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THE WOES OF AN EDITOR.

A North Shore Man Tells His Tale and Editor Stewart's Comment.

ated on the North Shore. The disappearance of the Telephone of Campbellton, the remarks of the editor in the last issue of his paper and the somewhat caustic criticism of Editor Stewart of the World makes interesting reading. The people are all interested in the press, they depend upon the newspapers for the news and the press depends upon the people for support. The success or failure of a publication bas therefore especial interest and the following explanations and comment taken from the Telephone and World are interesting even if they are read with

'A little over four years ego The Tele-During that time it has been tossed about on the waves of financial uncertainty and with wavering tread moved on and on until it has become the recognized leading

Today we present it to our readers for the last time; that is so far as the present publisher is concerned. 'No doubt oureaders will wonder, why, now that we have apparently surmounted the financial obstacles and the paper is firmly of a paper than the financial part of it, and more especially when there are a number of persons interested and each and everyone of those persons consider that the paper should be conducted to their re-

'When this paper was established in 1897 several prominent gentlemen took a financial interest in its establishment and assisted the present editor to start the same. The Telephone had not made its appearance much longer than six months when one or two of these parties wanted their money-wanted their portion of the capital invested before there had been one hundredth part of one per centum of interest on the same earned. We nobly responded[to the call and with an independence that only newspaper men can assume just about the time they are not getting enough to buy a few pounds of rice or a herring, we raised the money and paid them back. From that day to the present it has been a continual repetition of the first act. Just when a little advancement was made some one of the 'stock holders' in this illustrious dividend paying investment would demand his money and would tell it to bis f.iends for miles around-yea for hundreds of miles around—that he phone and could get noth ing out of it, and his lamentations would be pitiful to beheld; while he perhaps had \$100 invested. Others again, who not so much as paid for a year's subscription to the paper posed as the sole proprietor of the same, with all rights reserved

"During all this The Telephone was nobly forging its way ahead doing what it could for athe good and welfare of the counties in which it circulated, and only rolling up a long list of book debts. Then other trials came. The political course of this journal in a certain recent election did not meet with the unanimous approbation of the 'stock holders' and again everything did not go as 'merry as a marriage bell. With the assistance of a few of the reliable and staunch friends of the paper, those 'who wanted t'sir money' got it." Editor Stewart Has bis Say.

The editor of the Campbellton Telephone, in announcing its disappearance from the field of journalism, says it has been tossed about on the waves of financial uncertainty and with wavering tread moved on and on until it has become the recogeized leading journal of the North Shore.' The writer of its obituary is probably the only man! who recognized it as such. No paper that is 'tossed about on the waves os financial uncertain'y' and 'moves with wavering tresa' can by any stretch of imsgination be considered a leading journal. Financial certainty, and a step with no the independence that is required to gain | be a very bad man when his dander is up

The trials and tribulations of the modern | and active newspaper man, and has made country newspaper have been well illustr- the Telephone a good local paper, but its 'waving tread' has been so evident that it should have achieved.

The editor's description of his experience sands of others have tried to publish papers that were founded in the same way, and failed We have had a little experience in this line ourselves.

The World was started by a company, and its editors and owners were mutually dissatisfied at the erd of two years. The to nobody for endorsements, and paying established, that we thus abandon our post all its bills promptly. Its publisher could Halifax is just as badly worked up as ever of responsibility. But there are other troubles and tribulations in the publishing to learn that independence and consistence win public respect and confidence. Others who have clung to the coattails of unprincipled political gymnasts, and been fed literally at the public crib, have suffered kicks and cuffs from their patrons, lost what self-respect they had in the beginning, are despised by the public, and are protected from their creditors only by the bills of sale that are held by the men to whom they look for orders in regard to The boys will go 15 rounds for a decison what they shall publish.

As the PROGRESS went to press this week the expectancy in the local baseball world was at fever heat. The Roses have class one. again secured the services of the big American League giant, Jack McLean, who has been playing with the B.stons. He is accompanied by a twirler named Daley, who also bails from Beantown.

John Walsby who is identified with the Roses management brought three athletes from Boston on Thursday.

and a B ngor backstop named Maston ar-Manager Scott.

ally the same as that of 1900. The Alerts will be captained by Den Britt and will

The Roses are again sailing under the captainship of John (Tip) O'Neill. The ensemble is about the same as last year, A popular young player, Royden Thomson will guard the short field for the Roses. The same old rival-y is bound to prevail. Both teams look spick and span new in their unforms of red and blue and gray.

Residents in the southern section of Charlotte street are very much amused just now by the daily appearance in a secondstory window of an up-to-date girl who has as her window companion a dog. The young lady and the dog in question nod and salute to the passing pedestrian. It is another case of 'Lady and the Tiger,' or 'Beauty and the Beast.'

Some of the little boys living in that vicinity have been unfriendly and term the pair the 'twin rubber necks '

It is said that policeman are even facinated by the 20th century mode of the up to-date miss and her boom companion, the beast.

The "Irate papa-in-law, referred to in last week's Progress is still a coarder in the county jail. He refuses to make amends to the peace, hence he is under restraint. The baseball son-in-law is wise wobble in it, are necessary to give a paper | in his day for the papa in law is said to such a position. Mr Chandler is a bright Discretion is the better part of valor in

this case is the way the base-ballist looks at it. He knows very well that if his north end parent in law located him that he will not be able to make any "homeruns" to his south end domicile this season.

THAT HALIFAX MYSTERY. Authorities Still in Ignorance Regarding Re-cent Suicide. The Halifax suicide still remains a mys-

tery and it is a mystery that is troubling

not a few. On Barrington street, Halifax, never gained the position of influence it there is displayed to the public view s series of pictures that are attracting no little attention. These pictures represent with the numerous owners of his plant is a woman that became tired of life and left amusing to one who fails to grasp its as a momento nothing but a form for pathos. But it is an old, old story. Thou public inquisition. The Photographer has done his part well. It is an unfortunate thing to commit suicide, but to commit suicide and have all the results published to the general public is no pleasing matter. The photegrapher at Halifax has done his duty well. The photos are wonderful in the extreme. paper would have died then, to be revived | There is the picture of a woman, sitting with periodically and published for a time when eyes wide open, a woman sitting in a chair phone made its appearance and took its political or other interests required a in the most peaceful slumbers, a woman place among the newspapers of the world. paper, if its present publisher had not standing as if she were in the prime of life. purchased it outright from the proprietors. a woman represented as enjoying the best He bought it, paid spot cash for it, and, of life, in fact the different pictures of the after losing some more money in the busi woman who found life so disagreeable is ness, had the satisfaction of placing it on a pictured in every shape and form, paying basis as a legitimate enterprise. It but just who the woman is the had never endured a moment of 'financial mystery and continues to be so. Deuncertainty, and has never moved with tective Power can say nothing. Detective 'wavering tread,' but has been Ring of St. John cannot help him out. It thoroughly independent of all politicans is a case that the maritime experts are and cliques, asking for no favors, indebted nonplused. Mrs. Eastman may be Eastman and if she is the mystery still remains. The City has had a suicide and it is just as far as ever in deciding who the suicide is. The woman did her deed well and she has pretty well accomplished the fact in her attempt to conceal her identity.

Next Boxing Show.

The pastime club will reopen its rooms Monday night, June 3, when the star attraction will be Johny Cregan of the South End, vs., Johny Taylor of the North End. as both are very clever there should be a large attendance other interesting bouts are premised. Referee Keefe who will have charge of all the events, which is a guarantee that the show will be a first

Something new for Campbell.

"Jack" O'Brien, a ticket-of-leave man. started in to celebrate this week. He commenced his adventures in darkest St. John, Sheffield Street. Here he was no doubt soon make themselves heard. rounded up by officer Campbell, who The Alerts have secured pitcher Popp Alice Broyne's window. Theu nrelenting take place about the time indicated and so sergeant for once in his life showed mercy rived here on Thursday, accompanied by and let the poor fellow go. He was cap-The personnel of both teams are practic- cage behind the bars on King Street East.

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THEY ARE OPEN NOW.

Restaurants That Have Been Closed Allowed Open on Satur-

ight which for some time had been closed owing to the decision of the liquor license pears, met the same day and in accordgave them permission to open their eating way.
salcons from 7 o'clock until midnight. This, of course, was on a distinct under-

standing such as the resturant people were quite willing to agree to and which is only in accordance with the law. But it may be pointed out all the same that for more than year, in fact for two years, these gentlemen have been deprived of a privilege which they contested was their's by right.

For certain local reasons which need not be stated here the commissioners decided otherwise and the loss to Messrs. Clark and Harding can hardly be estimated. They lost business and customers on Saturday night who came at no other time in the week and their competitors in the business secured a footing from the fact of their being closed which they could not possibly have obtained otherwise.

Some members of the commission are no doubt very firm in their opinions, but there are others or another who has not seemed to know his own mind for more than a week at a time. Perhaps in only one respect has he clung to his opinion for any considerable period and in the end influence even made him give that away.

It cannot be said that he was wrong in giving away to the influence, because PROGRESS thinks that the hotel in question when it applied for a license and was ready with its fee and had suitable premises should have obtained the certificate without question. If the proprietor does not carry out the law the inspector is no doubt at all times as ready to deal with him as he has been to deal with others. There is not much opportunity for the liquor law to be despised in St John. Hotels may or may not sell after hours, there may be some drinking in beer shops of something stronger than hop and pop, but the fact remains that for some time at least there have been no reports mentioned of any considerable prominence. This would indicate that the law is fairly well enforced. It it were not the temperance people would

The change in the commission mentioncaught him after his flight out of Miss ed by PROGRESS last Saturday is likely to far as can be learned Dr. Smith is the gentleman who will succeed Chairman tured later on, however, and landed in the Knodell. The doctor is a genleman of experience in worldly matters, is thoroughly acquainted with most of the people of the city and should make a good official. ridge, the string caught on He will have an opportunity to give the duties of liquor license commissioner and the other business in connection with the office a considerable amount of time and no doubt the very best of his opinion.

> Whitewash and Its Uses White wash and the uses of that very

convenient household article was much dis cussed on Pokiok Road last week and those who had up to that time believed that the use of whiting extended only to the cleansing of domiciles were awakened to the fact that they had lived in ignorance the greater part of their lives. At any rate so the story goes, there are two families out on Pokiok Road, living in close proximity to each other. A fierce feud has been carried on for some time between the female portion of the two families, and a few days ago while one of the women undertook to beautify the front of her dwelling by means of the white wash brush, she was attacked by her neighbor, and a war of words carried on for some time. war of words carried on for some time. At length, unable to stand the taunts of her opponent, the lady of the brush, turned and vigorously applied the whitewash to the person of her neighbor. It is hardly necessary to say that the heated discussion necessary to say that the heated discussion was soon brought to a close.

time with some parties not known at norant of this and Progress understands present. Several citizens have lost valuable as soon as the water is low enough the dogs and can find no trace of them. It is said that the organization is complete and be pushed forward.

Last week Progress advocated the | the thorobreds are kept for a time and then peni g of certain restaurants on Saturday | taken or sent to Boston where a party who once lived here disposes of them. The list of valuable animals that have disappeared commission. The commissioners, it ap- is already large and unless some determined effort is made to put a stop to the ance with the request of the proprietors thieving, more will likely follow the same

THE ABUSE OF DYNAMITE.

A Fisherman who Fourd out Something
About the Explosive.

Ava White or LeBlanc, a Frenchman from Digby, Nova Scotis, who was dyamiting pollock on the rips near the old Ledge, off Grand Manan, with Harrington Guptill, of White Head, was killed by a charge of dynamite which he held in his hand, says the Beacon. It seems White was a greenhorn, it being the second time he attempted to kill or catch fish that way. Guptill was in the bow of the dory and White in the stern. White lit the fuse and thought it was going to burn. Guptill to'd him to throw it overboard but White held it in his band too long, for it was only short distance from him when it exploded. killing White instantly. It made a hole entirely through his right lung and blew his hand and ear off and otherwise disfigured his face and body. He was thrown about ten feet from the dory into the water. Guptill, although very badly shaken up and benumed by the explosion, managed to get White's body. A sloop will take it to Nova Scotia. His mother was notified of his death by wire. Guptill is said to be in a bad condition, very deat and shaken up. Strange to say the dory was not injured in the least.

The Beacon's Grand barbor correspondent says it is reported that White blew the fuse to hasten the explosion. He had part of his face blown away, his right hand blown to atoms and two holes through his body; the force of the explosion throwing his body fifteen feet away from the boat. It is said he was warned three times to throw the dynamite overboard but did not heed the warning.

The recent dynamite tragedy off Grand Manan has brought to light a lot of bloodcurdling stories of narrow escapes on the part of the fishermen using this explosive. In most cases, the dynamite catridge is suspended from a block of wood by a

string a de zen or so feet long. The string is wound around the wood and the fuse is lit and thrown in the water among the fish. The weight of the cartridge unwinds the string. About the time the cartridge reaches the end of the string the explosion On one occasion, in throwing out a cart-

board could not disengage it and at once threw themselves on their faces, not knowing what would happen. The exposion wrecked the boom and made an awful report, but the men escaped uninjured.

On another boat, the string, in casting the cartridge overboard, wound around the mast. The men had just time to break the string and throw the cartridge into the sea when the explosion occurred.

The above is a fair sample of the tales that the dynamite fishermen are now tell-

Great slaughter has been caused among the pollock by this method of killing the fish. Thousands upon thousands have

fish. Thousands upon thousands have been taken, while just as many thousand of multilated fish have sunk to the bottom.

It is not alone in fishing that dynamite is being used. It is related that this spring one of the ingenious residents of White Hesd had a compost heap near his barn. Considering it too much trouble to distribute the compost over the ground by the usual process, he made a hole in the pile and inserted a dynamite cartride. The

Ready to Repair Them.

The wharves on the St. John River are said to be in bad condition on account of Dog stealing has become a favorite pas- the freshet. The government is not igfor work of repairing the structures will

NEW ARTILLERY WAR MATERIAL.

The principal factors in the evolution of the latest artillery material have been the made high muzzle energies and great rate of fire possible; telescopic sights, by which the increased range and flat trajectory could be utilized for obtaining great ac curacy at long ranges perfection of time fuses for shrapnal shells, carriages without recoil, automatic mech and carriage for curved fire, the Vickers's breech screw, and the use of electricity, hydraulics and hydro-pneumatic power in manipulating carriages, guns and ammunition lifts and hoists.

The modern smokeless powders have dene most perhaps to develop artillery, first, because by their means the old ener gies of the days of black powder have been more than trebled, so that with the use of telescopic sights and range-finders long range fire has been made accurate, and is consequently the order of the day on land and sea; secondly, owing to the fact that the target is never obscured by smoke but is visible at all times, they have rendered possible a great rate of fire, which is further increased by the fact that, not leaving any residue in the gun, the tedious operations of sponging can be dispensed with.

The smokeless powders increase the muzzle energies thus:

They have a much slower rate of burn. ing than the ld, consequently guns can be made lenger with advantage, and the powder gases thus acting a longer time on the projectile gives it a higher velocity. Now since the energy varies with the first power of the weight of the projectile, but with the second power of its velocity, the remarkable effect of increasing the latter is at once explained.

The two classes of smokeless powder are nitro-glycerine powders and nitrocellulose powders. Of these the latter is preferred on the continent of Europe and in the United States. Germany, where a nitro-glycerine powder was used until recently, has finally adopted a nitro-cellulose powder; England is the only great nation still using nitro-glycerine powder cordite.

The great advantage of nitro cellulose pewders consists in producing the highest ballistics (velocity and energy) with the least possible amount of wear to the gun. The temperature due to the explosion of nitroglycerine powders is nearly double that of nitro-cellulose powders, hence, the great wear of the guns using cordite and similar powders. This erosion is g eatest at the beginning of the rifling, and abnormally enlarges the seat of the projectile, so that after a few rounds the shot is overrammed, increasing the size of the chamber, which, as there is more room for expansion of powder gases, reduces pressure and consequently velocity. Moreover this enlargement prevents the proper centring of the projectile at starting, af fecting thus the accuracy of fire, the projectile receiving a syrating motion. The result is that nitro-cellulose powders give velocities exceeding 3,000 foot seconds, while nitroglycerine powders, after a few more than 2,500

As an example of the small effects of erotion due to nitro-collulose powders, a Krupp gun was fired 534 times, and then dimensions came within the acceptance

The element of accuracy of fire, so important in these days of ships steaming twenty knots an hour, is also involved in the powder used, and the first consideration; for real accurance under service conditions is the obtaining of a powder which does not cause variations in ballistics, either through change of temperature or damage to the bore of the gun. Close upon this comes the other main consideration of a good sight. With a telescopic sight the waste of ammunition is lessened, and the accuracy of fire is increased at least 50 per cent. One of the difficulties of such sights has been to bring the cross wires of the telescopic sight the waste of ammunition is lessened, and the accuracy of fire is increased at least 50 per cent. One of the difficulties of such sights bas been to bring the cross wires of the telescope in focus with the object aimed at, but Sir Howard Grubb of Dublin has invented a sight re cently in which an imaginary image, practically in focus with the object aimed at, can be brought into the alignment, so that no parallax results.

Another important element for accuracy of fire is a carriage so constructed as to give as little 'jump' as possible. Accuracy of fire at leng ranges is the great point brought out by all recent wars, on land and at sea, for field, naval and coast artillary, and the manufacturers of all forms of

FARMERS MAKE MONEY

Do not sell your poultry, turkeys, geese or ducks till you investigate this great Company, its object and the high prices to be obtained by dealing only with it — cash is better than trading — who last year made money out of your poultry—Did you? — No.— JOIN this co-operative company for the protection of farmers—get high prices as weil as your share of the profits of selling in England. Join at once.

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Capital Stock,

\$450,000

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PRESIDENT-MR. GIBSON ARNOLDI, Barrister-at-Law, Toronto, Ontario. MANAGER-MR. WILLIAM S. GILMORE, Merchant, Hamilton, Ontario

OBJECT OF THE COMPANY.

THIS COMPANY is formed to advance Canadian trade with England in dressed poultry, ducks, turkeys and geese, dressed meats and other farm produce that the company may deem it advisable to deal in. This is the great object of the Company It will be no monopoly and ft cannot be made one; its success means the Farmers' success. The farmer who wants to make money must first become a shareholder in this Company, which is the only company of its kind, and by so doing show that he means business, as his money being invested, his interests and the interests of the Company are the same, and then raise poultry, turkeys, ducks and geese for the Company. This Company will buy only from its own shareholders; therefore, with care and attention every farmer's wife and every man, woman and child of ordinary intelligence in Canada who has fifty dollars can buy ten shares and become a shareholder, and by beginning in a small way and saving his profits make himself wealthy, like Mr. Taylor has done. Who Mr. Taylor is explained in the following extracts from a story told by Professor Robertson, the well-known Commissioner of Agriculture and Dairying for Canada, to the standing committee of the House of Commons:

"Well-to-do farmers fatten chickens, I learn also that there is money in the business. I had got the name of Mr. Samuel Taylor from one of the leading poultry dealers in London. When I got to his place I found Mr. Taylor was a successful farmer. He had begun life as a farm laborer without capital. When I visited him he had a fine farm-steading and was doing a prosperous business. I would not like to say how much money the chicken-fattening business brought him in, but I would not be surprised to learn that his annual net balance was over a thousand pounds (five thousand dollars a year)." This man had begun life as a farm laborer and by sticking to this business had made money out of it.

The Promoters are now arranging to establish not less than twelve receiving and shipping stations in Canada to be fitted with plants necessary to make the exported article as perfect as possible. The number of stations in each Province will be as nearly equal as possible, having regard for the size of the Province and the number of shareholders in each. The operations of the Company to be confined for the present to Ontario, Quebec, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island. The Company is also engaging the most experienced help to be found in Canada and England and making arrangements in England to get the very highest price

The Buyers of this Company will commence operations, it is expected, on or bout the first of June, 1901, when they will call on the shareholders and arrange with them as to the continuous supply—that is, the number each shareholder will raise and supply each month to the nearest receiving station of the Company. It is therefore necessary that all intending shareholders send in their subscriptions for stock at once, as the Company will only buy from its shareholders and the lists will be closed.

This is a grand chance to make money for either farmers or their wives and those who either cannot afford to keep up a large farm or who, through some infirmity or poor health, are not able to attend to the heavy dutles of heavy farming.

Prices to Be Paid.—This Company will pay the very highest prices to its shareholders, so as to encourage the raising of first-class poultry, and, as it will year in and year out be selling at the high prices to be obtained in England, it can afford to pay more than the best prices now paid for birds now sold on the Canadian market.

Great Prices in England.—Chickens shipped to Liverpool, England, met with a ready sale at eight-pence (sixteen cents) per pound. As they weighed eleven pounds per pair, they sold for one dollar and seventy-six cents per pair. Just think for one moment—one dollar and seventy-six cents for a pair of chickens in England, and yet it is only a fair market price there, and the profits are equally as good, if not better, on turkeys, ducks and geese. The consignee wrote as follows about the shipment: "I was agreeably surprised at the all-round excellence of your small experimental shipment of Canadian capons (chickens). On opening the cases the birds were found to be in beautiful condition, and presented a most salable appearance. After the birds were uncased I hung one to find out how long it would retain its bright appearance, and found that it became milky white as soon as it had dried out of the chilled state; today, five days later, it is as nice looking as a fresh killed bird. I think the price obtained will both please and pay you. It is a fair market price."

Three Firms Alone Intimated Their Ability and Willingness to Handle About Two Thousand Cases Per Week at Good Prices.

Raising Poultry Pays.—It pays better to fatten them, and it pays best to ship them to England. The shipment sent to Liverpool, England, above described brought one dollar and seventy-six cents per pair; the farmer sold them to the shipper for fifty-four cents per pair, which is above the average price, as often he does not get more than thirty cents per pair; can anything be clearer than that the farmer is failing to make enormous profits? By becoming a shareholder you will commence putting the money in your own pocket.

Success.—This Company is a natural outgrowth of the great and wonderful cold storage system. Before "cold storage" became known it would have been an impossibility to carry on this great business, but now the great success of cold or chilled storage is the maker of this enormous business, which will prove a money-mater for its shareholders. Space will not permit giving a description of the great arrangements to be made, of the many receiving and shipping stations, abbatoirs, cold storage plants, offices and agencies this Company will establish in the different Provinces of Canada and in England, or of the numerous employees it will engage to do the buying, killing, plucking, packing and shipping; the instructors the Company will engage will give eo the working shareholders such directions and assistance as they may desire.

The Head Office will be at Hamilton, Ontario, and from there MR. WILLIAM S. GILMORE, THE EXPERIENCED MANAGER, will direct its affairs. Mr. Gilmore is already well known to many Canadians, but for those who do not know him and who would naturally like to know something of the man who is to direct the affairs of the Company in which they intend to invest their money the following extract from a letter written by the celebrated firm F. W. FEARMAN CO., LIMITED, the greatest pork packers and provision merchants, and probably the oldest established firm of its kind in Canada, to the proposed bank of this Company, will be of interest.

GENTLEMEN,-At the request of Mr. W. S. Gilmore I write to advise you that we have known him for years, and have had during that time continuous dealings with him as one of our customers. He is a practical provision dealer and butcher of many years experience. He is about fifty-five years of age. but active and progressive, and as a judge of poultry, live or dressed, he is certainly the equal of the best in Hamilton. As to his personal character, respectability and integrity, we believe he is fully to be relied on for anything he will undertake.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Every shareholder in this Company is not obliged to raise poultry simply because he is a shareholder—anybody can buy stock in the Company, and the net profits or dividends will be divided between all shareholders alike, and it is safe to say they will get large dividends for their money.

Exclusive Privilege.—The Company extend an exclusive privilege to those who hold ten shares or more of the Company's stock to raise poultry, turkeys, ducks, geese, etc., for the Company, to supply the great demend, and to this class of shareholders the Company will pay the very highest prices for their birds. They will be given the great advantage of careful instruction, free of charge, in the art of raising and fattening poultry, as well as receiving their share of all the profits of the Company, and, as the promoters wish to make this a Company by the farmers and for the farmers, all the servants and employees of the Company will be chosen from among the shareholders and their families.

The Capital Stock of this Company is divided into shares worth five dollars each, and of this only a limited number of shares are offered for public subscription, but no subscription will be accepted for less than ten shares (\$50). If you wish to become a subscriber lose no time, but send in your subscription at once, as the stock will be allotted in the order in which the applications are received, and no stock will be held open for anyone. Fill out the APPLICATION FORM given below, be careful to state how many shares you want and the amount of money you encless, sign your name to it and then fill in your address and send it by registered letter of the Company, 9 Toronto Street, Toronto, Ontario, accompanied by a marked cheque postoffice order or express order for the full amount of your subscription, payable to the order of Mr. Gibson Arnoldi, President of the Company.

The promoters reserve the right to change the name of the Company if the Government requests them to do so as a condition to the granting of Letters Patent under the Great

APPLICATION FOR SHARES.

GIBSON ARNOLDI, ESQ., PRESIDENT, THE CANADIAN DRESSED POULTRY COMPANY, LIMITED, 9 TORONTO STREET,

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Music and The Drama

CONES AND UNDERTORES.

Johann Strauss's posthumous ballet 'Cinderella' was recently given at the Royal opera house in Berlin and is said to contain much characteristic and attractive music by the lamented composer, although none of it is to be compared in melody and inspiration to the writings of his earlier days. But there are the same piquant dance rhythms and several spirited marches and enough of old Strauss quality remains to make the ballet much superior to its contemperary rivels. The score was completed by Josef Bayer, who did his work so well that there is no lack of unity

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The orchestra to play at the Bach Festival at Bethlebem will be under the direction of J. F. Wolle and will consist of sixty six musicians. Among the instruments will be two obi d'amore. Evan opera had been given first in Paris six Williams, Ellison Van Hoose and Nicho las Douty are the tenore, J. S. Barastein, culty in Berlin. Somebody had told Arthur Beresford and H. G. Smith, the Friedrich Wilhelm III. that the opera was baritones, while 'he women singers will be an attack on the Cathelic religion and like-Sara Anderson, Mary de Moss, Marie ly to lead to conflicts between Cathelics Zimmermann and Lucy Brickenstein. In the 'Christmas' eratorio and the mass in B Friedrich Wilhelm IV. came to the throne minor the original orchestration will be followed with the exception of the 1 ampet parts. In the 'Passion' music the Franz

who has lately been playing with success in Paris, has been reengaged for a concert tour in this country next year to begin in January. Naturally he is to appear first in Boston. David Bispham is to sing next winter exclusively in opera. Dr. Paul Klengel has been reelected as conductor of the Liederkranz society for. another term. Egder S. Kelly has been appointed a professor in the music school of Yale University. Margaret Macintyre is to return next year to this country to

Mme. Sembrich's season at the Royal opera house in Berlin is to continue for four weeks and will add several interesting novelties to the present repertoire.

Mme. Sembrich is to gratily her wish to revive Pergolese's 'La Serva Padrona, which is rarely heard nowadays and has been sung in Berlin. She will also sing for the first time the heroine of Donizetti's 'L'Ellsir d'Amore,' a part she has never yet taken into her repertoire. The rest of the engagement will be devoted to 'Don Pasquale' and 'Il Barbier di Seviglia.' MM. Constantiene, de Lara, Arimondi, Bensuade, Tavechia and Mme. Lucca, who is not related to the famous Viennese soprano, are in the company. The orchestra is under Signor Bevignani. The chorus comes from Italy, Lilli Lehman has recently been singing at a private theatre in Berlin in 'Norma' with Emil Fischer. Mme. Lehman is to return in all probabil ity to this country next year to sing in con-Henry Amsel, who died at Bad-Mann-

helm last week, had for the past decade been a familiar figure in the corridors of known to all the singers who came, more through his diligence in seeking their acquaintance than from any efforts they made. me he had known abroad and Victor Maurel used to say that he had met Amsel in almost every part of Europe. He was born in Warsaw, sang in a Jewish temple there and later attempted an operatic career which was brief. He was always fond of telling the circumstances under which he discovered that Jean de Reeske could be a a tenor instead of a baritone. This discevery has commonly been attributed to Sbriglia, but Amsel would only admit that the other teacher was present when they heard M. de Resuka sing and he used to love to describe the look of chagin on the face of Sbriglia when he first announced the discovery that the baritone could be a enor. He is said by thorities who knew his methods to have had some knowledge of the art of singing, and his success was simited by other influences than his pro-fessional skill. He was on friendly terms with most of the singers who were usually willing to listen to his theories. An en counter between him and Victor Maurel was always certain to be amusing, largely because Amsel was thoroughly in earnest on his part. 'There is no doubt about it,' method of singing is the greatest I ever heard of next to that taught by a professor in Maples that I once talked with there. He had a method that made it possible for a singer to sing with one wood chord and root the other. Then he was ready to start with the other when the first was rested. In that way a man could sing all on the first might the Ferge Master, an equezed me inte a cerner, while the het the baritone said one day to Amsel. 'Your

Amsel had to admit that the Neapolitan teacher had a greater method.

Speak ng of the popular 'rag-time music, a prominent newspaper man says that the Federations of musicians are doing all in their power to suppress the rag time tunes, now so much in vogue. This writer puts in been heard whistling coon songs. He continues: 'The safe rule is to !'ke what you please; and if you like 'reytime' music or unmusic, like it, and bid those who would interfere with you go hang. It is better to be tolerant than to be learned. But rag-time strains are delightful, all the same. We doubt if the man who haughtily

Meyerbeer's opera 'Les Hugenots' has just been revived at the Ber!in opera with new costrmes and scenery after a period of disuse. It had been sung there in all before this last revival 281 times since the years before, hand made its way with diffithat the opera was heard in Berlin. Wilhelmine Schroder Deviient was the original Berlin Valentine, and Marguerite was sung score will be used.

Minnie Tracey has been invited to become the leading dramatic soprano at the opera house. Eduard Mantire was the the opera in Stockholm. Harold Bauer,

TALK OF THE THEATRE.

This week Edward R. Manson with an excellent company opened an engagement at the Opera house. The cowing of Mr. Mawson has been looked forward to with keen expectation by theatre goers in gen- and possibly M. Coqulin, will appear. eral to the reception accorded him on his first appearance on Monday evening must indeed have been blattering.

Mr. Mawson's choice of Nell Gwynne. as an opering piece was a rather poor one. The plot is simple and tiresome, effords very little scope tor the display of talent in which many of the members of the company possess.

Miss Jessie Bonstelle with the W. S. Harlins company will be the attraction at the Mechanics institute next week. The opening bill will be Magda and during the engagement Miss Bonstelle v. 11 be seen in The Little Minister, Trilby Teodora.

Maude Adems will star in a new play by J M Barrie, next season.

Sousa with his band is making a tour of Canada. He is now in Onterio.

Alice Neilson will appear in an operatic version of Madame San Gene next season. Edward P. Elliott, as David Herem, in the play of that name is drawing crowded houses at Toronto.

The Monks of Malabar company is touring the principal cities of Canada and meeting with general success.

Miss Lotta Crabtree is now sojourning in California. It is said that she spends considerable time in portrait painting.

Julia Marlowe leaves in a few weeks for Europe and she will spend the greater part of the summer in Rome and Review Mr. J. Harry Wheeler of New York has been appointed examiner in the legal deat of the Toronto Conservatory of

Elizabeth Tyree who is playing in "Un-leavened Bread" at the Tremond Theatre at Boston, will sail for Europe at the close

Miss Margaret Anglin, who sprained her ankle quite severely, recently, is now quite recovered and able to again resume the part of Dora in Diplomacy.

Edmond Rostand, since his return to Paris has been busily engaged writing a new play for Sarah Bernhardt, the title of which is given as "Le Theatre."

The D'Ormond-Fuller Stock Company played 'Othello' in Key West on Monday. This is the first time that a Shakespe play has been produced in that city.

Miss Aino Acte a Parisian operatic star, though a Finn by birth, is soon to marrry Prof Recuval of Helsingtors University, England. She will leave the stage.

Mme Majeskeska sailed from New York last week for England. Next season she will begin an American starring tour in Henry VIII. Louis James will support

night and never become fatigued.' Prof. English Sociely drams to occupied the

Gussie Loftus with an excellent Vander ville company has been touring upper Canadian cities for the past few weeks. Everywhere she has been received with merked enthusiasm.

Martin Harvey, who is to appear at the a plea for the popular eirs and says that even followers of Bach and Handl have present there the dramatization of the Bul. wer Lyton's Rienzi, that he will produce in London next season.

Miss Ethel Barrymore has become a great favorite in New York, where she has been playing during the entire season at the Garrick, as leading lady in Captain Jinks of the Horse Marines. The Prisoner of Algiers a new romantic

play was produced at the American Theatre in New York city last week. The initial production was most successful and the play will in all paobability become Odell Williams has been compelled by an attack of rheumatism to leave the cast of Uncle Tom's Cabin at the Academy of

Music, and is recuperating at Mount Clemens, Mich. Frank Hatch has succeed-ed him as Phineas Fletcher. The King's Carnival, the new burlesque review by Sydney Rosenfeld, with music by A Baldwin Sloane, had its initial pro-

duction last week at the New York theaire, and promises to have even a more success ful run than The Giddy Throng. The Valentine Stock Company clo

ever popular Merchant of Venice. Edmond Rostand has returned to Paris after spending the winter at Cambon for his health, that is now much improved. He is making progress with his new play, Le Theatre, in which Sarah Bernhardt,

According to a published report Me. dame Ristori, who is 75 years old, is soon to marry Signor Sasano, mayor of Turkin, Italy, a man much younger than she. Ristori has, through her first marriage, the title of Marquise Capranica del Grillo.

Nat C Goodwin's first por rayal of Shyleck in Syracuse last Monday is claimed by the critics to be 'a dignified and scholarly' impersonification, while Maxine Ellio' was 'sweet and womanly. The staging was superb and the support all that

Miss Christie MacDonald, the clever and pretty actress was married recently to William Winter Jefferson, son of the veteran actor, Joseph Jefferson. The ceremony was performed at the Jefferson residence at Buzzard Bay. Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson will make an extended European

The Valentines have become very popular during their stay in Toronto and a number of friends arranged a testimonal as a token of their appreciation of the efforts of Miss Anne Blanche. The testimonial took the form of a complimentary matinee, which was well attended by the admirers of this excellent company.

After the first night's performance of Lever's Lane at the Manhattan theatre, Lover's Lane at the Manhattan theatre, New York, the author, Clyde Fitch, ex-girl who lived next door had a kitten, sly ceipts and was pessimistic concerning the future of the play. William A. Brady immediately offered him \$10,000 in cash to forego royalties and sell the piece outright. Fitch asked for 24 hours to consider the offer and then declined it much to the manager's disgust. The royalties for the New York season alone have reached that mount and the play is good for four or

The New York Sun says that the Tall me, pretty maiden, are there any more at me like you? song, which has been the hit of Florodora, partly because of the pretty maidens themselves, is to have a companion song in Leslie Stuart's new piece The Silver Slipper, which succeeds Florodora shortly at the Lyric, London. The sequel to The Pretty Maiden is Come, little girl, and tell me truly, and calls for the sextets that have become famous in London and this city. The same New York managers who have Florodora have the rights for the new piece.

In 'The Recollections of Samuel Breck' this fine old survivor of the colonial period gives his torcible impressions of certain innovations made in the early years of the her.

'Darkest Russia,' with Ralph Stuart in the rele of Alexis Nasimeff, and Letta

last century. Particularly amusing, in the light of developments, is his account of a ride in a railway car from Boston to Previ-

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sun drew from their garments a villa:nous compound of smells made up of salt, fish, tar and molasses. By and by twelve bounc ing factory girls were introduced, who were going on a party of pleasure to Newport.
'Make room for the ladies! bawled out

the superintendent. Come gentleman, jump up on the top; plenty of room there!
'For my part I refused to move. The whole twelve were introduced, however, and soon made themselves at home, sucking lemons and eating green apples. There is certainly a growing neglect of manners and insubordination to the laws, a democratic familiarity and a tendency to level all distinctions. The rich and the poor, the educated and the ignorant, the polite and the vulgar, all herd together in this modern improvement in travelling.

The consequence is a complete amalga-tion, and all this for the sake of doing very uncomfortably in two days what could be done delightfally in eight or ten. Undoubtedly in eight or ten. Undoubtedly a line of post-horses and post.chaises would long ago been established along our great roads had not steam monopolized every-

'Steam, so useful in many respects in terferes with the comfort of travelling, descroyes every salutary distinction in society, and overturns by its whirligig power the once rational, gentlemanly and safe mode of gotting along on a journey. Talk of ladies on board a steamboat or in a railroad car! There are none.'

This, remember, was written in 1835. If the fine old gentleman were living now, and would whirl from Boston to Providence in a drawing room car in sixty minutes, he might revise his pessimistic utteran es. Imagine a return to the times, even the blissful times, of Mr. Breck when he ventured to prodict that 'it may be possible to go from Baltimore to New York by the light of a summer's sun !

A small boy had a dog that was rough, istic concerning the came nonchalantly into the girl's presence and after some desultory conversation he said :

'You know my dog Barca and your cat News and Opinions Darling P' 'Yes.

'Well, my dog had a piece of meat, and he thought your cat was going to take it away from him.

'Thouget ?' exclaimed the wise little girl. What makes you say that the dog thought You knew dogs don't think; they instinct. 'Well,' said the boy, 'I don't care whether he thought it or whether he instincted it; but anyhow, he killed your cat.'-London Fun.

A writer on old Texas says, in 'The Evolution of a state,' that in 1837 the winter was cold and wet, and the settlers suffered for clothing. Buckskin was suffi-cient while the weather kept dry, but there was one great objection to it as a rainy

day garment. One afternoon a certain Jimmie, who had not been long in the country, was out with a surveying party, when there came up a drenching rain. Before they could reach shelter the buckskin breeches of the men were thoroughly saturated. A hospiteble house, rendered delightful by daughters and young lady guests. opened

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its doors, and the surveyors took shelter. Jimmie was not acqueinted with the vagaries of buckskin, and on alighting from his horse he was distressed to find his feet enveloped in the slimy folds of trouser legs which had mysteriously lengthened, and become as unmanageable as a jellyfish. So he took out his knife and cut off the extra

A rousing fire had been built in the great open fireplace, and the boys drew up in front of it to dry their clothing. As the buckskin dried it began to shrink, and the breeches made a perceptibly retrograde

Jim perceived it, and bending down stretched them, to the ill-concealed amuse-ment of those who had witnessed the amputation. But the buckskins were on the retreat. and presently had put an alarming distance between their lower edge and the top of Jim's shoes.

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THE BRITISH BUDGET.

Increased taxes are never popular, and a responsible official who proposes them must prepare to encounter a storm of criticism. It is fortunate for the British ministry that it has, as Chancellor of the Exchequer, a man of too unvielding a temp r to be swerved from the path of plain duty by f ar of unpopularity.

"I ask for no cheers, and I expect none," said Sir Michael HICKS-BEACH, when he faced the House of Commons after the Easter reces, and prepared to untold his budget. "You have Lad your feast. You have all, Liberals and Tories, been mad for rioting and expenditure. Now comes the reckening."

A large part of the burden of the war in South Africa must be shouldered upou posterity in the form of an increase of the national debt; but the chancellor intimated his purpose that the present generation goould bear its full share. To that end he recommended an increase in the income tax, a duty on sugar and an export duty on coal, and Parliament voted all three. There was grumbling, of course; the brewers and jam-makers did not like the duty on sugar, and the coal operators protested against the coal duty, but to no purpose.

The chancellor's impartiality shows itself in the distribution of these burdens. The income tax is a searching one. It strikes all incomes above one hundred and sixty pounds a year. It already took five per cent. As the chancellor dryly remarked, it is calculated 'to bring home to the country the virtues of economy.' The sugar duty is meant especially to reach the people who are not touched by the income tax-the great working masses; and the export duty on coal, in part at least, will come from the foreign consumer. Unpalatable as the budget was, there is a general disposition to concede that the chancellor dealt with eis diffi culties boldly and fairly.

"CANNED SUNSHINE."

An English scientist has predicted that the valley of the Amazon will be the center of civilization in the coming centuries and that England and Scotland, most of Canada, and all New England, will become hunting grounds, homes for elk and deer. Taking this as a starting point, Dr. EDWARD EVERET HALE whimsically de mands that the Northern States begin to send their invalid wards to spend the win ters in the sunny Southern States, instead of shutting them in close rooms, in gloomy institutions, and warming them with the "canned sunshine" that is stored in coal

There are obvious difficulties in the way of this amiable design; but, aside from the scientist's prediction and the clergyman's proposition, a curious suggestiveness lurks behind Doctor HALE'S words.

"Canned sunshine," which comes in various forms and takes many names, is truly indispensable; yet it is possible that some of us use too much of it

This is the age of out-of-door athletics, and physical reliance on coal and wood is the least of our offendings. In the region of the intellect, in the fields of knowledge, fancy, sentiment, reflection, are we not somewhat too dependent on the 'canned sunshine' we find in books? The men who made the books sought their material at first hand. Even if other men, recorders of experience, may have supplied facts and figures, it remained for the masters to verify them by their own understanding of life, and charge them with the vitality of their

overflowing minds. One of the differences between genius space of two hours.

and mediocity is that genius takes nothing for granted. It goes to the top as well as o "the bottom of things," and explores all the space between. In so far, even we every day folk may humbly follow it. We shall make a serious mistake if, instead of observing nature, we content ourselves with reading about her; or if, while weeping over a moving tale, we neglect to relieve the poor family in the next street. This mission of the masters is to show us the way of approach to nature and human nature—but their "canned sunshine" must be used to light, and not alone to warm. Wise men, and pets as well, are they who cherish the seeing eye, the meditative mind and the sympathetic heart.

WORKING OUT THE SOLUTION.

Even before word came of the capture o! AGUINALDO, which was followed by his making an oath of allegiance and issuing a manifesto counseling his people to lay down their arms, readers of the daily news knew that conditions in the Phillippines were steadily improving.

It is possible now to say that organized resistance to the United States in the isands has ceased; but that is only a neg ative way of putting the matter, and in the face of so much that is positive, it is madequate. The Taft commission was working steadily to establish civil government even while the sporadie fighting was going on, and now that hostilities have ceased, civil government is a fact. The civil authority superseded the military on the fifteenth of this month.

Although the fifty thousand soldiers now in the archipelago may have to remain for some time, their duties will be those of a police force, and their efforts largely directed to entorcing the will of the Filipinos themselves.

The codes under which the cities and towns will govern themselves were framed by the commission after free discussion with the best class of natives. The suffrage is restricted to men twenty-three years of age, who are owners of two hundred and fity dollars' worth of property or payers of fitteen dollars in taxes, and can read and write either Spanish or English.

A general school system has been es tablished and more than a million of dollars appropriated for teachers salaries, four indred thousand for school buildings, two hundred and twenty thousand for text books and supplies, twenty five thousand for a normal school, and fitteen thousand fora trade school in Manila.

The outlook for a satisfactory solution of this difficult problem which the United States has had to face is therefore extremely good. It so much has been done in the face of armed resistance, much greater progress should follow the advent of peace.

The Police and Their Busy Week. This has been a busy week for the pol-

ice. The criminals seem to have broken loose and made trouble for the officers on all hands. One charge is so serious that it will require the most careful investigation. The evidence so far has not been made public as the examination is private, but the sympathy of all who have known and respected the young man's parents have gone out to them in heartfelt fashion.

The chief of police is away and yet the up its reputation without apparent effort. The grant of the council toward the ex penses might in the end prove a paying investment since the city might be saved the salary that now goes to that offinal. One morning there was nothing to report and the fact that there was a clean sheet was not displeasing to Capt. Jenkin s who is in charge of the torce during the absence of the Chief.

The friends of W. S. Harkins are glad o see him again in the city and to know that his company will appear in the New Mechanics Institute Monday evening. Mr. Harkins needs no introduction to the public. His plays are good and he says his com pany is excellent. What more is necessary

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Life Near the Fquator.

The Reverend Father Grisen of Stanley Falls. Atrica, writes that Europeans have a very inaccurate idea of tropical temperatures. He passed eight years at the equator on the Pacific coast, he says, and never saw the mercury above 85°, while at Stanley Falls the maximam is 900, and the nights are deliciously cool. On the other hand, there are frequent tempests of indescribable violence, and Father Grison has counted 66 lightning flishes in one minute, the thunder being continuous. and has seen 10 thunderbolts strike wi hin a radius of a few hundred meters in the

VBRSES OF YESTERDAY AND TODAY

Eutomological Eutrees

An able entomologist,
M. Dagan, has been treating
Parisians to a lecture on
The Joys of Insect Esting!
In course of which he snacked his lips,
As quietly he boasted
That he had tried a hundred kinds—
Braised, minced, ried, raw and roasted!

To spurn their spiders, that would be, He to'd them, waste most utter—
They make a really toothsome dish, First skinned, then stewed in butter
The pounded bettle, too, they had In beestock but to throw it
To get a most supe.ior sup—
From bisque they would not know it.

Again, the cockroach to condem
Would be an act most hasty,
This insect, curried, than the prawn
Is even yet more tasty,
Whilst caterpillars, though despised,
By prejudice besotted,
Are sweet and nourishing as cream—
The sort described as clotted.

The locust, too, is heard to beat,
Stowed in pan ol copper,
Nor could he overpraise, said he
The delicate grasshopper!
Wailst our old friend, the centipede,
In a condition larval,
Possessed a ft. vor gourme's owned
Was, in effect, a marvel!

Moreover, insect food, 'tis said,
The eater can't 'digrest a wrong,'
Wherefere, 'dis urged, it would be well
To start an 'Insect Restaurant!'
But stay! for haste is doing this
There's not the slightest reason;
Let the discussion be adjurned
Uatil the 'Silly Season!
—In the London

-In the London Trut

A Cheerful Giver. Two little boys dropped in from play At their grandfather's house, one Winter day, bmiled at the apples that grandmother brough them, And spoke teeir thanks, as their mother had taugh them:

them; But little Will glanced at his apple, poor lad, And saw that 'twas facer than that Dan had, So, quick as a wink, he turned to his brother, With 'Take this one, Danny, and I'll take th other.'

'All right,' said Dan, and away the boys went, Each one with his treasure well content, while, with never a thought of regret or pride, Unconcious quite, and sait-field, Will buried his teeth in the coarser skin, Happy and warm his soul within. Enj ying Dan's apple, the kind little elf! Because Dan had it, and not himself.

Ab, laddle, would we were like you,
Loving and generous through and through;
Not waiting to measure how much we can spare,
When called to add to our brother's share,
Not pleased with cur selves or with our giving.
Not taking delight in our own good living,
But aglow with the love of our neighbors, find
Our joy in the joy of all mantind.

—Martha Burr Banks.

Off and On.

We've put away the overcoat A dozen times or so, Imarinng that chilling winds At last had ceas-d to blow. We've placed it in the c-dar chest, Where m tha ne'er cause dismay, And felt relieved because we thought For months it there would stay.

But just as often from the chest
The overcost we've drawn,
Removed the wriskles from its folds
And gladly put it on
For saddenly a change had come
From mild to frosty air.
And there was comfort when one had
A heavy coat to wear.

'Twas in the month of March this game
Of hide and seek commenced,
For then we didn't rea 123
What we were up against.
We never dreamed when first we put
The overcoat away
That gentle spring had up her sleeve

So many tricks to play. But later on we learned just how
The weather joked with men;
There'd be a day or two of spinng.
Then winter came again.
One day we'd seed the overcoat,
The ext day put it on,
And thus kept changing back and forth
Till peace of mind was gone.

So now at last we've ceased to think Of hiding it away, Of hiding it away, Quite reconciled to wearing it, Perhaps till late in May, But even if before that time It usefulness is done The over-oat is bound to make A record-breaking run.

A Knight of the Bobby Horse He rode away with flashing eyes

To fight in distant lands; His charger was a co-1 black steed, His sword was in his hands.
'I may be gone a hundred years," He said, "and so, farewell!
The papers I shall send to you,
My valiant deeds will tell."

His mother waved a last good-by Bud sped li a on his way. "When you come back to me," she cried,
"Twill be a happy day!"

He rode across the nursery And through the garret dim, Then paused to view the country round, Beyond the window's rim. The day was warm, he journeyed far; He said, "I'll rest a while, Ard then again my steed and I Will ride full many a mile."

They found him there as night came on, His flashing eyes were close 1; With arms around his charger's neck The warrior reposed.

On a Dog Dreaming A dream having frightened my slumber, In my reading l.m. is mellow shine, I sit in a chair unaccustemed, For Tracy is sleeping in mine.

I am reading a book psychologic, Which is deep but not overly broad, Which holds that in m-king the human There was thorough exhaustion of God

A whimper! -And Tracy is drewning! -A yelp! -He is after the gams! -A gasp! -He awake! -He has missed it! He is hanging his head in his shame!

We are living together, Tracy,
A life that is common, 'twould seem;
We love, and we bate, and we worry,
A little we think,—and we dream!

Love Letters of a Schoolboy. The grass is green, the sky is blue, Honey's sweet, and so are you, I feel all throbby when I see You look across the room at me. Oh, how I like to sit all day
And which you while you teach away The rose is nice and sweet to smell, My leve for you no tongue can tell. I wish that I was thirty three, For ma says that's what you must be

BAKING

Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

HE HAD TALENT. How a French Nobleman Secured Work and

Monsieur Brillat-Savarin, in his Memoirs of his time, gives the history of several of the French nobles who fled to England to escape the guillotine. Among those who found themselves penniless and without profession of craft by which to earn their bread was a Comte d'Albignac of old and noble family.

On day, while seated in a cafe in London three or four young English noblemen sat down at a neighboring table to dine. Presently one of them came to him and said. "Monsieur, I have heard that all Frenchmen excel in making a salad. Will you do us a favor of mixing one for us?'

D'Albignac hesitated, but then gaily sat down with them and prepared the salad. He had great skill. Toe men ate with enthusiasm, and exchanged cards with him at parting. But one of them with the card pressed a sovereign into his hand.

D'Albignac trembled with rage, but a quick second thought kept him; silent. He was a nobleman. None of his race had ever earned money. But why ishould he not earn money? He had this little art: why not use it to make his bread? Was it not more honorable than to live, as many of his tellow refugees were doing, on toe charity of their friends? He bowed to the company and put the sovereign in his pocket. The next day he was asked to go to a

large mansion where a dinner-party was to be given, to dress the salads. His salads became the fashion. He was summoned to every large entertainments, and his skill enabled him to charge large sums. He remained in London for a few years, and then with his savings, returned to France, bought a small estate in Limousin. resumed his rank, and lived comfortably for the rest of his life.

This little story touches upon a vital point of difference between our own and European social habits. No American, whatever his birth or income, feels himself degraded by earning money. The danger on our part is quite different. We are apl to forget that there is high and noble work to be done in the world which does not bring in money. Such work may well be undertaken by men whose income ais assured. It more of them would give their time and effort to science or to politics instead of to the amassing of hoards which they do not need, the whole nation] would grow stronger and purer.

Savage Moose.

A moose story, exciting, in detail if not incontrovertibly true is related in the New York Mail and Express, Two bunters were in the Maine woods looking for deer when they had their similar adventure, in which, according to their own version of the affair, they acted purely in self defence.

When near Dead Stream they heard sounds as of a terrific struggle in the bushes, and on going to investigate, were astonished to find two large bull moose, engaged in deadly combat. Unhappily the men somehow attracted the lattention of the moose, whereupon both animals turned furiously upon the intruders. The men fled, closely pursued by the moose and C. finding!that they were in danger of being overtaken, turned and shot one of the brutes dead in its tracks, as he supposed.

The hunters then scrambled into the top most cranches of a tree. And then they were surprised to see the wounded and supposedly dead moose struggle to its feet and rush forward again as fiercely as ever. Finding the hunters well out of reach.

the moose gave vent to bellowings of wrath. Finally one trotted off into the woods, and the other, the wounded one, went off a little distance and lay down. After waiting a while, the two hunter

cautiously descended from the tree and se off through the woods toward home. Their movements aroused the resting moose, who had evidently been watching them, and he made a wild rush atter them. Once more the hunters took to trees, and

presently their pursuer was joined by two more large bull moose. All night long the three tramped and bellowed about the trees in which the luckless hunters were perched, their teeth chattering with cold and their limbs aching with cramp.

At daylight the brutes gave up the siege appeared the two men slid down from their good as can be had in the market.

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ture. The dead body of a bull moose was found in that region a week later, and is supposed to be the one that C. shot. At last accounts a game warden was after the evidence in the case, looking to the arrest of the hunters for killing moose in close time. Should the case come to trial, the interesting question will be presented whether a man is justified in shooting a moose in self defense, as C. savs that he shot this one.

Getting Over it.

The food supplied to the apprentices in Uncle Sam's navy, particularly when in port, is plain and unstimulating in quality and none too abundant in quantity. Uncle Sam does not believe in pampering his young sailors by over-feeding, and most of them spend a considerable portion of their pay in adding to the stock of provender furnished them by the ship's cook.

A boy who may be designated as Jimmy Short, for short, thinking life on shipboard would be a 'picnic,' enlisted as a naval apprentice

'How is Jimmy getting along?' inquired a neighbor one day.

'Poor boy!' replied his mother. 'He writes us that he is so homesick he can't eat half the grub he gets in his kid-what ever that may mean.'

A few weeks later the same neighbor droppe in again.

'How is Jimmy doing in the navy by this time P' she asked.

'Poor boy,' answered Mrs. Short. 'He wants us to send him a box filled with the kind of vitals he used to turn up his nose at. He says he believes he could eat la live ox at one meal !' As an instructive afterthought it may be

suggested that perhaps a judicious amount of starvation is a good cure for acute cases of homesickness.

A Complimentary Idorsement.

A farmer was travelling to London in quest of legal advice, and during the journey became impressed | with the belief that he had left behind certain important papers. As he made a hurried investigation of his bag, ha said:

'It I did leave those papers behind, I'm a fool.

He continued the search, and d moment ster exclaimed:

I'll bet it'll turn out I'm a fool!' For the third time he rummaged through the bag, and as he reached the last bundle

be repeated : 'Yes, sir, I believe it'll turn out I am

Now the travelling British public greatly resents any disturbance of its solemn silence, and a man on the other side of the compartment, who had listened frowingly to the farmer's definition of his con status, looked over his newspaper and said, with sarcastic interest:

'O slige me, sir, by laying a little money that same way for me.

The proposition was not accepted, partly because betting is immoral, and partly because the farmer felt that his companion would have a sure thing.

A BOOK FOR MOTHERS.

Dontaining Much Information as ito the Oare O! Children, and the Treatme of Ill: That Commonly Afflict Little Ones—Given Free.

"Baby's Bottles; A Message Mothers," is the title of a very handsome little pamphlet just issued by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company. It is devoted entirely to the care of intants and small children and tells the we ther how to aid her little ones in the emergencies of every day life. It describes the ills that commonly afflict children and tells how to treat them. This little book is one that should be in every home where there are infants or small children. All mothers who send their name and address on a post card to the Dr. William, Medicine Co., Brockville, Oat., will receive a copy of this book free of charge. Mention the PROGRESS when writing.

Up-to-Date improvement

The wine rooms of Mr. Peter Mahoney of the North End have been entirely renovated and since their completion with steel ceilings and walls, oak finish present'a pleasant and attractive appearance. Mr. Mahoney keeps an unusually quiet and up. and trotted away. As soon as they dis- to date place and stock he carries is as

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ladies during his last engagement here with the Valentine Stock company and the enthusiasm with which he was received on Monday evening plainly evinced the esteem with which the people of S:

John regard him.

At the close of the performance a reception was held on the stage and many friends went forward to greet Mr. Mawson wand meet Mrs. Mawson or Miss Holland as she is known to the theatrical

The dance given by Mrs. Girvin at her residence on Hazen street was a most enjoyable affair.

The house decorations were of ferns and cut flowers and the entire interior presented a charming

appearance.

Harrison's orchestra furnished music for a quite
lengthy programme of dances and the hours passed

There were several small theatre parties on Mon-day evening. They were no doubt as pleasant as

such affairs usually are.
One of these was given by Mr.H. L. Turner of the
American Customs. The party was made up of
about 10 of his friends, Mrs. Clarence DeForest

The Evening Journal of Pittsfield Mass says that the engagement was announced Sunday of Fred Tower Francis of the Berkshire County Savings bank and Mias Maude Allison Thompson of St. John, N. B. Mr Francis is one of the most highly esteemed and popular young men in Pittsfield, and is prominently connected with its financial, business and social life. He has been with the Savings bank for 15 years, has been closely identified with the city's musical interests, himself being a superb baritone singer, and is a member of practically all the Masonic and social organizations in the city. Miss Thompson came to Putafield in 1897 and in August last graduated vfrom the Bishop Memorial Training School for Nurses, She is a charming and talented young woman and has won many friends during her stay in Piitsfield. At present she is at Frederick Crane's in Dalton. The young people have been the recipients of hearty congratulations and good wishes, the volume of which attests the

many friends are glad to hear this.

Miss Daisy Winslow spent several days of the week here with her friend Miss Gladys McLaugh

lin of Wentworth street.

Miss Berryman and Mrs George Prescott are home from a two weeks soj ourn at Clifton Springs.

Mrs. Freeman, wife of the Rev. J. D. Freeman
was "at home" to her friends at the parsonage,

Mrs J Howie of Boston arrived here this week and will spend the summer at the different resorts on the St John River. Mr and Mrs George Grant of Houlton, Maine are

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Fry's.

Mrs Blair McLaughlin is in Amberst this week the guests of Miss Gertle Curry.

isiting friends.

Miss Bertie Collins of Chartotte street went to Amherst on Thursday and is spending the holidays with her friend Miss Winnie Fullerton. She will isit in Moncton before returning. Miss Mary Hayes is still quite ill and has not been

able to resume her duties at St. Malsichi's school.
Miss Marion Belyea and Miss Katie Wisdom who
have been studying at McGill University during
the year are home for the summer vaction.

Victoria Day passed off quite quietly in town. The different excursions by rail and steambost were well patronized and those who could get away did not fail to take advantage of the opportunities afforded for a day in the country, at a time of the year when nature is at her best and the balmy breezes give one new interest in life and new energy to battle with the troubles of that life.

Mr. Lemuel Dibbon of the D F. Brown Prin'ing '>.. will be married early in June to Miss Ge:trude Kaye daughter of Mr. L. R. Kaye of Halifax, N. S. After a trip through Canadian and American cities Mr. Dibbon will bring his bride to reside in this

Mr. and Mrs. B. Budge of Economy, N. S., are ere this week.

Miss Fairweather and Miss Grace Fairweather

Mr and Mrs H P Timmerman left for Toronto early in the week. They will reside in that city for

he present.

Miss Josephine Troop and cousin Miss Killam of Yarmonth were among the Canadians who registered at the High Commissioners office at London

ecently.

Mr and Mrs E Anderson of Calais are in the city

guests at the Dufierin botel.

Hon Charles 8 Ham in and Mrs Hamlin of Boston were here during the week. They came from Halifax where they had spent some time and were eturning to the Hub.

Mrs R M Cutter of Halifax is staying with friends

Mr James F Robertson and family are now oc cuping the beautiful summer residence at Rothessy.

Mr and Mrs George F Calkin have moved to
their summer home at Westfield beach.

Miss Thorne entertained a number of ladies and Dainty prizes were awarded for the best playing and a very pleasant evening spent. Several young lady friends assisted Miss Thorne in serving re-

Miss Manning is visiting friends in Wolfville. Mr and Mrs J M Robinson are home from a brief visit to Charlottetown. P E I. Miss Lena Cadman of Sackville was in the city

this week. Miss Cadman is the Canadian repre-sentative of Literary Digest and is travelling in the interests of her journal.

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Miss Julia Cripps has gone to Vermont where she
will spend the summer. It is to be hoped the
change will benefit her.

Mr and Mrs Carson Flood celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding this week. The event was observed rather quietly but during the day many old friends called upon them at their residence on Charlotte street and extended their congratula-

Mrs George Babbitt and little daughter Miss Marjoric arrived in town on Wedn'sday afternoon and will remain here for several weeks the guest of relatives.

Mrs Calhoun is quite seriously ill at the home of her mother Mrs J V Ellis, Frincess strest. Her many friends are glad to hear this. relatives and friends.

> Miss Sadie Lawson of Princess street leaves inext week for Massachusetts to take up the study of nursing.

Queen street, on Wednesday and Thursday afternoon of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Struan Robertson left on Wednesday of this week for New York and Buffalo.

Mr Tom Lunney of the McGill medical department arrived home this week for the summer holidays.

The many friends of Miss Laura Bradley of the the north end are grieved to hear of her continued illness.

Miss Mabel Cook left early this week for Boston where she visit for several weeks.

Miss W C H Grimmer of S: Stephen spent the week with relatives in town. At the residence of Mr. Robert Craft, Prince

week with relatives in town.

Miss Coostance Smith is home from a very long and very pleasant visit with friends in Toronto and well-known in the business and social life of the

Mr Harding had been ill for a long time and death came as a welcome relief from the sufferings which he had endured.

Sincere sympathy is felt for the deceased family in their sad bereavement. Mrs. J T McBride of Montreal who was formerly Miss Harding came home a few days before her father's death and is still in the city,

MONGTON.

Mrs J L Harris and Mrs E A Record leave Monoton about the first of June for the old country and will spend three or four months on the con-tinent. Mrs Record is expected here today from

real to visit her cousin, Mrs McMahon. Miss Gallagher will accompany Mrs McMahon to the Pan-American exposition before returning home.

Mr W A Carrie of Halifax passed 'hrough last night to Montreal.

WINDSOR.

May 23—Lieut and Mrs Nagle are in town, the guest of Mrs and Miss Nagle. 2Mrs Anna Andrews, who has been very ill at the home of her daughter Mrs Edwin Shaw, has covered and is at present visiting friends in

Hansport.

Mrs MacDonald has returned to Windsor and she and her, son MrL McDonald are making their home with the Mrs Palmer.

Miss Kent who has been spending several months with her sister Mrs J Arnold Smith, left last Satur-

day for her home in Maine.

My and Mrs John W Blanchard and family ex-

Me and Mrs John W Blanchard and Manily ex-pect to leave for Ellershouse early next week, where they will spend the summer months. Mrs Cann and infant daughter came from Boston last Wednesday and will remain for some time the guests of Mrs Cann's parents, Mr and Mrs James Mr Frank Chalcroft who was in the employ of Mr

FF Murphy fer over four years is now in East Boston visiting Mrs E M Hoyt. He intends to re-Boston visiting here is the most in the U.S.

Miss Scott, St John, and Miss Spener, Cape
Breton, of Acadia Seminary, came to Windsor on
on Friday last and remained until Monday evening

Mrs. M H Goudge was receiving on Monday and Tuesday of this week at the residence of Mrs Grant Goudge. The weather was beautiful and bright on Goudge. The weather was beautidi and bright on both days and there were nosts of callers. Mr: Goudge, who is a charming lady, received in a pearl brocaded slik with trimmings of handsome lace, and was assisted by Mrs Grant Goudge, Mrs FF Murphy and Miss McKay, Halifax. Miss Matilda Mosher, Avondale, is with her sister Mrs J A Mosher, Elm street. Mr and Mrs John R Forbes and family spent Sunday with friends in Cambing.

Sunday with friends in Canning.
Miss Mande Yould, Kentrille, is in town visiting
her sister Mrs George Wilson for a week.
Mrs F A Shand and little Miss Dorothy are

spending a month with friends in St John.

Miss Georgie Ousley is home from a visit to her
sister, Mrs Oreighton at Sydney.

Miss Madge Sutherland of Sydney Mines is in

town on a visit to her uncle, W D Sutherland, Esq.
Miss Jennie Lewis, who has resided in Windsor
for two years, left last week for her home in Syd-

ney.

Mrs H & Crowell's many friends will be pleased
to learn that she is recovering from her recent illness.

Miss Pearl Haley returns this month from Hast-

Mrs Horace Longley came from Cape Breton on Friday last and is the guest of her parents, Dr and

Mrs J Black.

Mrs Mosher, wife of Rev John A Mosher who has been seriously ill for the past week with pneumoin is out of danger.

Mr and Mrs Chas de W Smith spent Sunday in Mrs J Black.

Mr and Mrs Chas dew Shirts Spen Sunday In Canning the guests of Mr and Mrs Hensley.

A party of young people went to the favorite pic, nic resort at Windsor falls, on Saturday afternoon last and enjoyed a delightful outing. They were chaperoned by Mrs Clarence H Morris and Mrs Handsombody.

Latest'styles of Wedding invitations and announcements printed in any quantities and at moderate prices. Will be sent to any

Progress Job Print. YABMOUTH.

May 22,-Miss Lydia Killam of this town in com pany with her cousin, Miss Josephine Troop of St John were among the Cauadians registered at the High Commssioner's office in London recently. Misses Jennie and Minnie Woodburn have gone

to Boston to spend a few weeks.

Mrs Samuel Weare and Mrs Haffeld were passengers on Saturday evening by steamer to Boston.

Mrs C L Brown and Miss Alice Porter are visit-MISC L Brown and MISS Ance Forter are visiting relatives in different parts of Massachusetts.

Masters Guy and Gerald Pelton left for Boston per steamer Yarmouth on Saturday to visit their sister, Miss Eva who will return with them on Saturday next.

Alfred W Allen was a passenger per steamer Boston on Saturday on his way to Lynnfor a weeks visit.

Miss Ada Stanwood, Boston, left for Boston o

Saturday evening per steamer Yarmouth.

Miss-Mabel McGill went to Boston Saturday.

Mr Roy Butler of Central Chebogue went to

Mr Acy Suturds night for the summer.

Mr and Mrs E C Simonson who spent the winter
morths in Denver, Col left that place yesterday for
Yarmouth. Mrs Simonson's health The Times is
glad to state is much improved.

BRIDGETOWN.

May 23 -Miss Lida Slocu n returned from Spring field on Monday.

Fred Harris, E:q., Town Clerk of Aunapolis,
was in town yesterday.

Mr W W Wade and daughter of Bear river ha⁸

been visiting friends in town recently.

Miss Lyle McCormick hes returned home after
spending the winter in Bridgewater.

Mrs McCormick of Digby and sister. Miss Smith,

were guests of Miss James for a day this week.

Mr Harry Bath, who is taking a course in dealstry at Baltimore, Md., has arrived home for his mer vacation. Miss Lizzie Marshall returned home on Wednes

doy, after spending the winter with her brother, Dr. C. F. Marshall of Lynn. Miss May Jost arrived on Monday from Onslow,

Miss May Jost arrived on Monday from Unslow, and will reside here with her parents, Rev and Mrs C Jost. Park stree'.

Mrs Dechman who had been spending the !winter with her daughter, Mrs F L Milner returned to her home in Sherbrooke today.

Miss Addie Chesley returned last Wednesday from Boston where she has been spanding the win ter with her sister, Mrs Chas Abbott.

TRURO.

May 22 -Mr and Mrs Dickie are here from Can

Crowe.

Mr E R Stuart is in Halifax this week, a guest of Prof Max Weil, and enjoying the musical festival.

Mr and Mrs E Philips are in Halifax for a few

There was a charming tea; at Grassmere on Mon-There was a charming teajat Grassmere on Monday afternoon given by Mrs Flemming in honor of her guests, the Misses Putnam.

Mrs Stark who has been a guest for a week of Mrs Learment, left on Monday for Boston, Mr and Mrs Harold Putnam have taken Mrs L F Walker's charming and commodious house on Queen street for the summer months, and will take

possession the first of June.

Mr and Mrs Geo Wilson swere in Pictou this week, attending the obsequies of Mrs Wilson's

Mrs Mackay is here from Wallace visiting her daughter, Mrs S L Walker.

Master Jack Learment is home, from the Collegiate school Rothesay for Victoria day, and the suc

ceeding days of the week.

Mr J S Bentley left on Monday for Sydney, C B

ST. STEPHEN AND CALAIS. [Progress is for sale in St. Stephen at the book store of O. S. Wall, T. E. Atcheson and J. Vroom and in Calais at O. P. Treamaine's]

May 23.—Mrs Thos Pike, who has been receiving treatment in the Manus general hospital at a Port-land, is expected home this week. Mrs James Murray and her daughter; Marion have gone to [Boston .

Misses Jessie Wall, Maude Maxwell, Constance Chipman, Edith Deinstadt and Helen Grant leave on Saturday for a visit in Sackville.

Miss Sadie Regan has returned from a visit in Mrs Frederick 8 Newsham of Canso, N 18 acc

Panied by her young daughter, Edith are visiting Rev O 8 and Mrs Newsham.

Mrs A E Neil to expects to occupy "her house on Church avenue early in July.

Miss Winnifred food is going to Audover, Mass

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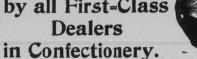
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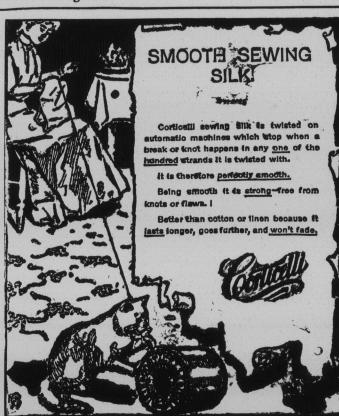
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BALIBAX NOTES.

PROGRESS is for sale in Halifax by the ewsboy at at the following news stands and cent es.

A very pretty wedding tok place on Thursday last at St. Mark's rectory, performed by Rev N. LeMoine, the interested parties being Charles B. Hills, (electrician at John Starr, Son & Co.'s) son Hills, (electrician at John Starr, Son & Co.'s) son of George F. Hills the Gottingen St., shoe dealer, to Miss Laura Walker, second eldest daughter of Mr Wm. Walker, Lady Hammond road. The groom was attended by his brother, George O Hills and the bride by her sister Lillian. The bride was tastefully attired in a suit of grey trimmed with white and brown satin, and were a handsome white After the ceremony the newly married couple were conveyed to North street, where 'hey took the train for Truro, where they will be guests at the Stanley hotel for a few days. A number of the irlends of the happy couple assembled at the station to see them off. Both bride and groom are popular, which was shown by the number of pretty presents received. A beautiful set of carvers was a gift from the employees of Messrs. John Starr, Son & Co. After their return Mr and Mrs Hill will re

Norton-Taylor.

The marriage of Miss Eva Holmes and Mr. Robert Bauld will take place at St Matthews church on Tuesday evening, 28th inst., at eight o'clock, after which there will be a reception at the residence of the bride's father, Hon 8 H Holmes. Miss Jane Fielding and Miss Nellie Doull will be bridesmaids, Murray McNell of St John will be groomsman.

The honeymoon will be spent in England.

Miss Jean Forrest of Halifex was in Bridgewater
on Thursday a guest of he, uncle. W M Duff.

Miss Mand Coleman, Bellisle, Kings, who has
been visiting friends at Halifax for some weeks

past, returned home last week.

Mr. Arthur Marchant of Watervill. Kings, who
was spending the winter at Halifax, is home on a

Dr Arthur Doull has returned from abroad whe

Dr Arthur Doull has returned from abroad where he has been studying for seme time.

Hon M H Goudge and Mrs Goudge returned to Windsor from their wedding frip on Monday evening last. They had a delightial trip, the weather being all that could be desired. The cities visited included Boston, New York and Washington. Mrs Goudge will be 'at home' at the residence of Mrs Grant Goudge, King street, Windser, on Monday and Tuesday of this week.

A number of local amateurs presented the Chimes of Normandy at the Academy on Thursday evening last. This is the second time that the epera has been presented by these ambitious young people, who have been highly comp limented on their meriterous efforts.

terous efforts.

Miss Frazee, Dartmouth, who has been visiting er brother at North Sydney, returned home of

Miss Constance Norton-Taylor leaves for England shortly to visit Captain and Mrs Marsh, at Ply-

On we discount in the control of the

The flagship, H M S Crescent, is due to arrive about the 27. Many madess are gad of this news.

Hon Charles 8 Hamils and wife of Boston who
spent some time in this city have returned home,
wh 8t John.

Miss Katherine Matheson, a graduate of the Boston City hospital is spending a long vacation with
her parents at St. Peters.

Miss Annie Foods of Ficton is here paying a visit
to her times. Mrs. H. Marton.

to her friend, Mrs H. R. Morton.

Miss M. A. Hwalme is spending some weeks with friends at Boston and wicklity.

Mrs. Koys went to Boston last week to spend a short time with relatives in that city.

Miss L McGrath was a passenger to Bostor Friday last. She will remain several weeks

Friday last. She will remain several weeks in that city.

Mr and Mrs Levi Hart are among the Halifax people who are taking in the Budalo exposition.

Mr E Tiffin, general traffic manager of the I C R accompanied by Mrs Tiffin arrived in town on Thursday last to spend the week here.

A very pretty deable wedding will take place at Ray St. Methodist church during the second week in June when Miss Gertrude and Miss Grace Kaye the charming daughters of Joseph Kaye Eso will be

in June when Miss Gertrude and Miss Grace Kaye
the charming daughters of Joseph Kaye Keq will be
united in marriage to Mr Dibbon and Mr Wright
respectively. After the ceremony a reception will
be held at the home of the bride's parents and the
happy couples will leave on an extended trip to the
leading American and Canadian cities. Mr. Dibbon will take his bride to 8t John, where he holds
a position while Mr. Wright will take Miss Strae
to Bydney where he is now located, Thus Halifax
will be called upon to part with two of her fair
daughters, (who will be much missed among the
young people of the city.

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Mrs Black who has but recently returned from a lengthy visit to Bermuda left last week for Toronto where she will remain the summer.

Miss Annie Mosher has returned to her home at

Mrs Fred Ferguson who has been visiting Mr J P Clark, Church street for the past two week

Ars Free Furguest who has been visiting Mrs J P Clark, Church street for the past two weeks has returned to her home in Elchibucto.

Miss Chapman, sister of Dr Chapman of Albert, and Miss & King, daughter of Rev J K King, are the guests of the Misses White, Queen street.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Tike Landilve Brome Quinine Tablete, draggiete refund the mency of it falls to care.

he is J A Humphrey left yesterday to visit her daughter, Mrs Steeves at Hollewell, Me. Mrs C H Thomas of Moncton who has been visiting relatives in St John, returned home on the uebec express.

Misses Beatrice and Helen I vine are the guests

MARCH 28 .- Mr Osbura Turabull has returned

hars W Fairweather has returned from her re-ent trip to St John.

Mrs James W Cousins was a passenger to Boston

n Wednesday.

Mr Gilbert Dran of the Racquette who has been

eriously ill is slowly improving to health.
Mrs E C Anderson and Miss Anderson of Digby
rea the Duffe. in.
Mrs Rosina Henley who has been spending the

Mrs A J Westhaver of Kentville is visiting friends at Digby. Mr Westhaver who was in towa a few days ago has returned home.

Mrs Lavinia Titus, who spent the winter at Yarmouth with her daughter Mrs James Tunbuil returned to Digby.

Mr James Dunn of Lynn and Mrs. Robert Smallte and daughter Miss Lizzie of Somerville, Mass., arrived here Wednesday and are the guests of the formers parent: at the Racquette. They were summoned home on account of the severe ill ness of Mr Dur 3.

of the folders parent: at the Macquette. They were summoned home on account of the severe ill. ness of Mr Durn.

Mr. Lsiah W Wilson has removed from New Tasket having purchased the oid Joseph Winchester farm, Smith's Cove, .rom its late owner, Mi Jrmes A Savary, who has bought the late residence of Mr James A Savary near Digby. Mr Wilson desires all correspondence for him addressed to Smith's Cove, Digby, C., N S, where he is permanently residing.

YARMOUTH.

May 22.—It is quite possible that Zephra wil! be presented here in the near .atvre. The spectacle has been presented with great success both in St John and Hallirt. Young society lads and classies are much interested sud are hoping that the rumors will take definite shape.

Mrs C R Reid has returned from a ve., pleasant trip to Baston.

trip to Boston.

Mrs H Burchill who has been in Boston for

several weeks is now home again.

Several Yarmouth people will leave here in the near future for the Buffalo and the Pan-American Mrs L E Baker, who is somewhat ! uproved in health, wi", in a couple of weeks return f.om New

H. B. Cann, returned from St John on Thursday. George Bingay, K.C., went to St John on Wednesday to bid good-bye? his son Weolsey, who sails on the Usher.

Mr and Mrs A Portier of Tusket Wedge re-

spending a few days in ')wa.

Miss Maning, Mrs Jeffrey, Miss Raymond, Miss
Corblit, Miss Gardiner, Mr and Mrs J F Lewis,
Mr and Mrs D E Halt Miss Hunt, Miss Slay, Miss Slay, Miss Downie, Miss Woodburn, Miss Daniels, Miss Hopkins were among the passengers from Boston last week. They will spend the summer at

MAY 23-B B Hardwick left on Monday for Ottawa, the Prn-American Exposition, and as far west as Chicago. He was accompanied by Mrs Hardwick.

Hardwick.

Miss Manning, who has been in Boston all winter is the guest of Mr and Mrs A M King.

Mrs W E Manning, who has been visiting friends at Halifax and the Annapolis Valley, returned to

Bridgewater last week.

Lowis W McDonald who has been residing in Appapolis for the winter, has returned to Windsor ther his winter's recreation in the wholesome air of the Valley. His mother Mrs. McDonald, whom he accompanied to Annapolis, is spending some weeks at Wolfville.

Mr J Primese Parker returned from Baltimore

last week after completing his studies at the University of Maryland Dental College, Mr Parker is now a full fledged D D S and intends practising his profession in Sydney.

J Gibbons of Toronto is in town making the contracts, and intoducing the famous Vapo-Creso-

Rev Canon Maynard of Windsor, is the guest of his daughter Mrs (Rev.) H How.

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KENTVILLE

MAY 24.—A literary and mu was given in Cantreville hall on Friday of May 17 at 8 o'clock. The programme cens music, vocal and instrumental, dialogues, tions and exercises by the children.

The Rev Dr Brock, who is visiting in M ille hall on Friday even

preached last Sunday in the church of St John the Evangelist in that place. Mr and Mrs Walter Pudsey of Dorchester Mass,

are receiving congratulations on arrival of a little

Mrs Hugh J Simpson and Miss Chipman arrived home from England.

MONOTON.

Progress is for sale in Moncton at Hattie weedle's Bookstore and M B Jones Bookstore. Tweedie's Bookstore and M. B. Jones Bookstore.

MAY 22.—The Harkins Co concluded their engagement on Saturday night when they presented 'Under Two Flags' to a fairly large and highly appreciative andience. The company will re-appear at an early date when they will present 'Tribby.'

Mr and Mrs A. B. Boulton left on Saturday night on a trip to the Pan American exposition.

Dr Fred S Lodge, who recently graduated from the Dental College at Baltimore, left this morning for Charlottetown, F. E. I., where he will open up offices.

Sharman F Reals, of Collins, and Miss R. mbel, of Moncton, were married yesterday by y D Hutchinson. Mr. and Mrs Beals went to St

trip the young couple will make their home in Kings Co., M B. Mr J J Goodwin is home from a trip to the Pan-

Mr and Mrs George W Daniel reta Maritime express on Saturday from a Pan-American exposition at Buffalo.

iew days in Richibucto

BIG FORTUNES UNDER WAVES.

Some Places in Neptune's Domains Where

There is a popular belief that vast wealth lies buried deep between the sand and rocks of our coasts. Ship after ship, laden with ingots and coinage, has struck on the British beaches and gone to pieces during the last 500 years. From time to time hundreds of pounds' worth of gold has been showered on the sea shore and picked up and used; yet there still remains something like 80,000,000 sterling in gold and silve r under the sea.

When the Joukheer Meester Van de Wall, a Dutch East Indiaman, st. ack the iron-bound sea-iront of the Lizard many years ago, she went to pieces before anyhing could be done to save her Some fisherman from Penberth Cove, while engaged in fishing up blocks of tin which for med part of the vessel's cargo, found a tin box lying in six fathom of water. Being opened it was found to contain coins to the value of 13,000 pounds. It is said that there are other boxes of gold, silver and and banknotes lying among the rocks and sands where the ship sank.

In 1874 a Spanish galleon went ashore near the Lizard, having on board many thousands of pounds' worth of bar gold and money, which were being carried to London for sale.y during the unsettled state of affairs in Spain. The greater part of this vast wealth still lies awaiting recovery between the rocks, which have, seven at low water six feet of water over them.

Some years ago a company sank a shaft through the rock below high water mark to try to recover the riches the sea holds so tight. It was imagined that the waves efter a storm would drive some portion of the buried species into the hole at the battom of the shaft. Before the work was completed, however, the sea broke in, and the shaft had to be abandoned. Another syndicate soon afterward dragged the bottom of the sea with a Datch galleon, lies awaiting recevery somewhere on the Chesil beach, a long nerrow torgue of shingly land near the great convict station of Portland. This Dutch treasure ship was returning from the West Indies laden with precious metal, and when coming up the channel was caught in a gale and driven into Portland Race, where tremendous broken seas rage when there is any wind. Gradually she was carried toward Chesil beach, and it did not take her long to dissolve into matchwood. The entire freight of gold and silver went to the bottom. Occasionally the fisher nen are reminded of its existence by finding a silver ver or gold bar or two on the beach.

The Abergavenno, which was lost in a storm off Weymouth, about the year 1800. had on board several thousand pounds; worth of specie and jewels. In 1806 a syndicate was formed, and, by means of a diving be!!, sixty two chests of dollars, to the value of \$350,000 were fished up.

Treasure of vast amount is supposed to lie under the sea in the Sarn Badrig, a sunken causeway running miles out to sea from the Welsh coast. The story runs that a French treasure ship, the Bretagne, struck on this death trap of ships, and, caught by one huge wave, hurled completely over, to sink with all hands in deep water.

Another case of total loss, involving four and a half millions in gold coins, was the striking of the Infanta, a noble Spanish galleon, on the rocks of Mizen Head, near Bantry Bay, in November, 1793. The nature of the coast renders investigation difficult, and not a single coin has been brought to the surface. In all probability the treasure will remain in the

sea for centuries. The Czarina, baving \$15,000,000 in gold on board, foundered in Filey Brigg, on the Yorkshire coast, and another galleon was lost a few miles farther south. near Bridlington Quay. Thirty thousand pounds have been drawn from the sea's clutches at Bridlington Quay, and the re-mainder lies awaiting the person who is

The Gunfleet bank, off the Essex coas is thickly strewn with gold and silver in coil and ingots, for the Vrowe Polder, a Dutch vessel, emptied its cargo of half a million sterling in gold and silver there.

About a century ago, a Spanish treasure ship carrying about a million sterling, was caught in storm on Beachy Head, and sank with all on board. The treasure lies in a deep hole over which a strong current runs, making it impossible for divers to

Much treasure treve lies off the coast of Ireland. Many Spanish galleons have shed their riches there, and several ships of the Great Armada, with all their wealth on board, came to grief in the district. Three millions are scattered off a point near Tralec, or rather its equivalent in doubloons. Numerous attempts have



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"It was in this condition that I began the use of your valuable medicine. On receipt of your letter of April 6th my husband purchased six bottles of "Pavorite Prescription" and "Golden Medical Discovery." and I used it as you wrote me words of encouragement on April 17th I had received no benefit from the nedicine, but determined as a last resort to give it a fair trial. I am I have a lovely bounds it birth. My baby and I are enjoying perfect health, thanks to your wonderful medicine, to which I believe I owe my life."

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000 from the sea: but the bulk of the wealth remains untouched to this day, and at low tide there is only one foot of water over the scene of the wreck. The ship, however, is buried in the sand; but one day a mighty gale might scoop the sand away and reveal the lost treasure and then some person will find himself rich beyond dreams of averice.

Oh, sir, please, I have swallowed a pin,' exclaimed the servant girl, running into her employer's study.

'Never mind, Mary,' he replied, deep in study. 'Never mind: here's another,' drawing one from his pincushion.

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NOTICE.

Through the efforts of Mr. W. A. Hickman, Immigration Commissioner, who has been in England for some months past, it is expected that in the coming spring a considerable number of farmers with capital will arrive in the province, with a view to purchasing farms. All persons having desirable farms to dispose of will please communicate with the undersigned, when blank forms will be sent, to be filled in with the necessary particulars as to locawith the necessary particulars as to loca-tion, price, terms of sale, etc. Quite a number of agricultural laborers are also expected and farmers desiring help will also please communicate with the under-

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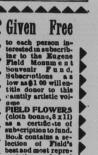
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ICE.

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low York.

It was under the efficient direction of Mr G A Sutherland, who has been training the 'cheir. Miss Elspie Loggie, organist of 'he church, played the accompaniments and contributed largely to the sucess of the concert. An excellent programme was

Miss Mamie Goggin, second youngest daughter of the late J B Goggin, drove to Newcastle, Monday evening and were married by Rev Mr Snow. It was a complete surplise to their friends, ne one having suspected that they were matrimonially in-clined.

May 24—H W Falconer left Monday night for Nelson, B C. His many friends here wish him prosperity in his new field
Mr Wm Byan who has been attending the Ontario Business College at Belville, Ont, for the past winter returned home last week.
Mr and Mrs Levi Elms, of 100 Lebanon St.,
Melrose Mass, are receiving congratulations from their many friends on the arrival of a little son.
J Fred Benson of the Chatham Commercial was in town Sunday.

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WOODSTOCK.

May 23 .- At the residence of Mr Amaziah Dow,

ated on the occasion. After the c remony the

day school of which she was a member. Mr and Mrs S C Youmans of New York have

been visiting here.

Mr C Evans of Toronto spent several days in

town quite recently.

His Worship Mayor W B Belyea registered at

the Carlisle yesterday.

Mr and Mrs Tappan Adney, New York, are here

G H Stokee and wife of Bloomfield, regisfered at

some years.

J A Lindsay, Lindsay, was in 'own on Tuesday.

He is gradually recovering t is health after his at-

tack of grippe.

A party of ladies from Houlton—Miss 3 A Niles,
M Niles and Winuie McCarty, E Lindesy. wrace
Clark, Alice Ingraham—registered at the Aberdeen

Supt Newcombe and Mrs Newcombe are here to

CHATHAM.

Frank Keenan and J R Munroe of Chatham were

Frank Keenan and J K murroe of Chatanam were in town *unday.

Stafford Williamson was visiting his home Saturday evening and Sunday.

Mr Sirclair's many friends will regret to learn that he has not been so well for the past few days.

Miss Flewlling and Master Richmond Flewelling of Kamloope, B C. are visiting their aunt Mrs J O

Fish.

Dr Sinclair, wife and family arrived from Cali

of California is here.

Miss Eitherington of Reneus is visiting friends m town.

Mrs Wm Park fell one day last week and broke

her hip Mrs Parker, Mrs Williston and Miss Elizabeth Parker arrived here from New York yesterday

Mrs Amelia Jenkins left on Thursday's express or Toronto where she will spend the summe¹ nonths. In future she will reside in New York.

THINGS OF VALUE.

May 23.—At the residence of Mr Amazish Dow, Lower Woodstox on Wedersday the 15th inst, his second daughter Miss Tress & Dow, was united in marriage to Mr J Wilmot Edwards of Benton. The bride was becominely attred in a gown of blue cashmere with white silk trimmings, and carried a bouquet of white roses. She was attended by Miss Birdle Edwards of Woodstock. Mr H Smith Dow brother of the bride supported the groom. An interesting feature of the occasion is the fact that the young cuple were married in the open air. The bridal priy took their stand on the front stoop under the spreading branches of a large tree, and scattered over the laws on either side, were the more than half a bundred guests. It being mid afternoon and a perfect weeding day as to weather, the scene was very prety. Rev Geo A Ross officated on the coasion. After the cremony the THEINGS OF VALUE.

There never was, and never will be, a universal panaces, in one remedy for all ills to which flesh is heir—the very nature of many curatives being such that were the germs of other and differently seated diseases rooted in the system of the patient—what would relieve one ill, in turn would aggravate the other. We have, however, in Quinne Wine, when obtainable in a sound unadulterated state, a remedy for many and grievous ills. By its gradual and judicious use, the trailest systems are led into convalences and strength, by the influence which Quinne exerts on Nature's own restoratives. It relieves the drooping spirits of those with whom a chronic state of morbid despondency and lack of interest in life is a disease, and, by trangullizing the nerves, disposes to sound and retreshing sleep—imparts vigor to the action of the blood, which being stimulated, courses throughout the veins, strengthening the healthy animal functions of the years, therebe making scittify a necessary result, strengthening the frame, and giving life to the disestive organs, which naturally demand increased nutsiance—result, improved appetite, Northroo & Lyman of Toronto, have given to the public their superior Quinine Wine at the usual rate, and, gauged by the opinion of scientists' this wine approaches nevest perfection of any in the market All druggists sell it.

He said he simply had a cold guests sat down to a support in the preparations of which no labor bast been spare. In the evening Mr and Mrs Edwart's depared by carriage for Mr Edward's home at the ton Ridge, followed by the best wishes of all. The young couple were the recipients of many beauti ut presents among which was one to the bride from the Lower Woodstock Spareau school of which the was a member.

He said he simply had a cold
And there the whole description ceased.
If he were rich, it would be told
In six long syllables, at least.

G H Stokoe and wife of Bloomfield, regisfered at the Aberdeen Monday.

Rev E W Simson, Centerville, was in town on Thursday of last week.

Miss McFarlene of Three Brooks, Tobique, is a guest of Mrs David Norton.

Thane M Jones and wife of Hartland were at the Carlisle Inesday and Wednesday.

W E Mallory and Frank L Mallory, St Andrews, were at the Aberdeen Wednesday.

G R Ketchum's family have gone to join Mr Ketchum at Ashlard, where he has resided for some years. Free and easy expectoration immediately relieves and frees the throat and lungs from viscid phlegm, and a medicine that promotes this is the best medicine to use for coughs, colds, infamation of the lungs, and all affections of the throat and chest. This is precisely what Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syup is a specific for, and wherever used it has a ven unbounded satisfaction. Children like it because it typicasant, Adults like it because it relieves and cures the disease.

'It's true 'said Uncle Allen Sparks, 'that you can't get blood out of a turnip, but neither can you get turnip suice out of human being. Let us be fair to the turnip.'

take up their residence. They occupy the house recently vacated by the U S Consul Denisen, Con-nell street. They are gladly welcomed back to

"Do you agree with the people who assert that milk is not a wholesome article of diet?"
"Well," answered Col. Stillwell, 'I' wouldn't like '5 make positive associons. But I have heard it rumored that they put a great deal of water into it.

recently vacated by the Sconsal special relative to the County and the serily four of six o'clock, Mr Herbert Ellis Clarke, son of Mr. Elisha J Clark, and Miss Helen Beardaley, youngest daughter of Mr Charles Beardaley were united in marriage at St Luke's church, by the Ven Archdeacon Neales. Few people were aware that the ceremony was to take place or else even the early hour, would not have prevented a large attendance of the friends of both bride and groom. As it was there was quite a gathering, principally made up of relatives of the happy young couple. Precisely on the stroke of the hour, the bride walked up the central sisle leaning on the arm of heriather. She was daintly attired in a travelling gown of grey, hat and gloves to match and carrying a lovely bouquet of carnations. After the service was concluded, Mr Bourne the organist played the wedding march, and the young people received the hearty congratulations of those present, who also accompanied them to the Queen St. station where they took the train for Boston, their fature home. Mr Clark is engaged in the B F Sinitevant Blower Works, one of the largest concerns of the kind in the eastern states. They are situated it Jamaica Plain.

Golf is being played vigorously these fine days and there is no sign of a abatement of interest in the game. The majority of players use the old links, while a few play on the two longer, added this year. The club house is erected and is a comfortable looking place, on the elevation of the last link. It has a commodious verands, from which there is a delightful view down river, and also quite a sweep over the course. They Wake the Torpid Energies.—Machinery not properly supervised and left to run itself, very scan shows farit in it working. It is the same with the digestive organs. Unregulated from time to time they are likely 10 become trypid and throw the whole system out of gest. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills were made to meet such cases. They restore the full the flagging faculties, and bring into order all parts of the mechanism.

Charlie Loveday—Um, ah. Er, er—er! Er—l he! he!'—— Jeweller (to his assistent)—Bring that tray of en-gagement rivgs here, Henry.—

will remove not regret.

Who Got The Reward?

Material for a comedy may be found in the following extract from the New York Tribune's Up-Country News: '

A peculiarly bold robbery, after a series of small burglaries which had baffled detection, had aroused the village of C. to

Rusty firearms were tardily set in order, May 22.—Chatham theatre geers turned out in force on Monday evening to see "Miss Jessie Bonstelle with the W S Harkins company at the Masonic hall. and daily practice was held in back yards, and even on the village common. Water kept at the boiling point day and night,— Masonic hall.

A pleasant reception was given by the members of the Epworth league in St Lukes church last week. The affair was in welcome to the new pastor. Those who assisted in the programme rendered were Misses Connel, Nichol, Carrie, Tatt, Mrt. W B Showfiell, and Mrs Nichol, Messra JA Haylland, J Mersereau, Wm Tatt, George Friber, J S. Stewart, and A D Hill.

The secred concert given in St John's church, immonday evening, was a musical an financial success.

Two or three days after the publication

HAPD RACKING COUGHS

Barring accidents, the person who gets along with the least amount of cough will live the long: est. Of course, the right time to attack a cough is at the commencement, when it is a simple thing for the right treatment to drive the cough quickly away. As a general thing, however, people spend on what the averaging with a various remedies. away. As a general thing, however, people spend so much time experimerting with yardous remedies that the cough is well under way before they know it. Then comes the long siege. You feel the hard, racking all through your system and get relief from nothing. You fill your stomach with nauseating mixtures to no purpose. Then you use compounds containing narcotic, which deceive temporarily, and leave you slightly worse. Some coughs of this kind hang on for weeks or even months, and, of course, they frequently develop into serious lung troubles. A true specific for all coughs is Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam, and it should be kept in the house against any emergency. With a cough that has be-Cough Balsam, and it should be kept in the house against any emergency. With a cough that has become chronic the first effect of this remedy is a less ening of the dull sensation of pain which usually is felt with such a cough. Then yru are conscious that the soreness is leaving you, and presently the desire to cough grown less frequent. All this process is brought about by the healing properties of the Balsam. It is a compound of barks and gums. You can test it. 25 cents at any druggist's. Get the senuine with "F. W. Kinsman & Co." blown in the genuine with "F. W. Kinsmau & Co." blown in the bottle.

of the offer a householder, name Beahan, was called away for the night, and to give Mrs. Beaman some sense of security, he borrowed huge St. Bernard dog from his neighbor, Eggby, gave orders that the dog was to sleep in the sitting room, and

That night Mrs. Beeban was awakened by a terrible uproar. Rushing into the sitting room, she found that the St. Bernard had pinned to the floor a masked man. Assistance was hastily summoned and the intruder was secured and marched off to jail, which was in the basement of Cyrus Horablower's windmill. The burglar had been captured beyond a doubt!

The village was all excitement. The prisoner was arrainged before the important little justice, and remanded for exam-

In the meantime Mr. Beahan returned, and lost no time in applying for the reward offered by the richest citizen.

It was paid. No sooner had this been done than the Eggbys arose in indignation, and after asking with fine scorn whose dog had captured the thief, demanded the re ward for themselves.

The town was immediately split into two factions, the Beahanites and the Eggbyites. Feeling ran bigh. At last a civil action was begun by the Eggbys for the recovery

Papers were promptly served and the ction called. Not more than three days had elapsed while these stirring events were taking place.

When the jurors had been drawa and he crowded courtroom was settling itself to listen to the opening remarks of the plaintiff's counsel, the constable, William Henry Sikes, burst into the room, and without even taking off bis woolen cap. gasped out:

got away !

Reggy-Bah Jove! I feel offended at

Freddy—What now, deah boy?
Reggy—Why, as I entered thaw door I heard her say, 'Here is where thaw joke

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in June to attend a reunion of her class from which ahe graduated in 1900, from Abbot Hall. Miss Todd

Mrs W A Henry gave a very plea ant picnic at Porter's mill streem on Tuesday afternoon. There were about forty quests and the afternoon was most

Mrs C C Grant has given invitations to a chil-

week and is improving in health.

Mr and Mrs Thomas Storr have issued invitation

to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Bessie Storr to Mr Clarence Cole. The ceremony is to take place at their residence Prince William street, n Wednesday afternoon June 5th, at three o'clock. Dr and Mrs Johnson of Boston are guests of Mr and Mrs John Clarke Taylor.

Mrs H B Mason entertained the vocal club on

fonday evening.

Mrs Mary McGregor of Carleton is in Calais

wisiting friends.

Mrs Helen Pike has returned home after a long

Miss Dollard has gone to Torontoto visit her

brother, Rev James Dollard.

Mrs James McDonaid has returned to her home in St John, after a pleasant visit in town with Mrs Miss Alice Cox returned from a visit in Vance

Mr and Mrs F L Ham have returned home from

A Meadow Song.

The wind across the meadow blows And all the grass is I ke a see; Wave after wave its green tice flows, And breaks in Ira; rance over me.

Abcae the bright-wirged butterfly

There is no sound save of the grass,

The whispers of the waves' long sweep;
Listen and hear them as they pass,—
A murnur—Hush,—a nutmur—ricep.

Comfortabe Hermitage.

Near Marquette, Wisconsin, according to a Wisconsin paper, an old man has lived for several years in a tree. He is a first class cabinet maker, and when he came to Marquette from Detroit, he took up his residence in the hollow trunk of a tree near the town.

The tree is a huge linden, sawed off about fifteen feet from the ground, and in it the occupant has brought to bear his accomplishments as a workman. He has cut a door and window. The inner wals of his home are ceiled and papered. A circular seat extends round the room from door to window, and there is a comfortable pile of furs that makes a luxurious bed. The place is warmed, when warmth is needed, with an oil stove. The man plays fitteen different kinds of musical instruments, and with these and books entertains himself and his visitors. Some people will perhaps be ready to say that a man who plays fitteen instruments ought to live in a hermitage.

Baden-Powell's Rudeness.

During the campaign in South Africa, last year, General Baden-Powell tapped a telegraph wire, and heard the Boer commonder Grobler ask General Botha to send reinforcements at once, as the British had

This story was related by the London papers, and Baden-Powell was much applauded for his strategy and good luck.

But one little girl, five years old, had opinions of her own concerning the exaccount of the proceedings and to the apcut my eye teeth ' proving comments of the elder members of e family, and said, decisively : 'Well, I think it was very rude of his

to listen.

Blacts From the Ram's Born.

The dark places of sin cannot be illuminated by the gas of oratory. Sharp wits often cut themselves. Love is the life-blood of Christianity.

Pleasing preaching is rarely profitable. Cross wearing involves no Calvary. Indigestion has contributed more spots

to the sun than any other cause. The distress of another may be God's touchstone for our virtues.

The sheep stealing pastor is in the sar business with the devil.

There is no promise of dying grace to those who let grace die.

God's day is the strand of gold in the iron cable of the week's work. Chaff may be ground as fine as flour, but

The best proof of a man's character is taken in the press of life.

No one is better entertained than the devil at many church socials.

Dog and Kitten.

A correspondent sends to the London Spectator the tollowing anecdote.

The servant man of the family took kitten to a pond with the intention of drowning it. His master's dog went with him and when the kitten was thrown into the water the dog sprang in and brought it back to land.

A second time the man threw it ip, and again the dog rescuid it; and when for the

third time the servant tried to drown it the dog as resolute to save the little helpless life as the man was to destroy it, swam with it to the other side of the pool, ran all the way home with it, and deposited it before the kitchen fire.

From that time the dog kept constant watch over the kitten. The two were in separable, even sharing the same bed.

A Novel Checker-Board.

The prettiest kind of a story of Mr. Dodgson (Lewis Carroll) and a little girl friend in Oxford comes from Good Words. She was a sensitive little girl, rather fastid ious in her tastes, and was made quite un happy one winter by having to wear a frock she did not like-a wool of a large checked pattern in light blue and light drab.

One day, when she was going with her father to pay a visit to Mr. Dodgson, she was put into the hated dress, and in spite of protests and tears, was forced to wear it. When she got to her friend's house her tears were dried, but her eyes were dried, but her eyes were still red, and it was not long before see had opened her full heart.

'But it seems a nice, warm dress, Alice,' Mr Dodgson sa d.

'It is warm,' she admitted, with over flowing eyes.

Then seeing ber grief, Mr Dodgson drew her kindly to him and told her a lovely story of the sheep and the fleece; the and here he started in business as washing of the wool; the carding and the a bootblack. His round carried him spinning; the shuttle and the click of the to the lawyers' offices in the Unity Buildlooms; the thick ning of the cloth, and then how it was ipacked for the shops and learning that he was fond of Shakespearian

The story was so interesting that the little girl's tears had quite disappeared by ghost scene from " Hamlet." the time it was finished, and she patted the front of her despised frock with a new inte rest

'I shall like it better now, and I won't be silly any more,' she said, bravely. There are lots of little girls in the

world. Alice who would like to have a warm, useful dress like yours. And not only is it useful, it is very amusing; at least you might make it so.' 'How?' she cried. Tell me, please.'

'You shall see,' Mr Dodson said, laughing, as he brought out from a drawer a draft-board and men, also a square drawing board which he told her to put under the skirt of her dress. Then, Alice, sitting on one little stool, he on another, they played a most novel game of drafts on the arge blue and drab squares of her dress. It was a splendid game and she won it.and her father laughed and said:

'It was a grand idea to turn her into a real walking draft-board! ' She forgot all her troubles and was quite

merry and often afterwards Mr Dodgson would say: 'Put on the blue and gray frock, Alice, when you come for a game of drafts.

The blase man with a cold, cynical, de stroying knowledge of the world, is a melancholy spectacle, especially when he develops early. 'I telle you,' said a young man of this

class, 'I have been up and down the world a go d deal and mixed with all kinds of people, and I have mighty little little faith ploit. She listened very attentively to the People are all alike. I know them. I've in preachers or any kind of reformers.

'Thee doesn't seem to have cut thy wisdom teeth yet,' remarked an Quaker, who bappened to hear him.

Too Much.

'You say you think your boy has too great an appetite,' said the physician to an anxious mother. Do you realize how much a growing boy can eat? 'I should think I ought to, if anybody

does,' returned the boy's parent. 'l'il just put the case to you doctor.

'Where we were, up in the mountains this summer, the waitress would come in and say to my boy: 'We have fried fish. stake, liver and bacon, baked potatoes, rye biscuit, muffins and dry toast.

'And the boy would say, 'I'll take it all, please—and some eggs.'

Electricity.

'Now,' stated I, 'electricity will do much for the farmer yet.' But my third cousin, Zachariah, always

of a gloomy disposition, saw fit to add: Bout all it's doin nowadays is to knock him off the car tracks bont every so often.' A Literary Note.

Mrs. Meddergrass-Well, if I was them Boers, I'd just go without readin before I'd do it.

Mr. Meddergrass-Do what ? 'Why the paper says they've been takin a lot of British magazines.'

'I understand Billinger's book is out.
Do the papers say much about it?'
'I should say they did! Each of the
three leading Chicago journals had a whole
page about it!'
'What! a page notice!'
'No. a page advertisement'

'No, a page advertisement.'

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From Bootblack to Proj

The possibilities of industrious youth America are seldom more strongly illustrated than in the case of Rev. Charles Winter Wood, who is lecturing throughout the country in the interest of Boole: Washington's Institute at Tuskegee Alabama. Young Wood, whose family like that of other Southern negroes, was very poor, went from Nashville to Chicago when he was nine years of age, ing, and here Lawyer, now Justice, Blume, tragedies, told him that he would pay him a dollar if he would learn and recite the

Three days latter young Wood appeared and Mr. Blume, thinking to have some fun at the negro's expense, invited his brother lawvers in to hear the recitation. But Wood ga ve the scene with such spirit and appreciation that the delighted audience took up a collection, and raised quite

a sum of money for the young elocutionist. This incident aroused the interest of Professor Lyman, a teacher of elocution, who not only employed the negro as an office boy, but gave him lessons in oratory Fer a time Wood had theatrical aspirations and he even went so far as to organize a company of negro tragedians, giving a number of performances that were sur prisingly successful.

But Wood was fortunate in gaining the patronage of a wealthy manufacturer who sent him to college at Beloit. There he remained eight years, winning many honors and graduating with distinction. In the intercollegate contest at Galesburg he took the second honor, barely missing first.

Leaving Beloit he entered the Chicago Theological seminary, and graduated three years later. In 1889 he was made the pastor of a church at Warren, Illinois, but was speedily called to the head of the English department at Taskegee, a position he now holds.

Twenty years ago Mr. Wood was a poor bootblack, almost friendless, wholly uneducated, in the streets of Chicago, To day barely thirty years old, he is an in-fluential man admired, respected, and greatly beloved by his people.

Learning to Love the Pipes

One may perhaps gain with difficulty some understanding of a Scottish piper's appeal to his countrymen. Julian Ralph, in "An American with Lord Roberts." says that when he was in camp upon the veld, he was awakened every morning by the opening groan of a bagpipe, the reveille of one of the Highland battalions. The piping continued for at least sixteen hours at a stretch.

At first this queer music came as novelty. Next it roused my curiosity as to a piper's having either the will or the strength for sixteen hours on end, with no

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onger pause than the minute it required to change from one tune to another. Then the unceasing noise began to madden me, and I cursed the pipes as an instrument of torture. The piper walked to and fro the length of the regiment's lines, and the air was full of z'z z'z z'z, like the note of a demon bee, while the nearer it came, the more its nasal chords mastered the neigh

Without a drop of Scotch blood in me, yet began to love the Scotch, and to take an interest in all I could see or learn of them. In time I used to leave my camp and cross the narrow lane to the Highlanders, to watch a piper at his work.

Then I discovered that there was not one sole piper; a score of men shared the burden. They stood in line, patiently watching as the musician of the moment walked jauntily up and down, just touching his toes to the veld, like a man practising to walk on eggs. As he halted the flying ribbons would fall beside the drones, and the pipe would be passed to another mar. Then cff strode the fresh player, with the streamers floating, his hips swaying, his head high, and his toes but touching the ground. Occe I heard a man say:

'Gi' me the pipe, Sandy. I can tell ye what nachody has said.'

The British Weekly prints a story told by Ian Maclaren in a brilliant address on Scotch humor, delivered when he was entertained by the Whitefriars' C.ub. It

In a dull Scotch village, on a dull morning, one neighbor called upon another He was met at the door by his triend's wife, and the dialogue went thus:

'Aye. Gaen to be weety (rainy), I

'Ave. Is John in ?"

'Can I see him ?'

'Aye, but you canna see him-John's

'Deid ?'

'Very sudden'

porhood and quivered in my very bones. At last (I cannot tell you how it came

about) I grew to like the sound, an i to miss the melody when the piper was afar and only the buzzing came to my ears. When he was near he played upon my body and my senses. My pen raced with the purple music of the reels, my blood warmed under the defiant challenge of the battle-songo. A pleasant sadness possessed me when the tunes were plaintive

illustrates the national character.

'Cauld P'

think.

'Ob, ave, he's in.'

'No. 'But I wanted to see him.'

'Budden ?'

'Very sudden ?'

'Did he say onything about a pot of green paint before he deid ?"

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ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, MAY 25, 1901.

Pan=American Exposition of view. The main body of the tower is 80 feet square, with two wings, each 110 feet high, extending from the east and southward and enclosing a semi-circular The Buffalo street railroad officials ex ress confidence in their facilities for hand-Ming Pan American crowds this summer. New tracks have been laid on Elmwood Avenue north of Forest Avenue, and near the West Amherst gate passenger depots have been erected and switches put in.

How to Get to and About Buffalo---Brief History of the Fair.

railway Exhibits Building.

The officials have been kept busy arranging routes and schedules. Extensive ac-

comodations for handling large traffic are

now ready at the East and West. Amherst

A new line, running direct to the

grounds has been opened. This line, cal-

led the Jefferson, starts from the Eria and

Central Stations and proceeds to the grounds via. Jefferson and Main streets,

Florence, Parkside and Crescent Avenues,

unloading at the east gate. Other lines

will be placed in operation as soon as the

officials feel that this is justified by the

The Terminal station, where the trains

their passengers at the north of the Ex

five covered platforms, so that a number

of different trains can be run into the

often occur, as several roads come into the

station, and on big days during the summer

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like to ride for the sake of riding, but af-

fords also a convenient way of getting from

place to place about the grounds. Espe-

cially convenient in this respect

is the stretch of track that runs from

the East Amberst gate, past the Six Na-

tions stockade, back of the Ordnance

exhibit, to the art gallery and the Ap-

One line of this railway runs from the

hour, twenty-five cents (\$ 25.)

half (½) hour.

fifty cents. (3.50)

yiding for any amount of business.

trimmings and a nickel badge.

easiest possible way.

able as a means of locomotion.

Another transfer station is here, from whence the line runs to the north side of the East Amherst gate.

Details of operation of the road are not yet quite completed. Additional lines may be laid out; but the railway promises to be an efficient means of transportation between points on the border of the grounds.

of the different steam railways discharge position grounds, permits of every facility study for railroad man. The cars all bave for passengers who will be landed there. ball bearings and many of them a canopy Eight tracks have been laid and there are top, and they are lighted by electricity. Each car carries from four to eight persons and about ten cars constitute a train. station at the same time, and this will The engines are 38 inches high, burn hard coal, are capable of pulling wenty five tons and of running at the rate of twenty when there are many excursions, the traffic miles an hour.

at this point will be very heavy. It is but The miniature railway track is 15 inches a few steps from this station through the wide. A five cent fare will take one person Railway Exhibits building and the great over one line and twenty cents will enable arches of the Propyinea to the beautiful one to make almost a complete tour of the Plaza whence the visitor entering from the

north obtains his first general view of the The line from the Indian Congress to the West Amherst gate is already running Excellent facilities for getting about the as is the line running south from the East grounds a e provided. The wheel chairs, Amherst gate, going to the Art Gallery pushed by guides, most of whom will be and the Approach. The others will soon college men, afford an easy method of seebe in order.

ing the Exposition for those who can at-Besides the rolling chairs and the miniaford that means of transportation. The ture railway, the electric launches which will ply on the Grand Canal of the Expo rates for their use are much lower than at sition and the gondolas also afford a con There are three hundred chairs available venient as well as pleasant form of journey ing from one part of the grounds to an sary to provide for the people, will be added. It is hoped that six hundred or seven

hundred may be in use during the busiest The gondolas of Venice will afford a very pleasurable means of getting about The chairs are a great improvement in the grounds. There will be no stations in many ways over those used at Chicago. the canal, where tickets may be purchased. They have ball bearings, rubber tires, and

1. Near the Horticulture Building. 2. Near the Mines.

Near the West Pergola on the Es-4. Near the East Pergola on the Es-

5. Near the Six Nations Stockade. Near the Government Building.

7. Near the East Ambrest Street En-

8. North East of the Tower.

red braid; and an automobile cap with red 9. North West of the Tower. The wheel chairs will go outside the end of Mall.

gates if their patrons desire, and afford 11. Veni tric launches or gondolas for 25 cents, or There will be stations at each of the gates-seven bave already been provided during the day of issue, 35 cents.

tor. Besides this there will be movable stations that will be placed at those parts by a party for \$2 00 an hour, and gondola, of the grounds where the crowds are likely

musicicians for \$5.00. The gondolas will carry 14 or 15 people and the electric launches 30. There will

Guide for one (1) hour, fitty cents (\$ 50) be ten of each.

Brief History, Although ground was first broken for No chair is rented for less than one (1) the Pan American Exposition on the 26th thirty (30) minutes are considered as one. June 4th of last year that the first timber was raised aloft as the beginning of the that day a beautiful city of more than one erce. The magic of 20th century methods has wrought a wondrous work in the construction of this beautiful and costly exposition which, on Wednesday, May 1, was formally opened for a six months' festival.

The completed exposition is a distinct triumph for every one concerned in the mammoth enterprise. It may be said to the credit of Buffalo that her citizens have furnished the money for it, receiving no of three great government buildings, the government aid. The entire amount appropriated by the Federal government for gardens, fountains and statuary. At the the direction of the government board of Esplanade, are the Horticulture, Mines and Federal exhibits exclusively. The New Graphic Arts buildings, this court being, York State appropriation has also been also, decorated with statuary, fountains and expended under the same conditions. The flowers. Looking due north, the majestic total cost of the exposition, including the | Electric Tower rises to a height of 409 seet.

conservatively estimated at \$10,000,000. The exposition was first proposed by a number of citizens at the Cotton States exposition at Atlanta, in 1895. Its official history, however, began in June, 1897, when a company for its development was organized by several prominent citizens and received the approval of the City. State and National governments. It was at first intended to hold the exposition in The m niature engine is complete in 1899, but the Spanish American war caused every detail and will be an interesting its postponement to the present year. The preliminary organization was superseded by a larger one with ample capital for the exposition, and, from the time of the rerapidly. This organization consisted of 25 directors, with the Hon. John G. Milburn as president, Edwin Fleming, secretary, George L. Williams, treasurer, and John N. Scatcherd as chairman of the executive committee.

The Hon. William I. Buchanan, at that time United States Minister to the Argentine Republic, was unanimously elected director-general, November 1, 1899. He had previously been the director of Agri cuiture, Live Stock and Forestry at the World's Columbian Exposition at Chicago. His ability as an organizer and director of a great enterprise was at once manifest. as the work of the Exposition has gone forward without apparent friction or delay. The original plan called for some twenty large exhibit buildings and to these many more have been added. The Exposition plot consists of 350 acres in the northern part of the city, accessible from every direction by electric cars, and having as favorable a steam railway service as could possibly have been chosen. The general architecture of the exposition follows the Spanish Renaissance. The plan was worked out by a board of eight leading architects representing several of the leading cities of the country.

geeing the Exposition

The most comprehensive view of the exposition is, perhaps, obtained from the Esplanade from a point a few rods north of the Triumphal Causeway. Here the visitor with one sweep of the eye, may see nearly all of the principal buildings of the Expc-sition. The Triumphal Causeway, behind him, is a magnificent structure, designed by John M. Carrere, chairman of the 10. Near bride over canal on the West Board of Architects. Four tall pylons are connected by swinging cables. The pylons The round trip may be made in the elec- designed by Karl Bitter, the director of are surmounted by four standard bearers. sculpture. The bridge as a whole is in with a stop-over ticket, good for any time tended to express the pride of the Ameri-A gondola and a gondoller may be hired The standard bearer represents a cin people in their achievements muscular youth upon a rearing horse. gondoller, singer and two instrutmental Below him are trophies indicative of feudalism, slavery and tyrannical power, the whole expressing the triumphal struggle of the people of the Americas to free themselves from the institutions of despotic ages and governments. Terminating the buttresses of the piers are four groups of trophies typifying Peace and Power, modelday of September, 1899, it was not until ed by Augustus Lukeman. In the niches on the side of the bridge are statues sym bolical of Hospitality, Love of Truth, superstructure of the first building. Since | Patriotism, Liberty, etc. On each side of the bridge are fountains of rearing horses a day of eight (8) hours, three dollars and hundred buildings has sprung into exist and figures clustered about tall poles which carry huge silken flags. The fountain on the east typifies the Atlantic Ocean, and that on the west the Pacific Ocean, with one base uniting the two. The sculptor of these is Philip Martiny. Beneath the bridge are subterranean gottos modeled after the fa-

mous Buttes de Chaumont. urning now to the eastern wing of the Esplanade the observer will note the group open space being embellished with sunken this exposition has been expended under left, marking the western boundary of the government and state appropriations, the This tower stands at the north end of the

of the Mall at the same gate, the line runs | cost of the Midway and other buildings, is | Court of Fountains and constitutes a very beautiful centerpiece. On the eastern side of the Court of Fountains are the Ethnology, Manufactures and Liberal Arts, and the Agriculture buildings. On the west and Transportation, and Electricity buildings. Beyond the tower is the Plazs whose northern boundary is marked by the Propylaea, a very beautiful architectu:al screen, rich in color decorations and ornamentation of statuary. East of the Plaza is the great Stadium, a mammoth building, having a seating capacity to. about 12,000 people. West of the Pleza is the entrance to the Midway, where one may spend days organization the work has moved forward enjoying the multitude of novel entertain-

The beauty of the picture is beyond the power of anyone adequately to describe. for no words can convey to the mind the glorious result of the combined efforts of the architects, the sculptor, the landscape gardener, the colorist, and the electrician. They have all worked harmoniously to produce a set picture upon such a magnificent scale as to dazzle and delight every beholder.

Upon the pinnacle of the tower stands a graceful figure in gold called the Goddess of Light, presiding over the Exposition and looking abroad over its many beautiful features. In her upraised right hand she carries a torch while with her left she points to the beautiful scene below. The face of the tower is studded with myriady of electric lights. and contains a fine collection of the best One does not realize its mammoth propertions until he looks at it from a near point

cascade, at a height of 70 feet. At a height of 110 feet is a fine restaurant. Elevators will carry visitors to various heights in the

The State and Foreign buildings are situated in the southwest part of the grounds. Nearly all the governments of the Western Hemisphere are represented, either in buildings of their own, or have creditable exhibits in the various exhibit divisions. Several of the States have fine buildings of their own and all of the important states are represented by special exhibits in the Agriculture, Mines and other buildings. The Live Stock division occupies seventeen pavillions, covering about 10 acres of land. A special building has been erected for a model diary and a commodious building is used for diary exhibits. The division of agricultural machinery occupies extensive exhibit space beneath the seats in the Stadium. special buildings have been erected in the southeast part of the grounds for a commercial ordnance exhibit. Between the two buildings is a model of a Gruson turret 52 feet in diameter. This is to arranged that the visitor may go inside and note the construction of this form of the seacoast defense fortification. The exhibit of big guns by the United States Government is one of the very interesting features of the Exposition.

tion buildings is such that one may that one may save a great deal of time, as well as effort, in seeing the exhibits. The arrangement is very compact and one may go from building to building and enjoy himself thoroughly as he goes.

The Fine Arts building is about 1,000 feet south of the government buildings and contains a fine collection of the best works of American artists. The forestry building works of American artists. The forestry



After the Holiday

A FEW OF THOSE -

Massey-Harris and Brantford

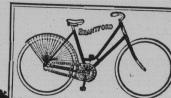
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IN TWO INSTALMENTS-PART II.

FitzGerald looked thoughtful.

'You see,' he said, 'one can't exactly judge of a man like that. For all we know he may be a splendid sort of chap; but, of course, as you say, we don't know, and you're naturally anxious about your cousin. However, it can't be helped, so we must hope for the best, and trust he'll make her happy.'

'Poor Eileen!' said Jimmie half sadly,' 'and she thinks she's so clear-minded'

'and she thinks she's so clear minded 'A very common mistake,' replied Fitz Gerald.

Gerald.

They were walking together up the caste hill and he looked away from his companion over to the opposite hill, where rose the grand old oaks of the deer park. In the summer there had been one or two picnics in that same park, and on one of these occasions, Eileen and he had some how been separated from the others, and had sat for an hour or two together in the branches of a fine old tree, and it was on that day that he had first began to love her. She had looked charming in a big straw

She had looked charming in a big straw hat, trimmed with nodding poppies and blue corn-flowers, and a blue muslin frock, unsuitable for tree climbing, as was testified by the appearance of a long rent in the

From the spot where he now stood he fancied he could almost see that tree, and Jimmie, who remembered the occasion, was charitably silent while he gazed.

A little further on they encountered O'Hea and Eileen mounted on bicycles.

It was evident that they came from the park, which, the weather being unusually fine for the time of year, was still the favourite resort of engaged couples of the

place. 'What a handsome pair they are !' Fitz-Gerald remarked admiringly.

Jimmie's lace was clouded; she was silent for a moment and then burst out im-

petnously—
'How borrid people are when they get

Her companion regarded ber in surprise.

Why?' he inquired.

Oh! they're so full of themselves and

eaca other. Eileen and I were always together betore, and we told each other together betore, and we told each other everything—nearly; now I hardly ever see her, and when I do it's all Terence, Terence, Terence, and nothing at all about herself I shall really be glad when she's been married a few years, and his splendour is worn off a little—though it will probably be babies then,' she added sadly. FityGerald laughed.

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Who knows but that the same subjects may occupy you by that time?' he suggested, with a twinkle of the eye.

Jimmie shook her curly head.
'No man for me,' she said decidedly.
'Pm going to be an old maid, and be so good to my friends' children. I don't say my nephews and nieces, because, if Driscoll ever marries, it will only be to someone much beneath him, and I somehow don't think their children will be nice; but, if Eileen has any, I shall be a dear old maiden aunt to them, and take them out for the day and let them enjoy themselves. Children are generally misunderstood, I think.'

'Miss Eileen's children will be lucky it their aunt,' remarked Frzgersld and then there was silence.

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'I wonder whether he was really ill,' said the girl slowly. 'Do you know, I have sometimes thought once or twice that he liked Eileen rather.'

'Oh! do you fancy so?' he exclaimed.
'I really don't think there could be anything in it. I've so often seen them together, and I never noticed anything; besides, I almost fancy he'd have told me.
We were so very intimate always, and—and—Now I come to think of it, though, he did say something-'About Eileen?'

"About Eileen?"

'No; but he said he intended to propose to some girl on the night of the dance, and he wouldn't tell me who she was. Now I admit that his going off like this just when Eileen's—I beg pardon, your cousin's—engagement was announced, looks rather suspicious. Poor old boy, I never thought his hoten."

of it before.'

'Ahl' said Jimmie sagely, 'we women are wiser, you see. We notice things men never do, and that's why we so often get the better of you. Of course, I worldeny that men have their uses—as soldiers and sailors, for instance, they shine—but there is no doubt as to our being vastly the superior sex.'
Whereat FitzGerald smiled.

CHAPTER VI.

'Jim, will you come for a drive?'

It was Driscoll who asked this question, as be stood in the doorway, his cap pushed back on his dark curls, his eyes dancing, and for once without the peevish discon-

dhis sister.

'I've borrowed O'Leary's car, and I thought you might like to come with me,' he explained.

It was late in the evening and rather cold, but Jimmie felt flattered by her brother's unusual desire for her company,

What are you going to drive in?' inquir

and accepted his invitation.

'Where are you going?' she asked.

'Oh, out towards the coast somewhere!' he answered, whipping up the horse. 'The moon'll be up directly, and it'll be looking fine on the water. Will that suit you?' Perfectly,' said Jimmie, in high delight at the prospect; and she drew her cloak closer about her in preparation for the somewhat long drive.

They were rather silent as they sped along through the gathering twilight, Driscoll being occupied with the horse, Jimmie with her own thoughts; beside, the brother and sister had not much in common and conversation between them was always a little difficult.

Presently, the faint odour of brine was

Presently, the faint odour of brine was born towards them on the evening air, and the road became narrower and more rough and stony. Civilization was tast being l-ft behind, and they were nearing the wild cosst, where the waves of the vast Atlantic broke on the rocks of the Seven

Heads.

Suddenly the horse shied violently at something which stood in the shadow of a hedge, and, with a muttered impression, Driscoll, peering into the darkness called

'Who's there?'
'Begora, Mr Donovan, 'tis only mesilf,'
and the figure of a man came out of the
shadow and stood beside them with uplifted
hand.

'Shop a minute, will you plaze, sir?' he said. 'I want to be tellin' ye somethin'.' 'Hurry up then. What is it?' demanded Driscoll impatiently. 'Oh it's you Patsey Bourke! Well?'.

'Don't be turnin' down this road, ye

Don't be turnin' down this road, yer honor 'tis haunted. Shure, haven't liseen the ghost wid me own eyes a minute or two ago? A man on a horse gallopin's long and takin' leaps a sane man wouldn't take in the daylight, and all the time—'But Driscoll interrupted him impatiently. 'Rubbish!' 'Go home and tell that to the old old women. Dye suppose I care for your ghoste? Get up, Brady.' he went on, flicking the horse again, and they were off once more, swittly rattling over the road by which the discontented Patsey had just come. just come.
'I wonder will we see the ghost?

'I wonder will we see the ghost?' laughed Jimmie.
'Stuff and nonsense!' grunted her brother crossly.' 'Hullo!' What's that?' he added in an altered tone, and pointing away to the west with his whip.

They had just come within sight of the sea, which lay like a sheet of silver in the moonlight, the old headlands standing out like ebony against the sheen of the water.

On a slight eminence a little way off, and between them and the shore, a horseman was silhouetted in the clear light, his back towards them, his arms stretched seawards, and his voice rising into the still night air, so that his words were distinctly heard by the two listeners.

Patsey had said.

He passed them so rapidly that he was mie presently
'I think he is in the Canaries at present,'
replied her companion; 'ut reslly, I hardly know He went off so suddenly.'

He passed them so rapidly that he was
gone almost before they were aware of it;
for one moment Jimmie caught a
glimpse of a wild, white lace, and as she

saw it she almost screamed aloud, for face was that of Terence O'Hea.
Had Driscoll recognized him?
That was the question;
But his next words proved that he

'I wonder who it could have been.' he soliloquised, as he turned Brady's head homewards.

His words showed that it was all right, immie thought.

Nobody save herself need know.

Perhaps after all O'Hea was only amus-ing himself in a rather new and singular fashion, and at any rate Eileen would utterly refuse to believe that it could be anything else.

anything else.

So, wisely or unwisely she decided to tell no one she had recognized the mysterious horseman, though the matter continued to trouble her somewhat for the next

tew days.

Then in the bustle and excitement of the wedding preparations, she almost forgot

CHAPTER VII

The wedding was fixed for the Thursday

on the Monday there was to be a dance at a large country-house half way between the Desmonde' and the Dunwhorley, and if was arranged that O'Hea should escort

was arranged that O'Hes should escort
Ellen to it, returning with her to sleep at
her home.

Jimmie was invited; but she was going
with Dr. McGrath and his two sisters, and
they had no room for Eileen in their

they had no room for Elleen in their carriage.

At first, Mrs Desmond remonstrated
'I shouldn,t go if I were you, dear, tiring yourself out before your wedding, and it is so important that a girl should look her best on her wedding day.'

But Elleen was firm.
She was passionately fond of dancing and saw no reason why she should not avail

berselt of all possible opportunities of enjoying it.

'Besides,' she said, 'it will be my last siggle appeara.ce in public. After this I shall always have a husbaud tacked on to me, and I want to have a good time while I'm still ummarried. I shall never forget this dance.'

As things turned out she never did forget it, but it was remembered in a way she little anticipated.

The evening arrived at last, and Eileen radient and lovely in a wonderful concotion of 'black chiffon and lace' as Charlie airily described her costume, waited amid a circle of admiring family for her lover's appearance.

At las his carriage rattled up to the door drawn by a pair of magnificent bays, to whom fourteen miles was abolutely nothing, and a moment later O'Hea was in the room.

He was a man who looked most to advantage in evening dress, as it set off his slight, graceful figure to perfection, and Eileen telt as she looked at him, that he was a lover to be proud of.

Atter Murtagh's indignant tirade he disappeared to the smoking-room for the rest of the evening, while Eileen relapsed into a state of pre occupied gravity, which was re marked upon by many of her friends.

'Perhaps she's repenting of her choice, 'Bretany to Murtagh's indignant tirade he disappeared to the smoking-room for the rest of the evening, while Eileen reliapsed into a state of pre occupied gravity, which was re marked upon by many of her friends.

'Certainly she was wondering if she had behaved quite fairly to Murtagh.

Certainly she had fiirted considerably with him at one time; but then everyone fiftred, and it was not her fault if he chose to take too it seriously.

'What's the matter with my little girl?' asked O'Hea at least.

It was after the twelfth dance, and they were sitting in a little breakfast room adjoining the drawing room

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'Wish I was coming too,' sighed Harold regretfully, while Charley, who was fiteen, and rather fancied himself, meditatively stroked his upper lip as it in search of an embro moustache.

'Never mind, old chap,' said O'Hea consolingly, 'you'll be able to take in another three years, and then you can make up for lost time and enjoy yourself fuely. Ready Eily?'

'I'm having the bouse done up, 'he told her as they drove along; 'at least it's near ly finished. but wait till you see.'

'Fancy!' laughed Eileen; I've never seen your home.'

'No, darling; but you soon shall, I've tried to make your rooms nice, Eileen—
the drawing-room and your boudoir.
They look out on the sea, and I've had
them furnished in the nicest way I could
think of, I do hope you'll like them.'
'I like whatever you like, dearest,' and

there was a moment's silence.
'I wonder will the dance be nice,' pon

'I wonder will the dance be nice,' pon dered the girl presently.

'I sha'l think so,' he replied.

'Silly boy! Do you know, Terry, I think there's something rather funny about you tonight; I don't know quite what it is, but you're different from usual,'

'Sure,it's happiness, dear,' he said gaily, taking her hand in his and pressing it to his lips. 'How could I help being half crazy with joy when I think how soon you will be mine? Oh, Eily, how I've been looging for this ever since I first met you! I wonder what made you say 'Yes' to me, for I'm not half good enough for you,dear.' His voice was almost reverent and half-sad as he uttered the last words.

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Eileen's reply was interrupted by their arrival at their friends' house, and O'Hea had only time to whisper, 'The first waltz,' before they parted.

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Directly she entered the dancing-room, she was surrounded by a crowd of eager men and youths, all clamouring for her programme, and it was almost filled by the time O'Hea could make his way to her. 'You have kept the first waltz for me?' he inquired anxiously. 'Thanks, dear; and may I have nine and twelve? How cruel of you to fill it up so soon.'

'I couldn't help it,' she pleaded; 'you should have come before.'

As she spoke the music of the first waltz began, and, putting his arm around her waist, O'Hea glided into the midst of the dancers.

dancers. They were a splendidly-matched couple, and the best waltzers in the room, as the lookers on were speedily agreed, all but Magrath, who watched them with a sullen scowl on his handsome tace, and who was

quite unable to say a single good word for his bated and successful rival 'Do you know this song?' asked O'Hea. They were playing 'Our Last Waltz,' and he softly sang the last bars— Only to-night, just for to-night, and never

'How melancholy!' said his partner.
'Don't, Terry, it's like a bad omen.'

'Do you believe in oment?'
'Yes' I do.' think it will take more than an omen to

think it will take more than an omen to keep up apart on Thursday.'

'Oh, don't!' she cried. 'You can't tell. Please don't talk like that, Terrence! If you can't talk nicely, I'll go and dance with Murtagh. Poor boy! how miserable he looks! Why, the next is his dance. Par a fraid he won't he went yice; but still."

he looks! Why, the next is his dance. I'm airaid he won't be very nice; but still—"' 'I've only booked you for one dance,' said Mustagh, as he led her away. 'Do you mind it we sit it out?'
'No,' said Eileen, 'it's a polka, and I hate polkas; don't you?'
'I hate lots of things,' replied Murtagh darkly, as they seated themselves in a remote corner of the hall.
'Me included?' suggested Eileen sweetly. 'Sometimes,' he answered.
'You aren't very nice to night, are you?' she asked.

she asked.

He turned on her fiercely.

'And it's you that's saying that to me!'
he exclaimed; 'you that I've loved for
three long years—you that I've thought of
before all others, thinking, fool that I was,
that because you fiirted with me you perhape cared just a little—that you had a
heart, when it's a stone you have instead!

'You that I've thought of by day and
dreamed of by night, that I've planned for
and worked for, only to see you marry a
fool that you hardly know, at the end of it
fall! My God! why are women made to
treat us so? Yes, I know what you be say
ting: I was 'only a boy!

'I was at first, but I'm a man now—
twenty-six in years, but thirty-six in bitter
experience. We doctors grow old soon, I
think and you women bring us to it by the
quickest road of all! But there I know
I've no right to talk like this; only I wanted just to tell you what I think of you
while I'd the opportunity.

'There's the next dance beginning.
Good-bye, Miss Eileen, and it's for ever—
I'm going to leave this place very soon. I
hope you'll be happy—happier than you
deserve. Good-bye,!'

Imminous stare, and his moustache.

Eileen smiled, but made no reply.

On a little card-table near them a pack

of playing-cards lay scattered.

Evidently someone had been weary of the mazy dance, and had come in here for

a quiet game.
The girl stretched out her hand, and began to toy with them idly.

'Beware of the Ace of Club!'

Eileen started to her feet in terror as her lover bent towards her. He was white to the lips now, and his eyes were like black d amonds, while his voice was strange and husky.
'Terence,' she cried, 'what is the mat-

He recovered himself with an evident

He recovered himself with an evident effort.

'Oh! its nothing,' he said, smiling faintly.

'I—I don't feel very well,'

'My poor darling!' said the poor girl sympathetically. 'Look here, Terry.

We'll go home at once; you don't look well, and the sooner you're in bed the

'Yes,' he agreed; we'll go home.'
'Going already ?' asked Jimmie, in sur-prise, as they passed her in the hall.
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'Oh!' said her cousin, 'I am sorry. Good night, dear. By the way, my dress has come. It looks lovely'

Jimmie was to be bridesmaid.

Meanwhile, O'Hea had called up the coachman, and the prancing bays were before the door.

'Good-night, Jim.' called out Eileen, as

they drove away.

She was rather tired herself, and leant

She was rather tired herself. and leant back in the carriage with closed eyes, content to let her hand lie idly in O'Hea's, and neither spoke a word.

'How rough this road is!' mused Eileen to herself. 'I never noticed it coming; I suppose I was walking too much.'

It grew rougher and rougher, and she was continually joited against her lover.till at last he put his arm round her to steady her, and then, laying her head on his shoulder, she dropped off to sleep.

She awoke with the smell of the sea in her nostrils, and sleepily wondered why it

her nostrils, and sleepily wondered why was so.

'Are we nearly home?' she asked.

'Yes,' he replied; 'in five minutes we shall be there.'

But before the end of that

time she was fast asleep again, and then drownly conscious of being carried upstairs into a brilliantly-lighted room, where she was deposited on

a sota.

By degrees she managed to open her eyes, and sat up to rub the sleep out of them; but in a moment she was wide awake with surprise, for she saw that the

awake with surprise, for she saw that the room was a strange one.

It was a long, lotty apartment, hand somely furnished, and brightly lit with both lamps and candles; the walls were painted pale green, and hung with seascapes in handsome frames, and the doors of which there were two, and the windows, were covered by hantiful custains of Irwere covered by beautiful curtains of Ir-dian material, heavily embroidered in gold. On little tables about the room were

knicknacks of various kinds—mostly for-eign—and there were cabinets of rare china; there were also well filled book cases, and a piano. Evidently it was the room of a refined and cultured person of luxurious tastes; but whose could it be, and how had she come there?

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her.
Suddenly one of the doors was opened gently, and her lover entered and came towards her, a smile on her face, the strange glitter still in his eyes.
'So you are awake at last, Eira?' he said gently; 'and how do you like my room?'

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Eileen stared at him in bewilderment.

Why did he called her by that name?

Why had he brought her here?

'It is nice, is it not?' he went on. 'Fit for my queen to rule over and reign in.

Ah! Elra, how long I have waited for this! Seven years of waiting and hoping—
and fearing, too I could not help it, though I knew your dear, faithful heart. I should not have doubted you, Elra, should I? But I will do so no more—you are mine now for ever.

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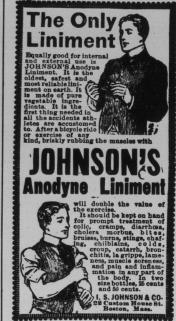
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She clung to him, terrified.
'Terence, what is it. Why do you talk like this? Take me home.'
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'Home, dearest! Why, are you not at

home?

'No, no! Where am I? Oh! Terry, why do you laugh at me? What has happened? I don't know this place and I'm frightened. What is the matter with you? Why don't you do as I ask you?

'Hush, hush, dear!' he whispered. 'They mustn't hear. Suppose Lady Sinclair came in and found you, think what would happen. Ruined and lost to me for ever! We must not stay here. Elra, we must hide. Come in here!'



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He took her by the arm and led her through the door by which he had entered. She found herself at once in a smaller room, furnished as a lady's boudoir. There was not so many knick-knacks and ornaments as in the other room, but it was quite as handsomely furnished in its way, and contained more shelves full of books.

There was also a beautiful little writing. desk and a small card-table, on which lay a pack of cards, not yet removed from its paper wrappings.

Eileen started as she saw them—they recalled to her mind the scene that had oc-

called to her mind the scene that had oc-curred during the dance.

'Here, darling, said O'Hea, 'we can be at peace and quite—quite sate.'

He led her to the card-table, and drew forward a chair.

As he did so his demeanour changed,

and he hecame stern and authoritative.

'Sit down,' he commanded, taking a

chair himselt.

Eileen watched him in furtive terror as he swiftly unwrapped the cards and began to deal them, his lips compressed, his eyes blazing and bloodehot.

When he had dealt them all, he said

ortly—
'We play for the Ace of Clubs, and the one who turns it up must die!'
The room seemed to whirl round before
Eileen's eyes, and for a moment she felt as it she must surely swoon away; but she was no coward, and with a great effort she steadied herself and began the fatal game, knowing that every moment might be her

That she was alone in this strange place in the dead of night with a maniac, there was no longer any doubt, and the knowl-

was no longer any doubt, and the knowledge was enough to shake the nerve of the bravest man on earth; but so terrible was the shock of finding that her lover was a madman, that she felt death would almost be welcome, so long as it came swiftly.

A little clock on the mantel-shelf ticked out the seconds relentlessly.

Its hands pointed to the hour of two, and Eileen tound herself wondering where she would be by breakfast time—dead or alive, and if alive, in what circumstances.

Her hand turned her cards over mechanically, while her mind wandered helplessly from one subject to another.

Her heart seemed to be beating so loudly as almost to drown the ticking of the clock.

O'Hea was perfectly still and quiet, only moving slightly as his hand turned the cards, and his eyes were never raised from the table.

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Would the Ace of Clubs never come?

The suspense grew so terrible that Eileen found herself longing for the crisis, for any thing rather than this terrible strain.

of them now, and O'Hea was turning.
The queen ot spades.
Her turn, the ten of hearts. His again-his last card but one, and He sprang to his feet, and gripped her

by the wrist.

Her eyes had travelled upwards to his face; it was terrible in its suppressed excitement and madness.

Suddenly the eyes lost their strained expression, the lips relaxed their grim, com-

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She looked down at the table.

He had turned the Ace of Clubs.

As if in a dream she felt herself held in a fierce embrace.

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She knew no more.

Her body seemed swiftly to rise to a tremendous height and then fall to the floor with the crash, and as she fell she heard a sharp report; it did not seem to be very near.

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She heard it vibrating in her ears; but it was as if it had come from some other sphere, or if it had happened ages ago, and the remembrance had only just returned to her.

When she came to herself again she was lying on a sofa, and someone was bathing her forehead with eau-de-Cologne.

There were voices talking behind her, and one of them seemed familiar.

She lay listening, too drowsy and faint to rouse herself.

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Sunday Reading.

In one of the suburbs of Boston lives a boy whom we will call Thomas Stone. He is a lad of about sixteen, quick, intelligent, and an only son. From his earliest childhood he remembers that, whatever happened, nothing was allowed to interfere with the family daily prayers.

His father is a well known merchant, of definite and well fixed religious ideas. Every morning after breakfast the whole family, guests servants and all, assemble in the drawing room. There the head of the family reads a passage from the bible and then offers a simple petition, which invariably concludes with the Lord's prayer; in that the whole family joins.

To the live, impatient boy this sacred family custom was at times a bore. It in terfered with so many things that might be done. But his father never allowed him to absent himself except for an imperative reason. So it it frequently happened that he fretted and showed more or less impatience when the few minutes devoted to family prayers arrived.

His father tried all sorts of plans,-pun ishments, rebukes,-but could do nothing to check this spirit of revolt.

Finally, one morning just after prayers while the family were all present, he said 'My boy, you are now sixteen,-old enough to take a prominent part in the management of the home,— and I propose that once a week you shall lead our family prayers.'

The boy was taken by surprise and flush ed deeply. But he had courage, and so said, with apparent composure, "All right father.' But his heart beat tumultuously. The next morning his father handed him the Bible and told him he was to lead the

family worship. 'But I can't make a prayer as you do,'

You can repeat the Lord's Prayer,' said

Tom read the Bible very well. Then

they all knelt down and followed him as he lead them in the Lord's Prayer. It was noticed that his voice became more unstandy as he went on. Finally, when he came to 'and forgive us our trespasses as we—'he burst into tears, and jumping up, rushed up-stairs to his room and flung himself on the bed, weeping bitterly.

was the matter, but did not know what, He gave the lad time to compose himself a little, and then followed him up-stairs. He leaned over and patted his boy upon the

What is the matter, my son? Tell me all about it. I will help you.'
'Father,' sobbed the boy, 'I couldn't

lead in prayers! I saw my teacher before me all the time. I told him a lie yesterday. 1-I had forgotten all about it, but it came up when I was praying. I don't think I ever realized what that praye meant before.'

You had better tell your teacher today,

'I will, I promise you!' was the emphatic answer. Then raising himself, he looked his father in the eye and said:

'I don't see how any one can pray aloue before people unless he can wash every-thing off the slate and know that it is

Much moved, his father laid his hand upon his shoulder. 'My dear boy,' he said, 'you have stumbled upon the vital truth in prayer. It is not that one cannot go to his Heavenly Father until 'the slate is clean,' as you say, but it is because prayer shows him when it is not clean and helps to make it clean that it draws us nearer to God and makes us better.'

In the May 'New' Lippincett, Rev. Frederick Poole, ex-missionary to China, writes of some thrilling adventures which he and his wife experinced there. His quick wit in using an eclipse of the moon to avoid personal violence is here quoted:
'I isoked up but the sky was cloudless,

and through the clear atmosphere the stars sparkled like diamends.

'Casting my eyes across the dark blue expanse, my attention was arrested by | the fact that the moon had assumed a most peculiar shape, and while all this happened in less time than it takes to tell, yet I distinctly remember the sense of perplexity which this clestial phenemenon pro-

'The sensation was brief, and was suc

eclipse, thank God! and in this I saw a

dimmer of hope.
'I knew with what suspicious dread the Chinese regard a lunar eclipse, and I de termined to work upon that well-grounded fear. Stepping forward to the prow of the boat, revolver in hand, I raised my hands to heaven and fired two shots at the moon and with a hysicrical laugh I cried-

'Involuntarily every face was uplifted. The effect was magical. The shouting ceased, the stones dropped from their han is, and an awesome fear took possess ion of them. Already the spectacle had been observed by the inhabitants of the own, and the very dogs were responding to their peculiar canine instinct and were furiously barking in harmony with the general consternation. Gongs were being beaten, fire crackers exploded, and drums of every description belabored with the belief that is universal among the Chinese that it is only noise, and plenty of it, that will frighten away the 'dragon that is consuming the moon.' The defening din is kept up until the eclipse has passed, and the natives are jubilant in the conviction that they have succeeded in scaring the rapacious monster away, and under such circumstances who could prove to them

that they had not P 'This was the sight that paralyzed our tormentors, and with terrified haste they slunk away to join the anti dragon demonstration in the town, while I still remained motionless with my glistening revolver menacing the moon; and that perfectly natural phenomenon in the heavens, so awe inspiring to the Chinese, is undoubtedly attributed to me and my noisy revolver to this day by the inhabitants of that inhospitable Chinese town.

GRANT AND HIS OLD FRIEND.

How the Former Received a Visitor When

Gratitude fills no small place in a fine character. Indeed, it is indispensable to a complete character, and rounds the whole emotional nature, This trait was notably conspicuous in General Grant; and it has seldom been more touchingly illus-trated than by a story of him, which the

Kansas City Star points.

Prior to the civil war Grant was living near St. Louis, in the most humble circumstances. Although a graduate of West Point, and a soldier by instinct as well as education, he was then daily engaged in selling and delivering cord-wood to whoever would buy. Among his customers was a man of wealth and social standing Samuel B. Churchill, a native of Kentucky, who often told Grant that when he failed to sell to others he might drive his load to his wood shed, throw it in, and

call for his pay the next day. neasure, and Churchill, extended to his neighbor many hospitalities which were

ccepted and appreciated. The war, when it sprang up, divided the two men. Churchill cast in his lot with the South and it is a familiar story how the young wood-seller, loyal to the North, ually displayed the qualities of a great military leader, and was advanced from grade to grade, from section to section, rom Island No. 10 to Donelson, from Donelson to Shiloh, from Shiloh to Vicksburg, from Vicksburg to the Potomac from the Potomac to Richmond, and from Richmond to the presidency.

Some years after the surrender of Gen eral Lee, Churchill, whose property had been confiscated and sold, returned to Kentucky to begin life anew. As he passed through Washington he felt it his duty and pleasure to call upon Grant. He approached the White House with some apprehension, however not knewing how he would be received, if indeed, he were

received at all. He did not fully know his old friend. The reception room was filled with Senators, Congressmen and others all awaiting their time and turn to be called into the President's room; yet as soon as the President read Churchill's card he came to the

deor himself, and invited him in.

The door was closed between them and the outside crowd, and the President told the servant to notify the others that he could not see them for half an hour. For an instant Churchill did not knew what was to become of him; thoughts of prison, expatriction and other punishments for treason rushed through his brain; then he man and weman in London, not forgetting

'Sam, how are you? Sit down and have smoke. You used to give me the best Havanas when I could not buy; now I want to return some of your past favors. Do you want anything? Have you any money? Do you want an office? Can be of service to you in any way? I think more of these who were my friends when I was poor and helpless, with a growing family on my hands, than I do of all such time-servers as stand on the outside wait-

ing to press me for places.'

Churchill was overcome by Grant's generous warmth, but he replied:

'I am a rebel, fresh from the Confeder te army, and I have too high an opinion of you as our conqueror, and as my oldime friend, to ask any special favor at your hands. I would accept nothing that would embarrass you with your own party. have no right to ask anything. I did not come here for that purpose. I only came to see what changes, it any, had come over the spirit of my old friend,'

'I care nothing for that,' replied the President, simply. 'There are obligations stronger than an unfortunate war. Think t over, Sam, till evening. Then come and dine with Mrs Grant and me. If you wan Democratic talk she and her father, General Dent, will give you all that your heart de sires. I promise you that I will not break up the treasonable camp !'

Both men are dead, the Southern genleman and the great soldier. Each was a friend to the other when times were rough, and both have left bright memories of manly generosity which sprang from good

Royal Forgiveness.

From time to time King Edward's posi tion while Prince of Wales compelled him to take a course of action which might not be easy for others to appreciate. The an onymous writer of that new book, Private Life of King Edward VII., tells the following anecdote therein, which exhibits the character of the prince in an unusually pleasant light.

He once invited to his house a number of the most distinguished men in a certain profession. They were all no doubt, a little nervous at first, but the prince's affability soon put each of them at his ease—so much at his ease, indeed, that it is quite possible to understand how one man mong so many misunderstood his attitude In the evening the Prince and his guests entertainment ensued. One of the nicest, and indeed, possibly one of the best bred of the men, took his turn at the piano and commenced to sing a song which was decidedly course. Every eye but that of the singer was turned on the Prince of Wales. He made no effort to disguise his feelings. Whatever he may have thought, he felt that he was bound to take notice of this indiscretion. He first turned his chair slightly, but the singer went on singing. A terrible silence filled the room but the singer took it for attention, and continued. The prince coughed and fidgeted a little, but the singer did not bear or see, and nobody took the initiative in warning him. During the next verse the Prince started talking, and talked louder The two men became well acquainted. and louder till the singer's voice was looked and when he realized his position wished the ground would open and swallew him. There was no mistake about it, he had been snubbed. There, as far as the prince was concerned, the matter might have ended. A blight had been thrown on the evening, and the poor fellow had to face being cold-shouldered by his fellows, and explaining to his wife, as best he could, how they enjoyed their first experience of being the guest of the Prince of Wales. If there had been any honor among the prince's guests, for their host's sake and for the sake of their profession they would have held their tongues. But they went out into the highways and the byways and cried their comrade's shame and their own indignation. Some told it tragically, some comically; but none of them told it very carefully, and, needless to say, the gessipy papers made the most of it. Now, what do you think the good fellow did? When he saw what had happened, he drove straight up to Bond street and purchased a box for the next enterto appear. He drove back, and he asked the princess to excuse herself from any social obligation which she might have, and the Prince and Princess of Wales made themselves particularly prominent in the front of that box, and effusively applauded the performer, whose indiscretion they deemed had been punished enough without the interference of his fellows. The Prince and Princess of Wales sent for him and hi

all the paper.

ANECDOTES OF DIPLOMATS.

Former Secretary Foster Tells of His Bxperiences, Especially in Mexico.

In an anecdote he related to Yale studmunities and Privileges of Diplomats, former Sec. of State John W Foster said that one night while representing the U.S. government at the Mexican court, he played euchre from sunset to sunrise while a

change of government was in progress.

It was revolutionary times in Mexico Leading foreigners at the time rushed to the American legation for protection. It was in '73. Mr. Foster housed them all and concluded that the best way to pass the time was to play cards. No one could

sleep.
Mr. Foster spoke about former President Harrison's amusing criticism of the custom of foreign governments in sending otices to this country upon the birth of a prince or princess, and the red tape the United States went through in iormally recognizing the advent of such royal person-ages. Pres. Harrison thought in the first place the blue pencil of condensation should be used on the phraseology of notification. Again, the President believed that the most effective way to discourage such royal notices coming to this country would be for this government to send to all European courts the name of ever youngster born in the United States as a possible candidate for the presidency and require ecognition of the affair.

While Mr. Foster was in Mexico he was at one time discharging the duties of the French and Engli h representatives to that country and as such was honored by being appointed president of the French society of Mexico. He had to preside at the French ball.

'I was only thankful,' said the speaker, urning to Dean Wayland of the Yale law school, 'that I did not have to lead the

man,' continued Mr. Foster, 'but he made mistake in this one instance. A Guate nalan got aboard an American vessel that topped at one of the ports of Guatemala. The government heard he was aboard and ent officers after him. The man was finally shot and killed during the struggle that followed. Mr. Blain had the captain of the vessel censured and the American representative to that government recalled pecause they did not protect the man. I think he was wrong in his view, for the man was a fugitive from justice; he was on Guatemalan territory or in a Guatemalen port and Guatemala had a right to him.'

Once when Minister Fester was in Mexico he had \$2,000,000 in his custody The bank of England was next door to the American minister's residence. The bank officials had become alarmed over the disturbed condition of the Mexican capital and appealed for protection to the United States minister. A hole was dug rom the cellar of the bank to the cellar of the minister's house and the \$2,000 000 was carried into Mr. Foster's home.

'That was once in my lifetime when I had \$2,000.000,' he observed. 'It never happened before and I don't think it will ever happen again.'

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funny points figured out until two weeks after they had left town, which was, of course, and consequently, too late for applause. Give us a joke that we reco'nize as such from old acquaintance an' we'll do our parts as an audience; but when any o these new model witticisms, so to speak, is handed out to us we got study over 'em first before indulgin' in the proper amount o' laughture.'

Bank Cashier-My dear sir, your bank account is overdrawn so often that we are ompelled to ask you to transfer it else

·But, good heavens, I don't know any ther bank that will trust me.'

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heard the President speaking cordially; to have the royal visit duly chronicled in PREACHERS AND THEIR HORSES. Admiration of Methodist Circuit Riders for

The late Father Dowling of Westchester county, N. Y., was not the only minister who provided for his horse in his will, said one of Washington's preachers. 'For instance, Bishop McKendree, one of the earliest and most esteemed among his people made in his will ample provision for his horse so long as it might live and for a

sufficient sum for its decent burial. 'I believe that if the record were hunted up it would be found that more ministers had made testamentary provision for their horses than any other class of people. It is simply natural that we old-time Methodist preachers should feel very kindly toward horses when we remember what good and faithful friends they were to us in the days when we had to ride the circuit.

'Those were trying times for both man and beast, for we went through many hardships. I once heard brother Sam Jones. the Georgia evangelist, say that it was a fact that he owned blooded horses; that he wouldn't own any other kind : that when he got behind a pair of horses he wanted them to burn the wind, and that was the kind he owned. He said that admiration for fine horses was the only redeeming trait of a rum seller, and that a Methodist preacher who didn't love a fine horse a

'Away back in those good oid days there were few better judges of horseflesh than the itinerant preachers. From the very necessities of their calling they were constantly dependent upon their services, and thus naturally became acquainted with all their good and bad qualities. Many of these circuit riders were indifferent as to personal comfort and personal appearance. but they insisted on being well mounted and seemed always ready to run the good

'In the simple biography of one of these the gospel we read that it was the habit in sparsely settled communities when night overtook him in a strange place in the the forest to give his horse the rein and take up his lodging in the first house the faithful animal stopped at. He records with faithful simplicity that his quarters thus providentially selected were the best in the neigborhood.

'A circuit rider on a dark and stormy night presented himself at the door of country home and asked for lodging. He was questioned as to which way he came, and when told the man of house almost fainted away with terror. The faithful horse had walked with safety the stringpiece of a long bridge which spanned the largest river in the community. The stringer was not more than ten inches wide, and a single misstep of the animal would have precipated both itself and its rider into the water, the rest of the bridge having been swept away by a storm the

'Another circuit rider in South Carolina by the name of Tolliver Robinson, a preacher who at the time of his death had married more couples than all the horse which one night discovered that the residence was on fire, broke out of its stall and the barn and tearing down fences reached the house and with neighing and

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Mama-But your Uncle John gave you another one for it.

Tommy.—I know; but if I hadn't lost the first one I'd have two now.

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'George, dear, you and I would get on setteriif there were a little more give and

take between us.'
'Humph,' Allittle more give en my part andja little more take en yours, I

Wants His Name Cleared

hended, Anderson was captain of the

the place of destination. The last service

ed, the sandy-haired, blue-eyed, fair com-

plexioned man seen often in front of the

portico, standing a little more than six feet

in his shoes and as erect as an Indian, was

Waightstill Avery Anderson. And if you

observed the man of the same description

McKinley when he was in Chicago at the

ing the campaign of last year when President McKinley was there and you happen

ed to pass by the President's cottage and

observed a similar man in citizen's dress

sauntering along as if he had nothing to do

that man might also have been Waightstill

Avery Anderson. And had you been in

Washington on the recent inauguration

day, and looked closely at the men on

horseback who were nearest the carriage that bore President McKinley and Senator

the sandy haired man, you would have seen

Waightstill Avery Anderson. And if you

followed along further and noticed the man

that stood nearest to the President while

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EGov. Aycock of North Carolina has | place to place, and hold-ups were appre-Anderson, who was convicted of murder guards that delivered the treasure safe at sixteen years ago and sentenced to be the place of destination. The last service hanged. Anderson and United Senator of this character was when twenty million Jeter C. Pritchard of this state are broth. of gold coin in kegs was brought from San ers in laws, Mrs. Pritchard and Mrs. Anderson being sisters, the daughters of Jacob W. Bowman, ex Superior Court when the White House was carefully guard

Anderson and Fdward Ray killed two men in 1884 in a fight over the ownership of a mice mine in Mitchell county. The present Mrs. Pritchard was then Ray's wife. The prosecution had the venue of the case changed from Mitchell to Cald- in citizens' clothes standing near Presiden well county. Ray and Anderson were violent Republicans, and Anderson was a delaying of the cornerstone of the new Post Office, that was Waightstili Avery Anderputy collector of internal revenue. Caldwell county at this time was very largely sou Perhaps if you were in Canton dur-Democratic and there existed hostility there against Anderson, because he had been active in running down moonshiners. Both men pleaded that they had acted in self detence. Ray was tried first and was found guilty of manslaughter and sentenced to be hanged. An appeal was taken to the Supreme Court and the judgment of the lower court was affirmed. Knowing that they could not secure a commutation of sentence from Gov. Scales, the triends of Ray and Anderson in Mitchell, Madison. Buncombe and other counties, to the number of 500 organized themselves, attacked the jail at Asheville, where the two men were confined and released them.

After Ray's rescue his wife went to him and remained with him some time. Then she returned to North Carolina, saying that Ray had been cruel to her and had made her life an intolerable burden. A few years later Jeter C. Pritchard brought ant for divource for Mrs. Ray in the Su perior court of Buncombe county against her husband, and obtained a decree for her. In 1892 she and Mr. Pritchard were married. The service of process on Ray was by publication in a newspaper, which it is presumed he never saw.

For sixteen yeras Anderson has been a fugitive fro v justice. His boy, a baby when he fled the state, has grown to manhood and has never seen him or heard his voice or received a father's kiss. His other two children, both girls, have grown to womanhood, and they have forgotten the features of their father. In season and out of season their mother has been faithful tojher husband, whom she not seen for sixteen years. She has struggled and made a living for her children and herself and for the last four years, through the influence of Mr. Pritchard and the appointment of President McKinley has been postmistress at Bakersville.

At one time Ray seemed to have passed into oblivion and no one knew or cared where he was. There was rumor that he was dead, but in the last six months it has been ascertained that he is living in the in the City of Mexico, having massed a large fortune in mining. He is said to have been befriended by ex-Gov. Alexanoperations. He is married and has sever al children. When Gen. Matt W. Ransom of this State was minister to Mexico he carried a letter to Ray and the two became well acquainted, and on more than one occasion the Minister was the guest of Ray at his splendid residence.

From a rollicking dare devil Ray has come an exemplary citizen, and the thing that he craves is a pardon so that he might visit his old home in the western part of the state. Minister Ransom has hinted that on one occasion Ray went to Washington and sat in the gallery of the senate when a debate was on. His appearance was so changed that his own mother would not have known him. He sat there and heard Senator Pritchard make one of his impassioned speeches, and while this was going on Ray was also observing the woman who sat opposite to him in the gallery and who had been his first wife, and who was then the wife of the senator addressing the senate. Often the eyes of the former husband and wife met while the debate progressed, but the wife did not recognize the lover of her youth and the father of her first children and the former husband did not make himself known.

With Anderson the case is different. His family and friends have known all the time where he was and what he was do ing and what name he assumed as soon as he fied the State. For a number of years he was in the Secret Service of the United States under an assumed name, and on many occasions when the treasure of the government was being transported from

who ranged themselves on either side of the carriage containing President McKintey, one of the four white men was Waightstill Avery Anderson. In one of the far Western States not far

from the Rockies this furgitive from justice the victim of partisan rancor and perjured testimony has made such a name for self for honesty and fair dealing and up rightness for the past sixteen years that to day he is the Sheriff of the county in which he lives, and was elected at the last elected at the last election as a Republican by the largest majority ever given for any candidate in that county.

In view of all these facts Alfonse C. Avery the superior court judge who tried Ray and Anderson, has written a most urgent letter to Gov. Aycock requesting the pardon. Senator Pritchard, of course, is intensely interested and has written a letter asking that the pardon be granted. Five of the jury who brought in the verdict of murder have signed the petition for pardon. There is a large list of signers from almost every county in the former Ninth Congress district asking for the pardon.

It has been stated that this application would not be considered because Anderson is 'in the woods', but Judge Avery and other leading lawyers have called the attention of Gov. Aycock to precedents in the administration of Vance and other governors where the applicants for pardon were 'in the woods,' and, not withstanding, the pardons were granted, and the governor is giving the measure due con-

Hanna to the Capitol, and distinguished Although time has done much to soften the asperities that existed sixteen years ago, there yet remains a strong feeling against Ray and Anderson, and bitter pro tests are being filed against the pardon. he was delivering his address, that was

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Horton is implacable. She says her boy,

day when the statue of Gen John A. Logan | who was as dear to her as Mrs. Anderson's was unveiled, if you noticed the six men husband is to her, was to illy murdered and her life has been one of blackness and despair ever since. She has written to Gov. Ayeock protesting against the pardon and has aroused her friends to activity in her behalf.

Melvin E. Carter of Asheville, who de fended Anderson, died some years ago, and he left a statement that the conviction of Anderson was a great miscarriage of justice and that he ought to be pardoned.

The Early Symptoms of Consumption. Now that the value of the open-air treatment of consumption has been demonstrated, the great importance of an early diagnosis of the disease is evident.

Unfortunately it is by no means easy to ecognize the disease in its incipiency, for the early symptoms are not distinctive, and the cause of the failing health is often not suspected until the disease has become firmly established.

The symptoms calling attention especialy to disease of the lungs are generally late in appearing, and the physician's suspicions will usually have been aroused long before there is any severe cough or profuse expectoration.

At first there is merely a falling off in health; the person is 'a little below par,' and his friends remark that he is losing flish. He is not actually ill, and his condition causes him little anxiety, being attributed to a rush of work, or to worriment caused by a business hitch or some

mouth is pale—in medical language, the patient is anaemic.

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This pallor is a suspicious sign; and another symptom of marked significance is a rapid pulse, one that beats continuously ninety or one hundred times a minute. At this time there is usually also, more or less fever, although it may be so slight as to be detected only by a frequent use of the thermometer.

A fourth symptom of importance is increased perspiration, usually most marked in the first course after midnight,-night sweats-but sometimes troublesome in the daytime as well.

Cough during this period is as often absent, as present, and in any case is seldom more than a nervous backing; later it becomes more persistent, and some expectoration appears. But by this time the physician can generally detect signs of lung trouble by an examination of the chest, and the discovery of tubercle bacilli when the expectorated matter is studied under the microscope will remove all doubts as to the nature of the malady.

Of course one who has persistent anaemia, a rapid pulse, night sweats, and perhaps fever, is not necessarily in the early stages of consumption, although there is ground for suspicion. Even if he is, however, three need be no excessive alarm, for the disease at this stage is almost positively curable, and its early detection is therefore a blessing.

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ment caused by a business hitch or some family trouble.

But as time goes on, and the supposed cause of the trouble has been removed, the patient does not recover his strength; on the contrary, the gradual decline continues and a noticeable pallor appeas. The lips are bluish, the eyes are abnormally white, the pinkish hue of the nails tades out, the mucous membrane of the Leamington, Oat., May 25-Mr. Shel-



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Ö+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0++ Opinions on tashions do not vary much this season, and, as a rule, they are all on the side of approval despite the fact that nothing very new greets you when the subject of dress is under discussion. But that does not in any sense imply that there is any lack in the inventive powers of the dress designers. They are just as capable of turning out freaks as they ever were, and we hear already some faint whisperings of panniers which suggest all sorts of dire things following in their train possibly hoop skirts and bustles.

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But rumors of such unshapely things do not carry much weight in these days of artistic taste in dressing. Women are not such blind followers of any chance mode as they were years ago, and they demand some consideration for beauty and grace in outline, as well as elegance in the way of decoration. Panniers, hoop skirts, and all the ugly, deforming features of old-time fashions may come back to us in the course of years, but we can count on their having some redeeming grace which mod-

ern taste can supply.

Simplicity of outline is the leading motif of the present fashions and it is altogether too flattering to be discarded without vigorous protests. The well dressed French woman is careful not to sacrifice this for any over elaboration, such as some of the imported gowns show. That it shall be simple, but exquisite in quality and detail, us the rule for the ultra smart Parisienne's gown. Meanwhile, the model makers are turning out a bewildering array of puzzles ecoration for the American woman's

We have demonstrated our readiness to pay, without limit, for the fussiness the French woman will not wear, so it is thrust upon us to the fullest degree. Decorated surfaces are rich with embroidery, lace, fine tucks and hand painting, but the simplicity of outline is very carefully preserved. Fragile slenderness is still a distinctive feature of fashion and however much your gown may be trimmed the trimming must not be of the kind which can add much to the size, or mar the beauty of the silhouette from the bust to

The craze for decoration is carried to excess no doubt, but as a work of art it suggests the artist's facility for blending colors in the way different textures are made to harmonize. We see cretonne flowers worked in with black Chantilly, and cream guipure, lace appliques, black velvet ribbon and gold thread, with very interesting results. Pretty net laces are delicately run around the pattern with gold thread, and further decorated with hand painted mousseline de soie medallions, also worked around with gold. This is something like adorning the rose, but it is one of the sesson's fancies

The application of one kind of lace on another is often done, and very effective too, if the designs are tastefully arranged. Fine guipure motifs on a tambour lace form one combination, the motifs being lighter in tint than the lace. A clever as sortment of tones produces very attractive coration, but discriminating taste is very necessary for this kind of embroidery, in which so many variations are possible.

This study in effects has brought out the fact that a patterned fabric like foulard has more style trimmed with plain silk or cloth in stitched bands than it has with patterned lace so lavishly used last[sesson. Embroidered batiste sparing employed is always good style with foulard. A novel feature of trimming the veiling gowns is taffets in the same tint decorated with pink roses hand embroidered. This may form a belt and a little finish on the bodice, and while it enters into the decoration of linen. silk and cloth gowns as well, it is used in small quantities, and is quite expensive

Painted silk mousselines are very/popular for summer evening dresses finished with flounces of silk Chantily lace. And again you see dainty gowns of cream white crepe de chine trimmed around the hem with raised chiffon flowers. A very striking gown of mousseline is painted with brown chrysanthemums and green leaves, and made over blue silk.

Louisine silk is a decidedly popular fabric for summer gowns, and they are tucked without limit from the bust to the knees, where the lace flounce begins. Three halfinch tucks of the silk form a serviceable finish around the edge of the flounce. Needle run net is used for trimming foulard gowns, forming a bolera bound around the skirt in a wide band beginning half a yard from the hem.

of three from the waist line to the hem, shorter groups running up from the hem to Boudoir. the top of the circular flounce, where other bands encircle the skirt.

White in all its pure, creamy and white wine tints is to triumph this summer, and very simple white gowns can be furnished with some distinction by a belt wide and pointed at the back, made of flat folds of mauve and blue panne.

Sashes, always a pretty addition to the simple gown, are evidently coming into rogue again and the prettiest are made of chiffon in pale green. A dainty model in cream tinted batiste has an embroidery of ribbon and insertions of cluny lace running around the skirt above the lace flounces. The bodice is a lace bolero over a chiffon blouse, and a chiffon scarf is drawn through the bolero, and carried around the waist and tied with long ends

A popular fancy in the way of trimming on all kinds of materials is lacing wherever seams or edges can be effectively made to meet in this way. Wide belts are laced up each side, and sometimes the little poleros are laced together up the side seams. French knots, too, are quite as popular as ever, and they are used in the most lavish manner, dotted all over with white bands of material, which may be velvet, silk or linen. For example, on a beige colored Louisine there are rich fine Arab lace run with gold thread en bonds of cream panne satin around the skirt.dotted all over with black silk French knots. We see them, too, in unexpected places, one of which is around the hips of rose-colored linen gown, between bands of white embroidered insertion.

A rather unusual effect is gained by graduating them or rather putting them very close together on one edge of the space to be covered and spreading them toward the other. Another idea in trim ming for thin gowns is sewing one row of narrow black velvet ribbon just under-neath the edge of a lace frill. This is prettily illustrated on a pale blue mohair swiss gown trimmed around the skirt with plouse waist is encircled by the same frills draped around the shoulders with a laceedged small fichu.

Trimming silk gingham gowns with tatfetta silk is another odd fancy carried out very prettily on a pale blue gingham. The taffetta is black, embroidered in polka dots of white silk. A band fully five inches wide hems the skirt, set on with a cross stich. The skirt is cut circular and Isid in norrow box plaits, which are stitched down nearly to the knee. There is a space of nearly two inches between the all around with tabs of the black taffeta seven or eight inches deep joined to the skirt at the lower edge with the cross stitching. A broad collar is edged with the taffets and the sleeve below the elbow is also of silk. This is a most striking and

Running velvet ribbon under little straps of the material, or lace, caught on with buttons is still another torm of skirt trim ming, the ribbon being tied in a bow results in this new mode of superposed det the waist to the knee where the ribbon is and white. A blouse of silk shows bands run under little straps of ecru lace and tied directly in the back. The belt of ecru lace is striped around with black vel vet ribbon.

A black wool net which comes this sea son makes very stylish gowns trimmed with stitched bands of black taffeta and a pretty touch of color is added in the sash of pale green mousseline de soie edged with black velvet. A pretty inexpensive gown for cool days in summer is made of pale blue cashmere trimmed with white foulard spotted with blue, set in plaited fans in the seams, one on either side of the front, one at each side extending to the knee, and one on either side of the back that reaches from waist to hem. The holero hodice has a deep collar of the foulard with perrow bands of the cashmere stitched on, two of which finish the hem of the feulard fans in the skirt. A wide draped belt of foulard completes the bodice below the bolero which fastens in front with a black velvet bow over a vest of blue mousseline striped

across with narrow black velvet ribbon. A deep shoulder collar of lace, which falls from the throat well over the shoulders, is a distinctive feature of summer dress decidedly quaint and old fashioned in effect and is used in the bodice minus the collar band. This appendage will be done away with on many a summer gown when the effect is becoming which it rarely is, perhaps. Yet when it is becoming at all it is very much so, and so cool and comfortable for summer wear. Pretty dinner gowns for summer are made in this way.

Directoire the veiling, and one example shows groups | cloth gowns, or any sort of thin, white cool | hat with no trimming except a rosette | di-This function is a sort of opening day of the seasons fashions and seems to furrish a All these drooping tendencies in hats with cloth bands, silk bands, tucks and lacings, too, are very effective.

Among the fancy blouse waists worn with the white cloth skirts is one which is a combination of lace and embroidered batiste, with a broad belt of white silk. Other pretty waists were of pale yellow liberty gause, variously inset with yellow lace, or possibly an embroidery in pale colors. Again there is the wide white belt of silk, and a pretty sleeve, tucked and inset with embroidery or lace over the shoulders and puffing out a little over the elbows, over which there is a close fitting undersleeve of lace extending well down over the hand. An odd effect is made in some of the white cloth gowns by stitching in the tucks with black, both on the skirt and the bodice.

As for skirts, there is no prevailing style. Everything seems to be worn, including the gathered and plaited skirts. One of the pretty styles in gathering is seen in a silk veiling, shirred around the hips in yoke form and ending at either side of a narrow front breadth. Bands of circle the skirt, the upper one being a little above the knees, where the fullness made by the shirring above is gathered in.

Some of the most effective summer gowns are made of linen in pink, blue on vellow, the skirts in walking length being trimmed with bands piped with white. A little embroidery of the raised, heavy kind gives the style to this sort of gown and appears only on the board collar and cuffs of an Eton jacket. More expensive linen gowns are spotted all over with small designs of this embroidery or trimmed with bands of it set in around the skirt.

Among gowns is one of dimity, tucked and trimmed with lace in a scalloped defive narrow frills of cream lace. The sign. Three tucks encircle the skirt at the hem. Another gown in cream white crepe below a yoke of tucked silk mull and de chine is encircled the entire length of the skirt with guipure insertions. Lace edges the bolero, the vest is of cream white muslin and the collar band and belt are of white silk, ornamented with rows of spangled baby ribbon.

A pretty model for veiling shows a hip voke and corselet of lace. One of the new white silk muslin gowns shows a series of narrow plaitings of the muslin headed with a band of open work applique embroidery. broidery is set in below the yoke and the plaits at the waist line, and this is filled in fichu of the mousseline is carried down to form a sash. Black chantilly lace over white mousseline forms a more elaborate gown, finished around the white skirt with narrow ruchings.
One of the novel gowns of the season is

a dotted net trimmed with taffeta silk chic combination without being at all bands. The skirt is tucked from either side of a narrow front breadth of tucked mousseline de soie, which also forms the vest. The next model shows the cloth jacket worn with the foulard gown and matching it in color. A pretty linen either directly in front or at the back. costume is in pastel blue, trimmed with This is seen in a red weiling tucked from tucking and a Swiss embroidery in black joined by a cross stitch and a piping of black velvet. Another dainty model is for laws and lace or embroidery, the bands pointing up in the back.

Among the neck ruffl is which are very fancy and elaborate this season is one o black Chantilly, finished with plaited frills of white chiffon. It is something like a Victorian pelerine in shape, but very attractive and becoming.

They May be Hugb, but They are Light in One very appreciable feature of the sum

ner hat is its lightness in weight as well as color. While it may be huge in size, it can be a featherweight all the same.

The Lamballe hat, very round and flat, is one of the popular shapes and is trimmed with flowers and a shepherdess bow of valvet ribbon falling onto the hair behind, Many of the latest shapes are well brimmed bending down a little in front and at the back, where the bow of black velvet ribbon is finished with long ends. One pretty way of trimming these hats is a sort of fringe of flowers around the edge of the

The flower hat, which extends well over the forehead in a sort of peaked shape, is very fashionable, finished with the bow and ends of black velvat ribbon. A bew of black velvet of some sort seems to be an indispensible factor in the latest millinery, as it makes a pretty contrast with flowers and all the gauzy effects employed. There Lattice effects in narrow silk bands One fact which seems to have been setsettiched en are very effectively illustrated the dat the opening of the salens in Paris seuttle bries, dropping in back, of course,

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key to the popular styles. The black emphasize the fact of the low coiffure, taffetas were trimmed in all sorts of ways which has arrived with all the necessary accompaniments of curls and puffs. It is velvet ribbon, besides various ways of in- this mode of dressing the hair low at the serting black lace and net. Narrow black nape of the nack which has brought about the chokerless bodice, and already the hats are affected by it. Besides the velvet ends used at the back, as mentioned before, there are lace ends like those we see

> Very pretty toques are made by stitching rows of straw in a net foundation and joining them over the net with a cross stitch of gold thread. This sort of hat requires very little trimming except a ros ette or a bunch of flowers at one side.

in old pictures.

The marquis shape is a great !favorite in Paris, the brim being edged with small flowers. A hat which is promised will be all the rage later on is three conored in shape, of coarse straw, and sometimes has a black crown and a white upturned brim, outlined with small roses in either pink or white. A pretty hat of the Lamballe order is made of cream lace over white chiffon, the brim gracefully curved and trimmed around with a wreath of small pink roses. Rosettes of white chiffon underneath tip the hat a little at one side.

A broad flat hat in ecru lace straw, alternating with tucks of white chiffon, is trimmed with a band of black velvet rib." bon, a handsome buckle and two medium long ostrich feathers at one side. Golddotted chiffon is used for a scarf around the crown of some of the dressy hats, while among the shirtwaist hats more severe in style you see dotted foulards and fancy quills as the only trimming.

One unusual style of hat in black crine

line turns sharply off from the face in front in a sort of Napoleon shape, and directly in the centre, fastening the brim to the crown. is a bunch of pink roses. On each side under there are two rosettes of black velvet ribbon, which loops on one side falling over the bair. There is another bunch of roses at the back.

Fashions this season for girls in their teens are so dainty, so girlish. yet withal so individual, one is carried away with their charm.

Plain, dotted and figured muslins and mu lins with lace and tucks entering into their composition are among the most

An unusual amount of trimming; in fact, almost an incredible amount of work, is necessary this year in the creation of even what is termed 'a simple little frock' for young girls. The required amount of lace ribbon and frou frou generally brings their cost quite on a level with a winter gown.

Ruchings, pleatings-accordion, box and side-lace insertions, tucks, fichus, flounces, ribbons, contrasting bands. French knots and fancy cross stitches are all fashionable garnitures.

As a smart little finish for young giris gowns rosettes, stock and folded girdle of panae, peau de soie or taffeta furnish an whole battalions. Dr efiective color tone, as almost always they harmoniously contrast.

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The Tragedy of Cow Gap:

'It was in 1875,' said the frontiersman, | Lay it on the table. that I first crossed the plains. A mining boom was in progress at a place that I will call San Pedro. It was about 200 miles from Denver and not a railroad near it. I worked awhile at mining, but I didn't make a strike, so I dritted down to a small town then known as Cow Gap, but digniinto my head to start out on a tramp I headed for Pueblo, a good way off, I know, but I was in no hurry, and as there

"He started from his chair. 'You don't were several ranches only half a day's walk apart, I was not troubled about food and shelter. Folks are very hospitable in the west. I managed to get off the right trail while crossing one of the mountains and although I was on some kind of a wagon road I didn't come to any ranch. I had I guess there'll be a night.' some bacon, salt, matches, five pounds of flour and a dozen large potatoes with me, so I had no trouble in getting dinner. I didn't much relish the idea of camping out, as I had no blanket, but had about resigned myself to it when I saw the smoke of a

ed by two enormous dogs, but I beat them off and shouted until a woman appeared. She seemed surprised and somewhat annoyed to see me, but when I offered to been astounded at the magnitude of the pay for my board, she asked me into the series of robberies he had committed. I fire. It seemed that he was simply a 'jumded' his bail, I think with the consent neighbor. The master of the house was of his securities. He watched me for a away, the woman said. The neighbor was just keeping her company during the absence. The neighbor was very sociable, ''Don't breathe my name to any living but he seemed a trifle uneasy and wanted to find out all about me. I had nothing to conceal, so I made his pumping process easy work, and when, as I supposed, he was satisfied that it was safe to leave me alone with the woman, said goodby to happens to meet my horse down the road, both of us, mounted his horse and rode he will call in at the old ranch before he

'The ranchman was expected home by 8, but he had not arrived when the clock he means business.' struck 10. The woman did not seem uneasy at his absence. She and I had been me. 'What do they want you for?' I chatting about many things. She had just asked. shown me where I could sleep and I was preparing to turn in when I heard a horse's me that the animal was ridden for all it sheriff's father lives in the next county, was worth, and I wondered whether any and I took one of the old man's horses. accident had betallen my hostess' husband and if the rider had come laden with bad proof against the then, but they got on my news. The herse was reigned up short at trail last week and went to arrest me on the gate leading to the house. I peered a false charge that they got a poor fool out through the window. A medium sized who lost a mule lately to swear to. In evman with a handsome beard, was rapidly er stole a mule in my life, and I won't be removing the saddle and bridle. These he arrested to lie in jail until the sheriff can tossed inside the gate and then gave the horse a smart cut with his 'quirt' or whip.

don't want you to get into trouble, but as The animal, a fine Kentucky bred black, wheeled and galloped off at a tremendous pace. The man listened until the hoof The animal, a fine Kentucky bred black, beats died away in the distance and then entered the house. I heard him talking had been clearing the decks for action, that her husband's life should be protected. wondered why he had ridden so furiously and turned his splendid horse adrift, for cartridges already lay close at hand, and risked her life. warm. Presently foot-steps approached the purpose, were fastened on the windows

once, she said. 'Will you please make ed tell your story, omitting any reference haste?' Wondering more than ever at his to our former acquainance,' he said. request, I hastily resumed such of my This will confirm it, and so will Mary here. clothes as I had thrown aside and joined Won't you, Mary?" the couple in the living room. The man was eating some supper that she had pre-pared. He seemed hurried, but perfectly cool. She looked worried.

'Sorry to disturb you, stranger,' he said, leoking up as I entered the room. 'My wife tells me that you asked for shelter and she has given it to you. I'm glad to are!" meet you, but it's unfortunate that you | 'The sound of horses' hoofs was distinct happened here tonight. From the look of you I don't think you'd betray a man the rear by a bluff too precipitous whose grub you have eaten, but I can't to climb. One of the windows, at afford to take chances. I'm Tom King.'

declared his determination to ask nothing I involuntarily felt for my revolver. As his name—that of the noted desperado— the bluff. It was followed by a man who his name—that of the noted desperado— the bluff. It was followed by a man who left his lips, however, I gazed into the carried it. He halted at the gate for a the weapen on his knee. It is sourcely necessary to say that I did not attempt to draw my 'Shooting iron.' I had learned sufficient to knew when a man get 'the the weapon on his knee. It is scarcely drop' on me. Observing this, he lowered

said. Don't fool with your gun either. bearer.

'I complied.

'You are recently from the east, are you not? he asked. I answered in the affirm

'Ah,' he said reflectively. I was in Wall street fifteen years ago.'

'Som thing in his appearance, I kn w not what, made me look closely at him. fied now by a longer name. I spent most of my money there, and one day I took it 'So your name now is Tom King,' I re-

> mean to say that you are little Fred Greener? I see the likness now, though. Well, your father did me many a good turn. I'm more sorry than ever that you should have come here at this time. The sheriff and a large posse are after me, and

'The ranchman was an old friend of my father,s. He used to visit my family very frequently when I was a youngster in knee breeches. He wore no beard in those days. He had often given me tips, and he was, I knew, then a most extravgant man. I dimly remember that he held a prominent position When I reached the house I was attack in 'the street' and that he suddenly seased coming to our house. I remembered also that my father had spoken regretfully of his fall and that the commercial world had house, where a man was sitting by a huge also knew that he had been arrested and

> "Don't breathe my name to any living soul, Fred, ' he said. 'It was supposed that I was drowned on board the Merry Monarch, bound for Buenos Ayres. Never correct that impression. Now for the events of the present. If the sheriff comes here. If not, he will be at the gate in fitteen minutes, I won't surrender, and

'He paused and looked inquiringly at

"I have a penchant for other people's horses. I got a good number last winter. of ringing on the frosty road. It struck | I never rob my neighbors, the present They swore vengeance. They hadn't any

My revolver still lay on the table. King My husband wants to speak with you at transferred it to his pocket. If I am kill-

course if anything should happen I'll see that this friend of yours is not arrested.'

'Her people live in Kansas. She is pro-vided for all right if I die,' said King as his wife left the room' 'Hello, here they

ly audible. The house was protected in which King took his station commended While he was speaking a dozen con-jectures flitten across my mind. Did he mean to kill me? I wondered, and as he road from a loophole in one of the shutters. locked up in the wooden shanty that they moment and hailed the house. The dogs sprang savagely at him, but seemingly recognised an acquaintance, for when he spoke to them the creatures licked his hand.

King opened the door.

'Tom's not at home, Mrs. King. He knows that Tom is at home. I came along so as to prevent trouble it I could. The sheriff's ridden from Pine Lake on his trail. and he means to take him if he has to burn down the house. Don't let them make trouble, Mrs. King.
'Shut the door, Mary,' said King. A

half smile was on his face. His wite sighed. 'It's no use,' Mr. Thornton. You must

and admitted them on the sheriff's promise with his wife, for I did not doubt the new-comer was the owner of the ranch. I half a dozen rifles, a shotgun and two out, as they told her plainly that they

'Two of the men wounded by King were very badly hurt. A doctor had come up from Cow Gap with the sheriff, anticipating bloodshed, for King had often quietly but forcibly declared his intention of resist to the death any attempt that might be made to arrest him. Te doctor had re-mained with King's friend, Thornton, behind the bluffs while the fight was in pro-'Don't talk so, Tem' she said. 'But of gress. He attended to all the wounded. King was painfully but not mortally hurt. One of the others, however, was in a very dangerous condition. The whole party camped for the night at the ranch. I was placed under arrest on suspicion of being an accomplice of the horse thief, who had been my father's friend.

'The next day we went down to Cow Gap, where I was released on proving the truth of my story, but I was enjoined from

'Answer him, Mary,' said King. Mrs and the authorities never solved the mother said she'd show me my room. mystery of her disappearance.

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The barrels of a dozen riflee gleamed in the moonlight as they were focused on the door, but King had shut it almost as he spoke.

The sheriff and his men slowly retreated. Neither side seemed desirious of beginning an attempt at bloodshed. As they reached the shadow of the bluff the posses halted, and the sheriff atepped for ward and formally called upon King to surrely with the sheriff or th

A gentleman who accompanied Mr. Gladstone in one of his pilgrimages in Scotland tells this story: 'He had to be The only patented Comb in the world, whose duty it was to protect him from too obtrusive attentions. At one station so many people insisted on shaking bands with the Grand Old Man that he became exhausted. The policeman was equal to the emergency. He whispered semething te the veteran statesman, then stooped behind him and put his hand through the tolds of the G. O. M.'s Inverness cape, while the genuine hand was withdrawn for rest. The handshaking went on apace 'My conscience,' said one admirer, retiring after an energetic handshake from the peeler, 'the auld man's wonderfu' veegor-eus.' 'Deed he is,' said the other; 'but did ye notice his nails?

This Beats Kentucky.

A story is told by one of the Imperial troops who visited Australasia at the into climb. One of the windows, at which King took his station commended the road all approaches. The night was moonlight. The thud of hoofs came very near and then ceased. I watched the road from a loophole in one of the shutters. Soon a white flag appeared from behind the bluff. It was followed by a man who carried it. He halted at the gate for a moment and hailed the house. The dogs sprang savagely at him, but seemingly recognized an acquaintance, for when he spoke to them the creatures licked his hand.

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'I was put with a middle-aged couple and their two sons. The dad says:

I must tell you that this is a prohibition house, and we have no strong drink on the premises.' I bore up and said it was all right. After tea the dad asked me if I'd ke to leek over the house. I went and as soon as we were in a quiet corner the dad pulle out a bettle and asks me to have any type of the Commonwealth, and who carried back in England a couple of weeks ago. At Dunnedin the soldiers were to have fallen into good hands:

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'Well, sah,' replied Rastus, 'she's-

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Husband—Say, doctor' is there any possible hope of its becoming chronic.

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'But you haven't told us the story yet, you know, Mike.'

Surely that was Murtagh's voice.

'Ab, shure, 'tien't much of a story, but 'tis a sad enough one, anyway. Well, 'twas like this: Siven years ago, it must be, the masther fell in love with just such anither young lady as this one; wonderful purty an' swate she was, an' companion to a Lady Sinclair. He met her at Monte Carlo, where they were winterin,' an' I, bein' the masther's valet, was there, too. They were engaged, an' goin' to be married, when as luck would have it, the young lady took it into her head to try her luck at the tables, bad cess to 'em' 'She tuk the gambling fever. sorr, an' there she sat for hours playin' away, first her own money, and then her employer's, till at last, in despair, she fixed some large sum on one o' the cards—the ace ot clubs it was—an' lost. She came home thin, wrote a letter to the mashter, locked hem self up in her room, and blew out her brains! Yes, sorr 'twas indade a bad business, and the masther niver got over it quite. I fully thought he had, but last night ividently one of the ould attacks came on, an' so he shot himself dead. There, sorr, the lady's waking up. Will I say anything more of this?'

'No, no, let her try and forget it. I will explain all that is necessary,' said Murtsgh hastily, as he bent over her.

'I—beard, Murtie,' she murmured feebly, and that was all that ever passed between them on the subjection.

'How are you feeling now, dear ?' he

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asked anxiously.

And then the person who had been bathing her head, and was really Jimmie, sprang up and threw her arms about her

ck.
'Oh, Eily! we thought you were dead!
'Order, order!' said Murtagh sternly 'don't excite my patient, if you please.'
'How did you get here?' asked Eileen.

'How did you get here?' saked Eileen.
'Wby, your people sent down to ask
where you were.' explained Murtagh, 'and
as Jimmie was sleeping at our house, she
was greatiy disturbed. In the middle of all this confusion, a man from Dunwhorley a little explanation, Jimmie and I came off together in the car, and here we found you. But we mustn't talk to you any more just yet-you aren't fit for it. Try and go to sleep, and presently we'll take you

CHAPTER VIII.

"Wake up, Eily! You're going to be married today, you know.
It was Jimmie who spoke—Jimmie in a state of neglige, her bair tumbling over her shoulders, her eyes dancing with merriment, and a large wet sponge in her hand.

hand.

Eileen, with the weight of three years added to her since that memorable night at Dunwhorley, and a stream of cold water trickling down her neck, woke with a shudder, vowing vengeance on the culprit who had been so cruel as to disturb her.

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'It can't be more than six o'clok,' she objected. 'I know it isn't.' 'It's much nearer ten,' said Jimmie severely 'and your wedding is at half-past twelve.'

'Ob, I'd forgotten that!' exclaimed "Ob, I'd forgotten that!" exclaimed Eileen, in a surprised tone of voice. "I wonder if I want to be married after all?" 'Well, it's just a little late to think of that,' replied her cousin. 'I fancy you'd better go through with it now you know.' I suppose I had,' replied Eileen resign edly. 'Oh. dear! how nervous I shall be in church! Jim, darling, won't you be married instead of me? I'm sure one could be married by proxy, and then I

could be married by proxy, and then I don't mind taking him off your hands

afterwards.'
'Thanks,' responded Jimmie. 'When I've had the trouble of being married, I think I'll keep the husband. Come, make haste, Eily. I wonder if your other bridesmaid are as excited as I am P' 'You know,' observed Eileen gravely, 'it's the duty of the head bridesmaid to marry the best-man, so you and Fitz will be obliged to follow the example set you today.'

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Jimmie flushed hotly.

'My dear, the inconsolable Fitz will have nothing to do with me, don't you think it. No, no. I'm going to be the dear old maiden aunt with curls and a cap. Why Eily, what are you doing?'

From her neck Efleen had taken a gold locket, and was carefully opening it.

Having done so, she proceeded to extract a tiny miniature which lay inside, together with a lock of coal-black hair.

Jimmie gazed in silence at the exquisite painting, which represented a handsome, dark-eyed man, whose face was well-known to her—Terence O'Hea!

'I've had one of Murtagh done—instead,' faltered Eileen. 'I suppose I ought to destroy this, but somehow I can't. I'll put it in my old silver locket, and shut it away in my jewel case.'

'I thought' hegan Jimmie, 'that you...'

jewel case.'
'I thought,' began Jimmie, 'that you—'
'Had forgetten?' No, I shall never do
that; but it's no good talking about it.
Help me to dress, Jim, there's a dear, or I
shall never be ready in time, and I don't
want to go to church with my hair coming

With Jimmie's help she was at last ready and they proceeded to the dining-room, where an excited and expectant family

where an excited and expectant family were assembled.

'What!' cried her mether, aghast, You're not going to breakfast in your wedding-dress, dear? You'll upset something over it!

Oh, how can you be so all the something over it!

silly!'
'My dear mether,' replied Eileen calmly,

'are you aware of the fact that it is eleven

o'clock and the carriage is coming at a quarter past twelve? I really couldn't trouble to change again.'
What a howling swell you are, Ei!
cried Charlie, as he stroked his white

waistoost with pride.

'We've seen the cake,' remarked young George, with deep satisfaction, 'and it' simply spiffing'
Meanwhile, Murtagh at his house

Meanwhile, Murtagh at his house about a mile away, was fussing and fuming up and down, waited upon by two adoring sisters, who felt it was the last time they would be called upon to do the like for their much loved brother.

'Dora, where's my tie? Do you know? Oh? hang it? I shall be late, Hilds, just get me my boots. I can't go to church in my carpet slippers, girl! That you, Fitz Just wait a moment. Pm coming directly.'

Fitz gerald was waiting patiently in the study when Murtagh entered, his head very erect, by reason of a collar stiff and unyielding as a board, his fingers stuck straight out, and encased in gloves a size too small, and more than likely to give way; in fact the one on the right hand did so as a result of Fitz-Gral'ds hearty grip.

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'Outwardly,' responded Fitzgerald, surveying him. 'I can't of course answer for the health of your body or mind. Bear up, old man. and I'll pull you through.'
'Oh. Fitz, don't ever be married!' groaned the poor bridegroom. 'I am so nervous. Do you think she is, too?'
'Probably more so; but come, here's the carriage. Hurry up, man.'
Once he was in the carriage, Murtagh brightened up.

take long, and then she'll be all my own for ever! Oh, Fitz! and I've waite! six

years for this!'

'Shure, isn't she worth the waiting ?' inquired his triend.

'Oh, indeed she is! and worth a hundred years' more waiting, too,' Murtagh added; 'though 'tis a poor chance I'd have at the end of that time. I'm getting very

old, you know.'
'You are, man; twenty-nine, isn't it? 'You are, man; twenty-nine, isn't it?
Ab, well, you haven't caught up to me yet.
and won't for a year or two, either. Here
we are and in good time, too. Jump out.'
The church was beautifully decorated
with spring flowers, and crowded with
people, for both Eileen and 'the docthur'
were general favourites.
And when Murtagh beheld his lovely
bride coming up the church in her white
satin and orange blossoms, a thrill of
ecstatic bliss pervaded him.
Here was indeed the realization of all
his booes and longings.

his hopes and longings.
It was over at last, and Eileen, half hysterical with excitement, was being hugged and kissed, and congratulated, in the ves-

try.

Jimnie was watching FitzGerald's face anxiously, but, somewhat of the mental auguish she felt sure must be consuming him, and she thought, admiringly, what a splendid actor he was; how successfully he concealed his real feelings, and the spirits of the nervous bridekept up the spirits of the nervous bride

"My king!" she murmured softly.

And then came the wedding breakfast, or rather, luuch, and everybody drank the young couple's health in the best champagne, and made brilliant and witty speeches, including George, who, being the youngest present, was called upon to toast the bride.

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Then, amid a shower of confetti, Eileen, in her pretty grey travelling dress, stepped into the carriage, followed by her husband, and they drove away to the station, en route for Kullarney.

FitzGerald was gay and smiling to the last, and he threw more confetti than anyone else, besides tying an old satin slipper on behind the carriage.

Jimmie grey more and more mystified.

CHAPTER IX.

The day following the wedding was a omewhat 'flat' one for those who had as-Mr. Desmond was irritable, his wife depressed, and the boys quarrelled and were sulky.

At the Donevans' things were just as

eams; and Jimmie tried in vain to feel

cold and indifferent.
'I suppose I ought to be kind and sympathetic,' she thought. 'Certainly he doesn't look blighted; but that's his wonderful self-control. My here! what wonderful self-control. My here! what other man would have given up the girl he loved, so that his friend might have a bet-ter chance of winning her! I'm sure most men are not so unselfish.' Certainly there was nothing martyr! ke in FitzGerald's radiant smile.

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He appeared genuinely pleased to see Jimmie, and held her hand for a moment in his with an almost lover like pressure.

'Quite recovered, Miss Bridesmaid?'

'Quite. thank you; and you?'

'Yes; but you look tired.'

'Oh, well, one's always a trifle dull and depressed after an aftair of the kind; only I'm not quite so cross as mother and Driscoll. They sat and growled at me till I was really obliged to come out.'

really obliged to come out.'
'I'm so glad—I mean, that you can

'Thanks. Won't you sit down?' FitzGerald obeyed, and for some time they were almost silent, the man idly poking at the ground with his cane, the girl speculating on his remarkably jovial appearance.

'How full the church was!' he exclaimed

'Yes, wasn't it? And the decoration

were so pretty, and so were—'
'The bridesmaids,' he interrupted; 'at least one of them.'
'You mean Miss Keagh ?' she asked art lessly. 'Yes, isn't she sweet ?'
'No,' said FitzGerald. 'I mean Miss

Donovan.'
Jimmie blushed vividly, and endeavored most ineffectually, to look dignified and crushing.
How was one to sympathize with and

'Do you know, you look quite radiant,' she said, at last. 'One would never think

'Think what?'
Oh! why would not be help her out?
'Well, that—that you cared for Eileen.'
'I don't,' he said, smiling. 'At least, only
as I care for Magrath; they're both my

'But—but you did!'
'Once, responded her companion cooly.
'There's someone else now.'
So all her sympathy and affectionate concern has been thrown away on this perfidious wretch!

fidious wretch!
She had mourned for him. while all the time he had been perfectly happy.
How very annoying!
She collapsed promptly, and was silent for some time.

'You appear to be sorry,' he remarked presently, smiling down into her glum little face.

little face.
'I was sorry—for you,' she returned.
'Poor little girl!' he whispered, 'were
your sympathies wasted?' and then putting
hie arm round her shoulders, he kissed

She started away from him.
'Mr. FitzGerald!' she exclaimed, in what
the imagined to be a cold and haughty

voice.

'What do you mean?'
For answer he kissed her again.

'I'm being sorry for you, now,' he said,
'and this is my way of showing it.'

'I't not at all a nice way,' she protested.

'Yes, it is,' he replied calmly, 'its very nice. Thank you, I think I'll have another.
You needn't try to get away, I'm very strong, and I shall hold you just as long as ever I like. You know quite well you don't mind.'
'I do!' she cried indignantly. but her 'I do!' she cried indignantly, but her

BAIDING TACTICS OF BANDITS.

How Men Like the Youngers Could Ride Into a Town and Rob a Bank.

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Driscoll, who latterly had fancied himself in low with his counn, was as cross as hear, and finally became so exceedingly disagreeable that poor Jimmie, who was miserable enough herself, could stand him he longer, and set off for a walk.

Her steps led her instinctively up the Castle Hill, and then, as the park looked very inviting in its new spring dress of green she opened the gate and went in.

Pausing to crat, the sat down on the trunk of an old tree and meditatively watched fire hopping over the withered leaves of last year that stread the ground.

Her refections were not wholly of an agreeable nature; poor Jimmie's life was not allogether an easy one, and now who had lost Eileen it would be more dreavy and the proposed proposed in the conditiones.

Driscoll was lazier and more good-fornothing than ever, and Mrs. Donovase', a young wife has many things to think about, and her cousin could no longer hope for the first place in her conditiones.

Driscoll was lazier and more good-fornothing than ever, and Mrs. Donovase', temper had not improved with declining year; moreover, besides all this, Jimmie's love tor FitsGerald had grown even stronger than before, and that it was a hopeless love she was a quite convinced.

As she ast there she underly say a man approaching her over the wooden bridge that spanned the rapid litter river.

There was something familiar about him and her heart began to beat quicker as she watched him.

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sort of bandit's outing party. They rode into Minnesota leisurely. The party was omposed of Cole, Jim and Bob Younger, Frank and Jesse James, Charley Pitts, Bill Chadwell and Clell Miller. They

were well mounted. 'The Youngers were the brains of the party. They were always men of good trained athlete, He always impressed women favorably. Jim was the politican of the trio. He could talk to men and get their confidence. Cole was more reserved his first application. His early training

was in a religious direction. 'These three visited some of the resorts in Minnesota before the Northfield affair came off. They learned a good deal in their visits about towns, about the people, for you must remember that they were away off their compass when they were in gained by such a statement. He knew Minnesota. That's why they touched Jesse James was dead. elbows with the people at the resorts. When the season was over they knew the , was on guard. As the bandits rode away best place to strike. They knew how to get into Northfield and how to get out of

was a quiet town. They didn't dash into it, as some people think. That isn't the way raids on banks were made in those days. Bob Younger, Jesse James and Charley Pitts rode into the town first, very leisurely. They had no intention of creating any suspicion by doing anything else. It was a commom occurrence for men to ride into town as they did. They tied their horses to a track near the bank. They stood on the corner, ss countrymen do in a small town, and talked politics, as

'At the same time, they were taking note of the people. They tarried on the corner at the hour of noon, and after, for that was the time when people in a town like Northfield were as dinner. They eat dinner in such a town at noon. They were fewer people astir then than at any other

'I do!' she cried indignantly, but her face belied her words.

'Jimmie,' he whispered, laying his cheek against hers, 'don't you toink we two lorn, left people ought to console one another?

You know the chiet bridesmaid ought to marry the best man, and we might just as well tollow the excellent example set us by our friends yesterday. Will you take care of me, and be sorry for me all my life, and will you let me do the same to you? What do you say, little girl? Is it Yes?'

And it was. 'While they were talking the other mem-

> 'As soon as Bob Younger and his two friends saw that the people on the street

not plan any particular robbery. It was a cursed and raved. Two clerks in the bank escaped and were shot at. Bob Younger knew this was a mistake, and left the bank. Jesse James followed, but turned, fired and killed Haywood. It was

bad business. It only infuriated the town. 'There was no necessity for James's shooting after he knew the safe door was closed. Besides, the uproar at the bank resence. Bob was as handsome as a well- gave the town time to think and the citizens went after the bandits, who rode out of time on a gallop. Bill Chadwell and Clen Miller were killed on the way out. In this case the warning to the people to get but he coold have joined any chorch on off the street was given too soon. It Haywood had not had the warning he probably

would have given in. 'I read a statement credited to Jim Younger, some time ago in which he said Jesse James was not at the Northfield Bank raid. I don't believe Jim Younger ever said that. There was nothing to be

'Frank James was not in the raid, but he he joined them. He was taken sick, and that is how Jesse James escaped. His love for Frank was always like that of a woman has for her child. He escaped and took Frank with him on the pommel of his saddle. In this way they rode by night,

and secreted themselves by day.
'Sometimes Jesse left Frank in a ticket, entered a town on his route and brought medicine, returned to the sick brother, ministered to him, and at night they resumed their ride. This was continued until they reached Missouri, and a Kansas City doctor took charge of Frank and nursed him back to health right there in the town. I knew the doctor well, and I had the story from his lips. His account of that ride was one of the most exciting recitals I evev heard.'

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First Chinaman-Let's see. The Christians have a text about turning the other

Second Chinaman.-I don't doubt it.

if a man should gallop down Broadway at its busiest hour and fire a pistol and yell, it would startle the crowd.

'Lucy Climax Jackson, you come right in de house! Ain't you 'shamed acting' up firtations, an' you only baptised yister-

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How Joe Lost His Arm.

On the Tombigre river so bright I was born, In a but made of busks of the bright yellow corn, And 'twas there that I met my Julia so true, And I rowed her about in my gumtree caroe, Singing, Roe away, row o'er the waters so blue; Like a feather we'll float in my gumtree canoe.

The clerk of the Pretty Jane had a mellow voice, and blended sweetly with it was little Jennie's childien treble.

He sat upon the deck of the little steamboat, gazing around on the bright waters of the Tombigbee as the sun danced on them, gazing intently and smiling absently to bimself.

He was a man about 30. and his right coat sleeve was empty and pinned upon

coat sleeve was empty and pinned upon his beart.

Little Jennic leaned upon his knee, staring him intently in the tace in a way that children have. She pushed her broad brimmed hat back from her eyes so that she might stare the better. The hat was a queerly shaped palmetto structure, for this was in 1863, and clothes were at a premium. She was the child of one of the passengers, and between her and the clerk quite a triendship had sprung up.

'And did you sure enough meet your Julia here on the Tombigbee?' asked the child. stroking the empty sleeve with a

child, stroking the empty sleeve with a

pitying touch.
'Yes,' said the clerk, roused from his reverie and smiling down on the eager little face; 'I have often taken her rowing on the Tombigbee before the war, when I had my other arm.'

'How nice!' said Jennie. 'How nice! And in a gumtree canoe?'
'Well, I wasn't particular as to the kind of canoe, so it was a canoe,' said he, smi!-

'And your Julia aint named Julia, but

Mary Jane, after all, said the child.

'Yes,' said he, 'but she's just as sweet as if her name was Julia, though 'twouldnt fit in the song so well.'
'No, you couldn't say, 'I rowed my
Mary Jane so true.' Twould make the

many Jane so true. I would make the song two long legged.

'True,' said he, laughing, 'but that makes no d.fference. I think of her while I sing it, so that it seems as if it was her 'Well, Mr. Perkins,' said Jennie, 'tell

'Well, Mr. Perkins,' said Jennie, 'tell me why haven't you married your Julia, if you've been rowing her around in your gumtree cance these ever so many years?

'You see,' said the mate smiling, 'my' Julia couldn't make up her mind that she loved me till the war broke out and I volunteered; then she said directly she'd marry me, but it was too late then; I had to go off to fight.

'You had both of your arms then!' in-terrupted Jennie; you was born with 'em? 'Of course, child. Did you ever hear of

any one born with one arm? Nature don't ever make no such cobbled, lop-sided work as that.' Well if you had both of your arms then,

I don't see why she would not have you.'
Bless you child, everybody had plenty
of arms then; that was no inducement to take a fellow then. But as I was saying, when she found that I was going to the war and might get killed, then she found

'She'd rather marry you than that you should get killed,' said Jennie. 'Yes, I think she ought, after you rowed her around in the canne.'

around in the canoe.'

You are right,' said Perkins, laughing; but it was too late then. We agreed that if ever I got back safely when the war was

over, we'd marry.'
'Tell me now, how you came to lose

The enemy was bound to get the bill on which we stood, and we were holding on officers tollowed him, and they ran up and

down the lines cheering up the men

'Steady, my boys,' said the old colonel: keep pouring it into them. Steady! Re-enforcements will soon be here! Never et it be said that the line broke where the

Alabamians stood!'
'The whole air seemed black with shot and shell. A piece of one grazed the col-onel's cheek and the blood kept trickling down his face but he didn't seem to feel it. The firing grew so hot that the men seem The firing grew so hot that the men recan ed fairly moved down, and the line began to waver and break. Suddenly, clear on our right, there arose a tremendous yell. It grew leuder and louder and ran down the line towards us. Then, at last, we the line towards us. Inch. at last, we saw a courier galloping down the line. I shall never forget how he looked. His black borse was all white with foam, and its flanks were bloody from his spur. He rode bareheaded down the line as if he bore a charmed life, and he kept waving his cap around his head and shouting something to the men, and as they his cap around his head and shouling something to the men, and as they heard him the wavering line rallied and sent up deafening cheers. Then he galloped by where we

cheers. Then be galloped by where we were and yelled:

'Rally, men! Rally! Stonewall Jackson is in their rear and giving them sut!'

'Then we cheered, too, until we were hoarse. The courier galloped on, and presently our efficer shouted:

'Forward, men! Charge!'

'And away we went, Zown the hill and across a field, right toward the Yankee lines, yelling like Indians.

'I held the colors in [my hand and I ran a little ahead. I didn't seem to have any feet; I seemed to fly, and the men followed me. Right toward the blazing line we ran.

me. Right toward the blazing line we ran"All at once I saw the colonel, who was riding by me, grasp the colors, for they were falling. I looked and saw that my har, my whell arm, was gone, and I had not telt it I rook a helf g in my left hard.

said. 'I don't feel any pain.'

I ran on some 50 steps, when the blood began spouting from my shoulder. I dropped. Joe Asbe, one of the color guards snatched the flag and they all rush-

guards snatched the mag and they are red on.

'I fell senseless. I never knew another thing till weeks after, when I woke up one day in Chimborazo hospital and found some funny looking ladies in black bonnets that the boys called the 'sisters' bending over me, It it hadn't been for their good nursing, I should have died.'

Perkins ceased. He had been so carried away by the interest he felt in his own narrative that he had gone quite beyond his auditor.

'But tell me, Joe,' Jennie esgerly ask ed—she had been impatiently waiting for an opportunity for some minutes—'tell me, did you ever find your arm that you drop-

ped?'
No; to be sure not. I never went to look for it.'
'You couldn't fasten it on again, then?'
'Of course not, child. I am not a joint-

of course not, child. I am not a jointed doll.'
What a pity you couldn't!' said the
child. 'What a pity! And how do you
manage to dress yourself and tie your
cravat and shoes?' she asked, for she had been burning to make these inquiries ever since she had seen the one armed confed-

"Twas awkward at first, but I learned at lest to do it with the help of my teeth'
'But how when you got old and lose 'em'
said Jennie, who was of an investigating

'Providence will raise me up some other

way,' he said, with a pathetic smile. 'l'll have my wite to wait on me.'

'To be sure, I lorgot; Miss Msry Jane will. What did she say?'

'I got one of the sisters to write her for

me, and I set her free. I said I wouldn't bind her to a poor cripple like me.'
'And she said no, sir ree! I s'pose,' cried Jennie tull of fiery zeal for her new

'Something to that effect,' said Joe

'She wrote me that she loved me more with one arm than she ever had done with two; that whenever I could get home she was ready.' Here's Joe's eyes filled, and

was ready.' Here's Joe's eyes filled, and he gazed steadily in the water.

'Well. now. Joe,' said Jennie, who was suddenly struck with a bright idea, 'maybe if you would lose both arms she'd love you betterer and betterer.'

'I believe I'm satisfied with what she feels now,' said Joe, laughing.

'But why bain't you married?' con tinued Jannie, pursuing her investigations.

'But why hain't you married?' continued Jennie, pursuing her investigations.

'Because I first had to get well, and then I had to get semething to do. I had been a mechanic, and I couldn't work at my trade with my left hand. So Captain Ramsey gave me a place on his boat, and I've been trying to learn how to write, so that I can keep his books. I think I'm doing pretty well. See?'

He drew from his pocket a little blank book in which were scrawled divers hiero glyphics, at which he gazed complacently. 'Why, yes,' said Jennie approvingly. 'There, sa 't' with his broken back, and that's an 'i.' I know him by his eyebrow. You see, I can read a little,' she said proudly. 'So I see,' said he, laughing and putting up his book. 'Now, I must go. The sun has set. It is time for me to see after things for the night.'

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He stroked Jennie's curly head with his left hand and walked away, softly singing in his mellow voice, 'My Own Mary Ann.'

PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION.

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your arm, said Jennie.

'Twas in one of the great battles around Richmond that year. I had been in many fights before, but his was about the hottest.

The great was about the hottest. It is a stockade of the Six Nations of Indiana. ment building, and a few rods to the east is a stockade of the Six Nations of Indians whose ancestors dominated the contains of New York 400 years ago. This stockade contains all the various forms of build to waver and give way. Then our colonel came out to the front, and the rest of our lings to be seen in an Indian villiage prior Building is to be seen in all its grandeur Scon. May 11, to the wife of Fred Germaine, a scon. to the settlement of New York. One of grounds is the circumnavigation of the building upon a broad canal by means of launches which stop at convenient points This canal, over a mile long, surrounds the main group of Exposition buildings. There are also wheeled chairs in abundance having noiseless rubber tires and easy springs, so that one may be as lazy and comfortable as he desires. A miniature railway also skirts the exposition fence and will be found convenient by many.

Press Headquarters. For the accomodation of the press at the Pan American Exposition the director general has arranged to set apart a buildng now being constructed on the South Midway, near Venice in America and between the Pergola of the Horticulture building and the restaurant, for the use of newspaper men. The building is a two story structure, and will be completed by May 20.

ILLUMINATIONS AT THE FAIR. Wonderful Displays Now Witnessed Every

Night after night as the Pan-American Exposition grounds are illuminated, the admiration of the wondrous beauty of the effects obtained becomes more intense. 1t is recognized that a remarkable feat has been accomplished, and the public is free to admit that such glorious lighting effects have never been witnessed in any part of hearse drivers grew old and died in the

the world. When one looks upon this venerable and final disaster.

perfection of the incandescent lamp, with which the Exposition grounds are lighted,

a possibility.

Edison had tried everything as a material for filament making. Just when he was seeking for new materials with which to continue his experiments, he ran across the old fan and taking a strip from one of the ribs, he carbonized it. The result was the long burning light that gives such

peanty to the Pan-American Exposition.

This discovery of the material was followed by a search throughout the world for exactly the same kind of bamboo. Into the fever-stricken swamps of the Amazen men pushed their way and have never since been heard from. Through the wild jungles of Sumatra, the rare material, which was to give the world this perfect light, was sought. Deep into the interior of Japan one man worked his way, and there the peculiar fibre was found.

Such facts as these are of great interest magnificent lighting effects as are now nightly witnessed at the Pan-American Ex position. Before incandescent lighting was discovered, it was impossible to make the evening opening of great expositions a success, and the thought arises, would there have been a great spectacular, electrical Pan-American Exposition if that old fan had not then left in Edison's workshop ?

One of the most effecting pieces of illumation to be seen upon the grounds of the Exposition-always excepting the Electric Tower-is the Tomple of Music. This building is situated in the southwest of the Court of Fountains, having this great court with its surrounding buildings on the one side, and the west wing of the Esplandade with the Graphic Arts, Horticulture, and Mines Building on the other.

All these structures are brillantly illumnated at night, and the Temple of Music. with its octagonal form and its dome and with other elaborate architectural features, constitutes a most effective part of the illuminations at this point, for all its picturesque and graceful outlines are traced in rows upon rows of these incan-

descent lamps.

So powerful is the illumination thes roduced, that the brilliant coloring of he various archectural features of the building can be seen as plainly as under the light of the sun, and the effect is more entrancing than it could be by day, inasmuch as a fairy land aspect is imparted by the lighting at night.

One of the prettiest pieces of decoration in connection with the interior of the Exposition structures is that in the grand dome of the Electricity Building. The colors of the decorations in this magnificent and beautiful structure are cream, light green and heliotrope. Tarlton drapery is the material used, and high up in the dome, right over the Westinghouse exhibit, a canopy top is formed, the beautiful drapery stretching out in graceful torm to all sides rom a common center.

Midway between the floor and the top of the dome, four great signs of the Westinghouse Company are placed, one on each side of the square occupied by their exhibit In these signs there are a total of nearly 1,000 incandescent lamps, the effect being attractive and beautiful in the extreme.

It is worthy of note that the decoration arranged for the dome of the Electricity by night as well as by day, as it is lighted the pleasure trips within the Exposition by Nernst lamps. This lamp is the latest electric-lighting invention, and it offers great promise of revolutionizing the art. By its use a remarkable saving is made in loss of the electric energy, and in the dome there are about 100 of these wonderfu lamps, representing approximately, about 45,000 candle power.

ORRIN E. DUNLAP.

MAINE'S HOODOO HEARSE. An Ancient Vehicle That Made Trouble and

It is hoped now that the evil reputation that has marked the late career of the old Holden hearse has come to an end. The hearse was made in England more than a century ago and was brought over to Mas sachusetts as something unusual in the line of funeral splendor.

Having done its solemn duty in Ipswich, Mass-, for nearly a quarter of a century it was set down to New Wrentham, Me., and for 75 years was in constant demand for funerals in all parts of Hancock and Penobscot counties, often being sent more than fifty miles from home. The body of the carriage wore out four sets of wheels, and the revenues which it earned for its owners mounted up to almost \$1,000 a

It had become the custom for the heaviest stockholder in the vehicle to drive the horse and attend all the funerals. Six service. The seventh brought ill luck and

laboratory of Thomas A. Edison made the Brooksville for interment. The surviving kindred of the deceased were poor, and

the driver got a fee much too low for profit. To recouy bimself he bought 600 pounds of salt codfish to take home in the hearse and sell. This act plunged Holden into a neighborhood row, which is still in progress. His critics said that the vehicle was for the exclusive use of the dead, and that if it was made to carry anything else such conduct was in the nature of sacrilege.

It was the bitterest fight ever seen in eastern Maine. Families became estranged over it, and aged men sent tor lawyers in haste and drew up documents, declaring that their remains must not be carried to the grave in such a vehicle It seemed for a time that the owners of the hearse were sure to win, because they showed old contracts with two cemetry associations in which the owners of lots agreed to employ this particular hearse at all burials in their yards. No sooner were these papers produced than the anti-hearse crowd began to tence off burial lots on their own land.

For the next six months it is declared that no enemy of the old hearse died, fearing the indignity of riding in a hearse which had once held coofish. Finally the courts upset the contracts.

From this time the patronage of the old hearse fell off, and it was dismantled and locked in the hearse house to await its own time of burial. If the en mies of the hearse had been content to let things rest where they were, the war would have ended there, but the grudge was so deep that the boys in the neighborhood amused themselves by stealing the rickety carriage and hauling it about the roads at night, leaving it in the yard of one of its sup-

It was soon noticed that wherever the hearse was left a member of the household died in a short time. As the hearse was generally run into the yard of some one who owned shares in the vehicle, and as most of these owners were aged and would soon die in the course of nature, the deaths were not regarded as remarkable at first. But when the hearse continued to rosm abroad at night, and death continued to to visit the homes where it was left, a

fear took hold of the people. Several meetings were held by those who saw an omen of death in every move ment of the hearse, and the time was drawment of the hearse, and the time was drawing near when the hearse was likely to be burned by an indignant and frighten people, when the constable caught five boys wheeling the hearse through the woods leading to Dedham. They were taken before a magistrate, who threatened to send them away to the reform school unless the hearse ceased to go abroad at night. The hearing took place in March. The hearse has not been out since, and all the people of Holden are enjoying excellent health. So it is hoped that the trouble over the hearse is ended.

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Halifax, May 14, to the wife of Thos J Anderson, Halifax, April 14, to the wife of S R Frame, Sydney, May 8, to the wife of Rev W R Calder,

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Springhill, May 10, to the wife of Clarence Schurman, a son. Clarence. N S May 13, to the wife of Frank Ward a daughter. New Minas, Kings, May 8, to the wife of Thomas
King, a son.

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Trure, May 9, Fulten Connolly, to Jessie Ham-Picton, April 24, Duncan McCannel to Beatrice Westport, May 4, Joseph Morehouse to Miss Alice Sydney, May 10, Verner J Howard to Katie Mo-

New Canaan, April 21, Albert Douthright to Nettie
M Ryder. Woodstock, May 16, Herbert Ellis Clarke to Mary Beardaley.

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Brooklyn, N Y, May 8, Laura A Dudman, to Capt Waiter Davis. Upper Wood's Harber, May 2. Geo Atwood to Lilla M Majone. Tidnish Road, April 27, James A Bradley to Mabel A Goodwin. Petitoodiac, April 21, Joseph C Bannister to Rachael C Steeves. New Glasgow, May 1, Roderick McDonald to Maggie A Cameron.

DIED.

Halifax, May 12, Ethel Gage.

Halifax, May 18, Jane Liddell, 85, Lunenburg, May 8, John Alfred Smith' 50, Elliottvale, May 30' Mire Ann Baldwin, 50, Windsor, May 11, Vivian Ross Marshall, 5, New Haven, May 9 Neil H McFadyen, 57, Campbellion, May 14, Absolvm Glover, 67, West Jeddore, April 26, Verna Harpell, 18, Georgetown May 10, Charles Westaway, 21, Cambarland Co. May 13, Simon Cardon, 51, Cumberland Co., May 13. Simon Gordon, 61. Central Chelogne, May 14. Ellinor Brindley. Pope's Harbor, April 30, Leonard Conrod, 94. Cumerrand, may 1s, mrs James Johness, 90, Buc-enche, April 29, Mrs Fusan Archibald, 88, Halifax, May 18, William Francis Flannigan, 1. California, April 10 Elizabeth Vinton Forter, 74, Nicomen Islard, B C. April 19, George Elmsly, 72. Summerville, Kinge, May 10, Rev Geo Wethers, 68, Chipman's Corner, May 4, Mrs Grace R Chipman, 64.

South Farmington, Hants, May 6, Rev Wm Brown 76. Hortonville, Kings, May 6, Adelaide E. Newcombe

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