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LYNDHURST FAIR

Jupiter Pluvius and Jack Fros united in serving up most uncomfort-able weather for both days of Lyndhurst Fair, and the fact that the society came out with a balance on the right side of the ledger is highly creditable

On Tuesday it rained, but not so as to prevent a fine exhibit being placed on the grounds and in the building. Over fifty head of choice cattle were shown ambusing all that the state of t shown, embracing all the leading breeds, constituting the largest and best showing in this important department ever made at the fair. The exhibit of sheep and swine was not large, but included several high bred animals, worthy representatives of their respective classes. Mr. Wm. Stevens of Phillipsville was the principal pal exhibitor in these lines. All the poultry classes were well filled, Mr. Ripley of Athens making a large ex

Messra Gilbert Bros., Seeley's Bay, exhibited 5 buggies, 1 lumber wagon and 2 milk wagons, and the display was highly creditable to the firm. In the Gilbert Bros. carriage works Seeley's Bay has an industry of which the citizens may well feel proud. Frost & Wood implements and the Perrin Plow were shown, and Mr. McNamee of of Sand Bay showed a pair of bob sleighs of new design. When the first day closed, President

Wiltse and the board of directors had every reason to feel satisfied with the ine display made, despite the unfavorable weather. During the evening all o cold that only those enveloped in fur coats were thoroughly comfortable. In such weather, a large crowd could not be expected, but there was a fair attendance, many coming from long distances. By one p.m. the hall was distances. By one p.m. the hall was filled with spectators and out on the grounds a throng eagerly awaited the exhibit of horses and the specing in the ring. The horses, both in number and quality, were fully up to the average, and a number of extra fine turnouts, double and single, were sent around the ring.

The races were keenly contested, number of fast horses being present from distant points. The narrow track made scoring-up difficult, and it took a long time to start each heat. At 4 p m., when passengers by the B.W. & N.W. had to leave, only one heat in each

race nad been trotted. The ball was the principal attraction to the majority, and it was filled all day, a fine musical programme being with the exhibit of pianos and organs made by Mr. Quinn of Lansdowne and Mr. Russell of Delta. All class s of exhibits were very well filled, the Ladies' Work and Domestics being particularly fine. Forty samples of grain were shown and a splendid lot of roots and vegetables

At the secretary's office, Mr. Ziba Jackson performed his duties like a veteran, and every person having business there received courteous and efficient attention. The entries exceeded in number those of last year, and altogether the managers of the fair have reason to be well satisfied with the measure of success that attended their exhibition of 1904.

* KNOWLTON—STEACY

A very pretty house wedding took place Wedn'sday evening, Sept. 14th, at the residence of the bride's father, J. H. Steacy, Athens, when their eldest daughter, Essie Ella, was united in holv bonds of matrimony to Herbert

F. Knowlton of Chantry.
The bridesmaid was Miss Mary Percival of Plum Hollow, while Ford Steacy, brother of the bride, acted in the capacity of groomsman. Little Miss Bertha Hellingsworth was most charming as flower girl, while Master Jonas R Steacy, newhew of the bride, carried the ring, which was concealed

in the petals of a rose. The drawingroom was tastefully dec-orated with ferns and ropes of evergreens forming an arch, from which hung a bouquet of white asters and ribbon, where the bridal party took ding march, which was rendered by an

The bride, who was very popular among her large circle of friends, was prettily attired in a gown of cream crepe de chine, trimmed with applique and chiffon over cream taffeta, and reaving a talla shill caught up by lily wearing a tulle weil caught up by lily

of the valley.

The bridesmaid's gown was of white silk over pink, and she carried a bouquet of pink flowers. The flower girl looked very pretty in a dress of white India silk, and acted her part nicely, strewing flowers along the aisle.

After the congratulations of the guests, eighty in number, the party repaired to the dining room, which was neatly decorated in pink and white; meanwhile the orchestra discoursed sweet music.

The presents were numerous and costly. The groom's present to the bride was a ring with pearl setting; to the bridesmaid, a dainty pearl cres-cent; to the flower girl, a handsome gold ring; and to the groomsman a set of gold cuff links. The bride's going away gown was of

black broadcloth, and hat to match. Mr. and Mrs. Knowlton left the same evening for Montreal, followed by the best wishes of their many

IN THE LONG AGO

Last week the Recorder reproduced as follows the printed programme of the closing exercises of the Farmers-ville County Grammer school, held on Thursday and Friday, June 27 and 28, 1861. A public examination was at that time the proper thing at the close clouds were dispersed and there was promise of a bright to-morrow. And it was bright, but cold—bitterly cold—ville. was principal, and Arthur that time the proper thing at the close of a term, J. B. Holmes, LL-B. brock wille. was principal, and Arthur that time the proper thing at the close of a term, J. B. Holmes, LL-B. brock will be a supplemental that time the proper thing at the close of a term, J. B. Holmes, LL-B. brock will be a supplemental that time the proper thing at the close of a term, J. B. Holmes, LL-B. brock will be a supplemental that time the proper thing at the close of a term, J. B. Holmes, LL-B. brock will be a supplemental that time the proper thing at the close of a term, J. B. Holmes, LL-B. brock will be a supplemental that time the proper thing at the close of a term, J. B. Holmes, LL-B. brock will be a supplemental that time the proper thing at the close of a term, J. B. Holmes, LL-B. brock will be a supplemental that time the proper thing at the close of a term, J. B. Holmes, LL-B. brock will be a supplemental that time the proper thing at the close of a term, J. B. Holmes, LL-B. brock will be a supplemental that time the proper thing at the close of a term, J. B. Holmes, LL-B. brock will be a supplemental that time the proper thing at the close of a term, J. B. Holmes, LL-B. brock will be a supplemental that time the proper thing at the close of the supplemental that time the proper than the close of the supplemental that time the proper than the close of the supplemental that time the proper than the close of the supplemental that time the proper than the close of the supplemental that time the proper than the close of the supplemental than the close of the supplemental than the su ville, was principal, and Arthur Brown, now inspector of public schools in Dundas county, was assistant. The examination lasted two days, and the last and most interesting part of it probaby consisted of the reading of original compositions by the pupils. The subjects and the names of the pupils will call up many pleasant mem-

ories, and here they are: Order vs Confusion—W. W. Leavitt. Education-Geo. Knowlton. Trust Not Appearances -- Miss Ruthanna Wright.

Difference of Opinion -W. W. Murphy.
Cultivation of Flowers—Miss Lydia

A. Parish. The Village We Live In-Charles

King. Vacation—Miss E. S. Cameron. Public Opinion—E C. Matthews.
The Value of Time—Miss Lucy A. Parish.

Conversation-Albert Morris. Wilten.

The Science of Arithmetic-Patrick Flynn. ess and Caution-J. E.

Reynolds.
Modern Education—Miss Miratt

An Honest Man's the Noblest Work of God—Olmsby Stowell.
The Farmer—J. K. Redmond

Never Too Old to Learn-Miss Selna Alguire. Steam-David Beatty.

Difference Between Taste us-Miss Marie Alguire. Knowledge is Power-Thompso

Blanchard Dignity of Labor-Miss Claris Morgan.

Company—Isaac Alguire. Home and Its Influence

Success in Life—H. A. King.
Pencillings by the Way—Miss E.
A. Reynolds. Mulvena.

Canada-R. G. Murphy. Unconscious Influence-Miss Cor delia Gould.

The Earth and its Inhabitan John Kilborn. The exercises closed with the bene diction, and the programme announced that the examination of the common school department would take place on

Wednesday, 26th.

Loss of Appetite

Is commonly gradual, one dish after another is set aside till few remain. These are not eaten with much relish, and are often so light as not to afford much nourishment.

Loss of appetite is one of the first their places, after wending through an aisle of terns, to the sound of the weddown, and there is nothing else so from. Trimmed Single Harness. good for it as Houd's Sarsaparilla-the best of all tonics. CHAS. R. RUDD & Co.

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Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

of Calab.

ti-Ninib.

What the tower of Calah was and why

it was considered of sufficient import-ance to be mentioned as the chief fact

worthy of remembrance in connection with this "ruler of the universe" with the hard name, nobody knows. An at-

ti-Ninib. However, it is now generally conceded that the ground for supposing them to be the same is very slight, and the inscription just translated does not throw new light on the matter.

King Shalmeneser, the author of the inscription is known in history as among the first Assyrian kings to make captives of the Hebrews. A description of his attacks upon them is given in

of his attacks upon them is given in Kings II. xix. and xx. From other sources it is evident that

the king was also a practical joker of a grim sort. He himself relates, in an-other brick, which was presented to Yale at the same time with the one recently

translated, that he conquered many tribes, and some of them he boiled in pitch and some he made slaves, putting rings in their noses to increase their

tracticability. He is also said to be the originator of the "turkey dance," now

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He Holds a Cup to Receive Pe

How to Fight Drunkenness.

How is this scourge to be checked? What is the best way of dealing with it? To consider these questions a great convocation of the W. C. T. U. is now

As with all reforms carried on by wo-men, there is a certain amount of senti-ment involved in the work of this vast organization, which now extends into very country on the globe. It was

"Why do you keep him? He's getting old sm't he?" inquired some of the old business men.
"It's all that I have," was the answer.
So it wasn't strange that men stopped and listened when they left the elevated and the street cars yesterday morning. Usually it was one of "Blind Nell's" airs that told them that they had reached the scene of another day's activity. Some of them stood in the midle of the street and waited for the familiar strains. But the old hand organ was silent. They crossed to "Blind Nell's" corner, and there stood the dog, alone.

If he had been a man people would have said that he was transfigured. It seemed that he had shaken the years from him and that he realized his importance. It was the placard on his side that attracted every-body's atention. "I am 'Blind Nell's' dog. Blind Nell is sick. I can be trusted. Please help us both," it read.

There was a cup fastened to his muzzle and he seemed to know his friends. Whenever one of them appeared he advanced and rubbed his nose against their legs. The caress told much. It told of how "Blind Nell's had at last given away and how she was lying ill in some uncomfortable spot. It told what even a mean, yellow cur was not without a heart, and that he alone stood between the old woman and starvation. And the caress touched many, and there was a heap of bright silver in the cup before the day's work had begun in the downtown district.

He disappeared while the morning was still young. His course was in Van Buren street and down Wabash avenue. All trace of time was lost as he rounded the corner, but the meeting of the old woman and the eld dow with cup of silver must have been a happy one.

He was back at the corner when the shop-sne. founded to carry out the wish of a dying child, and every woman in it, probably, has been hurt by the evil which it combats. It is quite natural that their appeals should be emotional.

Here, it seems to us, has been the great mistake in dealing with intemperance. It is a disease, not a sin. This boy comes into the world with the tendency to alcoholism in his body; that with the tendency to tuberculosis. The last is promptly given the air, the food, the medical treatment which will help him to resist the disease; the other, on hi mto resist the disease: the other, on the appearance of its first symptoms, is given tears and prayers and emotional excitement, which tend to make him a

more easy victim.

There is no doubt a moral obliquity in the lad who deliberately chooses to beene.

He was back at the corner when the shoppers began to arrive. The women were touched by the story told on the placard and they contributed freely. At noon the dog disappeared again. He rested this time and perhaps the old woman told him what a great friend he was, for it was almost time for the stores to close when he reached the corner, in the lad who deliberately chooses to become a sot, but nine times out of ten it is a diseased liver or nerve or brain that drives him to the choice. If the mother or wife who watches his ruin would treat his failing as disease and put him in charge of a skilful physician, she would help to put an end to the drunkenness far sooner than by any pastlement hypera or fluttering ribbons or The stores to close when he reached the corner.

There was another flow of pennies, nickels
and dimes, and the cup was half full when a
thief came along. He stooped, and patted
the animal on the back, and at the same time
time tried to empty the cup. But "Blind
Nell" dog had learned to read men, and
a growl warned the stranger that it would
be unsafe for him to take any of the money.
The dog disappeared as darkness came and
"Blind Nell" will have all to eat that she
wants for the next few days at least.—Chicago Chronicle. sionate hymns or fluttering ribbons despairing appeals to the lawmakers to God. It is doubtful if the law e kept temperate a man with a craving for drink, and God helps those who help themselves by rational remedies, wheth-er their ailment be alcoholism or

The Britsh House of Commons.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

EARLY HOUSE THAT JACK BUILT.

An interesting inscription made upon a sunbaked brick some 2,700 years ago by order of Shalmaneser II., King of Assyria, has just been translated into English by Prof. Charles C. Torrey, of Yale University. The brick has been in the possession of Yale for almost fifty years, but the cuneiform writing in which the inscription is written is of a very rude character and a previous attempt at translation in 1870 was partly successful.

The inscription is a short eulogy of the king and his father. It ends in a member to be able to find seats. In the summer it is insufferably hot and stuffy, and all the year round it is unwhole-somely draughty. No club would stand the food which is served to members of the House of Commons. Still less would any club stand the House of Commons waiters. The permanent servants are excellent, courteous, civil and obliging, But the large number of members who have to lunch and dine at the House very frequently renders it impossible to keep enough good permanent servants to attend to everyone, and the results are, to say the least, uncomfortable.

Perhaps nothing will leave a deeper impression on the mind of the member when he has finally retired from the House of Commons that the large number of members who have to lunch and dine at the House very frequently renders it impossible to keep enough good permanent servants to attend to everyone, and the results are, to say the least, uncomfortable.

Perhaps nothing will leave a deeper impression on the mind of the member when he has finally retired from the House of Commons than the deadly dull-ness of the place. If members would conranslated last week by Frot. Torrey is:
Shalmaneser, the great king, the
mighty king, ruler of the universe, king
of the land of Assyria; son of the Ash
urnasirpal, the great king, the mighty
king, ruler of the universe, king of the
land of Assyria; son of Tukulti-Ninib,
ruler of the universe, king of the land
of Assyria, and he built the tower of
the city of Calab

when he has finally retired from the House of Commons than the deadly dullness of the place. If members would consent to speak only when they have something to say, if they would remember that what may seem of great interest to themselves is simply a bore to everyone else, and if they would content themselves with saying what they have got to say in as few clear words as possible, life in the House of Commons would be less full and far more work would be the hard name, hobody knows. An able to the hard name, hobody knows. An able the hard name, hobody knows and the house of Commons would be say in as few clear words as possible, life in the House of Commons would be less dull and far more work would be so through in far less time.

Nothing shows the extreme dullness of the House of Commons more plainly the house of the house hous

with laughter at some trivial joke or incident in the House which would not raise a smile outside.—A Retiring Member in the National Review.

Elephants and the Plague.

Human beings are not alone in suffering from plague in India, says the London Mail. The disease has been so bad of late in the Mysore State, where it is reported, writes our Simla correspond-ent, that one of the palace elephants has succumbed after developing what seemed to be the typical plague swell-

A Mysore correspondent writes to A Mysore correspondent writes to a Bombay paper that elephants and deer are also dying in the Heggaddevankot forests of what is believed, locally, to be nothing else than the plague, which has been prevalent among the human inhabitants of some of the villages in the neighborhood.

Chinese Burial Customs.

When a rich and important Chinama dies his funeral is conducted with much pomp and splendor. His friends and re-latives, instead of sending wreaths, sen innumerable banners. These are made of white silk, with inscriptions beauti-fully worked in black velvet, and express the senders' good wishes to the deceased himself or to the members of his familly for many generations. On the day of the funeral these banners are carried by hired men, who are all dressed alike for the occasion. After the funeral, which lasts several hours at the cemetery, is over the banners are all brought back and eventually grace the rooms of the

Then They Registered "and Lady."

(Milwaukee Sentinel.) "Some weeks ago I had an opportu "Some weeks ago! nat an opportunity of inspecting the hotel register of a Niagara Falls hotel of the years 1830-32," said Oliver Breen. "Even at that time the falls seem to have been a favorite resort, but what impressed me most was the style in vogue at that time.

"The chirography was by far better The chirography was by far better than one sees nowadays on hotel registhan one sees nowadays on notel registers, some writing almost resembling steel engraving. I looked all through the register, but found but one instance of a man registering himself 'and wife.' In every other instance it was 'and lady.' Another feature of the register was a coulmn headed 'remarks,' which was used

by guests in making personal notices, some of which were highly interesting. To-day we tell our confidences to the clerk."

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While tuberculosis is spread through infection, it must be remembered that its predisposing cause is in the body itself. If one could get rid of narrow chests and bring up children in healthy surroundings, we should resist the sources of infection more successfully, whatever they are. We are all in danger from bacilli, but we do not all get consumption, because many of us have constitutions with a sufficient power of resistance. Good houses, good air, good exercise must be brought to the help of weak constitutions; and they are also necessary if we are to have strong con-While tuberculosis is spread through weak constitutions; and they are also necessary if we are to have strong constitutions and the weak are to be eliminated. By so much hygiene as we have already practiced, and before any special precautions began to be taken about consumption the mortality from it has decreased, since 1850-5 by 53 per cent. It is probably still decreasing steadily, though it accounts for a tenth of the annual mortality, if all the forms of tuberculosis that appear in the registrar berculosis that appear in the registrar General's report are reckoned. Bronchitis General's report are reckoned. Bronchitis and pneumonia are more familiar than phthisis. In the army the death rate from tuberculosis has been reduced from 12 to 1.2 per 1,000 per annum since the Crimean War. It is a well known story how a commission reported that con-sumption was much more prevalent in the line regiments, where each man in barracks had only 350 cubic feet of space, than in the Guards, where each man had 500, and how the death rate began to fall when the barracks became more fit

HE FEELS AS YOUNG AS EVER

to live in.—Phil. Ledger.

Mr. Chester Loomis Took Dodd's Kidney Pills

And from a Used up Man he Became as Smart as a Boy.

Orland, Ont., Sept. 19.—(Special).—
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Lame Back and Kidney Disease so common among old people. Mr. Loomis says:
"I am 76 years of age and smart and active as a boy and I give Dodd's Kidney Pills all thes credit for it.
"Before I started to use Dodd's Kidney P lls I was so used up I could hardly ride in a buggy, and I could not do any work of any kind. Every body thought I would not live long. Dodd's Kidney Pills are a wonderful remedy. The Kidney Fills are a wonderful remedy.

The Kidneys of the young may be wrong but the Kidneys of the old must be wrong. Dodd's Kidney Fills make all wrong Kidneys right. That is why they are the old folks' greatest friend.

How to Hear Plants Grow.

Two Germans have discovered a method by which they can hear plants grow. In the aparatus the growing plant is connected with a disc, having in its centre an indicator which moves visibly and regularly, and this on a scale fifty times metal, and when brought in contact with an electric hammer, the electric current, being interrupted at each of the divided interstices of the disc, the growth of the plant is as perceptible to the ear as to

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"How long have you been married?"
"Oh about two years."
"And do you consider your wife an angel "No, not yet."—Superior (Wis.) Telegram

"No, not yet."—Superior (Wis.) Telegram.
She—Tom gays I grow more beautiful every time he sees me."
He—Why don't you ask him to call oftener?—Providence Telegram.
Tourist—Can I have a couple of towels?
Landlady—Are you going to stay here all summer?—Lustige Blatter.
Jones (to his fair partner, after their opponents had declared "clubs"))—Shall I play "clubs," partner?
Fair Partner (Who has never played bridge.

ponents had declared play "clubs," partner?
Fair Partner (who has never played bridge before)—Oh, no, please don't, Mr. Jones. I've only got two little ones.—Punch.
"May not be new, but I just heard it," said the man at the head of the table.
"Give it to us."
"Man from California said that they raised cabgages out there as big as a wash tub. Man from Missouri said that they didn't brag much on cabbage, but he had been in Kansas City and had seen three policeman asleep on one beet."—Detroit Free Press.

One Dozen Dont's.

Don't worry the children.
Don't worry about them. Guardian angels still exist, even in the Twentieth

century.
Don't lose your temper with them.
Don't give way when you have a de
cided plan for them.
Don't leave too much with the ser

vants.

Don't repel their little confidences.

Don't get impatient at their most unanswerable questions.

Don't indulge them foolishly.

Don't forget to encourage them and praise their little efforts to please you.

Don't show favoritism.

Don't disagree about them. Their father and moth should always be in unison in their training.

unison in their training.

Don't forget that they are God's children, lent to you for a season.—Wom an's Life.

—I should say he has. Why, at times I actually believe that even the cook is afraid of him.

BUILKD DOWN WISDOM. It is impossible to choose our own

HULL, CANADA

It doesn't require much push to go

Success is a target with a mighty amall bull's-eye, A corkscrew has led many a man

A corkserew has led many a man into crooked paths.

It is hard for the man with corns to stand on his dignity.

Money talks, but silence sometimes commands a better price.

The woman who wears paste diamonds is generally stuck up.

It ought to be smooth travelling to the man who is on the level.

Unless a man is a good listener he can't expect to be happily married.

It's all right to begin at the bottom, except when you start to dig a well.

The fish that has sense enough to keep its mouth shut doesn't get caught.

Dear Sirs,-For some years I have had Dear Sirs,—For some years I have had only partial use of my arm, caused by a sudden strain. I have used every remedy without effect, until I got a sample bottle of MINARD'S LINIMENT. The benefit I received from it caused me to continue its use, and now I am happy to say my arm is completely restored.

R. W. HARRISON. Glamis, Ontario.

Bits of Corean Wisdam.

The Boston Transcript is indebted to a citizen of Corea for a number of proverbs and sayings which afford an interesting insight into Corean modes of thought, and in this way illustrate the intellectual aptitude and power of observation of people:

"A thing is good when it is new; a man is good when he is old."

"He who hath eaten salt drinketh water."

"One can paint the fur of the tiger, but not his joints."

"One knows the face of a man, but not his interior.

"If one is not observing, one sees nothing."

ing."
"Even the blind man can find his way
through an open door."
"When the tiger is gone, the fox is master." As soon as the moon is full it begins to

"The higher the mountain the deeper the valler."
"Does smoke come out of the fireless chimner?" ney?"
"Even a hedgehog says his young ones are "Even a hedgenog says and young weak."

"A basketful of gold is not so valuable for a son as instruction in one of the classics."

"It is only the thirsty who dig a well."

"When the ox has broken through the stall repairs are first made."

"A family who has no sickness for ten years must be rich."

Rarest Bird in the World.

A certain kind of pheasant found in the mountains between Anam and Loas the mountains between Anam and Loa is said to be the rarest bird in existence For a long time its existence was known only by the fact that its longest and most splendid plume was much sought after by the mandarins for their headgear. A single skin is worth \$500, and if the bird would live in captivity its value would be fabulous. value would be fabulous.

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Cure ever known.

Japs Carry Fans in Battle. The cool and deliberate actions of the Japanese may in part be due to the fans they carry, writes Correspondent Palmer in Collyer's Weekly. After describing a fierce morning battle Mr. Palmer tells of their use of fans as follows: "Some infantry reserves nearby were fanning themselves. To a Russian who had not tasted their fire these "Makaki" might have seemed quite effiminate.

"The fans which the little men use to

"The rans which the little men use to cool themselves in the march are pres-ents from the Emperor. On them is in-scribed, in the handwriting of the com-mander-in-chief of the army, Marquis Oyama, the words: 'Do your best for your country

"On a hot day a fan may beat up breeze in front of a soldier's nose whic will save him from succumbing."

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

Indian Etiquette.

In India a letter sent to a native prince is often a very elaborate affair. The paper is specially made for the pur pose and is sprinkled with gold leaf Only the last few lines of the somewhat lengthy document contain the purport of the letter, while the remainder is made the letter, while the remainder is made up of the usual roundabout and complimentary phrases. It is folded in a peculiar way, with the flaps outward and placed in a muslin bag, and this latter into one of crimson and gold tinf, with a slip knot of gold thread attached to which is a ponderous seal. The address, written on a slip of parchment, is attached to the outside bag. These details are very important for polite letter writing in India, and if any one of them was omitted it would be an insult to the person addressed. them. Their person addressed.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

Hope Ahead.

(Puck.) He-So your father and mother both ject to me."
She—Yes, but den't werry. Papa and mam
she—asver agree very long about anything." CAPTURING WIDOWERS.

imonally Inclined Women .P. One of the puzzles afforded by the matrimonial markets is the preference of widowing for smarters and the indifference of widows to bachelors. Statistics, main-lated by an expert statistician, prove that this partiality and prejudice exist. They show that in a given period 25,141 widowers sought to heal the breach in their domestic arrangements by espousing 25,141 spinsters, while only 8,147 widows were considered available for that purpose. That left many of the widows unprovided for, and, although on their own testimony, most of the widows would have preferred consoling themselves with widowers, more than 15,000 of them those second partners from the ranks of bachelors.

Having thus marshaled his figures, the statistician proceeds to the inevitable deductions, He expounds theories purporting to account for the predilection of the sexes when choosing a belpmate for the second third, or fourth time. Several explanations

statistician proceeds to the inevitable deductions, he expounds theories purporting to account for the predilection of the sexes when choosing a beipmate for the sexend, third, or fourth time. Several explanations are advanced. The thoughtless herd who have neither statistics nor theories of their own may take their choice.

To start with, the statistician mainains that a man who has suffred conjugal bereavement is more anxious to ramile his designation of the conjugal bereavement is more anxious to ramile his designation of the man who has suffred conjugal bereavement is more anxious to ramile his designation of the conjugal bereavement is more anxious to ramile his designation of the conjugal bereavement is more anxious to ramile his designation of the man who has suffred conjugal between the signature of the ground that the female population acceeds the male; hence each man who acceeds the law in the conjugate of the conjugate of the man who acceeds the male; hence each man who acceeds the male; hence the designation of the conjugate of

stage on up; hence in spite of their resistance several thousands of protesting widowers are captured annually. Exchange.

A Curious Fan Clock.

A Curious Fan Clock.

A remarkable timepiece is a clock fan manufactured by a Swiss jeweler. The clock consists of 12 leaves hinged like an ordinary fan. The number of the hour is marked from 1 to 12 at the end of each of these leaves. The fan timepiece starts at 6 o'clock and expands regularly for 12 hours, when it suddenly closes up and starts all over again. The half-hour is indicated by the leaf of the fan being only half extended. fan being only half extended.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY

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LUCAS COUNTY

FRANK J. CHENKY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENKY a Co., to link the city of Toledo, County and State aloresaid, and that said Toledo, LARB for each and every case of CATARLE that cannot be cured by the use of HALL's that cannot be cured by the use of HALL's FRANK J. CHENEY.

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A VICIOUS THEORY.

A VICIOUS THEORY.

These schools are designed to devolve on the state the care of the young, or the socialistic theory that the state is wiser, better and kinder than the parent. The idea ampears to be that the state is a colossal person, with an intelligence, wisdom and conscience as superior to those of the parent as the population of the state is superior to him numerically. The state is viewed as the collective virtue and intelligence of the entire community, and the natural parent of every child included in it. cluded in it.

cluded in it.

This theory is as wrong as it could be.
In the meanwhile this sort of school is
educating the people faster than it is educating the pupils, and its teachings are. of the most pernicious character. These teachings are summed up in the words paternalism and socialism. The parental school is a part of the general idea that the state is soon to do everything for everybody, even to the bringing up of his children. The family and the individual to the parent of ual, according to this plan, are to be nothing except beneficiaries of the state -Chicago Chroniele.

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Annual Diamond Output.

Mr. Louis Tas, one of the best known liamond brokers, estimates the output of the De Beers mines annually at \$10,-000,000, and of other mines at \$4,500,000 Add to this the cost of labor, the profits of the syndicate, etc., and he thinks that the anual output of diamonds is worth bout \$35,000,000.

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Not Guilty.

(Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.)

Johnny—Say, papa, passing counterfeit money is unlawful, isn't it? Papa—Yes. Johnny—Well, papa, if a man was walk-ing the street and saw a \$10 counterfeit bill upon the shewalk and did not pick it up, wouldn't he be guilty of passing counterfeit money, and couldn't he be arrested and put to tell? Papa More likely the lunatic asylum, lew you may so to bed, my son.

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hra. Wisslow's boothing Syrapishould always to used for Children Teething. It sooths the child, softens the gums, cures wis colle and is the best remedy for Diarrhose.

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DIRECT EVIDENCE.

The lawyer shook his finger warningly at the witness and said: "Now, we want to hear just what you know; not what some one else knows, or what you thinb, or anything of that, but what you know. Do you understand?"

"Wal, I know," said the witness, with emphasis, as he lifted one limber leg and laid it across the other, "I know that Clay Grubb said that Bill Thompson told him that he heard John Thomas wife tell Sid Shuford's gal that her husband was there when the fight took place, and that he said that they slung each other a round in the bushes right consid'able."—Youth's Companion. City Independent.

City Independent. ONE-WAY RATES.

Every day from September 15th to October 15th, 1904, inclusive, the Union Pacific will sell one-way tickets from Missouri River Terminals (Council Bluffs to Kansas City, inclusive) as follows:

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Always Tell the Truth.

(Stray Stories.) Father—I hear, my boy, that you have lately told your mother zeveral false-hoods. This grieves me to the heart, Always tell the truth, even though it may bring suffering upon you. Will you promise me?

Boy—Yes, father.
Father—Very well. Now, go and see who is knocking at the door. If it's the rate collector say I am not at home.

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King Victor recently started on a cruise in the royal yacht, and all went well until one afternoon, when the news reached him that his wife had given birth to a child.

"Put in to shore," he said to the captain, "for I must go to Her Majesty

at once."

Unfortunately a storm was raging and it was impossible to bring the yacht to land. The King, however, would not be thwarted in his design, and without a word he threw off his coat, sprang overboard and swam ashore. A few hours, the royal palace. later he was in the royal palace next morning all Italy was talk; his daring feat.

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Russians Repulsed the Attack and Cavalry Checked the Turning Movement-Kuroki Has Not Yet Crossed the River Hun-Report From Tokio That a Battle Will Soon Take Place at Mukden-Kouropatkin Has an Immense Defence Force-Port Arthur to be Attacked More Vigorously-Gen. Nicholson at

march of the Japanese from Dziantichan was the probable origin of the rumor that Kuroki had crossed the Hun River,

which runs twenty miles north of Da Pass. The most reliable information does

not indicate the resumption of the Jap anese offensive for some days.

Many of The Defenders Have Perishe

From its Bite. Chefoo Cable —Anna Kravtchenko, the English wife of a Russian officer at Port Arthur, accompanied Lieut. Prince Radziwill and others who arrived here

Radziwill and others who arrived here Sept. 17 in running the Japanese blockade. The party had a narrow escape from capture. Mme. Kravtchenko says that the women in the fortress are devoting themselves to the defenders. There are 30 nurses to each thousand men. Other women are engaged in maken.

JAPS CAPTURE JUNKS.

Chinese Say Deaths From Starvation ar

Increasing.

MASSACRED THEM ALL.

Annihilated.

FLY HERALD OF DEATH.

London, Sept. 22, 4 a. m.—Stories from Chetoo and other Chinese centres represent the Japanese as being very much more active at Port Arthur. They are said to be preparing winter quarters at Dalny, which will be the main base for their whole operations when the harbo of New Chwang is frozen. A Russian merchant named Krabe, who has arrived at Chefoo, states that he was captured while attempting to get through tured while attempting to get through the blockading line. He was taken blind-folded on board a Japanese warship, where he was interrogated and threatenwhere he was interrogated and threatened with being sent a prisoner to Japain. He was finally liberated, however, and the officer who had examined him congratulated him upon his lucky escape from Port Arthur, saying that a severe bombardment would begin on Tuesday, (Sept. 20) preparatory to the storming of important positions. The officer added that the fortress would be captured in a few days. Krabe became enthusiastic when he described Gen. Stoessel's alertness and diligence. He never seems to sleep. When his administrative work is finished he prowls about the forts, He There are 30 nurses to each thousandmen. Other women are engaged in making clothing for the soldiers, while still others do the laundry work, There are no contagious diseases, but many deaths are caused by a large fly biting, after feeding upon putrefying corpses outside. The old town is almost wrecked, but the casualties from shells are remarkably few. Mme. Kravtchenko believes that the defence will succeed, to sleep. When his administrative work is finished he prowls about the forts. He is a severe taskmaster for the officers, insisting upon a strict performance of their duties. He has closed the officers' clubs. The soldiers idolize him, and he inspires confidence. Krabe says that Port Arthur in the daytime is deserted. At night it is like a black vault. There is almost no sound heard except the distant crack of skirmishers' rifles or an occasional gun. The air is filled with the scent of death. No non-combatants venture out after sunset

There was general disgust in Port Arthur when the Russian squadron returned after its engagement with the Japanese on Aug. 10. Admiral Prince Outktomsky, who brought the squadron back, is in the hospital, but it is not known whether he is sick or not. The Japanese guns are eleverly marked their eggs. Chinese who have arrived from the be back, is in the hospital, but it is not known whether he is sick or not. The Japanese guns are cleverly masked, their howitzers using smokeless powder, are the most effective. The Russians have formed a corps of sharpshooters, whose duty it is to greep out on the hillsides duty it is to greep out on the hillsides duty it is to creep out on the hillsides and discover the positions of the enemy's guns. They have been frequently successful in this work. Krabe refused to talk about the food supply, only saying jocularly, "Well, they have no plum pudding." Both Fishermen and Their Wives Were

LOOKS FOR A FIGHT.

Tokio Believes That a Battle Will Soon Take Place at Mukden.

Tokio Cable (Noon,) - An pression is growing general that an engagement will soon take place at Muk den. General Kouropatkin is evidently preparing to make a determined resistance to any attempt to dispossess him and is entrenching and constructing defenses. He has an immense force available, but the opinion is expressed that Tie Pass would be a more favorable location for defense. The Russians, however, are unwilling to suffer the loss of prestige which would be involved by the abandonment of Mukden. Both armies the effects of the fight at Liao Yang They are in condition to fight, and the weather is favorable for military operations. The roads are drying and the Japanese are speedily restoring the railway. A party of military attaches who recently came to Liao Yang from Tokio were dragged for one hundred Tokio were dragged for one hundred miles in open trucks by coolies. The army is now forwarding rolling stock with captured cars and engines, and the service will soon be thoroughly organ-

With the Liao river open the task of transporting men and supplies to the advance base of operations at Liao Yang

There is much speculation now as to the extent of the fall and winter campaign. It is generally thought that Field Marshai Oyama will continue pressing Kouropatkin back until the pressing Kouropatkin back until the winter falls and will then strongly guard his advance line until spring. The Japanese carried on an aggressive campaign against the Chinese during the winter, but conditions are different in

A renewal of the attacks upon Port Arthur on newer and more aggressive lines is expected this week, and it is predicted in well informed quarters that the reduction of the fortress will not be accomplished within ten days or a fort-

The authorities continue silent con cerning operations there. The publication of a small list of casualties in the naval brigade operating on land is the only recent official utterance in reference to that siege. The spoils taken at Liao Yang continue to grow. Gen. Kuroki reports the capture of four miles railway rails and two hundred tons

Japanese Tried to Capture the Pass and Turn Russian Flank.

St. Petersburg Cable — 2.30 p. m.—
Gen. Kouroptakin, telegraphing under yesterday's date, declares that the situation at the front is unchanged. He describes an outpost fight Tuesday at Da Pass half way between Bentsiaputze and Sintsintin. A Japanese force consisting of four companies marched up from Dziantichan, twenty-three miles northeast of Saimadzi, and tried to capture the pass and turn the Russian capture for the Russian capture for the Russian serpulsed the attack and the Russian serpulsed the serve at Toki.

The Russ says to-day that Japan can place as many able-bodied men in the field as France, whose capacity, the Russ says, is 2,500,000 men. The paper ad-

mits that Russia is greatly handicapped by the distance of her army from head-quarters here, and urges doubling the Siberian railroad line.

COAL FOR PORT ARTHUR.

Tsigtau Cable — (3 p. m.) — Several colliers arrived here within the last ten days. It is believed the cargoes are intended for Port Arthur. The are intended for Port Arthur. The British collier, Foxton Hall, has transferred her cargo of Cardiff coal to the German steamer Ericka, which the local authorities would not allow to leave until given assurance that no attempt would be made to enter Port Arthur. The Ericka sails at daylight for Japan, but she will ultimately make for Port Arthur, where the Russians are offering stupendous inducements for the delivery of coal. S. Davidson, an American merchant, who had a Russian coal livery of coal. S. Davidson, an American merchant, who had a Russian coal contract, and was ordered to leave Port Arthur on February 15 last, is now at Tsingtau. He tells the Associated Press correspondent that when he left there was less than 200,000 tons of coal there. On account of the Russian battleships having been compelled to keep up fuel steam day and night for nearly eight months, and the enormous quanti-ties of fuel required for the water condensing plant, there must be a coal fam

The Japanese have since cut off the

GEN. OKU REPORTS.

Tokio Cable - Gen Oku has written Tokio Cable — Gen Oku has written an extended report of the operations preceding the capture of Liao-Yang and expresses the opinion that Gen. Kouropatkin had determined to hold Liao-Yang, his plan being first to attack and defeat Gen. Kuroki and then assail the Jamanese centre and left armies. Oku declares that the stubborn resistance of Chefoo Cable — It is stated that the Apanese have captured numbers of junks attempting to run the blockade of Port Arthur. These vessels were mostly laden with meat, flour and the Russians at Liao-Yang proves that their retreat was not prearranged.

PROVINCIAL CIRCLES.

Reports Presented to King's Daughters' Convention.

Toronto, Sept. 26.—The business

ed in Quebec, and six formed. The to-tal membership is 801.

In Ontario in 1901 there were 76 circles and 1,386 members, and in 1904 77 circles and 1,587 members, or a net increase of 201 members. Five county

Annihilated.

Tokio Cable On Sept. 9 a despatch was received stating that Russians from Kamchatka had descended upon a Japanese colony founded by Capt. Getnji upon Shimushu Island, one of the Kurile group, and massacred all the women, numbering 26, while the men were away fishing. The report was doubted at the time, but circumstances now seem to confirm it. The men, who were on a fishing expedition to Kamchatka, were probably surprised and annihilated. Later, on Aug. 25, two hundred Russian soldiers invaded the defenceless colony, church of the Redeemer. In the absence of Mrs. Mary Love Dickinson, of New York, general secretary, Mrs. Whitney, of Detroit, spoke on the good work of the King's Daughters, after which Mrs. M. S. Savage, provincial secretary, delivered an instructive address.

Later, on Aug. 25, two hundred Russian soldiers invaded the defenceless colony, attacking the women and burning their houses. The Japanese Government is sending assistance to the survivors. SHELLED YENTAI STATION.

are now rested and have recovered from Russians Reconnoitered Along the Jap-, Justice Magee's Severe Arraignment anese Frontier.

Gen. Kuroki's Headquarters in the Field. Sept. 17, via Fushan, Sept. 22.— The Russians are reconnoitring along the Japanese frontier with a large force of cavalry, supported by guns. With three guns they appeared yesterday evening within 6,000 yards of Yentai station and threw a few shells at the station. They continued the cannonading at intervals all day to-day. The Russian force on the Mukden road extends from Shuliko, eight miles north of Yentai, to Tsaotoitsu, five miles northeast.

CAPTURED FORT

By Desperate Assaults, and Russians Cannot Dislodge Them.

five miles northeast.

Tokio, Cable— 3 p. m.—While official onfirmation is lacking, it seems certain that the Japanese possess a fort on another height westward of Itzshan, which they carried by desperate assaults, ande have since resisted all attempts to cap-ture by the Russians. Both these heights overlook Port Arthur, offering excellent gun positions, which materially weaken the Russian defence.

TO PRAY HPON COMMERCE

Skrydloff's Chief of Staff Says Part Arthur Can be Recaptured.

St. Petersburg Cable — The latest advices received here from Vladivostock announce that the repairs to the Russian cruisers Bogatyr, Rossia and Gromoboi have been completed. Capt. Cradot, Vice-Admiral Syrydloff's chief of staff, has arrived here from Vladivostock with DA PASS FIGHT. important despatches for the Emperor. Capt. Cladot informed the correspondent of the Associated Press that he expects the protected cruiser Bogatyr has been

Russians Offering Big Inducements for

water, when the garrison would have to depend entirely upon the condenser. It a coal famine prevails the town must be getting water from impure water wells, which would also have to be served to

the second day's session of the King's Daughters' convention consisted chiefly of the presentation of reports from New Brunswick, Quebec and Ontario. Miss Helen L. Barker spoke for New Brunswick, where the work was reported to be encouraging e encouraging. Since 1901 seven circles have disband-

circles and 1,587 members, or a net increase of 201 members. Five county and five city unions were organized. Mrs. Mooney, Stratford, read a paper entitled "Counting the Cost."

The evening meeting was presided over by Rev. C. C. James, pastor of the Church of the Redeemer. In the above of the Mrs. Javas Dickinson to fine the control of the Redeemer.

TO DECEIVE THE IGNORANT.

Estates Limited

Toronto, Sept, 26 .- Mr. Justice Mages yesterday morning, at Oogoode Hall, de-livered his judgment regarding the wind-ing up of Estates, Limited, in which he ing up of Estates, Limited agreed to its liquidation.

The opening sentences of his decision deal with the nature of the concern,

deal with the nature of the content,
He says:
"On perusal of the contract which
is on the printed form, one can only wonder how persons could be so simple as to
be induced to enter into it. Manifestly
none of those who did culd have had is on the printed form, one can only wonder how persons could be so simple as to be induced to enter into it. Manifestly none of those who did culd have had any professional or independent advice or any business experience. The procurment of money from women or inexperienced men on the faith of this does not reflect credit upon any of the persons connected with the conduct of the busineses f the company. The papers before me are meagre in their details, but they point to an organization formed to bring about the result which has happened."

In the later petition, which emanated

in the block bounded by St. Surplice de

Bresoles, Le Royer and St. Claude streets

BIG CONFLAGRATION IN

Justice Magee, "was, I think, a reasonable one under the circumstances, alathough, it is fair to say, Mr. McMillan disclaims collusion. As the affairs and methods of the company should be probed to the bottom, and the creditors should have no misgivings, it is better that the proceedings should be in other hands."

He therefore grants the petition, but gives the conduct of the proceedings into the hands of Mrs. Manderson.

HUNG ON LIVE WIRE A Boy's Action Caused a Runaway and Other Accidents.

Niagara Falls, Sept 26.—The efforts of little Bernard Silberberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Silberberg, of 932 Niagara avenue, to prove his qualities as an acrobat, Saturday evening, caused a run-away, the dislocation of a shoulder of Patrolman Thomas Mahoney and the ar-rest of Harry P. Harris, an employee of the Niagara Falls Electric Light & Pow-

the Niagara Falls Electric Light & Pow-er Company.

The boy climbed an electric light pole in front of his home and with one hand grasped the wire from which the arc light is suspended, while with the other he held onto one of the iron spikes in the pole. Investigately a current of place. he held onto one of the iron spikes in the pole. Imediately a current of elec-tricity went coursing through his body, and he could not let gd. His cries attract-ed the attention of a number of people, but all were afraid to touch him fearing a shock of electricity, and he was allow-ed to hang there. A telephone call was sent to the Electric Light Station for seint to the Electric Light Station for the repair wagon and gang. In the mean-time Patrolman John Curry came along the stret, and despite the warnings of the men standing about, grabbed the boy and with a jerk pulled him from the pole. The lad was not injured in the

least.

In the meantime the repair gang at the Electric Light Station hurriedly hitched a horse to the repair wagon and started out. They hitched the animal close to the wagon and when they started on a run the wagon knocked its heels and a moment later it was running away down Buffalo avenue. At Sixth street it collided with a rig, in which Patrolman Thomas Mahony was riding. The oficer was thrown out and his shoulder dislocated. Harry P. Harris, driver of the repair wagon, was arrested and takthe repair wagon, was arrested and tak-en to headquarters, but he was released when explanations were made.

REAL PAINLESS DENTISTRY...

Swiss Professors Discover a New Anaes thetic.

Washington, Sept. 26.—After three years of patient research, two professors of Geneva, Switzerland, have discovered a new anaesthetic, which promises to revolutionize the practice of dentistry. In reporting this to the State Depart-ment, United States Consul Liefeld, at Freiburg, Germany, states that, finding the nervous system was influenced by colored light, the professors soon per-ceived, after experimenting with each hue, that blue had an extraordinarily soothing affect on the mean than the second soothing effect on the nerves.

The Consul says that a tooth may be

painlessly extracted with none of the usual after effects by shutting up the patient in a dark room and exposing his eyes to a blue light of sixteen candle power for three minutes, causing him to lose all sense of pain, although at the same time retaining his senses.

WIFE BEATER PUNISHED.

Belmont, Man., Vigilance Committee Administer Severe Discipline.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 26-At Belmon to-night a resident was heard by neighbore beating his wife. A number of men gathered, went to the house and took him down the railway track, where he was beaten with sticks and then preparations wer made for lynching, as a bluff. When the rope was around his neck the man promised to do better and ck the man promised to do better an not ill-use his wife. He was taken home where a crowd awaited the effects of his beating, and left word with his wife that he was to be more roughly handled should he break out again.

DRIVEN FROM HOME BY TRAMP.

Weary Willies Make Things Unpleasan for Belleville Family.

The fire was an exceptionally fierce

MONTREAL THIS MORNING

Three Quarters of a Million Dollars'

Worth of Property Destroyed.

Montreal Rtport — A disastrous fire firms put together. The value of their stock is computed at close to half a million dollars.

from Mrs. Mary Manderson, a creditor of Estates, the opinion was expressed that the first petitioner, Mr. Achibate McMillan, having been an agent of the company, would not act in any way hostile to its interest. "This fear," said Mr. Justice Magese "was I think a green and Mr. Justice Magese "was I think a green and Mr. Justice Magese" was I think a green and Mr. Justice Magese "was I think a green and Mr. Justice Magese" was I think a green and Mr. Justice Magese "was I think a green and Mr. Justice Magese" was I think a green and Mr. Justice Magese "was I think a green and Mr. Justice Magese" was I think a green and Mr. Justice Magese "was I think a green and Mr. Justice Magese" was I think a green and Mr. Justice Magese "was I think a green and Mr. Justice Magese" was I think a green and Mr. Justice Magese "was I think a green and Mr. Justice Magese" was I think a green and Mr. Justice Mr. Justice Magese "was I think a green and Mr. Justice Mr. Just MAKES OPEN CONFESSION.

How Firms and Men Have Been Swindled and Ruined.

New York, Sept. 26.— Much interest has been aroused by the publication of an "open confession" by the editor of a monthly paper posing as a financial authority. The periodical had been freely circulated outside New York since last June, and recently was debarred from the mails. The business address was found to be a livery stable in Washington and the paper is supposed to have been printed here.

In the confession the editor says that after having held his position for three months and being about to retire, his conscience impelled him to state: "I would be a diverse of this publication and the properties of the same and being about to retire, his conscience impelled him to state: "I would be a diverse of this publication of a monthly paper posing as a financial authority. The periodical had been freely circulated outside New York since last straightforward and prosperous corporate with has ever infested any country. Outside of this statement no word of truth has ever infested any country. Outside of this statement no word of truth has ever infested any country. Outside of this statement no word of truth has ever infested any country. Outside of this statement no word of truth has ever infested any country. Outside of this statement no word of truth has ever infested any country. Outside of this statement no word of truth has ever infested any country. Outside of this statement no word of truth has ever infested any country. Outside of this statement no word of truth has ever infested any country. Outside of this statement no word of truth has ever infested any country. Outside of this statement no word of truth has ever infested any country. Outside of this statement no word of truth has ever appeared in these columns. Up-right and honest business men as well as straightforward and prosperous corporations have been maliciously attacked with sole idea that money might be influenced from them to the coffers of the with sole idea that money might be influenced from them to the coffers of the with sole idea that m

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APPLE PROSPECTS NOT GOOD.

Export Prices Not Encouraging, but Will Likely Improve.

(From Hamilton Times.) Fruit exporters in these parts are not at all pleased with the look of the foreign market. This year's vield of apeign market. This year's vield of apples is not nearly as large as was that of last year, the yield being variously placed at one-half to two-thirds. In some sections the quality is excellent, and there is no doubt about the ability of the exporters to supply the demand for high class fruit. Prices quoted, however, are low—so low that the buyers are almost ashamed to make the offer. "Fifty to sixty cents a barrel net

is about the best we can offer the growers," said Mr. J. W. VanDyke, of Grimsby, yesterday. That is the price for apples on the ground, the exporters doing the barrelling and handling. Mr. VanDyke has three orchards. From one of them he took over 2,500 barrels last year. This year he will get only about that quantity from all three. The foreign market has the same discouraging look for evaporated apples, but Mr. VanDyke is so sure that the conditions will improve that he is willing to take a chance in the purchase of a few thousand barrels more.

TO "COOK" ELECTIONS. Alleged Attempt to Surprise Trades of

Montreal, Sept. 26.—The Toronto delegates to the Trades and Labor Congress claim to have discovered a prearrangement here, by which an attempt is being made to "cook" a slate of new officers and spring it on the meeting when the time for voting arrives. They say that this slate includes Noel Verville, of Montreal, for President; Walter Robinson, of Hamilton, for Vice-President; D. W. Kennedq, of Toronto, for Secretary; W. Kennedd, of Toronto, for Secretary, J. W. Flett, the sitting President, for Fraternal Delegate to the American Federation of Labor. Voting will take place on Friday and it is expected to cause a

on Friday and it is expected to cause a lively session.

A question arose this morning as to whether or not the delegate from the federated body of letter-carriers should be permitted to have a seat in congress. It was fully discussed, but finally, at the instance of the President, it was decided to admit the delegate. The quetion was purely constitutional.

The rest of the morning session was conducted within closed doors, in order that Mr. J. G. O 'Donoghue, of Toronto, official solicitor, might present his report.

A private session was held to-night, at which the question of international union was discussed. In the midst of this discussion Mr. J. Rodier, of Montreal, a well-known local worker, arose and said that the present Government were acting against the workingmen and the Conservatives were waiting to get into power to do the same thing, He therefore advocated the formation of an independent labor party. No action an independent labor party. No action | Mistaken for the Messiah by

Nothing has been given out regarding the report presented by Mr. J. G. O'Donoghue, of Toronto, solicitor. Mr. O'Donoghue left for Toronto to-night, after having discussed what is said to be important matters concerning the congress. In the afternoon the members of the congress at the invitation of the Montreal Trades and Labor Council went for

MEN OF PEACE VIEW NIAGARA. British Delegates to International Par

liamentary Union. Niagara Falls, Sept. 26.-By chance Mr. J. W. Langmuir, of Toronto, returned from England on the Lucania with the members of the International Parthe members of the International Parliamentary Union, who were to hold their twelfth session in St. Louis. Having met the British delegates, he learned that, though they intended to visit Niagara Falls, it was not likely they would see the Canadian and more important part as they should. As chairman of the Queen Victoria Niagara Falls Park Commission he took steps to remedy this omission from the itinerary arranged by the United States Government, and the result was that the British members and the families of a number of them made a thorough inspection of the Canadian side to-day as the guests of the commission.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.

Results of Ontario S. S. Association Exams Recently Held.

Toronto, Sept. 26.—The report of the teacher training committee of the Ontario Sabbath School Association indicates considerable activity in the matter of teacher training, and holds out promise of greater things in the future. following upon the appointment of E. A. Hardy to devote his whole time to this work.

The four graduates are: Miss Gertrude Interior granuates are: Miss described is acc, Simcoe; Miss Vivian Isaac, Simcoe; Miss C. Horsburgh, Hamilton; Holton Wilson, Stanley Corners.

The lists of the New Testament examinations include Geo. S. Jones, of Hamiltonian of the New Testament examinations include Geo. S. Jones, of Hamiltonian of the New Testament examinations include Geo. S. Jones, of Hamiltonian of the New Testament examinations include Geo. S. Jones, of Hamiltonian of the New Testament examinations include Geo. S. Jones, of Hamiltonian examinations include Geo.

second year teacher training: Miss Gertrude Isaac, Miss Viviān Isaac, Simcoe; Miss C. A. Horsburgh, Hamilton; H. Wilson, Stanley Corners.

First year teacher training: Miss May Litster, Mrs. W. H. Douglas, North Keppell; D. A. Atkinson, Toronto; Miss C. A. Horsburgh, Hamilton; Miss Tena age.

**The Crown Attorney that death resulted from an anaesthetic accident, with no one to blame.

**Muggins—I understand your son has finished his college course. Did he graduate with honors? Buggins—Honors! Gee, you ought to see his batting average.

Dunlop, Avonbank; H. Wilson, Stanley

Mrs. Geo. S. Jones, of Hamilton, has taken a certificate in the New Testament and first year teacher training. SUNDAY LABOR.

Questions to be Submitted to the Supreme Court.

Ottawa, Sept. 26.—The extent to which a Province may go in the direction of prohibiting Sunday labor, and the effect of such legislation upon various classes of companies, is to be referred to the Supreme Court to determine. This decision was reached at a meeting of the Cabinet this afternoon. Representations, have been made to the Government sizes. sion was reached at a meeting of they calculate this afternoon. Representations have been made to the Government since the decision of the Privy Council in the Lord's Day case, advocating the enactment of a measure by the Dominion Parliament, and the draft of a bill which the Lord's Day Alliance considered would meet the case was submitted to the Federal Executive. The Minister of Justice, lowever, is not at al satisfied that the extent of the right of a Province to legislate in the matter of Sabbath day observance has been determined, and he wishes to see this settled before submitting legislation of the character proposed to Parliament. Accordingly he has recommended and the Government have approved of the submission of a number of questions to the Supreme Court.

LORD MINTO

the Doukhobors.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 26.-A despatch from Rosthern, N.W.T., says the Doukhobors, the religious enthusiasts, who are settled in that district in large num on hearing of the great overland ride being made by Lord Minto from Battleford to Saskatoon, accompanied by a mounted guard of police, decided that, this man, who was inspiring such respect from the Canadians, must be the Messiah, for whom they had been waiting, and they immediately started on one of their pilgrimages. Several of them were promptly arrested by the police there and housed in a vacant building.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Italian Bootblack Shoots a Vancouves

Girl and Himself. Vancouver, Sept. 26.—A double tragedy occurred in the east end of the city, this morning. Joseph Nucci, an Italian bootblack, aged about 40 years, shot Daisy Capello, 15 years old, and then turned the weapon on himself. Nucci was madly in love with the girl, and wanted to marry her, but her father had refused to give his consent, and ordered him away from the house. The girl did not reciprocate Nucci's passion, and when she met him acidentally this morning she refused to listen to his pleadings to elope and marry him. Nucci then fired at her and afterwards shot himself.

MISS BORTHWICK'S DEATH.

She Had Taken Laughing Gas in Ottawa Dental Parior.

Ottawa, Sept. 26.—Miss Lottie Borth-wick, aged 18, daughter of Thos. Borth-wick, Gloucester township, a niece of ex-Mayor Borthwick, of Ottawa, died this afternoon while under the influence of an anaesthetic in Graham & Beatty's dental parlors, Wellington street. She asked for an anaesthetic, and nitrous oxide, commonly known as laughing gas, was administered. Dr. Baptie, coroner, who was present for an hour trying to restore respiration, returned a report to the Crown Attorney that death resulted from an anaesthetic accident, with no

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Please put your name on the Visitors' Book, which is to be kept in the parsonage for future reference. If possible, please wear a small white badge on the lapel of your coat in honor of the day.

At the afternoon service there will be presented a morocco bound Bible (large type) to the oldest person attending the services.

PROGRAMME

9.30 a. m.—The old folks will tell the old story in the old way to the young. Special music by the children.

10.30 a. m.—The Old People's Halleluiah Banquet
—a feast of good things. Bro. William Robins of Glen
Buell has been invited to take charge and the Glen Buell class has been invited to join with us in this service.

2.00 p. m .- Prayer and praise service in charge of

2.30 p. m.—The Rev. S. J. Hughes, M.A., pastor of the Athens Circuit, will preach on the old lines. Following this service, there will be a memorial service for those who have died in the neighborhood during the year.

7.00 p. m.—Song service, followed by a service conducted by the pastor in the old fashioned way.

Closing with the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, in which members of all churches are invited to partici-

F. L. Moore, S. M. Ducolon,

H. W. Burnett,

Around the Country-Side ITEMS OF INTEREST ABOUT PLACES AND

SOPERTON

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Davis attended Ottawa fair for a tew days.

The farmers here are hurringy with their silo filling before another frost

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jarvis paid a visit to friends in Seeley's Bay, recently.

returned home A few from here were at Lansdowne fair on the 23rd.

Miss Alice Horton has returned from New Dublin, where she has been C. Danhy

visiting friends

CHARLESTON

Cedar Park hotel closes the last of

There are quite a number of guests at the hotels at present. J. B. Smith h s improved the ap-

Mrs. S. Cleary and children, Chalk River, are visiting relatives here. Benjamin Beale, Sr., is very ill.

C. J. Slack attended the Prescots fair last week. A great many attended the fair at

Lanadowne on Friday. W. F. Johnston is having his house

Corn cutting and potato digging is the order of the day and a great many report potatoes rotten.

A very enjoyable time was spent at the box social at the separate school Sheatown, on Thursday evening.

A number of young people enjoye corn roast at Fortune's school on Friday evening.

LYNDHURST

On Saturday evening the member of the Baseball Club with their lady friends assembled at the home of Mr. W. Johnson to spend a pleasant evening and bid a tormal tarewell to our mutual friend, Mr. Sovereign, whose genial disposition brought him a wide is neither an ornament nor a useful circle of triends.

Before parting, Mr. Geo. Lee and Mr. Clifford Johnson, on behalf of the Club, presented Mr. Sovereign with a gold locket, engraved, and the following short address:

Lyndhurst, Sept. 24, 1904 Dear Mr. Sovereign,—
As your stay in our midst is drawing

to a close, the Lyndhurst Baseball Club desires to thank you for the good work you have done as a player, and, especially, for the good influence you have had both on the players and spectators, on the ball field and in your to Parliament Hill.

in a large part, to your excellent play ing that we owe our success. In the season's work Lundhurst has won the name of having an hones, uprig: t, and gentlemanly team. Here, again, as well as for work on the diamond, we are indebted to you; for by the co nes, such as we had a few weeks example you have set you have helped us attain that name.

Before you leave, we wish you to accept this locket as a token of the rages" distant objects show an appar-Mrs. A. Mulyens, Gananoque, who has been visiting at her parents', has

but also in your tuture life. G. E. Roddick G. W. Lee C. Johnson V. Landon E. Harvey J. Hunkins C. Brownbridge H. Harvey W. F. Jones

GLEN BUELL

Arrived home on Monday morning mirages were very common in th from the far famed Northwest wheat gions, the Indians regarding the phetields, Delbert Westiake. He has been in that section for about thirty pearance of his residence by having it days, prospecting and enjoying an outing. While he speaks highly of man-itoba and the great possibilities of that province, he is frank enough to admit the fact that there is no place which has so many charms for him as Point Edward.

Hen roost thieves are doing a thritty husiness. A few nights ago they called on James A. Lee and secured his supply of young and old stock.

Two or three nights later, they ap propriated John Morden, Jr.'s entire flock, old and young, not even leaving one to announce the time of day.

Not yet satisfied, some persons vis ited the hen dairy owned and operated by Harvey Brayton & Son and left them without sufficient hens to con plete present contracts on hand for

Mrs. Mary Hays reports thieves in her cellar, who helped themselves to several sealers of preserves. We think it a great shame to thus impose upon a

It has been proposed to hold a put lic indignation meeting to object to the celebrared chimney at the P, S., as it

The Kirkland Brothers have re ceived their new corn-harvester, which works fine indeed. We are pleased to see these men take so much interest in

labor saving machinery. C. J, Gilroy & Son report having made three or four sales of young stock at Ottawa fair last week,

The innocent and guileless lambs of

everyday life. During the past season we have been more successful than at ful indeed; bad company one night first we deemed possible. And it is, was the cause,

OLD BAVARIAN TOWNS.

Hany of the Smaller Ones Are M ly Walled Farm Villages,

In old Bavarian districts many of the smaller towns are merely walled farm villages. These settlements of agriculturists reproduce the ancient laager for all. Each is built in the form of a parallelogram, the shorter sides having each a gateway, with double gates, over which rise central square watch-towers capped with conical red roofs. A narrow road or street runs from gate to gate, with old half timber houses set back close to the inclosing wall. The ground floor of these houses affords stabling for cattle, and from these stables the cows are driven out these stables the cows are driven out through the town gates in the morning and brought in at night. Town-ships like this are merely clusters of houses intimately connected with the farm lands that lie beyond their gates. The peasantry, whether peasant proprietors or allotment leaseholders, go in and out to their work.

In eastern Bavaria, toward the Danbe, where the better class farms are to be seen, one finds farmhouses of wood, a great shingled roof coveringas in Holland—not only the large liv-ing apartment, with many bedrooms, but also the stables for the horses and cattle. On such farms much of the farm work is done by girls, who usually wear short petticoats, tight es and kerchiefs on their heads. Most of the men are either in the army er working at trades.

SMOKING A CIGAR.

Some Things That Every User

co Does Not Know. "It's really remarkable, considering the 12,000,000,000 cigars smoked in the United States every year, how few men really know how to smoke," said a prominent tobacco dealer. "There is one mistake in particular that even exced smokers sometimes makethat is in not keeping the tobacco burn-

ing properly.
"About 90 per cent, I should say, of all the cigars sold are better on the outside than the inside. This isn't wholly to deceive the prospective buy-er. It requires a good quality of leaf to shape the outside of a cigar, while the filler may be more readily composed of inferior tobacco. The smoker who permits his cigar to burn inside the One leaning up against the tree, wrapper loses the best part of it. Practically any cigar is rank when smoked through the center. The aroma is lost and the smoke is bitter and acrid.

"Puffing on a cigar that is not burning properly only increases the difficul-ty. The smoker gets more of the smoke of the inside leaves, and the whole cigar becomes hot from the effects of the increased combustion in the center of The proper thing—the only thing to do under the circumstances is to light the cigar again, taking care that lighting. If this plan were followed a good many smokers wouldn't change their brand of cigars so often."

Looming Mirages.

In what are called "looming misuccess, not only in your college work, pinnacles of ice are thus magnified into immense towers or tall, jagged from far out at sea may appear to be twelve or fifteen times as tall as it is long. Rock's and trees are also shown in abnormal shapes and positions, while houses, animal and human beings appear in like exaggerated shapes. Before the sandy plains of our south-western states and territories were ingenuity and tireless energy of man

spirits. Reflecting Lighthouses' Origin Accident, not necessity, was the par ent of the invention of reflecting lighthouses. During a meeting of a mathe matical society at Liverpool some years ago one of the members laid a wager that he could read a newspaper paragraph at ten yards distance by the light of a farthing candle. This he ucceeded in doing by covering the inside of an earthen dish with putty and sticking bits of looking glass on it and then placing his reflector behind the candle. Captain Hutchinson, a dock master, was present, and from this experiment gained the idea from which he evolved the reflecting lighthouse as built in Liverpool.

Cheaping. In parts of Switzerland the baker's wife carries round the bread in a sort

of hamper, and she has not a fixed, immutable charge, but chaffers for a price with the customers. The old English word for this process was "cheaping." which in many places in England been corrupted into chipping. Chip-ping Norton, for instance, is really Cheaping Norton, or the place where goods were cheapened—that is, sold by

A Sad Predicament.

Mabel—I was so mortified at the Pouch mansion the other night. Flo-What happened? Mabel-I wanted to laugh in my sleeve, but I had on my decolette gown and had to hide the

laugh in my glove.

Bacon—Do they give you prunes often at your boarding house? Egber -They give us nothing! We have to pay for prunes, and we get 'em six

A Remarkable Feat.

Old Salt-Oh, the ocean's a big place dearie! Why, many's the time I've stood for three days on one tack, and-"My sakes, grandpa! I hope you had your shoes on!"

A Hard Island Coon Hunt

Because they like to eat it so— It grows down there behind the b Down by the woods, you know.

Two chaps from Union Valley came, Prepared to go and hunt them there They brought three splendid dogs along, Lest it should prove to be a bear.

Now, Mr. Editor, I say, Don't get me in your song As the I went out hunting too, For I just went along.

But when we got into the woods, 'Way down behind the barn, The dogs an awfu: yelping made A-coming through the corn.

And then the boys, to hear them, sir You'd think were water-lo Young Loyd be jumped and yelled "Ha, boys, It's just alive wilh coons.

One coon ran plunk against the fence As the' he couldn't se And then he turned his course anmade Straight for the nearest tree.

Two dogs, of course, took other tracks And soon were far away, Which left the boys the smallest dog The captive coon to slav. So Loyd he climbed into the tree,

Till his coonship should come down But when his feet one touched the tu-For a distant tree he lined. While Watt pursued with club in h And scarce one jump behind

While Watt a cudgel found And waited 'neath impatiently

And stumbling as they reach the tree, In the light of the glimmering moon You scarce could tell for your dear life Which was the boy or coop.

Then up the basswood tree they thought, Lest he should get away, They'd let his lordly coonship rest

Until the break of day. And you can't guess, dear editor, What solid bliss they found-One sleeping on the ground.

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The land of "Pretty Soon."

There are uncut jewels of possible Lying about in the dust, And many a noble and lofty aim Covered with mould and rust. And, oh, this place, while it seems so mean, Is further away than the moon! The our purpose is fair, yet we never que there—
The land of "Pretty Soon."

It is further at noon than it is at dawn,
Further at night than at noon;
Oh! let us beware of that land down there—
The land of "Pretty Soon."
—The King's Own.

WHAT REDISTRIBUTION MEANS. or of Irish Mombers Will Be Largely

The British House of Commons consists of 670 members, of whom nine sit for universities in the three kingdoms. Four hundred and ninety members represent over 54 millions of English and Welsh veters. Seekland has seventy members for 704, 600 electors, while Ireland enjoys the services of 101 members for an electorate of 695,000. That is to set, while one English member represents 11,070 electors, a Scotch member represents 10,400, and an Irish member 6,980. If the balance were to be struck afresh the rough result would be that England would get thirty more members and Ireland would lose about thirty.

It cannot conduce to the good Government of the country or to the The British House of Common

Government of the country or to direction of national policy in ac-cordance with the desires of the whole people that one section should thus be entrusted with nearly twice as much political power per head as another. Take the Irish boroughs as an example. They have an electoranother. Take the Irish boroughi san example. They have an electorate of 111,819 and return sixteen members to Parliament. On the other hand, Romford, Walthamstow, Wandsworth and Cardiff have among them 128,251 veters, but only four mombers. Thus if a man lives in an Irish town he has four times the amount of control over Parliament he would exercise if he lived in certain London suburbs. He may even tain London suburbs He may even have fifteen times as much. In Rom-ford 41,749 electors return one member, whereas in Newry, which has equal representation in the division lobby, there are only 1,939 voters. In Galway there are 2,264, in Waterford 8,423, and in Kilkenny 1,489, and each sands a member to Parliaand each sends a member to Parliament. Only three Irish constituencies number 10,000 voters; in England there are eleven over 20,000.

The miniatures and snuff-boxes of the late Duke of Cambridge came up for sale on Friday, June 10, at

Messrs. Christie's, London. There was a large crowd, and high prices were realized. The total of the day. amounted to £14,726 6s 6d, the the sale so far showing £87,100. the sale so far showing £87,100.

The highest price was paid for a Louis XV. oblong gold snuff-box, with panels enamelled in polychrome, with sporting subjects, and this realized £2,000; three Louis XVI. oval gold snuff-boxes sold for £720, £400 and £650 respectively; another of the same period, enamelled, painted in grisaille, with Cupids and figure subjects representing the arts and sciences, fetched £1,600; and another, also of the same period, the sides with four oblong enamels, with subjects after Boucher went for £500.

The miniature included a number of

The miniature included a number of members of the Royal Family by R. Cosway, and the best prices were: King William IV., when Duke of Clarence, 140 guineas; George IV., when Prince of Wales, 150 guineas; and Princess Sophia, 860 guineas.

Lady Campbell Clarke. A London paper says: "Lady Campbell Clarke, the sister of Lord Burnham, who has generously given £10,000 to the newspaper press fund to found pensions, is the widow of the late Sir Campbell Clarke, who

Oh, show me the rout to Laughtertown,
Not I have lost the way!
I wandered out of the path one day,
When my heart was broke and my hair
turned grey,
And I can't remember how to play,
I've that larough sighing and weeping, they
It's all turough sighing and weeping, they There was a time when our arbo-real ancestors dressed in permanent furs, says a writer in The Morning Leader, and even to-day domestic animals cannot reconcile themselves

Try the experiment of undressing and putting on a new suit of clothes in the presence of your cat or dog. He will watch you with wonder, not unalloyed with fear. And the chances are that your dog, being inferior in intellect to your cat, will fail to know you when you have reduced yourself to your lowest terms, and will fly at your trouserless legs. The cat, on the contrary, will watch you with pitying disdain, and merely decline to have anything to do with you until you resume your fur.

do with you until you resume your fur.

We have, after ages of effort, suc-ceeded in discarding our original fur, and, as a consequence have had te put on clothing. Why should we not go back to the fashions of our ances-tors?

Doubtless we could once more grow plenty of fur, if we tried to do so. Some distinguished editor would at once invent a fur restorer warrant-

once invent a fur restorer warrant-ed to produce a thick growth of fur on the smoothest skin. If we were

on the smoothest skin. If we were once more as furry as the "missing link" undoubtedly was, we should find it very comfortable.

Of course we should moult a little in summer, and wear a somewhat thinner coat of fur, but we should even then find ourselves cooler than we are with artificial clothing.

In winter our fur would keep us warm on the coldest day, and, as it would be to a great extent water-proof, we should no longer need umbrellas and mackintoshes.

Think of the comfort we should find in doing away with the labor and monotony of dressing! Think of the money that we would save by ne longer contributing to the opulence

and monotony of dressing! Think of
the money that we would save by ne
longer contributing to the opulence
of tailors! Never again would we
suffer from the lost stud or the
missing button. Never again weuld
skirts be trodden on and torn in
the dance. Our fur would never wear
out, and never be soiled by mud, or
coal dust, or misapplied soap.
We should save years of time that
are now spent in dressing and undressing, and we should never suffer from envy of our neighbor's fur,
since it would be exactly the same
quality as our own.

Permanent fur would not, however,
of necessity put an end to competition among women in the matter of
out-dressing one another. Fur could
be dyed on one's person, as well as
in a shop. Ladies could wear fur of
all possible colors and combinations
of color.

The staut woman would probably

all possible colors and combinations of color.

The stout woman would probably wear black fur, with white perpendicular stripes, and thus prevent the fact of her undue stoutness from being too prominent. The slim girl, prottily dressed in blue fur, with white spots, would far surpass the longer in appearance.

leopard in appearance.

If a woman can make herself attractive at the present time by dye-ing the hair of her head yellow, how much more beautiful would she be were her fur to be dyed yellow from

head to foot!

The dyes need not be permanent, for if they were every person would have to stick to the same color and have to stick to the same color and pattern of fur; but there could be a general agreement that every person of fashion should dye afresh his or her fur at Easter and on other "new bonnet" days.

The dyes would not be expensive. At any rate they would be far less so than are clothes, and any woman of ingenuity and fancy could give herself a fresh and apparently new

of ingenuity and fancy could give herself a fresh and apparently new suit of fur every few days.

Very possibly nature would in time adopt the fashion of colored fur, and would herself provide us with colored furs of varied patterns. There is no reason why she should not do this, for she has certainly been lavish with her colors and designs when dressing the other animals, and she never fears to adopt a fashion merenever fears to adopt a fashion mere because she has not herself invent-

We should probably have in time many different species of men and women distinguished from one anoth-er by their fur, even as nowadays we distinguish different ranks of society by difference in clothes.

Herbert Spencer's Wager Herhert Spencer once won a cur-

ious wager. He was staying for a fishing holiday in the house of Sir Francis Powell, the President of the Scottish Academy, and, while ang-ling for trout, he happened to drop his eyeglasses into a deep pool of the river. In the evening he related his misadventure to his host and the guests, and said that he was pre-pared to bet that he would recover his pince-nez from the bottom of the pool. His friends declared that this was an impossible feat, but Herbert Spencer still offered to make the bet. His challenge was accepted by one of the visitors. Upon the following evening Spencer returned to the house with the missing eyeglasses. house with the missing eyeglasses. He had fastened a strong magnet on the end of his fishing line, and fished for the glasses until it came into contact with their steel rims.

Stories by Lord Burnhame Lord Burnham presided at the re-cent annual dinner in London of the ewspaper Fund. He told a number of stories. One thing he said was that, on a fishing trip in Scotland, where he had stopped to rest. The cliff was two miles back, but the hungry Lord set out for it on a fast walk. On the way he met a shabbily-

walk. On the way he met a shabbily-dressed Scot.

"Did you," he asked, "find anyosition and apply approximation in a flat "'a." said the Scot. "Na, not I.

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Lord Grimthorpe, who has r the patriarchal age of 88, is, says The London Star, the least ostenta-tious Peer in England—and the most tious Peer in England—and the most pugnacious. Time was when Printing Mouse square kept a standing headline to top the epistolary denunciations of Lord Grimtherpe, because he would insist on using his faculty to restore the grand old Abbey of St. Albans in the way he shose best. Sometimes the grim old Peer turned a deaf ear to the one sleuchters of his foss. Sometimes he slaughters of his foes. Sometimes he put pen to paper in self-defence, and when he did it was to some purpose.

But the sum total of his Lordship's attitude was, "I'm paying the piper, and I'm going to call the tune." It and I'm going to can the tune. didn't matter to Lord Grimthorpe that the price of having it all his own way was a hundred and fifty thousand pounds! He was chief of the Leeds banking family of Beckett, and money was no object, so long as be achieved the perpetuation of one of the finest Norman fabrics in Eng-land, the turrets of which were de-

clared to be too rotten to bear re-

died in 1902. He was for many years the distinguished correspondent in Paris of The Daily Telegraph, and had married the sister of its prohad married the sister of its proprietor. Sir Campbell Clarke was appointed during the France-Prussian war. He landed in France shortly after the battle of Sedan, and when peace was signed he took up his residence in Paris, and helped to organize and distribute The Daily Telegraph fund for the relief of French sufferers. Lady Campbell Clarke had already founded a scholarship at University College and a musical schelarship at the Royal Academy of Music in memory of his late husband.

lete husband.

Canadian youth.

An interesting incident occurred a short time ago in connection with the Immigration Office at St. Paul. Mr. P. J. Curtin dropped into the Mr. P. J. Curtin dropped into the office of the Department of the Interior at that place to protect himself from a rain storm. There he became interested in what he saw, and in consequence has since sold his 800 acres of land at Rock, Minu, realizing by the sale over \$32,000, and started for western Canada, where he bought land, and with his six sons will take up homesteads In the family are five daughters, who will also go to western Canada. This is a desirable class of aettlers to secure for western 'anada.

to secure for western ' anada. position and apply camphor or ammonia to nostrils: loosen clothing.

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And follow his dancing feet as they stray;
For he knows the road to Laughtertown,
O ye who have lost the way.

--Katherine D. Blake.

QUEBEC'S GAME PARK. A Vast Wilderness of More Than 2,600

THE ROAD TO LAUGHTERTOWN.

THE BOAD TO LAUGHTER TOWN

More than a million and a half of acres have been set aside by the Government of the Province of Quebec as a national park for the protection of fish and game and the maintenance of the forests and water supply. necessary to their propagation. Situated for the most part, in the heart of the Laurentian Mountain, it has been named the Laurentides National Park. If one takes a map of the province and traces the map of the province and traces the route which is followed by the tour-ist who travels from Quebec to Lake

ist who travels from Quebec to Lake St. John by rail, thence to Chicoutimi and down the Saguenay to its mouth at Tadousac and back to Quebec by way of the St. Lawrence he will have marked out practically the exterior lines of the park, except a narrow strip of territory north of the St. Lawrence, south of Lake St. John and west of the Saguenay.

The exact area of the park is 1,-689,400 acres, or 2,640 square miles, and upon much of its wild interior no white man has ever set foot.

The park includes the sources and head waters of every important river

head waters of every important river draining that part of the country of which it forms the centre. By pre-serving the forests alike from the which it forms the centre. By pre-serving the forests alike from the danger of fire and the axe of the lumberman, efficient guardianship of the park insures a safe asylum for the antiered big game which roam

their depths. their depths.

Among the rivers whose headwaters are enclosed in this park are
the Montmorency, the Jacques Cartier, the Ste. Anne de la Perade, the Ratiscan, the Metabetchouan, the Up-Batiscan, the Metabetchouan, the Upicauba, the Upica, the Chicoutimi, the Boisvert, the Mars, the Ha! Ha! the Murray and the Ste. Annes, which are among the finest trout streams in the world. Some of these, like the Murray, the Jacques Carklen and the Mars are salmon streams in and the Mars, are salmon streams in their lower stretches after they have emerged from the confines of the park. More contained salmon in by-

gone days, and with a proper s tem of protection would still good salmon rivers. good salmon rivers.

The grandest of mountain, river and lake scenery is to be found in this park, and the fly fishing cannot be excelled.

The Colonel and the Fing.

The Celenel and the Fing.

If Col. Kaulbach had only sung "The Red, White and Blue," in response to the urgent demands of his fellow-members, he would have left nothing to be desired in his presentation of the case for the Canadian fing. Col. Kaulbach, an Anglican, dignified and persuasive, a shipowner whose fing has flown in every sea, joins hands with his fiery combative French-Canadian compatriot, Mr. Bourassa, in defence of the fing. The other day in the House of Commons he read the account of the cutting out of the Canadian coat-of arms from the fing of the ship M. J. Taylor by Ray Stamford, British Consul at Rio Grande de Sul, Argentine Republic, and went on to refer to any this company in the parameter. public, and went on to re other ship appropriately named the Canada (which he did not say was his own), the captain of which was forced to haul down the Canadian flag by the British Consul at Bahia, Brazil, May, 1901. Upon a previous occasion Col. Kaulbach had pointed

octasion Col. Radioach mat pointed out that by a warrant of February 2, 1892, the British Admiralty gave orders that the red ensign with the Canadian coat-of-arms in the flag was to be recognized as the flag of the Canadian merchant marine.
"Well may we say," said Col.
Kaulbach, unfolding a piece of paper.
Mr Bennett—In the words of the

Amid laughter the Colonel acknow-Amid laughter the Colonel acknowledged the corn, and read:
"It's only a small bit of bunting,
It's only an old colored rag," etc.
The colors of that flag, he said,
were symbolic—red, white, and blue—
cries of "Three cheers for the red,
white and blue," and "song, song."
The Speaker resisted the pressure,
but eloquently pointed to the colors
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Commentary.—I. The vision (v. 12). Lesson eleven of the third quarter should now be reviewed. 12. Elisha saw it— That is, the ascension of Elijah. "Elisha That is, the ascension of Elijah. "Elisha saw this, however, not with his natural eyes, for it was a scene belonging to the spiritual world, and to behold it he must, like the young man mentioned in chapter vi, 17, have his inner senses unvailed. My father—"This title of affection, was given by the younger prophets to an elder. Elijah had been a father to him in his care and training, in love and in legacy." "These words should be understood as an exclamation of wonder and amazement. Rent them—This was a common mode of expressing grief. Elisha looked upon Elijah's departure as a personal bereavement. He had lost the guide of his youth; loneliness came over him, and he acted like a heartbroken mourner.

mourner.

-II. Dividing the Jordan (vs. 13, 14).

13. The mantle—This was the same mantle with which he had been called by Elijah to the prophetic office, and by which Elijah divided Jordan. Having the mantle was a proof that he was invested with

the authority of his master.—Clarke. Stood by the bank—"He was the same man and yet not the same; like many another who has gone to the gate of neaven with a departing saint. He could no more lean on Elijah, but he found that he had received the prophet's dying legacy, 1. Elijah's mantle. 2, Elijah's God. 3, Elijah's spirit, 4, Elijah's office."

14. Smote—Elisha's first miracle was identical with Elijah's last one. "He acts upon the faith that he would receive

upon the faith that he would receive from God the power which he had desir-sired."—Lumby. Where is, etc.,—"This question does not imply doubt of God's resence, but is an entreaty for his pow-resence, but is an entreaty for his pow-r to show itself, and give a fore-taste f the spirit of Elijah which had been romised."—Ibid.

III. Searching for Elijah. (vs. 15-18).

promised."—Ibid.

III. Searching for Elijah (vs. 15-18).

15. Sons of the prophets—The fifty who had gone to a height to watch Elijah and Elisha as they went across the Jordan (v. 7), and were waiting for his return! They said, etc.—When they saw the miracle wrought by Elisha they were confirmed in the belief that he was divinely appointed successor of Elijah. Bowed themselves—Thus showing that they acknowledged him as their head. "These men were trained up in the schools of the prophets—Elisha at the plow and cart; yet now they stand not upon terms of their worth and his meanness, but meekly fall down before him whom God had honored.

16. Seek thy master — It cannot be supposed after what they had said before to Elisha, that the Lord would take away his master on that day, that they expected to find Elijah somewhere alive. Ye shall not—Elisha was absolutely certain that the body could not be found.

17. Ashamed—To refuse longer to grant their request. He saw that they would not be satisfied until they had made the search. The best way to solve doubts and questionings about religion is by a personal investigation. 18. Did I not say.—The search only confirmed the

by a personal investigation. 18. Did I not say—The search only confirmed the words of Elisha. "Those that would find Elijah, let them aspire to the heavenly Elijah, let them aspire to the heavenly paradise. Let them follow the high steps of his sincere faithfulness, strong patience, undaunted courage, fervent zeal, and constant obedience."—Bishop Hall.

IV. Healing the waters (vs. 19-22). 19.
Men of the city—Prominent citizens of the place. Perhaps they were the elders of the city who thus applied to Elisha, and their action shows that he had their confidence. Is naught—Is bad, harmful; the word "naught" was formerly used in this sense. Ground barren—See R. V. "Casteth her fruit."—R. V., margin. The evil effect was clearly in consequence of the hurtful water, for the healing of the spring is to bring a remedy for the other evils. radise. Let them follow the high steps

20. A new cruse-A new cup or dish, holy service. The purity of the vessel was to typify the purification brought upon the spring." Salt therein—"Elisha, in working this miracle, would seem to make use of means just as did Jesus when he put spittle on the blind man's eyes." (John ix. 6). "The injurious property and effect was not taken from the water by the salt poured in: for even if one "never used in any comm on or unperty and effect was not taken from the water by the salt poured in; for even if the salt actually possessed this power, a whole spring could not be corrected by a single dish of salt, even for one day, much less for a longer time, or forever.

21, Unto the spring—The fountain bursts forth at the eastern foot of a high tarble counter. double mound, or group of mounds, sit-uated a mile or more in front of the mountain Quarantania, and about thirty five minutes from the modern village of Jericho. Lord... healed—Not Elisha, nor the salt, but God wrought the change in the fountain. Compare this miracle with that of the healing of the poisonous pottage (chap. ic. 38-41) and the waters of Marah (Exod. xv. 25).

The choice of Elisha was in no way inferior to that of Solomon. The greatest prophet of Israel had given Elisha the privilege of choosing any blooming any bloomi the privilege of choosing any blessing he might desire. It was then he showed his remarkable sagacity and commendable foresight. In his estimation the spirit Government desires the fulfilment of Elijah was of far greater value than such Newfoundland treaties as have ne the treasures of a kingdom; so desirable, yet been abrogated, and from this stanindeed, that he longed exceedingly not merely for that spirit, but for a "double portion" of it. Surely it was a hard thing to ask, as Elijah intimated, but thing to ask, as Elijah intimated, but he was to have it upon one condition, that he should see Elijah when the prophet was taken from him. The lesson of to-day opens with the scene of separation. To Elisha's great joy, he saw Elijah ascending into heaven, and cried, "My father, my father, the chariot of Israel and the horsemen thereof." This desire for the lofty prophetic spirit of an intensely spiritual man was both noble and praiseworthy.

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oul charged with divine energy. He reeived the coveted blessing. At such
rises in men's lives what remarkable
larges take place in their natural dissecreted about the place and escaped. ges take place in their natural dis-

positions, in their attitude toward the pleasures of sin, and in their relations to the world above them. When the mantle of God's power clothes a man he becomes unworldly. He feels within him an indomitable strength, which enables him to easily adjust himself to the exigencies of a new and increasingly responsible sphere of action. He is aroused to new endeavor.

Commentary.—I. The vision (v. 12). Recognition of spiritual power. All right-minded men instinctively honor the man whom God has blessed. That very fact is a proof that the person so favored

man whom God has blessed. That very fact is a proof that the person so favored is of singularly pure character and possessed of great personal worth. The young prophets who met Elisha said: "The spirit of Elijah doth rest upon Elisha," and "they bowed themselves to the ground before him." They recognized him as the chosen successor of the great prophet, and were inclined to accept promptly his leadership. Not every chosen man of God has received so promptly the meed of honorable recognition from his brethren. The common experience among men has been that "a prophet is not without honor save in his own country." It was so with Jeremiah. It was so with Christ. The time for ful recognition, however, is sure to come, It was so with Christ. The time for ful recognition, however, is sure to come, when those who turn many to righteous-ness shall shine as the stars forever and

ness shall shine as the stars forever and ever.

Incredulity of the young prophets. A party of the young prophets had followed Elijah and Elisha as they journeyed toward the Jordan. They were lingering near when the fiery chariot descended. They no doubt beheld the separation and the ascension of Elijah, and they may have seen the falling mantle. But although they were ready to give Elisha full recognition as their leader, yet they could scarcely believe that Elijah had been carried away to heaven. They intimated that the Spirit of the Lord had taken him up, but had, perchance, 'cast him upon some mountain' or "into some valley." Elisha knew full well that no such mishap had befallen his predecessor, and a thorough search showed that his opinions were correct. Elijah had gone up by a whirlwind into heaven, and hewas not to be found on the hills or in the valleys of Gilead.

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the valleys of Gilead.

Elisha a blessing to the people of Jericho. A godly man is a tower of strength and a source of consolation in any community where he may live. Is courage needed in inaugurating moral reform? He possesses it. Is there a pressing need for the alleviation of distress? The man for the alleviation of distress? The man of God is ready to supply that need. The influence of such a man is always helpful, healing, elevating. As Elisha gave to the people of Jericho a pure water sup-ply, so holy men of God in all ages have been to the nations sources of spiritual refreshment and healing nower. refreshment and healing power.

ITEMS OF NEWS FROM FAR AND NEAR

Mr. R. L. Borden will speak in Toronto

A party of English engineers will visit

Right Hon. James Bryce will speak at the Toronto Canadian Club on Oct. 3. The Windsor Hotel at Sault Ste. Marie

Fire destroyed the brick-making plant of the Builders' Supply Company

North Bruce Liberals have nominated Mr. J. E. Campbell, of Hepworth, for the

Lieut. Gov. Forget opened the session of the Northwest Legislative Assembly at Regina.

The Austrian Government has ordered twenty torpedo boats from Yarrow & Co., of Glasgow. Russia has urged China, the suzerain power, to refuse consent to the Anglo-Thibetan treaty.

At Indianapolis the international convention of the brewery workers decided to weet in Toronto next year.

The leading jurists of the world are attending the conference of the Institute of International Law at Edinburgh.

At the congress of arts and sciences at St. Louis. Prof. Vries, of Holland, combatted Darwin's theory of the origin of species, and advanced one of his own Mr. McNicoll, general manager of the C. P. R., does not anticipate any trouble with the carmen, as both the company and the men are willing to arbitrate.

Mr. Wood, president of the London, England, Corn Exchange Association, has arrived in Winnipeg to secure informa-tion respecting the inspection and handgrain.

The mid-Worcestershire Tariff Reform Association has published a pamphlet declaring that under the present system of tariffs Kidderminster will lose the Canadian carpet trade.

A comparative statement of building operations in the leading United States cities shows that Winnipeg leads them all, surpassing even New York in the aggregate of permits issued by over \$8,000,000.

The Paris Temps says the French yet been abrogated, and from this stand point depends the interests and rights of the fishermen of Brittany, St. Pierre and Miquelon.

Important changes in Salvation army

to-night in a battle with robbers at Riverside

15 miles south of Chicago.

Late to-night two robbers broke into the section house, which was occupied by severa Italian railroad men, who had gone to bed The mantle of Elijah. This garment seems to have been the symbol of spiritual power, and when Elisha placed it upon his shoulders he doubtless felt his

Japan Tea Drinkers

THE STREET STREET, STREET, SELECT BUILDINGS

LAND OF THE "PRETTY BOOM! THE ROAD TO LEDGHTERT WIN

Contrast an infusion of

CEYLON NATURAL CREEN tea with the tea you are using. The result will be a pleasant revelation to your palate. Sold in the same form as "SALADA" black tea. Sealed lead packets only. 25c and 40c per lb. By all grocers.

NEWFOUNDLAND'S TURN.

Ointment is a boon for Itching Piles, or Blind, Bleeding Piles. It relieves quickly and permanently. In skin eruptions it stand without a rival. Thousands of testimon if you want evidence. 35 cents.-23.

"The Bride Can't Cook." Surgeon General Evatt, of the British army, said in a lecture the other day that when a clergyman engaged in marthat when a ceregyinal engages in marrying a couple asks whether any one present knows of any reason why the parties before him should not be joined in matrimony, the objection, "The bride can't cook," ought to be enough to at least postpone the wedding. KOUROPATKIN WIRES.

London, Sept. 26.—The Moraing Bost, referring editorially to the renewed fishing troubles of Newfoundland, says that last year the representations of the Dominion Government on the appointed ment of the Alaska Boundary Command of the Alaska Boundar

Objected to His Majesty Touring Spain in an Automobile.

in an Automobile.

London, Sept. 26.—A despatch to the Express from Madrid says that King Alfonso has had a sharp quarrel with Prime Minister Maura, because the latter objected to his majesty going on an automobile tour through Spain, owing to the risk of acidents and attacks by Anarchists. The Prime Minister appealed to the King's mother, who supported Senor Maura. Thereupon the King angirily declared that he would rather lose his Prime Minister than abandon the tour, He has ordered two magnificent automobiles from Paris.

A prominent club woman, Mrs. Danforth, of St. Joseph, Mich., tells how she was cured of falling of the womb and its accompanying pains and misery by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

a DEAR Mas. PINKHAM:—Life looks dark indeed when a woman feels that her strength is fading away and she has no hopes of ever being restored. Such was my feeling a few months ago when I was advised that my poor health was caused by prolapsus or falling of the womb. The words sounded like a knell to me, I felt that my sun had womb. The words sounded like a knell to me, I felt that my sun had set; but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound came to me as an elixir of life; it restored the lost forces and built me up until my good health returned to me. For four months I took the medicine daily and each dose added health and strength. I am so thankful for the help I obtained through its use."—Mrs. Florence Danforth, 1007 Miles Ave., St. Joseph, Mich.

A medicine that has restored so many women to health and can produce proof of the fact must be regarded with respect. This is the record of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which cannot be equalled by any other medicine the world has ever produced. Here is another case:—

"Drar Mrs. Pinkham:—For years I was

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"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—For years I was troubled with falling of the womb, irregular and painful menstruation, leucorrhora, bearingdown pains, backache, headache, dizzy and fainting spells, and stomach trouble.

"I doctored for about five years but did "I doctored for about five years but did

"I doctored for about five years but did
not seem to improve. I began the use of your
medicine, and have taken seven bottles of
Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,
three of Blood Purifier, and also used the
Sanative Wash and Liver Pills, and am now
enjoying good health, and have gained in flesh.
I thank you very much for what you
have done for me, and heartily recommend your medicine to all suffering
women."—Miss Emma Snyder, 218 East
Conter St. Marion, Ohio.

Center St., Marion, Ohio. "FREE MEDICAL ADVICE TO WOMEN."

Women would save time and much sickness if they would write to Mrs. Pinkham for advice as soon as any distressing symptoms appear. It is free, and has put thousands of women on the right road to recovery.

Mrs. Pinkham never violates the confidence thus entruste her, and although she publishes thousands of testimonials from women who have been benefited by her advice and medicine, never in all her experience has she published such a letter without

the full consent, and often by special request of the writer. S5000 FORFEIT if we cannot forthwith produce the original letters and signatures of above testimonials, which will prove their absolute genuineness.

Lydia E. Finkham Redicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

The receipts of grain on the street to day were hardly as large as usual, owing the wet morning. Wheat steady, 600 bustles of new winter selling at \$1.05 to \$1.5 200 bustles of goods at 90 to \$20, and of load of spring at \$105. Barley lirm, wit sales of 600 bushles at 48 to 53c. Oats us changed, 500 bushles, of new selling at 35 36c, and a load of old at 40c.

Dairy produce in moderate supply, at firm. Choice butter sold at 20 to 22c, at fresh eggs at 22 to 24c. Poultry in fair supply at steady prices.

British Cattle Market.

London, Sept. 24.—Cattle are steady at 10 to 12½c per lb.; refrigerator beef, 8%c to 9½c per lb. Sheep, 10½ to 11½, dressed weight.

The Cheese Markets.

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Cowansville, Sept. 24.—To-day 27 creameries offered 1,338 boxes of butter and 19 factories offered 738 boxes of cheese, Cheese sales: A. W. Grant 375 at 81-15c; Fowler 220 at 8%c, and 76 at 815-16c; Hodgson, 35 at 813-16c; Gunh & Langlois, 59 at 8%c; D. A. McPherson, 42 at 8%c. Cheese all sold; 30 boxes butter held over.

Belleville, Sept. 24.—At the cheese meeting held here to-day there were offered 2,000 boxes white, of which Hodgson bought 285 and Grant 200 at 8%c; balance refused.

Watertown, Sept. 24.—Large white, 18 lots, 1,325 boxes, at 9% to 9%c; large colored, 1 lot, 65 boxes, 9%c; small white, 21 lots, 1,597 boxes, 94 50 89%c; white twins, 53 lots, 3,757 boxes, 94 to 9%c; colored twins, 12 lots, 635 boxes, 9%c.

Cornwall, Ont. Sept. 25.—To-day 525 boxes white and 1,247 colored were boarded; some of the sales were; 25 boxes white at 91-16c, 263 white at 9%c 1,407 colored, at 9%c, and cheese, twins, 9%c.

Canton, N. Y. Sept. 25.—Butter, 20%c; cheehe, twins, 9%c. 24.—Nine factories offered 1,583 boxes to-day; sales, 200 at 8%c.

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Toronto Live Stock.

Receipts of live stock at the city market, were 12 car loads, composed of 108 cattle, 159 hogs, 201 sheep and lambs and 28 cattles. Partof the above stock came on the market on Thursday evening.

Trade was about the same as on Thursday, all cattle of good quilty, both butchers and feeders, being readily bought at steady prices, as will be seen by quotations given below.

McDonald & Maybee, 10 feeders, 1,080 lbs. each, at \$3.95; 13 butchers', 1,20 lbs. each, at \$3.75 per cwt.

William Tait, 3 Hamilton butcher, bought 1 load of fairly good cattle, 1,000 lbs. each, at \$3.75 per cwt.

Patterson & Steers, Agincourt, bought 1 load feeding bulls, 255 lbs. each, ac \$2.25 per cwt.; 1 load feeders of choice quality, 1,065 lbs. each, at \$4 per cwc.; also 1 load ededrs, 1,020 lbs; each, at \$3.90; 1 load of choice lambs, at \$4.35 per cwt.

W. E. Deam *cedved. 76 cars, containing 506; cattle, from Chicago, for export purposss.

C. Zeagman & Sons sole 1 load of cwt.

Hog deliveries light, at unchanged prices.

According to Montreal reports to Brad According to Montreal reports to Brad-street's, there is now a better demand for staple goods. Orders from retailers who were holding off are coming forward in good volume. The announcement of the new prices on cotton goods have stimu-lated the demand in this connection, and in other departments of business there is also a more active inquire.

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While the country trade at Toronto is a trifle quiet, the farmers being still busy with harvest operations and delivering little produce yet, Bradstreet's advices say the prospects for business are good and traders are buying quite liberally. The sale of goods for the late fall and winter continues to show expansion. Shipments, especially by water to the Northwest, are heavier. The higher prices for wheat, too, will help offset the smaller crop. Winter wheat is selling to domestic millers round \$1.06 at country points.

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At Quebec during the week trade in wholesale and retail circles has fully held its own, and there is a demand for fall wear. The outlook is favorable.

As the season at Victoria and Vancouver progresses, the demand for supplies for inland mining and other trade centres increases, and considerable shipments of goods are being made. The demand in these centres of business is also good.

lso good. With an assured yield of wheat con siderably larger than that of last year, there is a cheerful tone displayed in Winnipeg wholesale and retail trade cir-

Hamilton business conditions, accord ing to Bradstreet's reports, are good with a healthy tone, giving promise occusiderable expansion in the near future considerable expansion in the near future, Large shipments are being made to the Northwest, and other sections of the country. Values of staple goods are generally steady to firm.

London jobbing trade circles continue to show a good deal of activity.

Ottawa wholesale trade is satisfactory.
Shipments of limber from this market to

Shipments of lmber from this market to the United States continue heavy.

Over 100 Dead or Fatally 9 Injured.

Rioters at Sasnovitch Dis--member Bodies of Victims.

Parts of the Corpses Being Tossed to Dogs.

Berlin, Sept. 26.-The Russian crusades against the Jews have penetrated to Germany, according to information obtained to-day, which details occurrences in Germany rivaling the deeds of the Jew baiters in Russia. This information has reached the world by channels similar to that through which came

the news of the Kishineff slaughter. There was a riot at Sasnovitch one week ago to-day, it is reported. News of this outbreak evidently has been successfully suppressed by the German officials, the first information concerning

cessfully suppressed by the German officials, the first information concerning it being that received to-day. How this was accomplished in Germany, where the press enjoys a large measure of freedom, is not understood here.

Jews were murdered in the streets of Sasnovitch and blood flowed in the gutters like a stream. The dead are over fifty and the wounded, while not known, reach hundreds. More than 100 were left for dead or believed to may be been mostally wounded.

Sasnovitch, where the riot is reported to have occurred, is a small city in the province of Prisen, in Germany, near the

province of Prisen, in Germany, near the Russian border. The population of the place is made up of Jews, Germans and

Russians.

The riots began at sunrise on Sunday one week ago and continued until the rioters were exhausted. Bodies of vicrioters were exhausted. Bodies of vic-time were dismembered. The rioters used axes and knives to chop off arms and legs, the severed members being tossed to the dogs in the streets. In one instance, it is reported, the arms of a sexton of a synogogue were twisted from his body by his assailants, and the wounded who were carried to been tall were multicated after reach-

hospitals were maltreated after reach-ing the institutions.

The bloodthirsty mob fell upon the
Jewish quarter after sunrise, and when-

ever it encountered a Jew pursued him and stabbed him in the back or shot him and stabbed him in the back or shot him down as he was making his escape.

The bodies of those who were riddled with shot were left to he in the street until the second mob, carrying knives, would come along. With their sharp blades they severed hands, legs and feet. Fragments of these bodies were hurled to dogs, which followed the mob.

A Jewish woman named Gelenzer, who was the mother of five children, fought desperately and pleaded for her children's sake that her life be spared. She was stabbed fifty-eight times and dismembered.

bered.

Although the Jewish quarter was so terrorized that every man was afraid of his life, men went so the rescue of the woman, but she died in a few min-

singhter were thought and the corpses by friends was almost impossible.

The massacre lasted all day and ended only when the mob was exhausted. In the darkness of the night the Jews gathered up fragments of bodies and buried them, while the surviving wounded were taken to hospitals.

There they were ill treated in the hospitals, and it is expected that few can recover. Many have died.

Assertions are made that the chief of police of Sasnovitch, knowing the massacre was planned, detailed his men to another section of the city on a pretext that their services were needed there, thus permitting the slaughter to continue without interference.

To Starve is a Fallacy.-The dictum to stop eating because you have indi-gestion has long since been exploded. Dr. Yon Stan's Pineapple Tablets introduced a new era in the treatment of stomach trou-bles. It has proved that one may eat his fill of anything and everything he relishes, and one tablet taken after the meal will aid the stomach in doing its work. 60 in a box, 25 cents.—24.

HON, JOHN MORLEY COMING.

British M. P. Expected in Canada About End of October.

Toronto, Sept. 26.—The Right Hon. John Morley, M. P., the author of the biography of Mr. Gladstone, and many other works, and of Mr. Gladstone, and many other works, and who has held important Cabinet positions in Britain, expects to be in Toronto some time towards the end of October. Such is the purport of a letter which the Hon. Richard Harcourt, Minister of Education, received yesterday from Mr. Morley.

When Mr. Harcourt was about to leave

Britain after his recent visit he learned tha Mr. Morley was to go to Pittsburg, Pa., to open the great new library Mr. Carnegie is donating to that city. Mr. Harcourt at once wrote urging Mr. Morley to visit Toronto. and in reply Mr. Morley wrote that he would probably visit Toronto before going to Pitts-burg, and might spend two days here. It is possible that the university may add.

to the honorary degrees he has already re-ceived from Oxford, Cambridge, Glasgow C.1

By Mistake. (Chicago Chronicle.)

You feel a pain within your side
That makes you grosh and shake;
"Appendictits, sure," you think,
As in your sheel you quake,
And to a hospital you go
And chloroform you take,
The doctor carves and cuts and finds
The pain was but a fake;
He puts a label on your side
"Just opened by mistake."

ligited his face as he gazed at the reflected figure—a pale, spiritual-looking boy, with delicate, refined features, and remarkably beautiful

Close questioning induced the boy to tell what he knew of his antecedents. He had been an immate of the poor-house, where continued ill-treatment forced him to run away, and he became the associate of stree and he became the associate of street gamins, newsbys; and bootblacks, who passed their nights in a low dis-trict in the neighborhood of Wapping Way. He was called Jim, and having for a time been in the habi tof sleepfor a time been in the habit of sleeping in a crockery crate, he bore the nickname of 'Jim-o-the-Crockery-Crate." His only warm friend was a young man named Tom Dil, a fireman. After a few days, when Jimhad recovered his strength, Mr. Carerol put his young charge in a private school which was kept by a worthy yoman in the neighborhood; and, by agreeing to cay an extra sum for

agreeing to pay an extra sum for ruition, the lady promised to take especial pains with her new pupil.

Then Mr. Carrol endeavored to find a trace of Tom Dill. After a long search he discovered him in an hossearch ne discovered him in an nos-pital for disabled firemen, a sufferer from an accident that had occurred nearly two years previous, causing a leg. Otherwise the man was in fairly good health.

Mr. Carrol announced his business and Tom Dill told him all he knew

regarding Jim, the waif.
"It's a little over six years ago,"
he said, "when the fire occurred at
the Ardmore Hotel, in Castlemaine the Ardmore Hotel, in Castlemaine street. When our engine, No. 45, dashed up, the fire was all over the house, and 'twasn't no use to try to save the house. The most we could do was to prevent the flames spreading into the other houses. Everybody was thought to be out; but, all of a reddening into the other houses. sudden there came an orful scream from a winder in the fifth story, and a big groan was let loose when 'twas found that a woman an' a baby was still in that 'ere burnin' shell. Nobody wanted to risk goin' to 'emfor there was little hope of 'ver reachin' 'em, let alone savin' 'em. I was the only man in the company that hadn't a family, an' I said I'd try for it. Ladders were hoisted, an' up I went like a squirrel — I was spryer'n be now. When I got to the woman was whiter nor any sheet; but was game, I tell yer. She reach-the baby down to me afore I got

the baby down to me afore I got the top.
'Yer stronger 'n I, an' surer-footshe said; 'save him an' I'll take

Bo I went fust with the young eyes away from his companion— omehow, the little fellow's clothes somenow, the little fellow's clothes got aftre in passir' a winder, where the flames burst out suddenly on us— though they put a stream on from below afore the woman got into it— an' the clothes were all ablaze in a minute and he yellin' like murder.

I tried to smother it out, but the

kid's poor little legs was burned orful afore we got down.." "Ah! this explains how those un-sightly scars came on Jim's limbs," Carroll here interrupted.

Mr. Carroll here interrupted.
"Yes, sir; an' I'll never forget
how I felt when I saw them great
blisters on the poor little chap. If
it had been me I wouldn't ha' flinchcil but fo see that 'are tonder hab. ed, but to see that 'ere tender baby squirmin' an' suff'rin' was more'n I could stand, an' I was just ready to blubber when the woman touched ground an' reached out to take him. But just that minute a brick came tumblin' down from the wall, bit But Just that minute a brick came tumblin' down from the wall, hit the ladder, bounded off, and struck ejaculated Tom Dill's listen-

"She dropped like lead, where she stood, an' then she and the baby were both trundled off in the ambu-

lance to the 'ospital.' "Oh! did she die?" demanded Mr. Carroll, with almost breathless eag-

"I was so cut up over the baby's bein' burned on my hands, I went to the Hahnemann 'Ospital ivery blessed visitia' day to see how he was gittin' along. His feet an' legs were 'tarnal sore for a while, but they healed fust rate, though the scars used to make my eyes water. After used to make my eyes water. After a while he got to know me, an' would dance an' caper, fit to make my heart glad, ivery time I showed my old mug inride the door," and a smile of pleasure lighted the man's face at the remembrance.

e remembrance.
"How old was he?" Mr Carroll in-Nigh on to two year, I should say

an' he wasn't no common sort o' baby either," Tom Dill continued, impres-sively. "I could 'a' sworn he had blue blood in him.'

"What made you think that?" inquired his companion.
"Wall, he looked it ivery inch of him, an' in spite of the hubbub an' danger, the night o' the fire, I took note of the clothes he had on, an' they was like some o' them, fare, they was like some o' them fancy things ye'll see in th' bang-up shops

on Regrent street."
"I wonder if they were preserved?"
said Mr. Carroll, Inquiringly.
"I don't think it, sir, they was
scorched an' burned almost to a cinder afore we got to the ground, an

not worth tuppence."

"Well, now tell me something about the woman," commanded the young man, with a regretful sigh.

"Waal, sir, sh, was sick a long time, from that 'ere hurt on the head, an when she did begin to mend, it was found that her brain didn't work right, and she couldn't remember anything that 'ad 'appened an' she

wonderful change in the little fel-v, and when he was fully dressed, d his hair combed and brushed, Mr. "Waal, suthin' after that sort, I'm thinkin'," replied Tom Dill. "She knew enough to eat an' drink, wash, iron an' scrub, but she could-

wash, iron an' scrub, but she couldn't tell her own name, nor where she was from, nor nothin' else the people wanted to know about."

"Is she living now?"

"Yes, sir, an' she be as well an' strong as yersel."

"Where is she?"

"At the 'ospital where she has been ever since."

"Can any one get permission to visit he?" inquired the young man, eagerly.

eagerly. "Yes, sir, but little good it'll do yer to see her. Ye may ask her forty questions an' 'she'll look at yer in a dazed kind o' way for a minute an' then go on with her scrubbin'. I know, for I've tried to make her talk no end o' 'times."

"When did you go to see her last?" Mr. Carroll inquired. "It's six months or more, I reckon; my rheumatiz have made me so lame an' stiff I couldn't git about very well," Tom Dill explained,
"What name is she known by at the

hospital?"
"The help about the house call'er
"Crazy Moil,' but I've heard the
nusses speak gentle to her and call nusses speak gentle to her and call her Mary. She be very good to work, mindin' what's told her, an' makes no talk."

"Do you think she could be the child's mother? D.d he look like her?" questioned Carrol.
"No, sir, he didn't," the man re-turned in a positive tone, "She was no mother to him."

"What makes you think so? How then, did they happen to be toge-

ther?"
"Twas plain enough, sir, let alone the nurse's cap an' apron she had on; an' that wor another thing that made me think the little chap was a blae-blood."

a blue-blood."

Mr. Carrol at last began to feel that he was gleaning some rays of light in connection with the little wal who had so strangely fallen into

Everything, thus far, tended to show that Jim had come from a good family. Carrol had felt sure of this in his own mind before this interview with the fireman, for he was very far

with the freman, for he was very far from being a common-looking child. He had a well-shaped head, with del cate, refined features; his glossy brown hair was fine as silk; his hands and feet were small and symmetrically formed.

And now, added to these self-evident points, to learn that he had been richly-clad and stopping with his nurse in a first-class hotel on the night of the fire, were facts that afforded Mr. Carrol no little satisfaction. faction.

He wondered if the boy's parents had also been inmates of the ill-fated hotel, and had perished in the flames, notwitistanding the fireman's asser tion that it was supposed everybody

tion that it was supposed every body had escaped.

One of two things he felt sure must be the fact: either they had fallen victims in the fearful conflagration, or they could not have been in the city.

He asked Tom Dill what he thought

he asked Tom Dir value about it.
"No, sir—they never was burned," he positively asserted, "for no signs of any bodies was found when the rubbish was cleared away."
"But the woman must have been

"But the woman must have been registered—did no one think to examine the books to ascertain who she was?" Mr. Carrel inquired, was?" Mr. Carrol inquired.
"Yes, sir; I went myself to the clerk, but the books was burned, and he told me there'd been no inquiries for the woman or the baby. It's a puzzle, sir—a puzzle that I fear me, will never be cleared up," the man concluded with saw was take of his

concluded, with a grave shake of his Mr. Carrol also feared that such Cwould be the case, but he had no in-cention of relinquishing his efforts unt I re should exhaust every possible means to solve the mystery regard-

ing his protege's identity.

He thanked Tom Dill for his information and promised to bring James to see him very soon; then, slipping a generous guerdon into the man's hand, he bade him good-day and went away. went away.

He proceeded directly to the Hali-

He proceeded directly to the Hahnemann Hospital, where, seeking the superintendent, he continued to push his inquiries still further.

The man, however, did not appear to know much about the case, as he had but recently succeeded the previous manager, w.l.o had died some six months before.

But he said the head nurse in the momental descriptions which had been

woman's department, who had been in the institution for ten years or more, might be able to give him in-formation regarding the matter in

question.

"Yes," the superintendent replied to his eager query, "there was a chore woman on the premises who was known as Crazy Moll, or Mary, but she was little better than an idiot."

Then, excusing himself, he went to nummon the head nurse of whom he summon the head spoken.

CHAPTER X.

The head nurse of the woman's department soon made her appearance and said that she remembered, perfectly, all the facts connected with the admission of the poor victims of that terrible fire in Castlemaine street. street.

The woman, who had never been The woman, who had never been known by any other name than Crazy Moll, or Mary, had been in a very critical condition when she was brought to the hospital.

She was unconscious, and remained so for a long time, and when she did finally arouse, it was was only to rave for weeks in the delirium of brain fever.

delirium of brain fever, The child, she stated, was very badly burned on his feet and legs, but he recovered very quickly, and being such an attractive child, be-came the pet of the children's ward. when she did begin to mend, it was found that her brain didn't work right, and she couldn't remember anything that 'ad 'appened an' she paid no more heed to the baby than if she'd never seen him before."

"Do you mean that the blow from that brick left her an idiot?" inguired Mr. Carroll in a sheeked tone, all timately recover and be able to was now Mr. Carrol saw that the lady was Florence Richardson, as he had already suspected.

He was retained in the institution much longer than a patient was usually allowed to remain, for it was hoped that the woman would ultimately recover and be able to was conditions." "You can't play that game on me, wave and the propellers catch water of working at an increased rate of speed when her head falls into the hollow of a mount obstinate hussy; you just some wave and the propellers catch water of

nurses when it was at length de-cided that the boy must go. Several had made strenuous efforts to find a good home for him; but without avail, and he was finally sent to one of the homes for the poor. I have only seen him a couple of times since then, for my duties have been so heavy I could not go to visit him," the nurse concluded, with a recreful sigh

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Mr. Carrol then related something of what Jamie's life had been, and how he had at length fallen into his hands, when, becoming deeply interested in him, he had resolved to see if he could not trace his friends and restore him to them.
"But," he concluded, with a doubtful shake of his head, "it looks now as if that would be an imposnow as if that would be an impos

What would you do with him, then?" the woman inquired, ear-nestly. "Oh!" she added, feelingly, 'the was such a beautifut child! I was sure that he belonged to a fine family, and it nearly broke my heart to have him sent to that dreadful almshouse."

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"I have not yet decided what to do with him if I do not succeed in gaining some new clue to his parentage," Mr. Carrol gravely replied; "I have no home of my own — no friends with whom I could place him; but of one thing I am sure—shall never allow him to drift back into the clume when the

shall never allow him to drift back into the slums, whence he came to me. You feel sure that the woman was his nurse?"

"Certainly—she could have been nothing else; there was nothing in common between them; and, besides, she wore the nurse's cap and apron, while the baby looked the little aristocrat in every line and feature."

"And does now," said her compan ion, "in spite of his rude life. I was amazed, after he had been subjected to a vigorous bath and was decently dressed, to find what an interesting child he is. Will it be ossible for one to see this woman Crazy Moll, as she is called ?" he is

quired, in conclusion, 'Yes, if you wish; although I am sure you will reap no satisfaction from the interview. But I will arrange for her to come to york,' the nurse returned, with ready compliance, as she arose to leave the room. coom.
She was absent some time, but

finally returned, and was followed by a woman of perhaps thirty-five years.

ferson, having a good, honest face, in spite of its vacant expression, black hair and eyes. She was very neatly clad, had a plump, well-formed figure, although she was somewhat awkward in her move-

"This is the gentleman who wish "This is the gentleman who wished to see you, Mary," said the nurse, by way of introduction, and Mary made an awkward courtesy, but without betraying the slightest interest in her visitor.

"I suppose it will be of not use to question her?" Mr. Carrol remarked.

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"Not the slightest — that was

"Not the slightest — that was tried, times without number, years ago," the woman returned.

An expression of sadness swept over the young man's countenance; but after studying the unfortunate creature's face intently, for a few, moments he put a couple of shillings into her hard red hand. of shillings into her hard red hand, and kindly told her that she might

She now looked eagerly up at him and laughed out like a child that had received a coveted toy, thus showing that she knew something of the value of money if she was daft on all other subjects. She thanked him made another courtesy, and him, made another courtesy; and then, at a gentle signal from the nurse, left the room.

Durin gthe afternoon Mr. Car-ol called at the apartment to which Mr. Seaver had directed him, but, to his disappointment, he was told that the family had not yet ar-

On his return to his own lodgings he found a letter from that gentleman, telling him that they would be one day late in getting to London; but that they should look to London; but that they should look for a call from him very soon. The letter closed as follows: "Mrs. Seaver and Miss Richardson join me in kind regards and the hope that you are fully recovered from the accident, which so nearly proved a fatal disaster. We should have lost our dear girl, but for you."

A very tender, tremulous smile quivered about the young man's expressive mouth as he read this. "Ah! they can have no suspicion

"Ah! they can have no suspicion of how 'dear' she has become to me," he murmured.

The second day after receiving Mr. Seaver's note he made a careful toi let and started forth to make his

First, however, he bent his steps toward a well-known florist's Oxford street. As he drew near to it, he observed a lady just emerging from a book-

store.
She was elegantly and tastefully clad, and there was something familiar about her air and figure, although he could not see her face, that sent the swift color into his clock and an electric thrill into ar cbeek and an electric thrill into ev-

ery pulse. Almost at the instant a tall, coarse looking man approached her, and ad-dressed her with a menacing air. She turned and glanced at with a look of astonishment, and now Mr. Carrol saw that the lady was Florence Richardson, as he had

identify the boy, when he could be returned to his parents.

"But when Mary at last began to rally," the nurse observed; "we were shocked beyond measure to find that her mind was gone—or, rather, that she could remember nothing about her previous life, and did not show the faintest recognition of the child; although he knew her instantly the moment we took him to her, and clung to her until she frightened him by pushing him roughly from her.

"As she grew stronger, she began to make herself useful about the wards, was quiet and handy, and the nurses petitioned that she be allowed to remain in the institution as a servant, instead of being sent to the workhouse.

It was a sad day for all the nurses when it was at length decided that the boy must go. Several had made strenuous efforts to find a good home for him; but without avail, and he was finally sent to one of the homes for the poor. I have only seen him a couple of times since then, for my duties have been so heavy I could not go to visit him," the nurse concluded, with a regretful sight.

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look into the frightened eyes of the fair girl.

The man gave vent to an angry oath and cringed with pain, for the blow had been no light one.

"It's none o' your infernal business, you meddling young poppiniay! You just quit your interference and attend to your own affairs. The girl belongs to me and with me she's going, in spite of her stubborness and fifty officious dudes like yourself."

And stalking to Florence's side, he again selzed her rudely by the arm.

One agile spring forward, one quick, and powerful stroke straight from the shoulder, and Florence's great, rawboned, ungainly persecutor lay sprawling upon the pavement at our hero's feet.

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SUCCESSFUL MOTHERS

You will always find that the mo-thers who are successful in bring up families of hearty, healthy children are those who are careful to note the slightthose who are careful to note the slightest evidence of illness and to check it at once. The wise mother gives her children Baby's Own Tablets at the first sympton of any childish ailment, and almost at once the little one is all right. Mrs. Thos. Stevenson, 13 Bishop street, Halifax, N. S., says: "It gives me pleasure to be able to speak of the great value of Baby's Own Tablets. I always give them to my children when they are ailing in any way, and they speedily make them well. I would advise every mother to keep the Tablets in the house." The Tablets allay teething irritation, cure colic and stomach troubles, prevent constipation, destroy worms, allay fevers and break up colds. They can be given safely to a new born child. Sold by all medicine dealers or sent by mail at 25 cents a box by writing the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont. est evidence of illness and to check it at

BIG OCEAN SHIPS.

Belfast Expert Tells Why They Vibrate

Belfast, builders of the Baltic, who came over here to watch the performance of the big ship, said before sailing back that ith was not too much to expect the 850-foot, the 950-foot or even the 1,000-foot ship within a few years.

The question, he said, is not one of shipbuilding, but of harbor and channel face. So. The Mersey was almost put to the limit of her resources with the 800-foot ship, because there was comparatively little space to turn. The manoeuvrer is a ticklish one, as a false move or too much steam at the wrong second might ruin the ship. The only drawback to the ship of 1,000 feet was the limited wharf facilities in New York and the danger of turning at Liverpool. He said the White Star line would sconer think of stopping the enlargement of its boatg than giving up Liverpool as a terminal.

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While all must approve of the last sentence of the letter from Mr. Goldwin Smith in the Sun of Aug. 28: "But there are recess during the same trip. A practical and sensible college bey as he is, my son declares that these coincidences have so frequently occurred to him that he can have no doubt of telepathy.

Only, of course, by the testimony of the established. But much testimony seems to be in favor of telepathy as such a fact.—Utica cor. New York Sun.

Mr. Andrews is only 33 years old, but has had control of the countless details involving the construction of the Oceanic, Celtic. Cedric and Baltic. He told the American Syren and Shipping that the Oceanic was his favorite, and really the most luvurious vessel on the Atlanthe most luxurious vessel on the Atlan the most juxurious vessel on the Atlantic, representing everything needed in the way of comfort and safety, although not as showy as some other vessels. She had, he said, all the speed that Atlantic travellers required, being less than a seven-day boat. He also said the Adriatic, the mate of the Baltic, would have rectified the mistakes made in the build. rectified the mistakes made in the build-

ing of the latter.

"The Baltic," continued Mr. Andrews,
"burns about 235 tons of coal a day. I

is reached, unless the lines are willing to run ships on a losing basis.

"The Baltic has 14,000 horse-power, but the Adriatic will have 15,000 horse-power, or a speed of seventeen and one-half knots, half a knot more than the Baltic, which will bring the Adriatic into New York on a Wednesday. The extra power will be imparted from five additional single-ended boilers. The Adriatic will make her first appearance in New York waters next agrees.

York waters next spring.
"I doubt if the twenty-five knot boats "I doubt if the twenty-five knot boats contracted for by the Cunard line will receive the expected patronage. It is an awful hardship to travel on a fast steamer. The vibration is not due to machinery, but to the policy of driving the ship through mountainous waves regardless of structural consequences.

"The Atlantic comber has a strength

of 250 tons. A craft repeatedly struck on the starboard bow by 250 tons before she has had time to recover from the force of the preceding wave has too much to withstand. The machinery gets the blame for the vibration, when it is really the pounding into a new wave while the ship is shaking like a leaf and trying to recover from the wave gone by. The minimum vibration in the Baltic due to the movements of the screws

and can never be obviated.

"The great breadth of the Baltic at the bows and her enormous displacement serve as a sort of automatic check upon the machinery when a big wave hits her forward. "Captain Lindsay, of the Celtic, has

Value of Agricultural Fairs.

The New Educational Features—A Substitute for the Fair.

It is a self evident proposition that agricultural fairs which receive grants of public money should give the public something of value therefor. It is not the province of governments in these days to assist in providing amusement, for the people. A good many agricultural societies are now making an earnest effort to improve their fairs by the introduction of educational features, and their example is being followed by the large exhibitions which do not ordinarily receive legislative grants. There are still some fairs, controlled largely by the business men of the towns, which seem to be held for the purpose of attracting visitors who will prove good customers, but the number is fortunately becoming few. It is now generally recognized that shows exist primarily for the purpose of improving agricultural conditions.

Teaching Market Requirements.—The up-to-date fair secures the services of expert judges, who explain the reasons for their decisions in the ring and give addresses on the best types of horses, cattle, sheep and swine. In this way the judging may be made an educational feature instead of merely an allotment of premiums by men who are often incompetent or biassed in their judgment. SERVICE SERVIC

feature instead of merely an allotment of premiums by men who are often incompetent or biassed in their judgment. The awarding of prizes at a fair is a comparatively unimportant matter as compared with other considerations. What is really desirable is that fairs should be the means of disseminating information and of fixing correct ideals in the minds of those who are producing food-stuffs and on whom the prosperity of Canada depends. Desirable and undesirable types of fowls may be shown, with lectures on the fattening of chickens for the British and domestic markets and exhibitions of killing, plucking and packing for export. A model poultry house, with incubators, brooders, fattening crates and other appliances, interested thousands of visitors at the Toronto fair this year. Practical demonstrations of the proper packing of fruit for export should be given in fruit districte by expert packers, and the most approved styles of fruit rackages exhibitricte by expert packers, and the most approved styles of fruit packages exhib-ited.

To Improve Farm Crops.—Another fea-ture worthy of adoption by all agricul-tural societies, but which only a few have yet taken up, is the growing of il-lustration plots on the fair grounds. At a small expense a very interesting and instructive exhibit of the best varieties instructive exhibit of the best varieties of grasses, clovers, millets, sorghums, corn, fodder and pasture plants, turnips, mangels and sugar beets can be provid-ed. By studying these plots farmers

Demonstrations of agricultural processes are interesting to everyone, but the operation of a model kitchen and dinfing room, with exhibitions of cooking sample dishes and addresses on domestic science, will appeal especially to the farmers' wives and daughters. That the children may be lead to take an intelligent interest in the fair, prizes might well be offered for exhibits by school children of cut flowers, grains clovers and grasses, roots and vegetaschool children of cut flowers, grains, clovers and grasses, roots and vegetables, fruits, pressed and mounted wild flowers, weeds and weed seeds, beneficial and injurious insects and native woods. These exhibits could be supplemented by essays for which prizes might be offered. Wherever tried this plan has proved effective in inducing children to begin the fascinating study of nature. Every precaution should be taken to have a good clean fair, where all the boys and girls may go to spend a pleasant and instructive day without coming in contact with any injurious influence. Keeping Good Sires.—Many agricultural societies, particularly in Quebec and the Maritime provinces, do not hold fairs, but in lieu thereof buy and maintain pure bred sires for the use of their members. This is a practice which might well be imitated more largely in Ontario, where the number of fairs seems excession. where the number of fairs seems excessive. By adhering to one breed of catwhere the number of fairs seems excessive. By adhering to one breed of cattle, horses, sheep or swine, as the case may be, the stock belonging to the members of a society may be graded up wonderfully at a small cost, but the habit of changing continually from one breed to another must prove fatal to all plans for building up a good, uniform herd or flock of grades, which is just what the average farmer needs.

average farmer needs. Yours very truly, W. A. CLEMONS,

Publication Clerk

no great solidity. The screws never turn wholly clear, because the ship seldom rolls or pitches sufficiently to lift them

Thomas Andrews, naval architect and consulting engineer for Harland & Wolff, Belfast, builders of the Baltic, who came over here to watch the performance of the big ship, said before sailing back that ith was not too much to expect the 850-foot, the 950-foot or even the 1,000-foot ship within a few years.

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"The days of the fast ships are numbered. The Hamburg-American line is going in for ships of the Baltic type. The marine turbine is greatly overestimated. It is not nearly so great a saver in weight and space as supposed. It is not the coal saver that is claimed for it. With a high rate of speed the turbine will save tuel over that reciproses. The Mersey was almost put to the limit of her resources with the

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one class such fancies as spiritualism, telepathy, planchette?"

For spiritualism, as it has been imposed upon the public, I make no plea. The planchette is merely an amusing toy. But that telepathy is possible and natural, although the governing conditions are as yet vaguely understood, seems a plain fact.

The successful operation of wireless the successful operation of wireless telegraphy should do much to prove the possibility of telepathy. The brain is an instrument. With the possible exception of the eye, it is the most delicate instrument in he world infinitely more equiment in he world, infinitely more sensitive than a Marconi receiver. We do not "The Baltic," continued Mr. Andrews, "burns about 235 tons of coal a day. I know one greyhound that consumes nearly 750 tons a day. The limit for speed is reached, unless the lines are willing to run ships on a losing basts.

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A year ago there was a drowning accident near my camp in the Adirondacks.

A young girl fell overboard, and to try to save her one of her companions, a man who could not swim, plunged into the water, as he must have foreseen, to his own death. While this was happening a young women alone in a boot was his own death. While this was happening a young woman, alone in a boat, was slowly rowing toward the camp from an opposite direction, quite out of sight of the accident. Suddenly a terrible impulse to spring into the water filled her mind. So forceful was it that she found it difficult to resist, and rowed as rapidly as possible to overcome it. She me accident. Suddenly a terrible impulse to spring into the water filled her mind. So forceful was it that she found it difficult to resist, and rowed as rapidly as possible to overcome it. She reached the camp, breathless and evidently nervously excited, but knowing nothing of the double drowning. I believe that the impulse to cast herself into the water—an impulse which has been strong enough to send a man, knowing, to his death, had been transmitted over the quiet water to the brain of this woman, and had produced the sensation I have described. The people who were drowned were servants from a nearby only the left of the service of the self-and one child. When the minister alled at the house he was given a most hearty welcome, and on reaching the bedside of the sick man was surjected that he get out of bed and spend an hour under a shade tree in the garden.

The may do you good, he added the sensation were servants from a nearby that the proposed in the control of the self-added the sensation in the control of the self-added the sensation in the control of the self-added the sensation is not nearby the country village quite recently, learned of a poor sick man who recently came from Ireland with his wife and one child. When the minister alled at the house he was given a most hearty welcome, and on reaching the bedside of the sick man was surjected the sensation in the couldn't "Recover."

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A young clergyman in making his weekly visits among the poor of his parish in a nearby country village quite recently, learned of a poor sick man who recen

suggestion should have made it desirable to receive a message from them.

The instance cited by Mr. Goldwin Smith of the man who fainted on the moor while his servant was sending a telegram inquiring if he were dead seems to me to prove, rather than disprove, telepathy. It is not conceivable that the horrified belief of the servant in his master's sudden death had travelled through the ether to his master's brain and produced that strange faintness.

Viewed in this way, the experience of

Mr. Rider Haggard is deeply interesting as suggesting the possibility of telepathy between man and animals. That the force between man and animals. That the force which causes the brain of a dog to act is the same as that which actuates the brain of man there can be no question. That the dog's extremity of need, finding the master's brain at rest, should have been able to act upon it, though not perfectly vet impressively appears quite

such a fact.—Utica cor, New York Sun.

BULLETIN OF WEED SEEDS.

The seed division of tht Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, has just issued an illustrated bulletin on the Weed Seeds Commonly Found in Timothy, Alsike and Red Clover Seeds. It is well known that large quantities of seeds of many noxious weeds are each year unwittingly sown with grass and clover seed. The resemblance of many weed seeds to the commercial seeds with which they are found makes their detection difficult to an untrained eye, even if they be present on untrained eye, even if they be present to the extent of several hundred per pound. It is therefore of great importance to be able to identify at least the seeds of those weeds which are seriously injurious in agriculture. The text and illustrations of this bulletin (No. 16, New Yorks) are multished with a view to Series) are published with a view to assist farmers to identify the more danassist farmers to identify the more dan-gerous seeds common to grass and clover seed. The illustrations of seeds are from drawings by J. H. Faull, lecturer in bot-any, University of Toronto, and the de-scriptions are by G. H. Clark, chief of the seed division, Ottawa, to whom ap-plications for copies of the bulletin should be addressed. As the edition is limited, it will be sent only to those who apply for it.

He Couldn't "Recover."

hotel, uttterly unknown to ner; there was therefore no reason why retroactive suggestion should have made it desirable until the following day and then take a little recreation. When the clergyman a message from them. The wife, who was present, said her husband had better remain in the house

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LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. Shields and son of Toronto, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith Mr. Byron Reynolds of Kemptville

s visiting friends in Athens this week. Mrs. Chas. Wilson and daughter are spending this week with friends in

Mr. M. G. Davison of Boston, Mass. is in our town renewing old acquaint-

Miss Grace Wing of Easton's Corners spent Saturday and Sunday at her

Dr. E. H. Wickware of Smith's Falls was the guest of his sister, Mrs. N. L. Massey, over Sunday.

The validity of Athens' latest early losing by-law is to be tested before Joseph Deacon, P. M., at Brockville -Live Hens and Chickens bought every Wednesday evening at Willson's Meat Market. Crops must be empty.

Rev. E. H Emett, pastor of 1st Baptist church, Brockville, was the guest of Miss Hayes during his stay in

His Lordsbip Bishop Mills will visit this parish on Thursday, October 6th. Delta at 10.30, Oak Leaf at 3 and Athens at 7.

Mr. J. S. Dillabough of New York city, who has been the guest of Mrs. D. Parish and daughters, Elbe Mills,

Mr. R. D. Judson has decided to spend the winter in California, and will accompany Mr. Strong on his eturn next month.

Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Rilance are at e of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Arnold. Mrs. Arnold has been in poor health for several weeks.

Miss Susie Willis of Sceley's Bay, late a popular attendant at the wicket of the Athens P.O., has accepted a position in the store of Pierce & Wiltse.

Special Harvest Home services will he conducted on Sunday next in Christ church, Athens, at 10 30 a. m and 7 p. m., and at Oak Leaf at 3 p.m. Rev. Rural Dean Dobbs will preach.

Owing to the uncertainty as to date of completion of the town hall, it has been decided to hold the A.H.S. commencement exercises during Thanks giving Day week, and the use of the fine auditorium of the Methodist church is to be granted for this purpose

In the Methodist S.S. on Sunday last an interesting review of the quarter's lessons was conducted, in which Uncle Wriley Smith was an interested and appreciative participant. The attendance was 139, divided into 19 classes. Visitors 4—the oldest 94, the youngest 3 years. Of the 19 teachers, 3 were absent, 2 of whom sent substitutes, and 1 was supplied.

The storm of Tuesday of last week was quite destructive in Lansdowne. Wm Earle's fine stone house was struck and the end practically knocked out, though no one was burt. Robt. Donovan lost his barns and entire crop, amounting in all probably to about \$3,000, and David Johnston and Patrick Sullivan each lost a cow, killed in

Rev. A. H. Sovereign, student in charge of the Anglican church at Lyndhurst, was in Athens last week, the guest of Rev. R. B. Patterson. Mr. Sovereign's work at Lyndhurst has proved very acceptable, as he has rare ability as a speaker and is very pleasant socially. His departure for Wycliffe College, which took place this shall. The high grade Karn piano to be used is being kindly loaned by Mr. perishioners and the people of Lynd-Store, Brockville.

verybody's going.

Mr. S. Y. Bullis left yesterday Mr. S. B. G Wright arrived home

from Toronto yesterday. Miss Lilian Reynolds of

Dr. Dixon of Burlington, Iqwa, visiting old friends in Leeds county.

Mr. Joseph Kelly of Addison left for Kingston on Monday to study medicine at Queen's.

Mrs. Chas. A. Barber of Addison was released from the penitentiary

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Karley and Mr. and Mrs. Knowlton attended Ottawa fair last week. Mr. D. C. McIntosh is the guest of

his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Wing, Elgin street. Miss B. Ferguson, who has been visiting her aunt, Miss Hayes, has returned to her home in Kemptville.

Miss Adelaide Barrett has returned to Toronto after spending a very enjoy able summer with Miss Ida Bates, Elbe Mills.

The assessment roll shows Brock ville's population to be 9,026, only 974 hort of the number required for is corporation as a city.

Dr. W. E. Steacy, who is conducting a dental office near Buffalo, N.Y., is yisiting his sister, Mrs. E. Fair, Ath-ens, and relatives in Warburton.

Newboro exhibition last week. There was a good exhibit and an interesting programme of sports, but the attendance was hardly as large as was ex

Following the commendable example of Gien Bueli SS, the people of Addi son will celebrate Old People's Day or Sunday next. The invitation issued and programme will be found in an

On Sunday next Rev. L. M. Weeks B.D., will conduct the morning service in the Presbyterian church, Toledo and in the evening the Rev. W. W. Giles of Summit, N.J., will preach in St. Paul's Prebyterian church, Athens

No cheese was sold on Brockville board last week. The highest bid was 87c, and with the cable at 42s the salemen thought they should receive at least 9c. But little curb business followed the adjournment of the board

The annual meeting of Leeds County W.C.T.U., of which Mrs. Wm. John ston is president, will be held in Athens on Oct 7. The local Union is now preparing for the reception and entertainment of the delegates. Rev. Mr. Emett of Brockville is expected to

Anniversary services were held in the Baptist church, Athens, on Sunday last, and large congregations heard with interest and pleasure the earnest, addresses delivered by Rev. Mr. Emett of Brockville. He was assisted in the services by the pastor, Rev. L. M. Weeks, B.D., and the choir rendered a fine service of song.

To day the marriage takes place at Elora of Mr. R. E. Mills, formerly of Athens, now publisher of the Elora Express, and Miss Maggie Beck of that church, Toronto, cousin of the bride officiating. Their wedding tour will include a brief visit with friends in Athens and Prescott.

Non Thursday last Mr. A. W Blanchard received a telegram announcing the death of his sister, Mrs. Peterson of Belleville. Deceased whose maiden name was Miss Emily Blanchard, was born at Greenbus Leeds county, nearly 62 years ago For many years she resided in Amelias burg, Prince Edward county, when her hu band, a minister of the Method

ist church, died some 14 years ago. The price of bread in Brockvilla has been advanced to 6c for a pound and a haif loat. At this rate, a loat of bread such as Athens bakers produce would cost 8c. Brockville citizens are now paying dearly for the weakness of their municipal representatives in granting the bakers petition to sell loaves weighing only 1½ lbs. An advance of the 2 lb. loat to 8c would hardly have been attempted, but it is quite probable that the same ratio of increase in the price of the smaller loaf will be accepted with only a mild protest. A return to the frrmer 2-lb, loaf regulation would lower the price of bread in Brockville quicker than a slump in the

Associated with Frankville Fair in the minds of many is an event that always gives unqualified pleasure, viz. : the annual concert of the Epworth League. This week, as usual, it takes place on the evening of the second day of the fair, Friday, Sept. 30, and a varied programme of uniform excellence has been arranged. All who can possibly do so should arrange to remain for the concert. The following names appear on the programme as contribu-tors: Mrs. Evertts, Miss Fluker,

The undersigned, being about to eave for California, requires that all tersons indebted to him by note or took account shall at once effect a tettlement; otherwise the accounts

Athens, Sept. 27, 1904.

Trust Companies

Under caption of "The Trust Com pany Idea and its Development," Mr. Erneat Heaton, B.A., Barrister-at-Law of Osgoode Hall, Toronto. has just issued a valuable little book. It details the operations of trust companies as they exist throughout the world and the laws governing them in different countries. In the United States some such trust companies have acted in a way to bring the very name into ill repute, and stringent laws for the pro-tection of the public now exist in sev-eral states. In Ontario we have been most fortunate in having trust business conducted in such a manner as to de- Hood's Sarsaparilla serve the confidence of the people The magnitude of the interests commit ted to the care of these corporations is great, and the public safety should be thoroughly safe guarded. Mr. Heaton says: "Canadian legislation affecting trust companies is generally in an in-complete and tentative condition," and if his exceedingly well written treatise has no other effect it should bring about an adjustment of the conflicting jurisdiction that now obtains between the federal and provincial governmen in respect to trusts.

A Popular Lecture The H.S. ball was well filled on Monday evening to that the Rev. W. W. G les lecture on "The Significance of Personality in Literature." Principal Massey presided. The programme opened with a ringing chorus by the H.S. choral class. Mr. E. S. Clow then sang a bass solo, "Rory Darlin'," with fine effect, and was encored, which he responded with a song that proved equally popular. The chairman then introduced the lectur-

er, and Mr. Giles received a most cordial welcome. The subject was new to Athenians, and the lecturer's masterly treatment of it deeply interested all. A new light was thrown on literature, and an inspiration to deeper thought and more careful research was given that should benefit all, and especially those to whom the literary trea ures of the age are but just unfolding. A song, "Good-night, Little Girl, Good-night," by Mrs. S. C. A. Lamb was given in charming style and was heartly encored. Miss Jessie Taplin presided at the piano. At the conclusion of the programme. sion of the programme, a hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the lecturer and to all who had assisted at the entertainment, moved by Mr. W. G. Parish and seconded by Mr. S. A. Tap lin in neat addresses. The Rev. L. M Weeks, B.D, also added a few words in commendation of the lecture. Mr. Giles gracefully responded, assuring the audience of his interest in the affairs of Athens and of the pleasu he derived from his visits here and a Charleston Lake.

→ PHILLIPS—COPELAND

Mr. S. P. Copeland's residence, "Hill-crest Terrace," Delta, was the scene at high noon Wednesday Sept. 21, of a very | retty wedding, when his youngest daughter, Miss Anne Elayne Copeland, was married to Mr. John Blain Phillips of Kingston, eldest son of Mr. Thomas Phillips of Orillia. The House was beautifully decorated with flowers, evergreens, and palms, the color scheme being pink and white. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a gown of ivory silk with train, silk applique yoke with chiffon bertha, bridal veil caught up with nat ural flowers, and a bouquet of bridal roses. The ceremony of marriage was that prescribed by the Methodist the officiating clergyman being Rev. G. H. Williams of Delta. The young couple were assisted by two little girls, Miss Mallory as flower girl, costumed in pale blue silk, and Miss Florence Gilbert, cousin of the bride who wore a dress of white silk and carried the ring on a cushion of cream satin. The wedding march was played by Mrs. C. C. Copeland, sister-in-law of the bride. The bridal couple stood under a bell of flowers in an arch of evergreen banked on each side with flowers and ferns. The groom's gift to the bride was a beautiful gold pin set with pearls in the form of a crown, and to the little girls each a guld brace

After the ceremony the guests, who numbered about 50, partook of a bountiful and well arranged repast. The presents, which were numerous and costly, among which was a beautiful mahogany chair, upholsterd in brocaded silk, from the congregation of the church, indicated the high esteem in which the bride was held by her many

Mr. and Mrs. Phillips left on th 4 p.m. train for points west. The bride's going-away gown was a navy blue broadcloth suit with Japanese trimming, white silk blouse, and New York travelling hat,

Two small boulders were discovered on the treatle of the B.W. & N.W. at Brockville on Thursday last and were removed by the train crew. They were not large enough to cause serious damage, and were probably placed there by mischievous boys.

The reserved bid was not rethe sale of the house and lot at corner of George and Wellington streets on Wednesday lost, but after the auctioneer left the stand a sale of the property was effected, Mr. Daniel Wiltse being the purchaser.

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