. 'Yes, but what is that?" persisted

the chief justice. At this point the feelings of the jury were too much for them. With a unanimity reminiscent of the "Pi-rates of Penzance," they chanted in expostulatory chorus: "Brown, my Lord, brown," and the trial went on.

The Most Beautiful Eyes.

A Naples correspondent writes to the Paris Messenger: Have you ever heard the name of Lina Cavalieri? No. Eh bien, she was only a short time ago a music-hall singer, but such a lovely creature, that she attracted every eye, wherever she went; men threw themselves at her feet, and a Russian Prince would have married her, but she refused! Instead, she took to studying singing in earnest, with one of the most celebrated teachers of the day, and now she is creating a furore at San Carlo in "La Boheme." People have come from Rome to see and hear her, and all are surprised, for she really sings well and has great dramatic talent. It is not for her wondrous beauty alone, therefore, that she is applauded, encored, and called before

the curtain. She has the most beautiful eyes I ever saw in my life. There should be a great future in store for her!

Sir Charles Warren's Morning Tub. There is something extremely/English in the story of Sir Charles Warren "doing trimbies," as Bouncer expressed it, in the open air on the battlefield of Vaal Kranz., Sir Charles under no circumstances intermits his

morning bath, says The London Daily News. On the occasion of Buller's last effort to relieve Ladysmith Sir Charles found it impossible to leave his post, so when day broke on the battlefield he ordered his servant to bring his bath, with sponge and towel, and there and then, in the manding the Fifth Division, proceeded to take his bath, sublimely indif-ferent to the fire of the enemy. The enemy was perhaps too much aston-ished at the British eccentricity of bathing at all, much more of bathing in this extremely public fashion, to attempt any violent interruption.

Did she Beip Him Much? A gentleman not famed for wit and

tact found himself seated at dinner between Mme. de Stael and Mme. Recamier, equally well-known for her beauty and foolishness. With a polite bow right and left, he said: "Here I am between Wit and Beauty," whereupon Mm2. de Stael, seeing Mme. Re camier's flush of vexation at this back-handed hint at her lack of intelligence, quickly soothed her down by exclaiming "Well this is the first time I have ever been complimented upon my good looks."— London Globe.

Timber Raft ig Cross the Ocean. A raft to contain 14,000 piles is now being constructed at Seattle, Wash, by a San Francisco firm, to

be towed to Japan. When completed the raft will be 635 feet long, 53 feet in diameter and will contain 14,-000,000 feet of lumber. Although rafts of this kind are frequently tow-ed from the Puget Sound to San Francisco, it is feared in marine circles that the task of towing such a craft across the Pacific is somewhat

risky.

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The City May Lose a Lot of its Shipping Business.

Elder Dempster Line Expects More Favorable Treatment by Moving to Boston.

Montreal, Cept. 18. - A large pro portion of the shipping business which has heretofore gone by way of Montreal will in future be transferred to Boston.

The general manager of the Elder Dempster line, David Campbell, in a speech to members of the Montreal corn exchange said Montreal had been asleep. No company would come to this port when more favorable terms could be had elsewhere. He added that at the next meeting of his company at Liverpool, he would recommend the advantage of trading from Boston. As far as Canadian ports were concerned, Quebec, he thought, was the coming one, as in addition to a splendid harbor, the au-thorities had abolished all harbor dues

for years to come.

J. C. Smith, general traffic manager nounced that, owing to the lack of facilities at the port of Montreal, his nounced that, owing to the lack of facilities at the port of Montreal, his road, which this year will handle 11,000,000 bushels of grain, would in the future ship grain from Quebec, and that the first ocean steamship carrying grain to Liverpool shipped by the Canada Atlantic railway would sail from Quebec on Nov. 1. Mr. Smith said that if Montreal had the harbor facilities for the proper handling of facilities for the proper handling of grain, the Canada Atlantic railway would handle nearly 20,000,000 bushels of grain, as they were in a position

"This does not mean," said Mr. Smith, "that we are going to withdraw from Montreal. We will continue our business there also." He added that the Canada Atlantic railway found it impossible to secure sufficient tonnage from Montreal, on account of the handicap in marine insurance. They endeavored to secure tramp vessels, but the rate of insurance was so high that the idea had to be abandoned.

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Though the policy of military authorities in using less glaring colors in uniforms has been very narked of late years, red remains the most popular polor for national standards.

ular color for national standards.

Of twenty-five countries, nineteen have flags with red in them, the list including Great Britain. United States, France, Germany. Austria, Italy, Spain, Denmark, Belgium, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Mexico, Chilf, Portugal, "enezuela and Cuba.

The countries which have blue as Au slement of their flags are Great an element of their flags are Great Afraia, United States, Russia,

Fra ce, Holland, Ecuador, Portugal Calli, Venezuela and Cuba. of the elements of their flags - Ger many, Belgium and China, but Germany is the only one of the three that has black and white together. There are six countries which have green as a color: Ireland, Brazil, the dag of which is green chiefly; Mexico Egypt, Italy and Persia.

the color is partly yellow. These countries are Austria, Italy, Switzer land, Turkey, Persia, Japan, Mexico, Holland, Denmark, Portugal, Cuba

and Chili. There is no white in the nationa standard of England, but the British naval flag has a white background. The flag of Ecuador is nearer white than any other country, being made up of two parallel white columns, be between which is a column of blue upon which are white stars.

Paid Dear For His "Fun." The following incident illustrates the fact that in some places prohibition does prohibit. The little town of Mt. Pleasant, Brant County, Ontario has a small Woman's Christian Ten perance Union whose members are en ergetic, Christian women, and the with the help of other good people tave for three years prevented their one hotel keeper from getting a

license to sell liquor. county W.C.T.U. convention was held there recently, and the W. C.T.U. delegates from Brantford, about sixteen ladies, hired a con-veyance and driver from the livery. Knowing that there was no liquor sold at the hotel, they thought it would be a safe place for the young man to get his dinner. However, the proprietor, having no regard for the law, thought it would be excellent fun to get the driver of the W.C.T.U. women drunk. So before it was time for them to return they learned that their driver was in the bottom of the waggon dead drunk. Two of the ladies returned by train, and arrangements were made for the return of

the others. Within about ten days the proprietor of that hotel was arrested for selling or giving liquor without a license, was convicted and sentenced to pay a fine and costs of eighty-four dol-The prosecution was by the official authorities, and not by the W C.T.U. The man has since sold out and left the town.—Emma A. Wheeler, in Union Signal.

A Growing Competition.

The Belgian artisan spends his leisure in a very curious manner, says Tit-Bits. He keeps a special cock for crowing, and the bird which can outcrow its fellows has reached the highest pinnacle of perfection. The mode of operation is to place the cages containing the roosters in long rows, for it appears that one bird sets the other off crowing. A marker, appointed by the organizers of the show, is told off for each bird, his duty being to note carefully the number of crows for which it is responsible, in the same fashion as the laps are recorded in a bicycle race. The customary duration of the match is one hour, the winner being the bird which scores the highest number of crows in the allotted time. A great number of these competitions have recently taken place in the Liege district, and in some cases heavy bets have been made on the

Machine Car Washer. An English inventor has devised an apparatus whereby the sides of rail-way cars may be thoroughly washed and cleansed without the use of hand labor, which is now commonly employed for this purpose. The device comprises rotary brushes adapted to be moved into engage ment with the sides of the car, shields partially inclosing the brushes and moveable therewith, spraying pipes carried by the shields and flexible connections between the pipes and a water supply pipe. The ma chine is mounted in a shed or other inclosing structure located on a track siding, through which the cars may be conveniently passed. As the cars are drawn slowly between the washers power is applied to rapidly revolve the circular brushes, and at the same time water is turned into the shields to aid in removing the dirt .- Railway News.

strawberry size.

Too much attention is being given size of fruit. Strawberries era grown mammoth size, and every year some new variety is brought out, for which it is claimed that it "excels all others in size." the meantime there is a sacrifice of flavor and quality. Fruit growers who ship strawberries to market prefer a variety that will stand shipment well, but for home use should be the object to grow the crieties of the best quality, makg size secondary. But few variies equal the flavor of wild kinds, which are small as a rule.

Editor-And you did write this say all by yourseif?

Literary Aspirant-Yes, it is all Editor (recognizing the source it)-Well, then, Charles Lamb, I am very much pleased to meet you. I thought you died some fifty years

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When the Tree Vell He Was Still Sitting Farmer Bogles was a veracious old dodger. If there was anything he delighted in, it was to secure the atten-tion of some one while he spun a yarn about the wonderful cuteness of his

boy Tom, says a contributor to Ledger Monthly. Tom was his idol-his hero on every occasion; and never would the old fellow let his hero suffer for want of a good romancer.
"Ah!" said Bogles one day, as he

had fairly fixed his auditor; "Tom is the most remarkable boy you ever set eyes on; he's like his old dad; you can't no more beat him than you can a woodchuck. You recollect that choice apple tree that stood down under the hillside, beside the stump fence? Well, I was mighty savin' o' them apples, I can tell you. I forbid Tom touchin' 'em, as they brought a high price in the market, and every one told; but he would get 'em in spite o' me. was his way, you know, and all I possessed couldn't stop him. One day I caught the young scapegrace up in the tree, stuffin' his sack with fruit, and I determined this time to punish

"'Thomas, my son,' said I, 'your father's callin' you. Come down.' "I thought I'd be sort o' persuasive, so it would fetch him; but he smelt a rat, and didn't budge an inch. "'I can't, dad,' said he; 'these pesky

apples are in the way."
"Tom,' I continued, sternly, for my dander begun to rise, 'come down this minute, or I'll cut the tree, and let you

"You see, my poor limbs wouldn's permit my shinnin' up after the boy. so I had to take other means. 'Oh, no, you won't dad,' said Tom; only think how you'd mourn if you

couldn't sell the apples to stuff the old toad skin.' "That was too much-to have my own boy accuse me of sech parsimunny. So, what does I to but git the axe and cut away at the bottom o' the

" 'Tom-Thomas,' I cried, as the tree was about half cut off, will you come down now and save yourself? 'Never mind, dad,' said he, 'I ain't

spilin.' "It was no use; I couldn't bring him that way; and so I chopped away at the tree until it begun to sway, and fell to the ground."

"What! And crushed your own boy?" ejaculated his horrified listener.
"Not by a long chalk," replied Bogles, winking knowingly. "You couldn't come it over Tom in any sech way. What had he done but crawled out on a limb, and while I was choppin' at the bottom of the tree, he had been cuttin' off the limb with his jackknife; and when the tree fell, there he was still up there on the limb."

Too Easy.

"Dear Sue," he whispered, "do you think if I married you your father rould ever forgive us?"
"I'm sure he would, dear," she as-

serted softly. "And would he give us a house of

our own?" "I know he would, dearest." "And would he give us enough to live sumptuously on?"

"I'm sure of it, Harry." "And would he take me into the firm?" "Certainly he would." "And let me run the business to

suit myself?" "Of course he would, darling." She snuggled to his bosom, but he put her aside coldly. "I can never marry you," he said hoarsely. "Your father is too eager to get you off his hands."

Her Electric Spark,

"Millie!" The young lineman twirled his hat in his hands in an agitated manner and spoke in a voice that seemed to have a tradency to get away from him.

"Millie, the fact is, I-I-there's something I've been wanting to tell you for a long time, but I can't seem to fetch it. When you look at me like that, you know, it breaks me all up. I've been coming here so long that I oughtn't to be afraid, I reckon, but-but you know how it is-or maybe you don't either. I thought you're a little the livest wire I ever-I didn't think it would be so hard when 1--

Here he came to a dead stop. "Millie!" he exclaimed, in desperation, "I'm short-circuited! I've burned out a fuse!"

"Jerry, are you trying to ask me to marry you?" "Y-ves!"

"Why, of course I will, you foolish

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Aha! A young man home from college, wishing to inspire his little sister with awe for his learning, pointed to a star

and said: "Sis, do you see that bright little furninary? It's bigger than this whose "No 'taint," said Sis.

"Yes, it is," declared the young collegian. "Then why don't it keep off the rain," was the triumphant rejoinder.

"It's not dark enough yet," she whis-

pered as she peered eagerly up and lown the street. "There's no one in sight," he replied, after a careful survey. "But some one may come round that orner and recognize us, and then I hould want to die."

"Well, then, we'll wait a bit."
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He who has nothing to do in this world but amuse himself has a diffi-cult task on hand.

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It sometimes happens that the man who knows his own mind doesn't know much after all.

Gentlemen, - While driving down a very steep kill last August my horse stumbled and fell, sutting himself fearfully about the head and body. I used MINARO'S LINIMENT freely on him and in a few days he was as

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J. B. A. BEAUCHEMIN. Sherbrooke.

About the only cheap thing that gives satisfaction is a compliment. The only thing original about the average joke is the sin of stealing it.

A Deep Mystery.

It is a mystery why women endure Backache, Headache, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Fainting and Dizzy Spells when thousand 'have proved that Electric Bitters will quickly cure such troubles. "I suffered for years with kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Phebe Cherley, of Peterson, Iw., "and a lame back pained meso I could not dress myself, but Electric Bitters wholly cured me; and, although 73 years old, I now am able to do all my housework." It overcomes Constipation, improves Appelite, gives perfect health. Only 50c. at A. I. McCall & Co.'s 2rag store. A Deep Mystery.

Women are formed to temper man-kind and soothe them into tenderness and compassion.—Addison.

Suspicion is no friend to virtue, and always an enemy to happiness.



Chicago Husband's Threats Alarmed His Wife to Death.

The Man Slew Himself In His Jail Cell With a Common Pin.

Chicago, Sept. 19 .- Mrs. Florence Buehler died at the county hospital last evening because her husband, Ernest Buehler, frightened her. He threatened to kill her. She was so terrified that she fell unconscious into the street, where they were walking

at the time.

Afterward Buehler was locked up in the police station, where he became despondent and committed suicide by punching the artery in his wrist with a pin. The police found him lying on the floor exhausted from the loss of blood and took him to the county jail hospital. He again attempted his life

nospital. He again attempted his life in the same manner and died.

Several months ago Mr. and Mrs.
Buehler quarrelled. She filed a bill for divorce, but later, repenting, withdrew the suit, and they continued living together. Two weeks ago, when they again quarrelled, Buehler threatened to kill her. Mrs. Buehler escaped from the house and started down town to see her lawyer. She was again at-tacked on th estreet by her husband,

who brandished a revolver and made threats to take her life. Mrs. Buehler then fell unconscious. She was taken to the county hospital, where she remained until her death, For a time it seemed as if she might recover, although it was evident that the fright had given her a severe shock. A few days ago she was told of her husband's suicide, and from that time her condition grew worse

HE KNEW HOW TO WORK IT.

enny-in-the-Slot Weighing Machine Con firms the Time of a Policeman's Watch. A peculiar and laughable coincidence occurred at Peebles Corner early one morning during the past week. A man with a mellow jag happened along a few minutes before 2 A. M. and after leaning against a telephone pole for a few moments gravely lurched over and peered at the dial of a penny-in-the-slot weighing machine that stood in front of the drug store

at the corner. "Trying-hic-t' see what time it is!" he gravely explained to Officer Jake Holzlin, of the seventh district, who stood at the corner.

"Well, you'll have to drop a penny in the slot and stand on the platform if you want to ascertain the time by that machine," said the officer, joking-The bejaggered individual felt in his

pocket, brought forth a penny and, gravely mounting the machine, dropped the cent in the slot, and the hand spun around the dial. At that instant Sergeant Grimm

appeared on the scene and asked the man with the jag what he was doing. "Findin' out th'-hic-time!" the answer.

"It is just 1:56 o'clock," said the sergeant consulting his watch. "Your watch is-hic-right to a-hic -second," answered the man on the scales and this machine says it is 1:56 o'clock, which is four minutes of -hic-2." And the individual with the mellow jag, who weighed just 156 pounds, jag and all, descended solemnly from the scales and congratulated Sergeant Grimm upon the excellence of his timepiece.-Chincinnati Enquirer.

A Fastidious Fish.



Cholly Fish-This April weather is so changeable that one is never safe without an umbrella.

Sorry for Different Reasons One laudable change in England is that a contempt for commerce, which once flourished in the higher social classes, is now everywhere discour-

aged. James Payn says that sixty years ago the gilded aristocracy looked down on every one who derived his income from such a source, save bankers, whom they dared not despise Young men thought themselves heroic in preferring a profession, with probable penury, to an assured competence with their hands soiled by trade. This absurd prejudice is now as much rid-

iculed by young men as by the old. One aristocratic youth lately became engaged to the ward of a gentleman belonging to the old school who thought it necessary to apologize for a certain blot on her scutcheon. "I have to confess, my dear sir," said he, "that her family has been quite recently connected with trade." "I am sorry-" began the young

man gravely. "So am I," put in the old gentle-man, testily. "But it can't be helped." "I was about to say," continued the oung man, "I am sorry that you should have thought me such a stupendous donkey as to care two-pence about it."-Youth's Companion.

It is not evil that should disquiet us. We tremble before the weakness of virtue.—Montalambert.

Reflect that life, like every other blessing; derives its value from its use alone.-Dr. Johnson. The noiseless foot of time steals swiftly by,
And ere we dream of manhood age is nigh.

-Juvenal.

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2.40 Trot and Pace	
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Conditions

Horses eligible Sept. 15th, entries close (Note: Flegible Oct. 3rd appears on Programme cards, but the date has been changed by the management to Sept. 15th). Five per cent to enter and five per cent additional from winners. Five to enter, four to start, unconditional

Purses divided 50c, 25, 15 and 10 per cent; best 3 in 5 to harness
Running, 2 in 3, O.J.C. to govern. Catch
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Old distance rules. Horse distancing field, first money only.

Drivers and riders must appear in proper costumes. The society reservers the right to declare all races off on account of weather to declare all races of on account of weather the society reservers.

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work in Rudiments, Elements, History and Harmony. it's under special instructors engaged by the Conservatory.

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who intend competing for any Conservatory honors must enroll at office as students of the Conservatory on or before Saturday, Sept. 15th.

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will be open on and after Monday, Aug. 27th, for en-rollment of students, payment of fees and any business in connection with Conservatory.

New Conservatory Prospectus

consisting of 48 pages of artistic merit will be forwarded to any address, post paid, on receipt of a postal with

Fall Term, Saturday, Sept. 1st, 1900

Subscribe Now

Escaped Prisoners Say They Will All Surrender

n the Course of a Few Days-A Battle in Which the Enemy Lost Heavily.

London, Sept 17.—A Durban despatch says that the transport Matabele arrived there yesterday with eight-two British prisoners. They were much emaciated and were suffering from ill treatment at the hands of the Boers. They said the conditions were unbearable after the British captured Pretoria. Sixteen prisoners have been killed or wounded while attempting to escape. They say there have been internacine quarrels and bloodshed among the Boers over the flight of Kruger. There are many desertions daily, and it is probable, according to stories told by these men, that there will be a general surrender in a few-days.

The Daily Telegraph publishes the following from Lorenzo Marquez, dated yesterday: "A pitched battle has been fought mid." day: "A pitched battle has been fought mid," way between Kaap Muiden and Hectorspruit, resulting in heavy Boer losses. The Boers removed, and now threaten to destroy the cog-wheels of locomotives used between Watervalboven and Watervalonder, without which the railway cannot be worked. They have blocked and damaged the railway for six miles on the Crocodile River section, have destroyed the release of the contraction of the cont section, have destroyed the culverts and the Hectorspruit bridge and looted and burned Komatipoort. The British are now at Komatipoort, and heavy fighting is proceeding. It is rumored that Steyn has arrived here."

ADJUDICATED A BANKRUPT.

Duke of Manchester Will not Attempt to Compound With His Creditors.

London, Sept. 19 .- The Duke of Manchester has concluded that it is useless to attempt to compound with his to be adjudicated a bankrupt. During the course of his statement to the court the Duke says the family estates of which he is a life tenant are so heavily encumbered that the receipts only sufface to pay the interest. He adds that since attaining his majority, his relatives have allowed him £70 monthly, but that his expenditure has been from £1,500 to £2,000 a year. In addition to his known habilities of £15,000, there are very many acceptances outstanding, the amount and whereabouts of which he has no knowledge. has no knowledge.

WALLACEBURG.

Sept. 19.-F. Stenlake has returned from St. Thomas, where he has been on business.

The electric light company are put-ting new lights in D. Dabie's house, now rented to Wm. Crist.

M. J. Hurley had the new plate windows put in his store yesterday.

John Murphy moved in from Port
Lambton this week.

John Scott is removing his dwelling

'A bad accident occurred to Bruce Taylor yesterday. He was out shooting in the country with Roy MacLeod. In some way Bruce Taylo r was trying to fix the gun. He had both hands over the muzzle. The gun went off and shot his both thumbs and two fingers off each hand.

A. D. Brander and D. C. McDonald moved in from Port Lambton to-day. The Catholic picnic yesterday was a

success in every way. Large crowds attended the grounds all day. The baseball match played by two Wallaceburg teams was very good. The races were done up in good order. But the most interesting was the voting for Clancy and Gordon, Mayor Gordon defeated Clancy by a few hundred votes.

A full house greeted the Acme Co.

last night to hear the Passion Slave. To-night they will play the funny comedy Charlie's Aunt. There will be a matinee on Saturday for the children and ladies.

Mrs. (Dr.) Sutherland, who has been visiting relatives in St. Thomas and Fingal, returned home on Monday

Sween of London, after visiting turned to London. (Mrs. Huff and daughter, Miss Margaret Huff, of Dresden, on Saturday

A deputation of the town council, consisting of Mayor and Councillors waited upon the Mersea council to obtain permission to put down a gas tain permission to put down a gas we'l on an old and unused road on the Lake Shore. The council granted permission on condition the town pays \$50 a yetr if gas is struck. This is generous from the council of Mersea who gives to every gas company that come; along, franchises and rights to ple and use every road in the town.

pre and use every road in the town-ship for absolutely nothing.

Rev. Mr. Keith preached for the first time in the Presbyterian church since his holidays. The congregations both morning and evening were very large. During the holiday the interior of the church has been very much improved by frescoing painting and other improvements. It is now one of the prettiest churches to be seen any

where.
At Milwaukee last Thursday, Texas Jessie, Lewis Wigle's celebrated mare took third money and made her mile in 2131-4. She goes this week in Col-

KILLED BY A TROLLEY.

Brantford, Sept. 18.—Thomas Armstrong, a retired farmer, who lived on William street, was out on his bicycle this morning. When at the corner of Wellington and Market streets, his wheel slipped, and he fell on the electric railway track just in front of a car. Before the car could be stopped it struck Mr. Armstrong on the head. inflicting injuries from which he died within a few minutes.

WANTED—ACTIVE MAN OF GOOD character to deliver and collect in Chatham for old established manufacturing wholesale house; \$900 a year, sure pay, Honesty more than experience required. Our reference, any bank in any city. Enclose self-addressed, stamped envelope. Manufacturers, Third Floor, 334 Dearborn St., Chicago.

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TILBURY.

Sept. 19.—Miss Maude Dauphin, of Dolsen, is the guest of Mrs. H. Benoit. J. W. Hill has been transferred from J. W. Hill has been transferred from
the Merchants' Bank here to Tarra,
and left for his new position last evening. Mr. Sutherland, of Windsor,
takes Mr. Hill's place in the bank here.
Mrs. (Dr.) Macdonald, accompanied
by her sister, Miss Winnie Powell, left
last evening for her home in Detroit,
after a visit with her parents here,
Mr. and Mrs. J. Powell.
Mrs. H. Riveau, of Owossa, Mich., is
visiting her mother here, Mrs. A.
Oulette.

Oulette. John Wilson, of this village, had his arm injured yesterday while moving a house at Stoney Point. Dr. Sharp was summoned and dressed the wound. The Daily Planet is on sate at Johnson's Drug Store.

THEORIES ABOUT FOOD.

Also a Few Facts on the Same Subject.

We hear much nowadays about health foods and hygienic living, about vegetarianism and many other fads along the same line. Restaurants may be found in the larger cities, where no meat pastry or coffee is served, and the food crank is in his glory, and arguments and theories galore advanced to prove that meat was never intended for human stoamchs, and almost make us believe

that our stordy ancestors who lived four score years in robust health on roast beef, pork and mutton must of health. Our forefathers had other things to do than formulate theories about the

extended to any kind from bacon to sense are excellent guides to follow in matters of diet, and a mixed diet of

grains, fruits and meats is undoubted-As compared with grains and vege-

tables, meat furnishes the most nu-triment in a highly concentrated form and is assimilated more quickly than vegetables and grains. Dr. Julius Remmson on this subject

says: "Nervous people, people run down in health and of low vitality should eat meat, and plenty o fit. If the digestion is too feeble at first it may be easily corrected by the regular use of Stuart's Dyspessia Tablets after each meal. Two of these excellent tablets taken after dinner will digest several thousand grains of meat, eggs other animal tood in three hours, and no matter how weak the stomach may be, no trouble will be experienced if a regular practice is made of using Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, because they supply the pepsin and diastase necessary to perfect digestion, and every form of indigestion will be

The base ball team here are arranging for a game of ball with a club of young lades from Boston. They are its perfect digestion by the daily use its perfect digestion by the daily use its perfect digestive medicing and a safe harmless digestive digestive digestive digestive digestive digest overcome by their use. That large class of people who come under the head of nervous dyspeptics, like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, com-posed of the natural digestive princi-

> Dyspensia in all its many forms, i simply a fullur eaf the stomach to digest food and the sensible way to solve the riddle and care the dyspepsia is to make daily use at meal time of a preparation like S(uart's Dyspep-sia Tablets, which is endorsed by the emdical profession, and known to contain active digestive principles. All druggists sell Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets at 50c. for full treatment. A little booklet on cause and cure of stomach trouble mailed free by ad-

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business. Apply in own handwriting and a bress P. U. Box 166. Must be 17 or 18 years of age. GIBL WANTED-For reperal housework, small family. Apply at residence, Mr. F. D. M. Kella Victoria Avenue. 10t

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TENDERS.

Sealed tenders marked "tender" will be received at my office, Wallaceburg, up to and including Monday, October 1st, 1900, for the erection of a fire hall and town offices, etc., in the town of Wallaceburg.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the stark's effective forms.

clerk's office.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily H. E. JOHNSON. Wallaceburg, Sept. 15, 1900. 3dlw.

AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD

FURNITURE. Mrs. E. Seigel, No. 50 Grey street, second house from Raleigh street, has instructed Andrew Thomson, jr., auctioneer, to sell all Andrew Thomson, jr., auctioneer, to sell all her household effects on Friday, Sept. 28th, at one o'clock, consisting of the following: One piano, R. S. Williams make, in excellent order; one case of birds, 5 ft. by 6 ft.; one bedroom suit, springs, mattress, dresser, commode, bedstead; fancy rocker, one coal heater, one clock, one stand lamp, one platform rocker, one table, one lounge, one stand, blinds, two hall chairs, one sidebard, one cane rocker, one dining table, 6 high back chairs, with rocker, pictures, one Art Garand coal stove with oven also double heater in perfect order, chairs, 2 carpets, fall-leaf table, curtains and blinds, one coal or wood range, a beauty, refrigerator, kitchen table, and other articles too numerous to mention.

will be good chance for any one in ne same, Remember day and date, Friday, Sept. 28th, at one o'clock sharp. A. THOMSON, JR.,

Proprietress.

Auction Sale

City Lots

Mrs. J. Tissiman has instructed Anlrew Thomson, Jr., Auctioneer, to sell without reserve, six city lots, situated on Maple street, adjoining Mr. Brackin's property and one lot on Victoria avenue, corner lot opposite the residence of John McKerrall, Esq. The

Two o'clock in the afternoon

sale to take place on the property. The Victoria avenue lot will be offered first. This is an opportunity not often offered, as the sale is without reserve. Terms and conditions made known on day of sale.

Lots 10, 11, 14, 15, 18, and 19, Sub-div. Park Lot 9, S.S. Maple street; North part Park Lot No. 21, west side Victoria avenue.