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OUR Millinery Opening

On Wednesday March 26th and Following Days.

Not one thing will be missing when the Millinery Show Rooms are opened for your inspection on Wednesday of next week, March 26th. The newest creations of Millinery Art, from Paris, London and New York, in endless array, will greet you. We are not satisfied with past achievements.

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It certainly is effective in any form and has the advantage of practicality and will be very becoming to the majority of women.

The Marquise

Our impression is that this style will not be as popular as the tricorne, still it will be liked by many who want something entirely out of the ordinary, and like the tricorne it will be shown in a variety of forms and materials.

Turbans Very Popular

From New York comes the report that small styles are meeting with great success. These turbans with Louis XV. back sit squarely on the head and as a rule worn low down over the face, are very becoming, and will doubtless be a favorite with many.

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Evening Appointments Made

BOTHA'S FORCE MUCH REDUCED

Can now Only Collect Seven Hundred Men on the Natal Border.

Retiring Eastward Before British-Methuen Disaster Demands an Enquiry.

London, March 17. - The Pretoria correspondent of the Times says the mishap to Lord Methuen is regrettable, but that it does not justify an alarm view of the military situation. The matter demands a searching inquiry, for any act deemed derogatory to the prestige of the army must and will be visited with punishment.

He goes on to say that the only way of avoiding these unfortunate incidents is to increase the strength of every column to 2,000 men, but that under the circumstances this is impossible. The great difficulty consists in having to deal with an enemy scattered over so large an area, with insufficient troops to cope simultaneously with each roving band.

The progress made during the last six months is illustrated by the fact that Botha, who in September was able to mass nearly 2,000 men on the Natal border, can now only collect 700. Though favored by the nature of the country, and in spite of the repeated assurances of his followers that they would make a determined stand, he shows no inclination to fight, retiring eastward from Vryheid before Gen. Bruce Hamilton. Schalk Burger remains north of the Delagoa line.

HEALTH BOARD

Important Meeting of the City Members-Report of Dr. Hall.

The Board of Health met yesterday afternoon. There were present, Chairman W. S. Richards, Chas. Hadley, Dr. Bray and the Mayor.

The Medical Health Officer reported as follows:-

Chatham, March 17, 1902. To the Chairman and members of the Chatham Local Board of Health:- Gentlemen, Small-pox broke out in the city December 17th. The disease runs in the house - other members some attending school, others working in two different factories; Dec. 19th a second infected family was found, in this case, too, part of the family was attending school; Dec. 25th isolation tents were raised and a physician, trained nurse, cook and porter employed.

The last case was dismissed cured Tuesday, March 16th, 1902, making eighty-four days of the disease in the city.

Total number of cases forty-five, representing seventy-four families, or twenty-four points of infection and one hundred and four people or infected persons in the families. Thirty-one houses were quarantined in all, twenty-four houses in which the disease was discovered, four quarantined for chicken-pox and three for exposure to the disease.

Three families resisted vaccination, and removal to the isolation tents as follows: Labute family, six inmates, five cases; Dauphin family, seven inmates, six cases; Hock family, seven inmates, seven cases, total of 18 cases in three families.

Of the remaining twenty-one families there were no other cases occurred after the disease was discovered, and precautions such as vaccination, disinfection and isolation taken.

The Butler family, where two were discovered; Mr. Moore's family two the Martin family five. In this last family the disease existed for over a week before discovered; they were mingling with the public very freely and a number of people were, I think, infected, but prompt vaccination of the infected I believe stopped the development of the disease.

In each of the other families only one case occurred. One hundred and sixty-four people were quarantined in all; fourteen of this number were quarantined because they were exposed to the disease.

The total expense incurred in connection with the epidemic will probably be about \$3,842.30. For part of this we have assets worth probably \$1,000, which consists of tents, iron beds, bedding, tables, chairs, stoves, dishes and other furniture.

I would recommend that a place be secured to store the tents, stoves, furniture, etc.

Total amount paid for medical attendance, consultations, etc., \$602.

Amount paid for enforced vaccinations by public vaccination, \$55.65.

Our experience in this epidemic proves the efficacy of vaccination in a very marked degree. In not a single instance did the disease occur where vaccination had ever been successfully done, but four instances occurred where a vaccinated person escaped where all the others in the family took the disease.

Scarlet fever was reported as follows: King street, 5, Elizabeth street, 1, Queen street, 1, total 7. Four have

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NO TARIFF CHANGES

Ottawa, Ont. March 17. - The Finance minister in the budget speech to-day announced there would be no tariff changes this year, as negotiations are going on with France and Germany, and the census statistics of Canada's industries are not completed. Machinery and materials for machinery for the beet sugar industry are to be admitted free for another year.

R. L. Borden, leader of the opposition, offered one amendment to the finance minister's motion to go into committee of ways and means, to the effect that Canada requires a declared policy of protection and declaring for a policy of reciprocal trade preference within the empire.

PREMIER ROSS AT HIS POST

Close of the Last Session of the Ninth Legislature - Prorogued.

Chief Justice Armour Officially as Lieutenant - Governor - Cabinet's Farewell Speech.

Toronto, March 17. - The Legislature, the ninth in the history of the province, was closed in the usual form this afternoon by Chief Justice Armour, Sir Oliver Mowat's physicians deeming it inadvisable that he should attend. His Lordship was received by a guard of 100 men of the Royal Grenadiers. The attendance of members was very slim, but there were many ladies in the galleries. The Premier was in his place for the first time since the death of Mrs. Ross. The House has done a good deal of work during the past nine weeks, no less than 131 bills being presented for royal assent.

In the speech from the throne, the Chief Justice said, among other things "I assent with pleasure to the bill respecting the sale of intoxicating liquors, and I am pleased to notice that a measure in regard to which there is necessarily so much difference of opinion, and which is so far-reaching in its influence upon the social customs of the people as well as upon property and civil rights, has been referred to the electors of the province for their approval. Experience has shown that legislation with regard to the liquor traffic in order to be effective, must be fully assented to by public opinion. I should think it favorable in the present case it will be my duty to render such assistance as the Crown possesses to enforce the legislation which you have enacted with your approval. This may be regarded as the last word of the government on the prohibition bill.

The speech expresses the hope that the Transportation Bill will be open for traffic at an early day and that the facilities for transportation which it is intended to afford will be available on an equitable basis to all the railway systems of the Dominion. Approval is expressed of the measure for increasing the representation in that portion of the province not yet organized for municipal purposes. Reference is made to the bill respecting the revision and consolidation of the imperial statutes from time to time incorporated in the statute law of the province, and proceeds:- "It is gratifying to notice that the Legislature is fully alive to the increased transportation facilities that are required by the agricultural population of the province, as is shown by the numerous charters granted for the construction of electric railways connecting the rural districts with the market towns."

"I also assent with pleasure to the acts dealing with agriculture, public highways, and more particularly the act respecting the Toll Roads Expropriation Act, which renders more workable the important measure on that subject passed last year. I am confident that the measures providing for the revision of the statute law, the act granting aid to certain railways, the act affecting wills of personal property and marriage, the act reducing the number of expert witnesses in civil cases, and the act for the removal of obstructions in rivers and streams will be found to be in the public interest. Your interest in higher education is shown by the bills dealing with the University of Toronto, University College and High schools."

The speech concludes with commendation of the Legislature for its zeal in endeavoring to promote the prosperity and well-being of the whole people.

THE DAY IN LONDON.

London, March 17. - St. Patrick's Day was celebrated to-day more generally than usual. The Irish flag was flying from many public buildings, special services were held in the Catholic churches, and the shamrock, or something representing it, was seen everywhere. The Irish troops at the Tower of Irish Guards on a day's leave. Following the precedent of Queen Victoria, Queen Alexandra sent the battalion of Irish Guards on duty at the Tower of London a large quantity of shamrocks, which were distributed to the men at parade this morning.

Years do not always make manliness, any more than size makes strength.

MARTIAL LAW IN CAPE COLONY

Plenty of Armed Resistance to Justify it, Declares Salisbury.

Government Determined to Defeat the Designs of King's Enemies in South Africa.

London, March 17. - In the House of Commons to-day Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the Liberal leader, moved the appointment of a select committee to investigate the whole commercial history of the South African war, including the contracts for the purchase of remounts, meat, and forage, and the contracts for freight and transportation.

The War Secretary, Mr. Brodrick, replied that the Government did not fear an investigation. It was true that in operations of the magnitude of these in South Africa there must have been mistakes and shortcomings, and the War Office, as its rights, would demand an investigation at the proper time. But British operations in all parts of the world would be paralyzed if an inquiry were forced now. Had the War Office been in the condition Sir Campbell-Bannerman left it, the war could not have been carried on for two months, owing to the shortage of guns, ammunition and all the supplies requisite for a campaign.

IN THE LORDS.

The Premier, Lord Salisbury, was called on to defend the Government in the House of Lords, "owing to a motion by Earl Spencer, Liberal, demanding detailed information regarding martial law, courts martial and executions in Cape Colony."

Lord Celeridge, Liberal, who followed, declared that martial law was imposed over a vast area of South Africa where not a shot had been fired, and where there is no resistance to Government authority.

Lord Salisbury said martial law was a mere fashion of speech. What everybody admitted was that it was necessary to defeat the designs of the King's enemies in South Africa. This the Government was determined to do, and he added, naively, there was plenty of armed resistance in Cape Colony to fully justify the application martial law.

WORLD OF SPORT.

RIDGETOWN CLUB OFFICERS. The annual meeting of the Ridgetown Bowling Club took place Friday in the offices of W. E. Gundy. A large number of the members were present. The financial report was presented, showing the club to be in a prosperous condition. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted in the following gentlemen being elected:- Hon. President, H. N. Gilead; President, P. M. Bowden; Vice-President, W. B. Graham; Secretary, C. B. Eastlake; Treasurer, H. A. Thomson; Committee of Management, A. Long, W. E. Gundy, and W. McKeown. The club decided to join the Western Bowling Association and also decided to assist in promoting the reorganization of the county league.

THE THAMESVILLE CLUB.

Thamesville, Ont. March 17. - The annual meeting of the Thamesville Lawn Tennis Club was held this evening, and the following officers were elected for the coming season:- Hon. President, Daniel McParlane; President, Dr. Stewart; Vice-President, Mrs. Belle Ferguson; Sec. Treas., Dr. Currie; Captain, C. A. Mayhew. The coming season promises to be interesting in tennis. A league, consisting of Thamesville, Bothwell, Chatham, Dresden, Florence, Ridgetown and Glencoe, will likely be formed.

DAY'S DESPATCHES

COMING TO CANADA.

London, March 17. - Lord Wolseley's departure for Cape Town on Saturday marks the commencement of his London projected visit to the scenes of his old battlefields. He will probably return via Egypt, afterwards proceeding to Canada, making a short stay at Vancouver.

THE 17TH IN DUBLIN.

Dublin, March 17. - The Duke of Connaught, the commander of the forces in Ireland, the Duchess of Connaught, Lord Roberts, the commander-in-chief of the army; Earl Cadogan, the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, and Countess Cadogan, met with a great reception at Dublin Castle. Many thousands of people witnessed the ceremony. Large drafts of police were distributed in various towns of Ireland in anticipation of outbreaks.

GIVES UP AS LOST.

London, March 17. - The Admiralty officially announced to-night that all hope of finding the British sloop of war Condon had been given up, and ordered that her books be closed and that the money due her officers and crew to March 17 be paid.

WOKE UP OZAR

St. Petersburg, March 16. - A students' riot here to-day, in which over 10,000 people participated, kept a small army of police and cavalry busy throughout the day. Probably 100 arrests were made, but the repressive measures were not so strict as on the corresponding Sunday of 1901. While many persons were injured, no fatalities were reported.

The students placarded the city last night announcing that they intended to hold a grievance meeting. The whole police reserve was held ready for mobilization, cavalry patrols supplementing the mounted police.

BOAT SANK IN TERRIFIC SEA

Disaster of Life-Saving Crew of Chatham, Mass. - 12 Were Drowned.

Were Trying to Rescue Captain and Crew of Wrecked Vessel.

Chatham, Mass. March 17. - Seven men of the crew of the Munomoy life saving station, and the captain and five men from the barge Wardens, which was in distress on Handkerchief Shoal, were thrown into the sea to-day, by the capturing of a lifeboat, in a terrific sea. One boatman, Surfman Ellis, escaped. He was unconscious for hours, so that the details of the disaster could not be learned. At first it was thought that only the seven members of the life-saving crew had been lost, and it was not until Ellis began to return to consciousness that it became known that lifeboat had reached the barge and had taken on five persons and was returning to shore when it was capsized. These men were drowned, in addition to the crew, making 12 men in all who perished. The members of the life-saving station who perished are:- Captain Marshall Eldridge, South Chatham; Edgar Small, Harwich; Elijah Kendrick, Harwich; Osborn Chrono, Harwich; Arthur Rogers, North Harwich; Thomas Foye, South Chatham; Valentine Nickerson, Harwich. Captain Eldridge was a widower. All the others are married, and leave families.

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TUESDAY, MARCH 18.

MR. HAMILTON TAKEN.

The sudden passing of W. E. Hamilton yesterday removes from our city one of its most widely known and able residents.

Possessed of a magnificent education, endowed with a brilliant intellect and characterized by a vigorous and strong personality, Mr. Hamilton was destined to become a man among men, to attain distinction, honor, prestige.

Although identified with a sphere beneath that for which his talents and attainments had marked him, the life was not a wasted one. He took a keen interest in all public affairs, and wielded a vigorous pen for the cause he championed. And yet—ah, there are many lessons for us all bound up in the history of that span of years.

And Chatham is indebted to the deceased. He was a loyal citizen and an active one. At times, possibly, theoretical and ethereal, but always elevating, his counsel and advocacy were along lines calculated to public weal and betterment.

And now that he is gone—that he has been taken into the Unseen and left none near and dear to guard and cherish the memories of the future, The Planet trusts the good people of Chatham may mark his resting place by some memorial of the life spent among us.

The tribute would not be to the deceased alone.

BINDER TWINE MEETING.

In connection with the account of the last meeting of the Binder Twine Company, which appeared in Saturday's Planet, Mr. Matthew Wilson, K. C., has pointed out that certain remarks made at that meeting were inadvertently omitted from the report; thereby, he is led to believe, creating an erroneous impression that he was to blame for the illegality in the election of the new directorate.

Mr. Wilson, in addressing the meeting, as pointed out in The Planet's report, said that he had merely drafted the by-law in question, with which he found no fault, and had instructed the old board of directors to submit it to their solicitor that the subsequent formalities might be complied with. In this statement Mr. Wilson was corroborated by President M. J. Wilson and Director Alister McKay, whose remarks in that connection were not included in the report.

If this omission has, in any way, been responsible for misrepresenting Mr. Wilson, this journal sincerely regrets it.

As has already been said, The Planet has no axe to grind in connection with its counsel and suggestion to the shareholders of this company. It is, to a large extent, a public institution whose success is calculated to be of great value and import to the community. Its prosperity will benefit not alone the shareholders, but prove a material acquisition to the commercial status of the entire district.

The past and present imbroglios are to be regretted, but the darkest hour oftentimes precedes the dawn. There is no reason why—if the concern is promptly placed on a business basis and under the control of capable management—it should not come forth from the fires of initiatory tribulations to a strong, sound, substantial foundation and build up a career of exceptional prosperity for this business and liberal emolument for those who have invested therein.

To this end alone, sinking such petty differences as may possibly have occurred in the past, we trust the

stockholders and directors will earnestly and sincerely devote themselves, and the result, The Planet ventures to predict, will be such as to give perpetual satisfaction to all concerned.

A NATION OF PRISONERS.

Great Britain has now got over 40 thousand Boers in captivity in South Africa, St. Helena, Ceylon, Bermuda, and other places, comments the Ottawa Citizen. The larger proportion have been in captivity for nearly two years. It is interesting to speculate upon the effect of civilizing influences upon this mass of men who really represent the male portion of the Boer race. What will result from keeping these men for a long period in a state of idleness and captivity, well-fed and kindly cared for by their enemy? Travel will have a broadening influence on narrow minds; nearly all will learn the English language; and being thrown in contact with the British soldier and official they will be likely to admit that, after all, he is a very decent sort of chap. As they gain a better perspective view of their country in its relations to Great Britain and the rest of the world they may become impressed with a knowledge of the former backwardness of their national life and become reconciled to, and even satisfied with, the prospect of their future as a part of the world's greatest empire.

Still their lot must be far from a happy one at present, separated from their wives and families, knowing that their country has been almost devastated by the ravages of war and that they have to look forward to almost beginning life over again. The more fair-minded and intelligent among them must view with bitterness the useless and hopeless struggle which is being perpetuated by the handful of irreconcilables in the field when they remember that but for them they might all have been back with their families and in their homes eighteen months ago, but for this guerrilla warfare. At the time of the surrender of Pretoria and even as late as the date of Lord Roberts' Proclamation of the Transvaal and Free State as British colonies in September, 1900, these countries had almost entirely escaped the ravages of war, except for the destruction of public property by the Boer armies. Probably never in the history of war did the inhabitants suffer so little from destruction of property or loss of effects as did the Boers during the march of the British armies from the Orange River to Pretoria, and eastward from Pretoria to Koomatipoort. Not only were farms and houses left untouched, but it was a penal offence to take their poultry without an equivalent of hard cash being rendered at their own prices. If the people had accepted the inevitable and returned to their farms then they would now be comfortable and prosperous.

As the matter stands now Great Britain will have a new problem on her hands when the war is over. Probably fifty thousand men and five times as many women and children will be on her hands, scarcely any of whom will have a home to go to. The farms are devastated, the cattle driven off, no horses left to do farm work. For a year at least after the war ends all these people will be dependent on the nation not only for the necessities of life but for the means of reestablishing themselves in the country. No doubt they will be liberally treated by the Government and there is hope that by the time they have settled down again they will have forever given up any idea of making further trouble.

MIGHT DO WORSE.

Hamilton Times.
 Why not send Sam Hughes out to corral Delaney?

THE DIURNAL HITCH.

Hamilton Herald.
 Rev. W. F. Wilson counts that day lost whose slow descending sun sees not some man and maid by him made one.

SPRING INFLUENCES CAPT. MORRISON.

Ottawa Citizen.
 There are 45,000 more bachelors than spinsters in Ontario. It beats the Dutch how the dear girls keep out of matrimony under the circumstances. And such nice girls, too!

HIS NEGLIGENCE.

Buffalo Express.
 A dispatch from Galt, Ont., says the town constables have resigned, one of them having robbed a store and the others being charged with negligence. Does that mean they should have helped the first?

TAKE WARNING.

Bobcaygeon Independent.
 Something more than a spring, this, it's a leap from a spring-board. But keep your weather eye open, and don't get too gay with your basket phaetons. You might want your sleighs for a day or two before the month is out.

AN ENGLISH VIEW.

London Review.

That Canada should voluntarily prejudice her trade relations with other nations in the interests of Great Britain, who gives her no more consideration than is accorded to the most hide-bound of protectionist countries, is obviously unreasonable.

THE LATEST IN SINECURES.

Hamilton Times.

The wireless system of telegraphy is even setting the slang of the day. Washington statesmen now say when a constituent seeks an unobtainable position: "I guess I'll have to get him a job as lineman with the Marconi company."

A TERRIBLE KIDNEY PAIN.

Mr. Chas. Welsh of Picton Suffered Intense Pain in his Back and Kidneys.

He Tried Plasters, Pills and Liniments but They Failed to Help Him.

He is Thankful for the Rapid and Complete Cure Obtained Through the use of Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets.

Mr. Chas. Welsh, of Picton, Ont., is well known in that town and vicinity. He is engineer on the mail packet plying between Picton and Deseronto.

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There will also be on display new silks, new trimmings, new kid gloves, new silk waists in stunning styles, new laces and ribbons, new effects in ladies' neckwear, new wash fabrics in dimities, new silks, foulards, zephyrs, lawns, muslins, ginghams, prints, etc.

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Tales About Town

HIS NEW HAT

A good story is told on the proprietor of one of our Maple City gent's furnishing stores, which will bear repeating.

The man who manages this up-to-date establishment is known as a very smooth gent, in fact, when it comes down to selling hats he is hard to beat. One reason why he always has an up-to-date stock, is because he has an enviable knack of getting rid of his old goods, but on this occasion he was badly "taken in at his own game," as it were.

A short, stout, and somewhat elderly gentleman, evidently hailing from the rural districts, walked into the store the other day and wanted to try on some hats.

They were all brought down immediately, and a large number of them were tried on. Everything suited, and the man could not decide which one to take.

"This man is evidently a mark," thought the wily salesman, "now is my chance to get rid of some of my old stock."

Suddenly he espied a brown Fedora lying on the counter, evidently made in about the year '60. Here was his chance.

"Now, here is a nice hat," he said, picking up the Fedora and something it off nicely with his coat sleeve. "This is a style which will be very popular this year. It is something real new and up-to-date."

"Can it really be possible?" said the surprised and evidently well pleased customer. "Yes," said the delighted salesman, "we just got in three cases of them last week. Try it on and see how it fits."

"That hat was made for you," exclaimed the smooth dealer rubbing his hands and putting on one of his blandest smiles. "How does it fit?"

"It fits splendidly," said the farmer "but do you really think it is all right?" as he viewed himself in the long mirror.

"All right!" was the reply, "why, you couldn't get a better one."

"Very well," said the man quietly, as



When You Eat

Do you have a feeling of undue fullness in the stomach, belchings, or sour or bitter risings? These are but a few of the symptoms of the diseased stomach. The worst thing which can be done for the stomach in such a case is to take some tablet or powder which merely gives temporary relief from discomfort. The best thing to do is to begin the cure of the disease by beginning the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It makes the "weak" stomach strong, and puts the body in a condition of vigorous health.

"I was troubled a long time with dyspepsia, torpid liver, and constipation," writes Mrs. Julia E. Deal, of Oswego, Ireland Co., N. C. "Could scarcely eat anything at all; would have attacks of pain something like colic, and sometimes it seemed as though I could not live. I wrote to Dr. R. V. Pierce, stating my condition, and in a few days received a kind letter of advice, telling me to use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I took four bottles, and one of Dr. Pierce's Tablets, and now I can eat anything, and I don't hurt me. I have not been in bed a day since I took your 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and I have not since felt any symptoms of disease. I have not taken any medicine in twelve months."

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"There was another case that came to my mind recently, that of a farmer near Tilbury. He was the same kind of a man. He had great ideas of high life and luxury in the city and as a result he became dissatisfied with farm life.

"I held a mortgage on his farm and one year when his crops were particularly poor he became dissatisfied. He, of course, thought all he had to do was to move to the city

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That is his hobby and from a boy he has made a deep study of wild birds, flowers, animals, insects, etc., and has found a distinct pleasure in so doing. If you want to know anything about the habits of birds, seasons of flowers, or in fact anything pertaining to nature, ask Casper and he will tell you. He has something to show for his labors, too, and has one of the finest collections of birds' eggs in Ontario. He, however, was not like the ordinary egg hunter, and made it a point of never taking more than one egg from a single nest, and never collecting more than one egg of each kind. He has always been an earnest supporter of protection for birds, and never fails to voice his opinions when he deems it necessary.

"Now that our birds are commencing to come again for the summer," he said this morning, "we should take stringent measures to protect them. You know we do not have as many birds as we used to have. Why I remember when you could not take a walk in the spring time but you could hear birds of all kinds singing on every side, and it was a real pleasure for anyone who can enjoy nature. You hardly ever find that now, and simply because we have not properly protected our birds.

"You take a walk through the city and you will find small boys with air guns, and sling-shots, running around and shooting at every bird they see. I think the boy with the sling-shot is a very dangerous factor towards destroying the birds. This should surely not be allowed, and these young offenders should be warned, and if they continue they should be severely prosecuted.

"This excessive robbing of nests should not be allowed. You will see young boys climbing trees and destroying nests, for no other reason than the pleasure they find in so doing. Everything can be carried to excess and we should enforce the law which prohibits the destroying of birds and their eggs."

THE LYCEUM COURSE.

Mr. J. Williams Macy, the eminent humorist and buffo-basso, who gives an entertainment at the Grand tomorrow night, has a world wide reputation, having appeared in nearly all the countries of the world. There is a great treat in store for those who attend. The program is full of interest and consists of humor, song and story. This recital is given as the fifth number of the Lyceum course. Already a large number of seats are taken which is a good assurance that the theatre will be packed.

GRAND OPERA IN ENGLISH.

Probably one of the most important announcements that the management will be able to make for the remainder of this season will be the appearance at that house for Saturday evening, March 22nd, of the Boston Lyric English Grand Opera Company. The company, although in existence for the past eight years, has never played in Canada except at Toronto, or has Grand Opera been given at the Grand, and the coming of the Boston Lyric is of interest for theatre goers will have the opportunity to witness Grand Opera at no higher prices than one pays for Opera Comique. The Boston Lyric Company, which is strictly an American organization throughout, is planning a tour of Canada, the Hawaiian Islands, Cuba, the Philippines, and Mexico, where it is believed that a fertile field is before them. All of the principals, of which a double cast is carried, are said to have excellent foreign training.

Among whom are Bertha Davis, a Boston Lyric Soprano of great ability; Della Nivens, formerly with the Metropolitan English Grand Opera Company; and John J. Raffael and George Chapman, baritone; S. F. Vernon, tenor; Frank Maslin, bass; a splendid chorus and augmented orchestra under the direction of Mr. Joseph Tressi. The repertoire embraces "Il Trovatore," "The Bohemian Girl," "Carmen," "Martha" and "Faust." Each opera will be sung in English and costumed traditionally correct. The advance sale indicates large audiences at each performance. The citizens of Chatham can and will appreciate good opera, and good performances are promised by the Boston Lyric Opera Co.

Spanish Lyrics and Pantomimes.

Spaniards may have many traits to criticize, said a gentleman who recently returned from touring in Spain, but in the matter of politeness they are above reproach. This man left Levile on foot after a stay of a week, and was overtaken by the landlord of the hotel where he was staying. The innkeeper rode alongside of his guest for nearly an hour before he found courage to make known his business. "If the señor and God please," he began, apologetically, "I made a mistake in his bill yesterday."

"How?" I inquired.

"I forgot to make a charge for his candles to light him to bed!"

"But it was moonlight and I had no candles."

"Then, señor, with the help of God, I forgot to charge you with the moonlight."

The charge amounted to two cents in American money, and he had hired an ass and ridden twenty miles to collect it. I was amused and astonished. Then I accused him of being a robber, and offered him a cent to settle the bill. He worked up a beautiful smile and held out his hand.

"I will take it with thanks, señor," he said, "and God will bless you for an honest man!"

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For the Little Ones

Be Careful in the use of Cough Medicines for Children's Coughs and Colds.

Many analyses of cheap cough mixtures and cough and throat lozenges have clearly proven that a large proportion of them contain opiates.

The temporary relief which these cheap medicines often give in coughs and colds, especially with the little children, is because the opiate, by destroying the nerve sensation, the irritation in the throat, which causes the cough, is temporarily removed, but the real cause of the cold is not in any way removed by the opiate and will promptly return.

The best thing to use to remove the catarrhal secretion which causes the cold, the hoarseness and irritating cough, is a new preparation composed of antiseptics like Eucalyptol, Red Gum of Eucalyptus tree, Blood Root, etc., under name of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, which contain no opiate, cocaine or poisonous drug of any sort.

A mother living in Charleston, Mass., the happy possessor of four children, writes: "Every fall and winter I have laid in a stock of cough medicines, croup mixtures, and throat remedies for my little children, for somehow or other they never seemed to be free from colds, croup or sore throat."

"This fall I made a change in the usual program. I had myself been cured of an obstinate catarrh, from which I had suffered for years, by Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, and as they were pleasant to take I determined to try them with my children. Our family physician told me he knew them to be perfectly safe and nothing better could be taken. So I gave them to the children and have continued to do so ever since, whenever there is the least sign of croup or sore throat, and I no longer dread the approach of cold weather as I once did."

"Stuart's Catarrh Tablets not only cured me of chronic nasal and throat catarrh, but

they have saved me many an anxious night with my little ones."

Mr. A. R. Fernbank of Columbus, Ohio, says: "I suffered so many winters from Catarrh that I took it as a matter of course, and that nothing would cure it except a change of climate, which my business affairs would not permit me to take."

"My nostrils were almost always clogged up, and I had to breathe through the mouth, causing an inflamed, irritated throat. The thought of eating breakfast often nauseated me and the catarrh gradually getting into my stomach, took away my appetite and digestion."

"My druggist advised me to try a 50 cent box of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, because he said he had so many customers who had been cured of catarrh by the use of these tablets, and he felt he could honestly recommend them. I took his advice and used several boxes with results that surprised and delighted me."

"I always keep a box of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets in the house and the whole family use them freely on the first appearance of a cough or cold in the head."

"With our children we think there is nothing so safe and reliable as Stuart's Catarrh Tablets to ward off croup and colds, and with older people I have known of cases where the hearing had been seriously impaired by chronic catarrh cured entirely by this new remedy."

People who have used sprays, inhalers, salves, and washes for catarrh and have found how useless they are, will be agreeably surprised at the results following the use of a pleasant internal remedy in tablet form. Druggists everywhere admit that Stuart's Tablets, which they sell at 50 cents per package, is the safest, most effective and popular of all catarrh remedies.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed tenders will be received until noon, 18th inst., for the erection of brick store on King street, including fitting hot air heating, plumbing, galvanized iron work, etc.

Plans, specifications and details can be seen at the office of T. J. Rutely, architect. The lowest not any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders to be addressed to J. F. & W. E. McKEOUGH, Chatham.

Marked "Tender", and left at the architect's office.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed tenders will be received until noon, 20th of March, for the erection of Woodburn Sarven Wheel Co. for the several works, including rubble stone, brick work, concrete, carpenter work, gravel roof, plumbing, painting, galvanized iron, metal skylights, etc.

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For full particulars apply to James L. Oldershaw, 63 Head street, or to Geo. A. Sager, Barrister, Eberle Block

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Frame house, two stories, 12 rooms, lot 50 ft. front by 115 deep, \$1,000.

Brick house, two stories, 7 rooms, lot 40 feet front, by 208 feet deep, \$1,100.00.

Frame house, 10 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 50 ft. by 104 ft., \$2,000.

Frame house, 8 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 208 feet, good stable, \$1,100.00.

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he started for the door, "if this one is all right, I don't think I will buy a new one."

The shopkeeper looked aghast. It turned out that the hat he had been trying to sell was the one the farmer had worn when he entered the store.

Since then he always takes a good look at a man's old hat before he proceeds to sell him a new one.

COUNTRY VS. CITY

"It beats me how so many of our country young men are so terribly anxious to leave the farm and come into the city," said a local financier.

Add Tales about town, who was in a thoughtful mood the other day. "Some people can't see when they are well off. The city looks very inviting to country young men—and old men too—but when they move into town and get into competition with men who are used to city life from boyhood they soon find out their mistake but invariably they do the finding out when it is too late."

"I remember one instance of a farmer in Dover Township. He owned a good farm and, while not growing very rich, he was a prosperous well-to-do man and was each year laying up a few dollars for a rainy day."

"Money, however, was not coming in as fast as he could wish and he finally decided to sell his farm and come into the city. He had heard a lot about city life and how easy it was to make money, and he was anxious to be in the swim with the rest."

"Well, he sold his farm, stock, and implements, and realized therefrom over \$1,500. I advised him then to pack up and start right out for the Northwest, as he was a good farmer and I felt that he could make money at it. But he didn't go. He came here to Chatham but failed to get work. The other day he was up to my office trying to borrow some

where he could make money hand over fist.

"He rented his farm and moved into town. After he got settled down, however, he saw that it was not such an easy matter to make money as he thought, and this same man was also up to my office borrowing money. There is no doubt in my mind that he will yet lose his farm unless he soon falls into the way of living in a city."

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THE STRANGER AND THE PRINCESS

BY SEWARD W. HOPKINS

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Adria found time to care for Buckford even while her gowns were being made. Wallace did not improve as rapidly as had been expected. He fretted a good deal at being a burden upon his host. But Volner silenced that. Prince Charles came often and that. Prince Charles came often and that. Prince Charles came often and that.

But, alas, it would be some time before he could do that.

Then one day Adria, blushing and stammering, seeming to have almost lost control of her tongue, entered his room, leading a girl about her own age, clad in plain but most becoming garments and wearing a small Parisian cap which might easily be a nurse's cap.

"M. Wallace," said Adria, "I am sorry to tell you that I must leave you for a time. Tomorrow is my wedding day. The prince and princesses have graciously requested that the ceremony be performed at the castle."

Wallace smiled and held out his hand. "I am glad," he said, "I, of course, shall lose a tender and faithful nurse, but I must not be selfish. Duvally deserves his bride."

"And you will not feel the loss," said Adria, with an effort to be serene. "This is my cousin Elsa, an experienced nurse from Trolle. In my absence she will do what I have done or more."

Wallace looked up into the demure face of the nurse from Trolle and thought it a sweet and sympathetic face.

"I have heard your story, M. Wallace," she said in a low, sweet voice. "The people at the castle have reason to be very grateful to you. They have visited you, of course."

"I did nothing that any one else might not have done," said Wallace. "Yes, they have been here to see me and are very kind—that is, the prince and his American princess have been. The one I wished most to see has not been."

"Some one you knew?" asked the new nurse sympathetically.

"No, no, no," blundered Wallace, "but one I have wished to see—the Princess Marie."

"Ah, she is an ungrateful girl, thinking only of her own pleasures," said the nurse.

"No, I cannot believe that," said Wallace. "I saw her picture once. She was beautiful."

"And you wanted to hear words of gratitude from her own lips?" asked Elsa.

"No, not that. I don't like to hear words of gratitude. I just wanted to see her and talk with her as with any ordinary person."

Elsa smiled. "You may yet have that pleasure," she said. "Princesses are at liberty to talk like ordinary persons, but not nurses. I have already permitted you to talk too much. Now bid Adria adieu, wish her good luck and happiness and then resign yourself to the commands of one who is severe and unwavering."

So with kind words Adria went, and Elsa took up the work.

The good farmer Volner and his wife seemed to stand much in awe of their pretty niece, for she had her own way in the house.

From the capacious kitchen came wonderful dainties and appetizing dishes made by the new nurse. The water from the spring soon tasted sweeter if handed by her in the thin little drinking glass. Her step was light as air, her voice soft and sweet, her touch gentle and soothing.

"What a nurse!" thought Wallace a hundred times a day. "I thought Adria was perfect, but this one is beyond even worldly perfection."

But sometimes a peculiar feeling came over him that he had seen that face before. It appeared to him somehow in a way that a face totally unknown could not. The nurse always wore her cap, which held captive and out of sight her wealth of beautiful hair.

And Wallace grew stronger gradually and thought more and more of his nurse. One day she brought him a tender fowl she had broiled with her own hands. She poured his wine for him and set it down on the table Volner had made.

As Wallace reached out to take the wine his hand touched hers. For a moment he pressed the dainty fingers.

Elsa blushed, but she did not withdraw her hand.

"Ah," said Wallace, with some bitterness, "it is hard to be without power or money! Elsa, you have been too kind. You have given me a wound from which no nursing will enable me to recover. Yet I am poor and would not ask you to share my miserable condition. In happier days may I hope that some of the love I feel for you will be reciprocated?"

A vivid blush overspread her face. She was about to reply when the wife of Volner entered. Elsa, in her confusion, turned away and put her hands to her cap, as if to arrange it. But she touched it with too heavy a hand. It fell to the floor, and a mass of beautiful brown hair fell in lovely profusion to her waist. It made a great change in her appearance. Wallace, unmindful of the presence of Volner's wife, stared, thought and started in embarrassed astonishment at a sitting posture.

"Ah, ah! Am I dreaming?" he gasped. "You bring to my mind the face, the picture, of Princess Marie."

"Yes," said the farmer's wife, with some energy; "it is time this farce was played out. I know everybody means well, but there are limits. This is Princess Marie."

"Oh, forgive me!" cried poor Wallace. "I would not have spoken had I known. Why did you come? I cannot unsay the words which must have seemed an insult to you. But forget them and forgive me. I did not know."

"Of course you did not know," replied the exposed princess, with a rueful laugh. "That would have spoiled it all. And you thought I was ungrateful all along."

"No, I did not say it," remonstrated Wallace. "Forgive me and go back to the castle. Let me remember you as my pretty nurse."

"And not the Princess Marie?"

"Ah, no! There is too wide a gulf between us. As my nurse you were more my equal."

Tears gathered in Marie's eyes. Softly she lightly on her young shoulders, yet she understood its rights and privileges.

"For one brief moment I rejoice in my position and the etiquette of courts," she said. She took his hand in hers and looked down into his eyes with an expression that made the blood leap through his veins as it had not done since he fell. "As you say, I am a princess. While you believed me a simple nurse, you spoke words of honest love. You have withdrawn them since you discovered my identity. But it was not because you had ceased to love me, was it? It was because, as the princess, you thought I would not accept the love that a nurse might accept."

"Yes, yes," said the half-maddened Wallace. "I could never cease loving you, though a thousand miles kept us apart."

"Then do not take back the words," she said. "I have been courted by princes and men of power, soldiers and diplomats. Not for myself, but because I was Princess Marie of Denesia. It is sweet—oh, how sweet—to be loved for love alone. And do you think I have learned nothing each day we have been together? I have learned the same lesson of love. Now you are my patient and my prisoner. I shall write to Charles tonight."

The letter which Marie wrote to the castle did not surprise her brother in the least. He had feared some such result of the madcap scheme of his sister by which she wished to show her gratitude toward the brave American.



"Yes," said the farmer's wife, "this is Princess Marie."

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He had taken time by the forelock and had called long inquiries to his representative in America. In reply he received a short cable message and a letter following. So it happened that Prince Charles, two days after he got the note from Marie, walked into Volner's house carrying a large official looking epistle.

"I have come to offer my congratulations," he said, "not to one, but both. This affair promised something like this, and I took the liberty to inquire as to the standing of M. Wallace. In reply I get word that he is in every sense a gentleman. Not only that, but he has been searched for all over the earth—except in Denesia. It seems his uncle has died, leaving him heir to a vast American fortune. Marie, your prank has been providential in its fortunate ending. God bless both of you wherever you may have your home. If in Denesia, a palace and park shall be yours. And I make it my only condition to your wedding that at least five months in the year you live at Trolle."

He shook Buckford's hand, kissed Marie and strode out.

"Marie—princess my love, my love," began Wallace, "How can I?"

"Tut! You are no longer poor. It is I who must beg. You are now the great M. Wallace. Shall I take back my words?"

No answer was needed. He held out both his hands, and she took them.

"Did you ever?" said Volner's wife to Volner a few hours later. "That American is getting well very fast now."

"So would I," grunted Volner, "if I had a sweet wife and fortune waiting for me. Let them alone. They can take care of themselves. It makes me young again."

A few months later the castle at Trolle was ablaze with lights. A grand wedding took place. Officers of the army, members of the diplomatic corps, visiting royal commanders, all were present. And the bride was the beautiful Princess Marie and the groom the handsome American. He wore no uniform and seemed soberly dressed beside the brilliant officers. But on his breast he wore a brilliant cross, the highest decoration in Denesia, and every man within the palace gates envied him his fortune and his bride.

THE END.

Members of Congress and Mourning.

"Fifty years ago members of congress and of the senate would have been compelled by public opinion to wear craps on their arms for thirty days after the death of a president," remarked an ex-member who had served before the civil war.

"Up to about 1850 whenever a member of congress died the resolution of sympathy with his family invariably carried with it a provision that members should wear mourning. Deaths of members were of course less frequent, for the congressional body was numerically smaller. Indeed, the increase of the membership, which led naturally to a higher death rate, was the direct cause of abolishing the custom."

"A number of members of congress now die every year; and it was not thought advisable to keep members of the house and senate in practically perpetual mourning."

TELEGRAPH

The smallpox epidemic in old London shows no signs of abatement.

Alex. McMahon has been appointed Police Magistrate in Winnipeg.

The Canadian Line is building a new ship to compete for the Boston Atlantic trade.

The Queen-Regent of Spain has commissioned Senor Sagasta to form a new Cabinet.

Seven dangerous Anarchists were arrested at Naples on a steamer bound for New York.

A section of the naval arsenal at Valparaiso has been destroyed by fire. The loss is placed at \$1,000,000.

Samuel Beck, of South Cayuga, was nominated for the Legislature by the Independents of Haldimand.

William J. Brannigan, of Brannigan, who was hurt by an explosion of gunpowder several days ago, is dead.

A quarantine has been established at Manila against vessels from Hong Kong, owing to the cholera at the latter port.

A company with a capital of \$10,000,000 is being formed at New York to promote the Marconi system of wireless telegraphy.

A lumberman named Sam. Cooper, said to be insane, received fatal injuries while attempting to force his way into Thomas Hooper's house at Seguin Falls.

Frank P. Sargent, chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, has been offered the position of United States Commissioner of Immigration in succession to Mr. Powderly.

The forward look stimulates the forward steps. To keep our eyes fixed ahead is usually to go ahead, too.

Discretion is an old-fashioned virtue, perhaps, but it has made many women beloved and many men successful.

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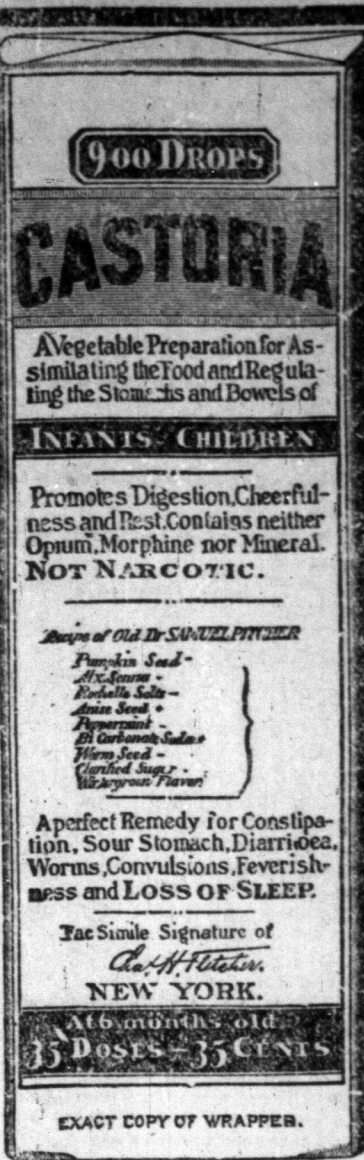
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Ancient and Modern.

An old man and a young one, while traveling from London to Brighton, got into conversation. The old man asked: "Which would you sooner travel in the up-to-date railway train or the old-fashioned stage coach?"

"Why, the up-to-date railway train of course," the young man answered.

"Ah, I would never travel in the old-fashioned stage coach."

"Why?"

"Well, if you are in the old-fashioned stage coach and you are thrown into a ditch, it's 'Hullo, old party, there you are!' But if you are in the up-to-date railway train, and the boiler bursts, it's 'Not 'Hullo, old party, here you are!' but 'Hullo, old party, here the dickens are you?'—London Answers.

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Harvesting.

A little girl and her aunt went for a walk out on a street the other day, and as they walked the aunt caught her skirt on the sharp edge of her shoe heel and tore off several inches of lace.

"Won't you tear it off for me, aunt?" she asked. "I cannot mend it now."

The accommodating little girl dropped on her knee and for several minutes there was a sound as of tearing goods—really much more tearing than was necessary to remove a piece of lace only half an inch wide.

"Haven't you finished yet?" finally asked the aunt.

"Yes," said the little girl, rising wearily. "I was taking all this off I wanted enough for my doll's skirt while I was at it, and the little bit you tore wouldn't do."

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AMAZING USE OF TIMBER.

Some Astonishing Figures of the Consumption of Wood Per Year in the United States—Mr. Oswald's Calculations.

James Oswald of Madison, Wis., is said to be a great authority on timber and the lumber trade, and in a recently published article he gave some figures showing how great is the consumption of wood per year in the United States.

Over 4,000,000,000 feet of pine lumber is used annually for matches, the equivalent of the product of 400 acres of virgin forest. On American railroads about 620,000,000 cross ties and renewals are required annually. The amount of timber used every year for ties is equal to 3,000,000,000 feet of lumber. In that country there are now standing nearly 7,500,000 telegraph poles. The average life of a pole is ten years, so that about 750,000 are required every year for renewals. These figures do not include telephone poles or railway telegraph poles. The amount of timber consumed annually for poles and ties is equivalent of the timber grown on 100,000 acres of virgin forest.

For making shoe pegs every year the amount of timber used is equal to the second growth of 3,500 acres of hardwood land. Laths and boards require about 500,000,000 feet of wood. Although the making of paper from wood pulp is a comparatively new process, the annual consumption of wood for this purpose is equal to over 800,000,000 board feet of timber, for which it would be necessary, were the trees all growing together, to cut about 80,000 acres of forest. They are now used in America for the lumber and paper trade about 40,000,000 feet of lumber a year, which is equivalent to about 4,000,000 acres of virgin forest, an acre equal to Rhode Island and Connecticut. These figures do not include wood used for fuel, which is four and one-half times as much.

It will thus be seen that, without taking any account of the forests destroyed each year by forest fires, or in the pursuit of agriculture, the present annual demand in the neighboring republic reaches the enormous total of 22,000,000 acres—an area equal to one and a half times the size of Nova Scotia.

Prof. Robertson at Home.

Professor Robertson, Agricultural Commissioner of Canada, has built a charming home for himself in the chief residential street of Ottawa. It stands, in a small plot of ground of its own, but, like most Canadian dwellings, it is not surrounded by a wall or a railing. He married the daughter of a well known Canadian, and his only daughter, Isabel—not Isobel—is named after the Countess of Aberdeen, who was so much beloved in Canada during her husband's Governor-Generalship. The professor's home life is a very happy one; the professor is too busy to care much for society, and when he has a spare time likes to spend it with his wife and little daughter. His library is well stored with volumes, and bluebooks make substantial litter upon his writing-table. I met many interesting people at his house, which is quite a centre of light and learning in Ottawa. No wonder the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York—as they were then—were quite delighted with Ottawa and the wonderful view from the Parliament House, but I wonder if they enjoyed driving over those awful roads! The town is in some ways very new, and the houses of olden time; but the roads are far from all that could be desired.—Fall Mail Gazette.

Where He Got His Beef.

An eastern Canadian business man, whose home was in a fine mansion in spacious grounds, and who owned, among other things, a fine farm, stocked with pure-bred cattle, used to tell with much amusement how his hostess at a dinner in Liverpool said to him: "Mr. —, I know you will excuse my asking you, for you know how interested I am in the colonies, but will you tell me how you manage out there to get fresh meat? You are so far from any market that beef must spoil before it reaches you."

The Canadian said, in telling the story, that he did not feel able to enlighten such a colossal ignorance at the dinner table, and so he replied: "When we feel we must have some, we go out and shoot a bear."

The answer was accepted as satisfactory.—London (Eng.) Canadian Gazette.

Destroying San Jose Scale.

The Illinois state entomologist says he has abandoned kerosene in all its forms and is now using whale oil soap and the lime, sulphur and salt mixture. It is a well known fact that in Washington and Oregon the lime, sulphur and salt wash is very effective, even in rainy weather, and under climatic conditions very similar to those found in Illinois. The winter in Illinois has been open and dry, favorable to this material, and the results have been very satisfactory. It is claimed that at least 95 per cent. of scale on trees treated with the lime, sulphur and salt wash are dead. Indications are that the other 5 per cent. will be destroyed before spring. Only a single application of this material for San Jose scale in Illinois and other orchards is promising.

Loss of Celebrated Herefords.

When at the Charleston Exposition T. F. B. Sotham's celebrated Herefords contracted Texas fever. Since then Checkmate, Golden Lassie, Thickflesh and the magnificent provoker have died. The others of the herd will probably recover. This loss is irreparable. All were splendid Herefords of the very highest type. Improver was the senior champion Hereford bull at the Chicago International Stock Show last December and was a noted prize winner.



Heat and Bacteria.
Erroneous ideas are often entertained concerning the efficiency of heat in destroying bacteria. The importance of time in the operation being overlooked. Recent experiments reported at the Aberdeen congress on public health showed that a temperature of 140 degrees F. applied to nonvirulent tubercle bacilli produced by laboratory culture killed the germs if continued for ten minutes. A temperature of 140 degrees applied for a quarter of an hour killed the bacteria in tubercular sputum in five cases out of six. Tuberculous milk heated to the same temperature for twenty minutes lost its power of infection.

LOST FIFTY POUNDS

The Terrible Experience of an Old Lady Through the Starvation of Dyspepsia—A Very Aggravated Case.

There is no more highly respected family in the neighborhood of Leinster, N. S., than that of Mrs. M. Sears.

The good lady who is now over seventy years of age has enjoyed good health up to a few years ago when her stomach went wrong. Acute indigestion came upon her in her old age, and so badly that she nearly died. As it was she lost fifty pounds in weight before she found out about Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets and was cured.

In her letter on the subject Mrs. Sears makes the following very strong statements:

"I was a great sufferer from Dyspepsia, experiencing fearful pains in the pit of my stomach. I lost about fifty pounds in weight because of my not being able to eat anything. Indeed I was almost starved. My case was a very acute one."

"I tried all kinds of medicines but got no relief whatever. I used a stomach pump several times and did everything I could think of to get better."

"I went away to Newfoundland for some months hoping that the change of climate would do me good, but I came home no better and quite hopeless."

"I saw Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets advertised, but as I had tried the doctors and almost everything, I had little faith that they would help me."

"I had failed from 180 pounds until I weighed less than 130 pounds before I commenced to use Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets."

"I got a box in Antigonish and they gave such relief that I sent for four more which I used. Now I am cured. I gained in weight, health and strength from the very first and am to-day well and strong."

"Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets are the best doctor for Dyspepsia or 'Stomach Trouble.'"

He Had His Choice.

"Where is Josiah?" asked Mrs. Constance. "Well," answered her husband, "he proceeded to fill his pipe. 'If the ice is as strong as he thinks it is, he's gone skating'; and if it ain't he's gone swimming."

Glad He Found Out.

Costigan—"Don't say you ain't done nothing!"
Madigan—"An' why not?"
Costigan—"Because it isn't good English."

NERVOUSNESS AND NERVE.

The more nervous a man is, the less nerve he has. That sounds paradoxical—but it isn't; for nerve is stamina, and stamina is the power of nerve. It tones the whole system, perfects digestion and assimilation, and is therefore the best medicine a nervous person can take.

If you get tired easily, mentally or physically, take it—it will do you good.

A person that has lost appetite has lost something besides—vitality, vigor, tone.

SAYS THEY'RE HEAVEN-BORN

A lady in writing of her faith in Dr. Von Stan's Pineapple Tablets calls them "A HEAVEN-BORN HEALER." "Chronic Dyspepsia was her 'cross,' and they cured her."

DYNAMITING TROUT.

First Attempt by a B.C. Miner and Its Consequences.

In British Columbia they are telling a strange story of a mine superintendent and a dog. The story has drifted down to Washington, and is reported by the Spokane Spokesman-Review. The miner, one Cronin, was fond of fish and of fishing, but he never had any success. One day, exasperated by his ill luck, he took a stick of dynamite and a fuse, and he and his dog started for the lake.

Taking the piece of dynamite, the manager attached a fuse by wrapping it carefully in a piece of cotton. He meant to explode the dynamite in the lake. That, he knew, would kill a goodly supply of fish, which he could gather in as they rose to the surface. He lighted the fuse and threw the stick into the lake.

Then happened something he had not counted on. The dog was a retriever, carefully trained, and, as soon as the animal saw his master cast the dynamite into the water he plunged in after it. Cronin shouted, threw stones and sticks and everything he could lay his hands on, but all to no purpose. The dog got the dynamite stick before the cotton had soaked sufficiently to sink it, and before the fuse had burned out. Then he started for the shore.

By this time Cronin saw that he could not save the dog, and that he must run if he were to escape himself. He set out at a tremendous gallop. But the faithful retriever was soon after him. Cronin knew that there was no hope for him if the dog caught him before the fuse burned down. So he put on still more speed and kept at it, but the dog continued to gallop. Cronin knew that in another minute both would be blown to atoms.

All the wickedness that he had been responsible for during his lifetime brought him to a realization of what death meant at that moment, and he prayed as he had never prayed before.

Then came a deafening explosion. For a minute Cronin did not know whether he was dead or alive. He got up of himself and came to the conclusion that he had escaped. The hole in the ground was only a short distance away from him, and he returned to it. The poor dog had been faithful unto death, and which seems peculiarly hard when one reflects that he was merely doing what he had been taught to do, while his master was doing what the laws distinctly forbid.

Uncertain People.

"I don't know them now," said a charming woman conclusively, when I asked her of the welfare of some erstwhile intimates. "They were so uncertain I gave them up." Do you know, these uncertain people who one day cannot live out of your pocket and the next treat you to a cool nod? I hear so often of them that they must exist, and must also be trying to their circumstances. Another trying person is he or she who loves you and forgets the affection as soon as your back is turned. This sort will say the most abominable things of the recently kissed, hold them up to ridicule, and give folks the impression that dislike and scorn wait upon every thought of them. To see the reviler, hobnobbed in to give slow-roasting change artists a jog. Nine times out of ten they exclaim: "How can she pretend to like that woman—or he that man—of whom they told me so much?" Now nine times out of ten he and she do really rather like the friend they have abused, so that it should be said, "How can they abuse persons whom they like?" Yet one never hears that remark made, and because, alas! we are so much more prone to believe our friends are wanting than overlooked in the better nights.—Lady Gay in Saturday Night.

The Teacher Got a Letter.

A scholar having broken a pane of glass in a certain school house, not a thousand miles from Clinton, was told by the teacher that it should be paid for, says the Clinton New Era. No threats of any kind were made by the teacher, who was amused and surprised to receive the following note from the pupil's father: 189—March 21.

Dear Sir—Mr. Teacher, my girl as broke this pane of glass and you will give me 5 cents as soon as I can get it but I can make big wages by pulling from—7 cents so you needn't be threatening to whip them or threatening them that they will have to leave school I can be led or advised, but force work and me as fell out you have worked up to such a pitch now the girl is sick and the boy is scared to come to school so let this thing stop now or I will come and you will think it is the best school you ever had. now if you ain't pleased with this write me a slip not be sending me threats.

Mystery of Balm Sleep.

A rather startling theory lately put forward by a young physiologist is attracting considerable attention. This student believes that a gland, or certain glands, in the system secrete a narcotic substance, that this substance is stored in the gland or glands until at definite times—mainly influence by habit and "tiredness" of the individual—it is thrown into the circulation and thereby causes the phenomena of sleep. Further, he suggests that sleep continues as long as the "narcotic" is kept up—until the latter is so far exhausted in or wholly abstracted from the blood by the excreting organs.

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Express.....12.42 p. m.
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Rodney	7.30 a.	10.30 a.	7.45 a.
West Lorne	7.30 a.	10.30 a.	7.45 a.
Dutton	7.30 a.	10.30 a.	7.45 a.
St. Thomas	7.30 a.	10.30 a.	7.45 a.
London	7.30 a.	10.30 a.	7.45 a.
Leamington	7.30 a.	10.30 a.	7.45 a.
Kingville	7.30 a.	10.30 a.	7.45 a.
Walkerville	7.30 a.	10.30 a.	7.45 a.
Dresden	7.30 a.	10.30 a.	7.45 a.
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