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# Window Shades

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Plain opaque window shades, mounted on spring rollers, complete with nickle pull, very special at -Opaque window shades in light and dark colors, with very handsome borders, mounted on spring rollers, complete

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We want particularly to see that sweet line of Organdie Mull Muslins before they are all gone. We just opened them two days ago and they are disappearing rapidly, because for 10e A YARD

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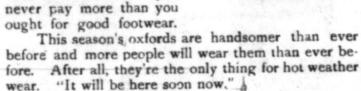
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kles, Linenettes, Badford Cords, Swiss Iacconetts,

Challies, Metalic stripes, plain and fancy Ch...mbrys, Tincrella, Silks, Table Chabeline, etc.

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At Gordon's

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Dark and light organdies, Le Grand Lapette, Tulle Chataline Bengaline, Summer Silks, etc.

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New style dark and light prints—spron check, very wide cross bar muslins—plaid wool-

8c yard

# From Which to Pick a Candidate.

Dr. Hall, However, Wiff Likely be the Choice.

COUNCILLOR FRANK RANKIN, OF DOVER, IS A STRONG FAVOR-ITE, BUT HE ALSO FAV-ORS THE DOCTOR.

The coming Conservative convention on June 10th to nominate a candidate is causing a good deal of talk. A number of very strong men are mentioned as prospective candidates. As a consequence the delegates will have a wide choice. Among those prominently spoken of are Dr. Hall, Councillor Frank Rankin, of Dover; Matthew Wilson, Q. C., Percy Gahan, Ald. T. A. Smith, H. Lumley, J. S. Fraser, C.J. O'Neill, President of the Conservative Associa-H. Lumley, J. S. Fraser, C.J. O'Neill, President of the Conservative Association; Mayor Smyth, Ald. Arnold and H. Saies. Any one of these gentlemen would make a grand run and probably without much trouble capturs the constituency. But judging by the talk the choice is narrowing down to Dr. Hall and Councillor Rankin. The latter being a farmer, many think would find favor among the yeomen of the riding. His wonderful run for the county council in Dover is pointed to as proof of cil in Dover is pointed to as proof of

his well deserved popularity.
Mr. Rankin, himself, however, favors Dr. Hall. And there can be no



oubt of Dr. Hall's great strength. Could be a large practice throughout Chatham township, Raleigh and Dover, is well acquainted in Tilbury, belongs to the A. O. U. W., Select Knights, Foresters, Oddfellows, Knights of Pythias, Chosen Friends and Sons of England; is surgeon of St. Joseph's Chatham, Ridgetown and Windsor hospital and was formerly surgeon to districts are as follows: the C. M. B. A., is well known as a man of substance, is personally popular with the "boys," as well as with the older residents and, what counts most of all, is an indefatigable worker. Mr. Rankin says he will work as hard for Dr. Hall in Dover as he would work for himself. Therefore it is altogether likely if Dr. Hall consents to accept

the nomination it will be tendered to WHAT DR. HALL SAYS.

### Zephyrs, Lawns, Cheviots, Linens, Sateens, Crepons, Dimities, Grass Cloths, Dutch When asked by the Planet this morn-

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MONSERVATIVE RALLY -- Want No. 5. All con-Servatives will please attend the meeting in O'Neill & Stanworth's office, to-night, at 8 o'clock sharp, for the appointment of delegates to the coming

said, "I am not anxious for the nomination. I am going to work hard for wheever the convention nominates. If they desire me to run I will probably accept, but I am not going to prese for it. I will not canvass a delegate to get it, nor ifo I desire my friends to do so. I feel the nomination should be ignontaneous. If I happen to be the choice then I will probably accept, not otherwise." "I understand Mr. Rankin favors

"Mr. Rankin very kindly sent me word he would support me if I would consent to stand. I may say I feel the same way towards Mr. Rankin."

Then he Doctor branched off on probabilities.

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"I think," he said, "this constituency can be carried without any urcuble. If I happen to be the nominee, I will just take my coat off and go to work at once. I will personally call on every voter in the whole riding, and if I do not wim! I can tell you it won't be my faillt. Most of them know me already, and the rest of them will before I get through. However, as I have said. I have no intention of pashing myself for the nomination, nor would I accept it unless it is the ananimous wish of the convention."

MB. RANKIN DOESN'T WANT IT,

But Might Possibly Accept a Nomination He Favors Dr. Hall.

County Councillor Frank Rankin, o Dover, states that he is not a candidate for parliamentary honors in the coming for parliamentary honors in the coming campaign for the local legislature. He was not asked for nor sought the nomination and, of course, has not been nominated and cannot now be called a candidate. He had, however, been urged by many of his friends to allow his name to go before the convention. The feeling seemed to be, not alone among the farming communities but in the city and the towns as well, that a farmer should represent Kent. Those who had waited upon him had declared their convention that no stronger man heir conviction that no stronger man hap himself could be found. This was given by Mr. Rankin with a genle shrugging of his broad shoulders as shough he would silently deprecate his rients' appreciation.

Whether or not he would be a can-lidate. Mr. Rankin would not say—

of course, depending primarily upon the convention. A number of those most interested in his own personal affairs had urged him to mildly but tirmly decline political honors and preferment. But a man could not well set firmself and his opinions above the wistes of the convention.

This was the marrest that Mr. Rankin

Mr. Rankin did not know how Dr Hall felt about this question of candi-dature. They had had no conversa tion in reference to the matter; but of all others whose names he had heard mentioned in this connection there was none whom he would sooner support and none, who, in the speaker's opin ion, would make a stronger run or fetter representative when elect ed, than Dr. Hall

Of the Methodist Stationing Committee.

Chatham, Ridgetown and Windson Districts-Not Many Changes.

London, June 3 .- The first draft of stations to be submitted to the Methodist conference has been prepared.

CHATHAM DISTRICT. Chatham (Park Street)-E. N. Baker, M ... A., B. D. Chatham (Victoria Avenue)-H. W.

Crews, M. A., J. W. Freeman, B. D. (Ontario, California), superannuated.
Charing Cross-G. J. Kerr.
Blenheim-John Holmes. Cedar Springs - C. V. Lake. Merlin-A. H. Brown (C. R. C.) Tilbury Centre-C. P. Wells, B. A.,

Dresden—H. W. McTavish.

Dawn Mills—R. L. Wilson.

Wallaceburg—W. G. H. McAlister,

Tupperville-S. V. R. Pentland, A. E. Lioyd. Rutherford—A. J. Brown, A. W Walpole Island-William A. Ellis

Wallaceburg ) RIDGETOWN DISTRICT.

Ridgetown - Joseph Philp, B. D.; C. Surdette, superainmusted. Morpeth—W. J. Ashton, under superintendent of Ridgetown.
Fairfield—W. B. Creighton, B. A., B ). (Guilds). Highgate-T. T. George D. Pomeov. superannuated.
Harwich -W. R. Vance (Fargo).
Thomesville-J. Veale.
Bothwell-W. Hayburst.
Moraviantown—To be supplied from

Wandsville—A. I. Snyder. Newbury—J. W. Baird, B. A., T. Web-ster, D. D. J. R. Swift, superannuated. Florence—John Kennedy, B. D., C. G.

Glencoe - George H. Cobbledick, M. Gleacoe — George H. Cobbledick, M. A. B. D.
Rodney — M. Griffin.
West Lorney J. E. Holmes.
Dutton (W. C. Beer.
Recommended to go to college — T. A.
Patterson, A. J. Langford.

WINDSOR DISTRICT. Windsor-J. R. Grundy; John Rey olds (324 McCellan avenue, Detroit, U S) sugerannuated Walkerville—Joseph S. Cook, B. D. Amerhersplurg-C, W., Brown, B. A. B. D.

Harrow,—W. McMullen, B. A., Fasex—Graham A. Gifford, Ph. D. Kongsville—R. D. Hamilton (W. Mc

Donagh),
Buthven-W. H. Cooper.
Gesto-H. E. Currie.
Cottam-J. B. Kennedy.
Woodslee - Walter Ayers (South Maidstene—A. Thibadeau. Leamington—J. Galloway: (A.Scratch superannuated. South Mersen—Geo. Baker; (Leaming-

Comter-J. H. Kirkland.

Romney-Peter Myers.

Romney-Peter Myers.

Pelee Island-M. Pickard.

Recumented for College-C. W.

# Consequently Worried.

THE TREASURER LOSES AN IN-CREASE OF SALARY ON THE HEAD OF IT -- WHO IS TO BLAME?

The Kent county council did not sit yesterday morning, thereby allowing the equalization committee to meet and prepare their report, which will pro-bably be submitteed to the council as a whole to-day.

Upon resuming yesterday afternoon the clerk read the amended report of the auditors. The report was amended as instructed and read. "We desire to draw your attention to the overdrawn

accounts of Crown Attorney Wm. Doug-las and Righ Constable Coogan, which is bad in principal and liable to result Mr. Leverton asked why the auditors BOYS' Bicycle Shoes had recommended an increase to the tresurer's salary.

Auditor Shaw paid County Treasurer Shambleau a warm eulogy. The affairs of his office were well handled, and he made the recommendation at the solicitation of many.

Asked concerning the overgrawn ac-counts Mr. Shaw said Crown Attorney Douglas' indebtedness had extended over a number of years. In '93 his account was overdrawn 8760, in '94 81,-596, in '95 82,732 and on Dec. 31, '86 82,814. This amount with interest brought his overdrawn account to over 83,100. Orders and vouchers for this amount were held by the treasurer, but the amount had always been placed as an asset and accordingly had escaped the attention of the council previously. "To whom should this deficiency be charged?" asked Mr. Vester.

WHO'S RESPONSIBLE. 'The treasurer is the responsible party," replied the auditor, who went on to explain that High Constable Coogan was overdrawn \$45 in '95 and in '96 \$54. This, however, would be made all right when he was paid his salary this year.

Auditor McDonald stated that while



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# Some County Officials Did So, And The County Council Is Consequently Wormed there was something grievously wrong in allowing such a deficit, he differed from his colleague as to whom should be held responsible. He thought the whole amount should be promptly assessed against Mr. Douglas. He had expressed his honest opinion when he asked an increase of salary for Mr. Shambleaut He was an exceptionally good man and he did not believe he was paid enough for the work he had to do. He merely made the recommendation. The council, of course, could dear with it as they saw fit. Mr. Von Gunten thought the treasurer had committed air error in opening an account with Mr. Douglas or any one else, and should be held responsible for the amount. He regretted to say the fault was partly with the wardens, who had allowed the matter to start and go on. ALL TO BLAMB.

ALL TO BLAMM. Mr. McGregor remarked that it would seem that the auditors, the warden and the council had all been derelict in their duty, Mr. Hickey said the warden of 98 should never have allowed the account to have started. As it was, it was the Continued on Page 4.

# Bicycle Foot Goods

Ladies' Bicycle Shoes

Ladies' Bicycle Leggings 75c

White Shoe Store

TENDERS WANTED

# Electric Lighting

CITY OF CHATHAM, ONTARIO

TENDERS will be received by the un-dersigned till NOON OF 7TH INST., for a complete Electric Lighting Plant for this City for 65 up 100 arc lights, to be at least

sixteen hundred candle-power.
T. A. SMITH,
wife Chairman Light Committee.

# **Notice to Contractors**

Separate or bulk proposals will be received by the undersigned for certain additions and alterations to be made to the residence of J. B. Rankin, Esq., Barrister, North side of Lorne Avanue. Plans and specifications to be seen at the office of the architecta. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders to be in the architects office by noon, on Monday, June 7th, next, addressed to and marked tender,

J. B. RANKIN, Esq., Barrister.
JAMES, L. WILSON & SON,
Architects,
Box 511, Chatham, Out,

# NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. Bulk Tenders will be received up to noon, Friday, June 4th, 1897, for the erection of a

rick cooperage.

Mason and brick work, carpenter work, tin work, roofing and painting and glazing.
All tenders are to be sealed and addressed to Mr. N. H. Stevens, and left at the office of the architects.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the architects, Powell & Carswell, Wellington St.
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MAKE IT A ROUSER.

All Kent Should Gather Here On Thursday June 10th.

Mr. Whitney should meet with a re peption in this city that will encourage him to prosecute the campaign with increased vigor and aggressiveness As the London Free Press very aptly nemarks, the time is now over-ripe for a change of men at the helm at Toropto. The people are heartily wears of those who have been in power fo so long that they have been fossilized and encrusted with moss-grown offi cialism. While Mowat was chief at Toronto, and a Macdonald, or a Thompson at Ottawa, the large mod erate section of the electorate felt that matters could remain as they were without much danger. That feeling has changed since the with drawal of Sir Oliver and the kind of political revolution that has been witmessed at Ottawa. The men whom Sir Oliver left behind him are striving to keep up tourage in the glamour of his shadow; faut every step they have taken without his active guidance has but served to emphasize their feeble the jail improved and beautified. purposes and lack of genuine capacity. These gentlemen know that the hand Prison labor could be utilized in keepof popular disapproval is upon them. They realize it is time to be up and going. And while the sun still shine their hay is being made.

The people are not blind to th

terror that has beset the men in office in having soon to come up for judgment. They see them grabbing all they can for themselves and their nelatives, preparatory to the keys being turned upon them by the sickened and disgusted electorate. Mr. his younger brother a judgship, and Mr. John Dryden, the "farmers' friend," secures for brother a registrarship. Mr. Ross finds a comfortable jailorship for his brother-in-law, and all over the departments there seems an almost indecent haste in rushing into shelter sole purpose of allowing Aid. Carpenter every relation who is blowing his fingers out in the cold . They are all profiting by the example of the wily old chieftain, who, forseeing a change it contains a hard pan statement of of weather, betook himself out to the fact. approaching frost while there was vet time. Sir Oliver left not a mother's son of all his connections unprovided for at Provincial charge. He did well for all the family and exceedingly well for his son, in giving him a strievalty in Toronto at \$8,000 a year. There was no one left out to furnish the old gentleman with any vital object in remaining any longer, and now that he has so abundantly taken care of himself and kindred, the Provice has fallen into the hands of a broad of Mediocrities, who do nothing but bungle legislation, as we shall be showing later on, and look after pickings for themselves and their connec-

What the prople desire is that clean sweep be made, and a new set of men start in with a new set of books and improved ways of management. And there is plenty of room for improvement, which all can take note of, excepting those who are inured to their old methods and afraid to depart from any maxim that suited twenty years ago.

HOW PROTECTION PROTECTS.

Result of the Inc eased Duty on Tobac Liberals Should Ponder Over it.

No better illustration of the advant ages of protection is needed than the effect the increased duty imposed by the Laurier government on tobacco is

having on the culture of that plant.

No more Havana tobacco will be used in the 5 cent cigars; it will be used exclusively in the 10-cent cigars. The protection given the Canadian tobacco by the new tariff tends to improve its quality, as the grovers can afford to give more attention to its culture. Essex and Kent will be able to produce enbugh to supply the Imminion. Immensa quantities will be grown this year. Since fan 1, Lewis Wigle, of Essex, has shipped sixteen carloads of tobacco grown between Ridgetown and the rope to its tail and fastened the other end to a post sunk in the sand. As the whale was washed inshore by the was landed high and dry on shore. Its capture created quite a stir. and the heal Terminal agent telegraphed his subgriors in Los Angeles, and a special train was run down with Terminal Officers aboard, and the whale was purchased for \$155. On Sunday thousands viewed, the monster of the teep, all trains to the capture of the whale, and brought the first news to this city, early Saturday morming. On Sunday quite a crowd of Anatobacco grown between Ridgetown and Amhersthurg. The average price paid was \$6 per 160 pounds. Dolphus Fox, of Olinda, was paid \$249 for the pro-

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o, and many others have fared equally

Now, if protection helps one industry

will help others. The best evidence

that free trade for Canada is unwise

and impracticable is the fact that al-

leged free traders are protecting to-

bacco to such an extent as to make

its culture in Canada extremely pro-

fitable. And in doing that they are

exposing the fallace of the policy they

professed white in opposition and are

still professing in theory when in

The month of May is well named.

The county council at a very slight

cost could have the lawn in front of

ing it neat as it is utilized everywhere

If cyclists would observe the rules of

"Secrecy in the administration of

It may not be strict business to let

county officials overtraw, but it is

o council who ought to do most

of the worrying about it. If anything

happens it is the treasurer who will

will suffer and not the corporation.

County representatives discussing the

matter for the better part of two ses-

sions puts us in mind of poor Jones.

Brown beard him pacing up and down

his room until the early hours of the

"I'm so worried I can't sleep," Jones

explained, "Smith's note for \$500

comes due to-morrow and I haven't

"That's all the more reason you

TR. PATTERSON AND THE WHALE.

This is a Fish Story and a True One at That-

It is of Local Interest.

A large whale was washed ashore at

Long Beach on Saturday morning last which has since proved to be a great

curiosity at that popular seaside resort.

The leviathan of the deep had evident-

X teen feeling unwell, as it was seen tooking aimlessly about in the serf by two men on the beach, who secured a rope, and wading out into the water, attached the rope to its tail and fas-

Anabeim, Cal., Gazette.

the first dollar to meet it with."

what was the matter.

comforting assurance.

the county treasurer and not the coun-

een driving. And this is

many similar instances.

It may be May, and it may not .- Strathroy Dispatch.

How June know?-London News.

July if you say it's not.

DR. CHASE syrup so as to take awa the unpleasant taste of the turper tine an

A Banker's Experience 3333

HEREAFTER HE INTENDS TO "I tried a bottle of Dr. Chase's Surup of useed and Turpentine for a troublesome ection of the throat," writes Manager Thomas wson, of the Standard Bank, now of 14 Melbourne

Austrian Giants Bound For Manitoba.

some of Them Over Seven Feet-None Shorter Than Six Feet.

New York, June 2 .- A party of Russniak peasants, the first, so far as is known, that ever came to this country, passed through New York, on their way to Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada, where the British government has granted them an extensive tract of land. They were dressed in their na-

The Ruseniaks, or Ruthenians, as they are also called, are the inhabitants of the semi-independent duchy of Bukowina, of which the emperor of Austria is the bereditary archduke The duchy lies on the extreme south-eastern corner of the Austrian empire, bordering on Russia, Roumania, Gali-cia and Moldavia.

The language of the people is a Slav dialect, which is almost identical with Little Russia. Their religion is a f.rm of Roman Catholicism. The party consisted of 9 men, 10 wonen and 25 children, all of magnificent

physique. Not one of the men was less than six feet tail, and two or three were more than seven feet. The women were also tall and weil formed, and the children seemed to be healthy and in telligent. None could speak English, but the leader of the party, Constantine Cosoelse. For a public building of that

character the jails's surroundings are tank the jails's surroundings are through an interperter he said that the members of his party were farmers and If cyclists would observe the rules of goat herders, and that they came from the road there would be fewer accid- the neighborhood of Czernowitz, the ents. A minister and a lawyer were capital of Bukowina. They were inlately tumbled into a heap in the gutter because the latter neglected in gutter because the latter neglected in en promises to them of wealth and wheeling the common sense rules freedom from taxation in Canada. which would have guided him had he

The women wore skeepskin coats just ike the men's, and their only other ered edges, and reaching half way ween the ankle and knee. The leg were bare and on the feet were heav mwhide shoes. Their head-dress wa rawhide shoes. municipal affairs is usually a danger to of white linen, somewhat similar t hat worn by Turkish women, and with good government" says the Toronto a long veil flowing over the shoulders Most of the children were barefooted in they only were a single sleeveless Telegram. We reproduce this for the to cut it out and paste it up where he garment of white linen, which looked note like a flour bag with holes cur n it for hands and arms, than any can occasionally see it and realize that

As a whole, both men and women were remarkatly handsome. Their feathe men were of the Grecian type and the men were clean-shaven except for long and carefully curled mustaches. The women were all handsome and

didy,
The same train which took them to Canada took also a party of six Cana-dians, who were returning from Brazil, where they had gome with 599 others last September. They had been inlast September. They had been in-duced to go by a land company, which promised to place them on fertile farms and care for them for a year None of these promises, they declared were fulfilled, and more than 100 of the party died from fever and priva-tion. There are still 300 of the party thorning. Finally he went in to see in Brazil, and they are said to be stars

ALWAYS FELT TIRED.

"I suffered with severe headache and ss of appetite and I always felt tired concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla and after taking one bottle my head-ache disappeared. I continued taking should go to hel, you blamed fool, and let Smith do the tramping," was the it until now I am never troubled with headache and my appetite is good." Laura Garland, 247 Claremont St., Toronto, Ont.

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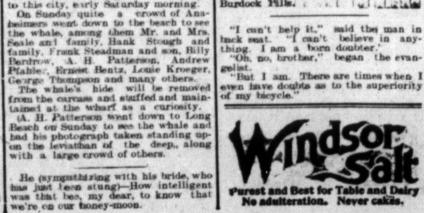
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"That one half the world never known "That one half the world never knows how the other half lives is quite an old adage," said an out of town man at one of the hotels the other evening, "but this should not be the case with one half of Washington. The other half lives on lunches. I never saw a city in my life where there were half as many lunchrooms to the square foot of territory. How they exist and prosper is to me one of the mysteries of this great city.

Why, take any part of the business sec tion of the city, and you can't cast a stone without breaking a show window of s lunchroom. Away out Seventh street, at the very terminus of the car line, there are several all night lunchrooms, and l have always noticed that they were doing a good business at all hours of the day and

"The first thing that attracted my attention when I paid my initial visit to a Washington lunchroom was the signs upon the wall. One read, 'Small steak and trimmings, 25 cents,' and was all Greek to me. I did not care to display my ignorance and held off many days from giving that order until that sign used to haunt me in my sleep. Finally I screwed up my courage and asked the waiter for a 'small steak, with trimmings.' He did not stare at me, as I thought he should, and finally ended my suspense by bringing me steak, potatoes, coffee and bread and butter. I asked him about the 'trim-mings,' and he said that they were before mings, and he said that they were below me. The potatoes, bread, butter and coffes were the 'trimmings.' This was my first experience, but new I can call off the bill of fare of most lunchrooms by heart, from the mug of cream at 15 cents a mug to the Maryland biscuit, unbuttered, at s

"Then there is such a chance for study ing men in the way they treat their stom-achs. A friend was in a lunch room with me at noon one day and pointed out several prominent men in the crowd who were eating all sorts of dishes in all man-

ner of ways.
You see that man over there making an entry in that little notebook? Well, he could buy this whole block and not miss the money. He is a regular patron of this place, and eats a Maryland biscuit unbuttered and drinks a cup of coffee at noon every day. He always makes an entry of his purchase in that little notebook, and I dare say there is not a clerk in his employ who does not give his digestive organs more chance for a display of their powers. That other man over there setting them up to a crowd, he's got lots of money, too, but he not only treats his stomach to the best the lunchroom affords, but he always has a crowd eating with him. You would think that if he were so generous he would go to a higher priced place, but the good, clean pastry, the fresh milk and the excellent drip coffee to be found in this place cannot be excelled at any hotel or restau-

trons of the room and their character as developed in such a place. The room in mestion was in the heart of the business listrict, and has the patronage of many business men, brokers and department

This room is interesting but cannot compare with another place down near what is known here as 'Newspaper row,' I believe. The time to visit the place in question is along between midnight and 2 o'clock in the morning. You will find congregated there the most heterogeneous assembly that it was ever your good for tune to mingle with. Race horse men. onts, bicycle cranks, newspaper men, telegraph operators, broken down poets and artists, and the man with the jag. "There is a waiter in this place who is

by far the wisest man I ever saw, read or heard about. He has a shiny bald head and wears an expression of profound thought. He sits at one of the tables and listens to the talk that is filling the atmosphere with words alone. Finally a discusion arises, and he is appealed to and settles the disjute forthwith with a decision slowly referred and from which there is no appeal. Whether it was the winner of the Brooklyn Handicap of 1892, the record made on their trial trip by any of the ships in the navy or the number of electors who voted for Tilden, he knows it all and renders the decision instanter. He can give you a tip on the winner of the next bicycle race, can give you the record of any man in congress and can tell the result, of the last battle in Cuba. And the strangest part of the whole business is that he rarely reads a paper. He gets his news first hand from newspaper men and tele-graph operators and has the confidence of all the sports. He can put you on to an optum joint or a place to get a drink after hours, and, in fact, can tell you snything on the face of the earth you want to know. He gathers all this information by listen-ing to the conversations in the lunchroom. There is no place on earth like a lunchroom for studying men and matters, and there is no town on earth that has a fiper collection of its species."-Washington

A Weighty Consideration. "I wish," said the bookkeeper discontentedly, "that I had taken up a scientific career. I've a great mind to be an astron-

"Are you tired of figures?" "A little."
"But if you were an astronomer you

would be obliged to make calculations on a scale that you never have to attempt now. You'd have to deal with million and billions and quadrillions of miles, in stead of hundreds and thousands of dollars, as you do now.

"That's very true. But I wouldn't be nearly so likely to lose my position if I made a mistake."—Washington Star.

"Aha!" bellowed the purple faced tyrant as the wielder of the bamboo paused for breath. "How's that for music? Eh?" The bastinadoed wretch was still game. "Music?" he repeated. "Oh, it is sim-

ply sole stirring!"
The heavy fall of the tyrant told him that apoplexy had got in its work.-New

I would do what I pleased, and, doing what I pleased, I should have my will, and, my will, I should be contented, and when one is contented there is no more to be desired, and when there is no more to be desired there is an end of in.—

Many a train of thought ought to be side tracked. - Middletown Conglomezute

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### FEEDING IN AQUARIUMS.

me Curious Methods Employed For the Greater Comfort of the Fishes. All fishes, including even the dullest and commonest, are likely to be shy when first brought into captivity, as in aquariums, and they are very apt at first to refuse food. Sometimes fish refuse persistently week after week, taking none at all and growing thinner and thinner and weaker, until finally they die. Usually, however, the fishes, with proper care, come to feed, though many of them may need to be pampered and nursed along at first. Finally many of the fishes, as they become accustome to captivity, get very tame, so that they will take food from the hand. Some of the fishes that will do this are fishes that might not be thought of as feeding in this manner. The codfish, for instance, will come to the surface after it

While there is at first necessary for their welfare not only the greatest care, but such food only as they have been accustomed to in nature or as they like best, it is in most cases possible later to switch the fishes off to other things, with occasional return to their natural food. Some fishes, however, will eat only live food, and this must always be provided for them. Not infrequently the food, whatever it may be, must be fed in some special way to meet the requirements of individual fishes, and some of the methods employed are curious and interesting.

has become used to captivity and take a

strip of fish held down to it in the fin-

gers, at the same time gulping in with it noisily a great mouthful of air and

Fishes in captivity have fewer opportunities, oftener they have none whatever, of lying in ambush for their prey, and they have far less room for sweep and action in pursuit. Killies placed in a pool or tank as food for larger fishes evade pursuit if they can and seek the edges of the water, by the walls or the surface, whither they are less likely to be followed. Killies will live for days out of water in properly dampened moss or seaweed. When first put back into the water, they are sluggish in movement, but they soon re-

cover their natural activity. In feeding live killies it is not unusual to keep them out of water for a time, so that they may be mere easily cap-tured by the fishes they are to be fed to, which might otherwise be unable to capture them at all, or which might get them only at the risk of doing in jury to themselves by running into the walls of the tank. Sometimes among the fishes brought to an aquarium there may be one that has lost an eye. Such a fish is particularly liable to injury in pursuit by running into walls on its blind side, and to such fishes there are always fed slow killies, and they are put into the water on the side on which

There is at the aquarium a hawksbill turtle from the Yowl islands, off the coast of New Guinea. The hawksbill eats clams cut up into pieces that it can handle. It likes killies, but it could not begin to catch a live killie in the quarters which it occupies, and at first it was difficult for it to pick up dead ones. So the killies were fed to it on the point of a stick. It is doubtful whether fishes suffer pain from any injury, but it pale a live killie, and so the killies were killed by the very simple but effective method of throwing them upon the floor. The greater weight of the fish is toward the head. That end naturally reaches the floor first. The fish is most sensitive at the nose. The shock killed the killie, and the freshly killed food was then conveyed to the hawksbill's mouth by aid of the pointed stick, which was withdrawn when the turtle had set its beak in the food. Now the hawksbill has become more accustomed to its quarters, and it eats well and is able to pick up the killed killies out of

the water. Sometimes fish are cut into strips. which, floating down through the water, may be mistaken for live fish. Sometimes such strips are carried down into a tank upon the tip of a rod and moved about in the water to attract slow feeding fish by their semblance to live small fish. There are many fishes that can swallow a fish as big or nearly as big as themselves. The sculpin and the sea raven are such fishes. They have very large heads and proportionately large mouths. When they are feeling well, they will, like many other fishes, rise to the top to get the food as soon as it is dropped into the water. If one sees a sea raven or a sculpin rising straight up through the water in this manner, with its big mouth wide open, he can begin to understand how it could swallow a fish as big as itself, for it seems as if one could see inside of it clear to its tail.

There are some fishes that have a particular fancy for worms. For these, if there is not a supply at hand, fresh beef is cut into strips resembling worms .-New York Sun

The Antiquity of Man.

Our geologists rarely use the term "quaternary." By European writers it is understood to mean the period which followed the tertiary and includes the present time. Archæologically it is divided into two epochs, the older including the preglacial, the glacial and the postglacial ages, all characterized by a chipped stone industry, the latter beginning with the neolithic culture and ontinuing till now.

Professor Gabriel de Mortillet, in Le Revue Mensuelle of the Paris School of Anthropology, suceinctly explains these divisions and sets forth with his usual clearness the typical products and the fauna which characterize them. He has found no reason materially to modify the opinions he advanced in his earlier works and still maintains that a careful study of the geological data bearing on the question of the antiquity of man does not allow us to assign it a more recent date than 230,000 years ago. -Sci-

Truth crushed to earth will rise again." quoted the earnest man.
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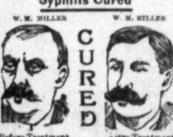
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Yesterday's wind gave strong addi-tional evidence that Fourth street should be sprinkled. Miss Belle Riddell will sing at the concert in the First Baptist church,

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the First Baptist church to-night. Admission 15c., two tickets 25c. Don't forget the grand concert

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cars, requiring two engines. It is thought that the Rev. Stephen Bond, of Seaforth, has the best chance of election to the presidency of the London Methodist Conference.

Hay shipmen s via C. P. R. have lately been quits heavy. A. Watt, of Toronto, has sent forward a number of cars lately and has about eighty tons You may have some article you don't

want. Somebody else, however, may be badly in need of it. Offer it for sale inche transient advertising column on the first page.

Lieut.-Col. Macdonald, of the Cana-

who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Wm. Mann, for the past two weeks, left to-day for Toledo, no a visit to an uncle in that city.

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ed to attend the meeting of the constabulary for the county of Eigin, to be held in the court house at St. Thom-

A very large member were at the train last night to shower rice and A very large manner were at the train last night to shower rice and hest wishes upon Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Noble. The large wedding party at the residence of A. E. Merritt, Grant street, father of the bride, was made up almost entirely of relatives of the

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Lieut.-Col. Macdonald, of the Canadian artiflery, Guelph, who has been visiting J. P. Duhm here, and friends in Waliaceburg and Windsor, returned home yesterday.

Miss Minnie Newton, of Orangeville, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Wm. Mann, for the past two weeks, left to-day for Foledo, no a visit to remove every particle of rust before repainting. painting,

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A meeting of the presidents and secretaries of the Conservative associations of Western Ontario has been called for June 7, at London. That is the day Mr. Whitney opens his tour there. The object of the meeting is for organization purposes.

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the county of Bruce, at Walkerton FORMER CHATHAMITE DEAD. The numerous friends here of Col. Webster, of Buffallo, who preceded Col. Bishop in the U. S. consulate at this point, will learn with no little regret of the death of his daughter Ambia, who was married shortly after the family removed from Chatham. A telegram from Col. Webster to The Planet, received this morning, an-nounces that his daughter—who was highly esteemed by all here who know her—succumbed last night of periton-

ARH THEY AFRAID. The James Jaw Corbett "go and lick somebody" attitude is evidently beand \$1.50. Our price is 98c. It's a wonder, truly. Suitable for lady or gentleman. The 2 T's.

Providence does not smile upon our streets into passable condition. The scraper and the roller have been out all spring, but their appearance is almost an invariable sign of rain, particularly when Victoria avenue is touched moon. Even the Banner's jubilee pavement is again at a standstill owing to the rain.

Somebody "attitude is evidently becoming very popular in sporting circles, and the lotal football club are the amused recipients of the marble heart in this respect. They communicated with the Cedar Springs club, who recently succeeded in defeating Dresden, asking for an Erie & Huron cup game here to-day. Captain Ed. Hambly writes Secretary Brrett, of the local club as follows: "Captain Ed. Hambly writes Secretary Wouldn't if we could; we're two much for you on defense. we're too much for you on defense. Defeat Dresden first, then we'll play

a view to relieving the crush always occasioned by everyone pushing and postling to go in and out the same side of the double doors. But the people generally do not seem to mind such little things as railings; and the crush is just as great as before simply because they come go to the right.

A MEAN ACT,

Before leaving for supper at six o'clock last evening, Ed. Coyne, merchant tailor, Sixth St., hung out a suit of light lothes to dry at the rear of his establishment. The suit had been cleaned by him and was hung out, by the course of the co It is reported on good authority that prior to pressing. Upon returning the Farmers' Binder Twine Campany about an hour later Mr. Coyne found in Brantford are arranging to take the clothes utterly destroyed. Some wer the immense Grand Trunk shops

JUST RECRIVED SOME NEW LINES IN CHILDREN'S

Footwear

Childs' Vici Kid Cloth Top Bals Childs' Vici Kld Chocolate Bals.

These are up-to-date goods and at the very lowest prices.

Childs' Vici Kid Theo. Tie.

PRETTY SHOES

# Boys' Clothing

GIVE A BOY STYLISH CLOTHES

And it makes the greatest difference in the world in his habits. He will contrast himself with other boys and take greater care of his garments: Keep himself tidier and take pride in his looks. Until our boys' clothing departis closed out the lad may be properly attired for nearly half the ruling prices at other times and other places.

> **EVERY SUIT AT** FACTORY PRICES



# Cash Only The 2 T's

# Wrappers

In this line we are showing all the latest patterns and give a description suffi-cient to give an idea of the line and invite your inspection of the quality and work-manship. They are all made with a fitted lining, a fancy yoke and extra wide akirt.

We have them in light and dark colors, sizes 32 to 40.....

		and the latest department of the latest depart	-
	Childre'n Sailor Collars in white	15e 10e	
and the same of th	Ladius' Feather Ruffles, in plain black	2.00 1.50	
	The O.K. self locking Hose Supporters, in black or white	15e	
	Elastic Belting, 2 in. wide.  E astic Belting, fancy stripe, 2½ in. wide.  Creponne Elastic Belting, 2½ in. wide.	30e 50e 90e	

The Bargain Centre....

# C. Austin & Co.

Agents for Glove Fitting Patterns.

# OVERDREW.

Continued from First Page. duty of the council to stamp it right out now and firmly hold the responsiout now and firmly hold the responsi-ble party for the amount.

Mr. Morrison, who was warden in 93 defended himself. If he was to blame the treasurer

and the clerk, too. Mr. Davidson thought the treasurer was responsible. Mr. Leverton maintained that the council was there to do its duty, how-ever unpleasant it might be. The real cause of the trouble had been the faintheartedness of the auditors. Instead of reporting the matter as a deficit in the treasury, they had brought it intas an asset and the council had not realized the nature of it.

WANTS THEM HANDLED. Mr. Morrison-I think the treasurer ought to be handled and Mr. Douglas,

Mr. McGregor asked if Mr. Morrison did not know of these matters in '93. The representative of Raleigh jumped to his feet—"I did not, sir!" he answer-

"Well there must be an immediate settlement from the responsible par-ty," said Mr. Vester. The auditors were then dismissed and a notice of motion given to appoint Messrs. Hickey, Morrison, Leverton and the warden a committee to thoroughly investigate the matter and

make a full report. HOUSE OF REFUGE. A petition was read from the Tilbury council asking the council to endorse the establishment of a house of in-

the report of the special committee. appointed at last session to meet the representatives of Lambton county re the erection of Fancher Creek bridge re the erection of Fancher Creek bridge was nead and adopted. An agreement had been reached whereby Kent gave a graint of \$400 to the erection of a satisfactory bridge, costing not less than \$1,200, without prejudice, as to maintenance. The agreement was signed by W. Nesbitt and A. McIntyre for Lambton, and Jonas Gosnell, A. Leverton and Jno. Vester, for Kent. A committee of the whole, with the sheriff, was appointed to examine the jail, sheriff's office, judge's chambers, and registry office with a view of deciding on necessary repairs.

On motion the recommended increase of salary to the Treusurer was struck out of the auditors' report, which was then adopted.

THURSDAY MORNING. The main business of this morning's session of the county council was devoted to dealing with the report of the equalization committee. Ex-warden Wright was invited to the platform.

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Mr. Morrison, the chairman, submitted the report, which was an exceedingly brief one and simply recommended a continuance of the basis of assessment adopted last year. He moved an adoption of the report.

Mr. Vester moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. VonGunten, that the report be referred back to reduce the assessment of Harwich from \$52 to \$50 per acre and that the personal property of Chatham township be raised from \$900 to \$3,000, Dover from \$800 to \$2,000 and Zone from \$250 to \$1,500.

An amendment to the amendment was introduced by Mr. Campbell and seconded by Mr. Von Gunten, that the report be amended by increasing the assessment of Orford from \$31.50 per acre to \$35.

The most animated discussion of the

acre to \$35.

The most animated discussion of the session followed, Mr. Vester making an especially strong plea to remove

the fraud that had been perpetrated on the township of Harwich for the

Before adjourning at noon it was moved by Messrs. Leverton and Wilson that Messrs. Hickey, Morrison, war-den, county solicitor and mover be a committee to investigate overdrafts and provide means for preventing same in future.—Carried.

The county council this afternoon adopted the report of the equalization committee which leaves things on the same basis they were last year.

HE FEELS AGGREVED.

Constable McGregor thinks the let-ter sent by the secretary of the county constables' association to the county council is aimed at him. He declares, however, the aflegations made are al wrong. He is never in Squire Forhan's office half an hour at a time, except when he has a case there. The statement that he works in partnership with any other constable he characterizes as unique. Three times only has be gone with freether constable on a he gone with amother constable on a case, and on one of those, the Winter arrest, he acted by direction of the High Constable. The other day he and Illingsworth arrested four men themselves, when they would have been jus-tified in calling in two or three other constables to assist them.

If you want to rent a house a small ad." in The Planet's transient advertisement column on the front page will do it.

# 1-2 PRICE

STUPENDOUS BARGAIN SALE OF

# Wallpaper

For the month of June

Commencing June 1st, and lasting till the end of the month we will sell any wallpaper in our shop for age a roll. This includes Burlops, Leathers and Pressed Papers. Every high grade paper the price is practically cut in two.

> Let us Show You The Bargains

# KEEP A WATCHFUL EYE

On Shang Ta Jen's Railway Enterprise in China.

hind the Belgian Syndicate, Says The Thunderer-The Scheme Has No Attractions for Capitalists, but the Road Will Be Built, All the Same-The London Times Also Editorially Discusses Canadian Affairs-The Writer Says We Are On An Imperial High Road - Other

London, June 3 .- The Pekin corresondent of The Times says: "The Chinese-Belgian Railway contract was signed on May 30. Under its terms the railway from Han Kau to Paoting-Fu railway from Han Kau to Paoting-Fu is to be completed by 1903. The contract appears to be unworkable, because, in view of the fact that complete control is vested in China, no confidence can be felt in the security to be offered by the syndicate. Sheng Ta Jen undertook to raise £2,000,000, but he will find it impossible unless he can float a new foreign loan from which to divert that amount. No Chinese capitalists will invest in the enterprise. The Russo-Chinese Bank has been appointed banker to the railway company.

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The Times, commenting editorially on the scheme of Sheng Ta Jen, says:

"We cannot doubt that France and Russia are interesting themselves in the Belgian syndicate, and therefore it would be extremely rush to assume that the Han Kau Railway will not be begun, even though it lacks attractiveness for capitalists. In the light of this it behooves our Foreign Office to keep a watchful eye on the progress of the enterprise."

SPANISH CABINET RESIGNS. The Government Upset Because Oue Mi

Madrid, June 2.—The Premier, Senor Canovas dei Castillo, has tendered to the Queen Regent the resignation of the Cabinet, owing to the difficulty the Ministers experience in carrying on the Government, in view of the Parliamentary situation caused by the refusal of the Liberals to take part in the deliberations of the Cortes. This attitude of the Liberals is due to the personal encounter between the Duke of Tetuan, the Minister for Foreign Affairs, and Prof. Comas, a Liberal Senator, on May 21, when the Duke slapped the face of the Senator after a heated debate on the Morgan belligerency resolution adopted by the United States Senate. The Queen Regent will hold a Cabinet Council tomorrow.

London, June 3.—The Madrid correspondent of The Times says: "The Queen Regent has accepted the resignation of the Cabinet of Senor Canovas del Castillo. It has caused a profound sensa-

"Both Houses of the Cortes voted without debate the financial supplies bill necessary to enable the Cortes to adjourn sine die, and granted authority for the issue of treasury bonds and the for the issue of treusury bonds and the contraction of loans guaranteed by the Spanish treusury to cover the expenses of the wars in Cuba and the Philippine Islands, with a special lien on the revenues of Spain for the Cuban war loan. "The Queen Regent then signed the decree suspending the sittings, whereupon Senor Canovas immediately tendered his resignation."

MORE TROUBLE IN AFBICA.

# larming News From Me

of Ballybooly Surre Salisbury, Mataboleland, June Alarming news has reached here of the movements of the insurgent Mashonas. The town of Ballyhooly, 12 miles from here, is surrounded by armed natives.

THE TIMES ON CANADA

# lastif Fence on the South of Es Will Make

London, June 3.—The Times this morning, in an article discussing Cana-tian affairs, says: "Canada stands midway upon an Imperial high road, the opportunities of which enable her to regard with relative which enable her to regard with relative indifference the fence crected along her southern fronties. The longer that fence is maintained in its present position, the more assured will be the connection between the Dominion and the Mother Country, the connection we have now had ample proof that both Canadian parties are desirous of maintaining."

Referring to the fact that Peterson, Tait & Company, the Newcastle ship-builders, have secured the contract for the fast Canadian service instead of the Allan Stoamship Company, The Times says:

Allan Stoamship Company, The Times says:
"Perhaps in this connection proper consideration has not been given to the services of Mr. Junnes E. Huddart, the promoter of the Canadian Pacific Stemmship Company. To his personal energy and labor it is being by due that difficulties apparently inseperable have been overcome and the adoption of the scheme of his inception has been made practicable. The public which profits from these services should gratefully recognize them and him."

NOT SO BAD AFTER ALL.

Cape Coast Castle, West Coast of Africa, June 2.—Licetenast Henderson and other members of the expedition attacked early in April at Wa, where they were making treaties with the chiefs of the Hinterland, have been released, and are returning to Kumasi, bearing presents from Chief Samory to the governor. It was at first feared that the mission had been massacred by the followers of Chief Samory, who is a very powerful chief, and who has hitherto professed friendship for the British. Wa is considered to be within the sphere of British influence, and preparations were being made to send an expedition to Wa with instructions to ascertain the fate of the Henderson expedition and punish Chief Samory if disaster had befallen it.

London, June 2.—The Atlantic Transport Line steamer Massachusetts, Captain Bocquet, from New York, May 22, for London, while proceeding up the English Channel in the midst of a fegran down a fishing boat off Eddystone Lighthouse. Four occupants of the boat were drowned.

Athens, June 2.—There is much speculation regarding the movements of Crown Prince Constantine.

Queen Olga and Crown Princess Sophia have gone to Volo, it is believed, to hid farewell to the Crown Prince on the eve of his sessing for Eughand by way of Brindisi, thus avoiding returning to Athens, where the feeling is very bitter against him.

### RED, WHITE AND BLUE.

ioners; Decide to Repaint the Stand Pipe in That Way.

Dr. Holmes was the only absentee at evening.

The Eric & Huron Ry, having applied for the cost of putting in a meter, the board offered a flat rate of \$300 for water used by the compaqy.

The contractors at work on the sedi-

mentation basin were granted an ex-tra month to complete construction owing to recent bad weather. It was decided to ask for tenders to re-paint the stand-pipe, the top to be banded in red, white and blue in honor of jubiles very

of jubilee year.

The matter of putting in a hydrant at Er. Joseph's hospital was referred to the fire and light committee of city

The commissioners agreed to furnrack water to a foundmin to be erected by the residents at the junction of Wellington and Third streets. Several applications for extension of mains were referred to the superin-

FOR LESS MONEY

Than \$15,000 a Plant can be Put in-This Ex-

Pert Says so. John W. Thompson, representing the Thompson Electric Company, Hamil-ton, is in the city to-day in response tothe city's advertisement for tenders for the city's advertisement for tenders for the erection of an electric lighting plant. Mr. Thompson, seen this morn-ing by a Planet representative, could say but little concerning the nature of his proposition to the city fathers or about the cost of such a plant as the city requires. This was quite natural as to do so would be to place competitos in possession of his company's

ngures. He had not, however, the slightest hesitancy in stating that the works could be erected and equipped and ready for operation with an outlay that would come within the amount-\$15,000vided by the by law. This for a hund-red-light service.

As to the cost to the city, per light. Mr. Thompson declared that it would cut noticeably below the present 231/2c. Further than this he would say nothing

concerning the subject. This company manufactures an en-closed long-burning arc lang, to some of whose advantages Mr. Thompson briefly called the reporter's attention,

They will run singly on incandescent circuits; burn 150 hours without recarboning; only trimmed 1-20th as often as open arcs; only consume 1-20th the amount of carbons; annual saving in carbons and trimming about equals est of lamp; no eartoon dust, perfect cost of lamp; no cartoon dust, perfect-eleanliness; complete enclosure of arc, fire risk; best diffusion of light, no shadows; nearer to daylight than any other artificial light; perfectly noise-less, no spluttening and flickering; mechanism simplicity itself, with noth-ing to get out of order, nothing to be admissed.

adjusted.
Proceeding, the gentleman explained at some length, that the lamp, constructed much upon the principle of the ordinary lamp used in stores, has an inner globe in addition to the usual. one. This inner globe, 3 x 6 inches, is neither clear nor opaque, but opal-escent. The effect of this is that the light is not confined to one bright speck hight is not confined to one bright speck or sputtering fire, but completely fills the inner globe "with a mellow and luminous light." Being enclosed, all gasses generated within the globe are consumed and made a source of in-creased light. There is no waste. The carbon burns much slower than with the ordinary light and, adjusting it-self much less frequently, gives a

clearer and steadier light.

The city will, by Mr. Thompson's tember be given the choice of this or

# THE MARKETS.

Chicago, June 3 .- Wheat market Chicago, June 3.—Wheat market ruled firm today, on covering by local shorts as well as buying for long account, and prices advanced, 7-8c per bushel from last night's closing. The market at the time of writing is steady at a reaction of 1-4c from the highest point. Liverpool cables us their market was firmer I 1-4d, higher than yesterday, advance caused by shorts coverged. berday, advance caused by shorts covering. Cash demand limited. Continen-tal markets were slightly higher with exception of Berlin, which was lower. Weather on the continent reported to be favorable. There was improved milling demand for each wheat here, but export demand, both here and at the schboard, was slack. Trade has been fairly large all day, and the mar-ket has decidedly better tone to it. Our stocks are so light that if present demand continues prices are liable to

work to a higher range.

Corp ruled firm and advanced on covering by local shorts and in sympathy with strength in wheat. Cash demand for corn slack, but very good for oats. Country offerings of corn are not very free and hardly any offerings of oats. Provisions opened firm on 9,000 less hogs than expected. Receipts hogs are not as heavy as expected, and ship-ments of meat continue heavy. We see nothing to base lower prices on, except efforts of local crowd who are already over sold. Think ribs and pork

CHICAGO GRAIN QUOTATIONS. Chicago, June 3-Per L. J. Atwater's

Wheat-July. 68 Sept. 65 Corn-- July ... Pork-July.. 7 80 Sept.. 7 85 -July. 3.55 3.60 Sept. 3.67 3.67 Lard-July. 3.55 Ribe July 4 30 Sept 4 32 4.27 4 22 4 25

MISSIONARY WORK

Missionary Work.

The quarterly meeting of the Women's Missionary Auxiliary of the Park street Methodist church was held yesterchy afternion at the residence of Mrs. S. Hadley, president. There was a very igood attendance and a pleasant and profitable time was spent by all. The different missionary societies of the church—the Junion and Senior Leagues, and the Mission Band, were represented. Miss Hillman, president of the Junior League, gave a very interesting geographical talk on India. Miss White, for the missionary department of the Senior League, read a paper that was very instructive and helpful. Mrs. (Rev.) Pickard, of Merlia, also read an interesting paper. Miss firl. Mrs. (Rev.) Pickard, also read an interesting paper. Miss Gertrude Potter and Miss May Mitchell gave vocal solos in excellent style. A resolution was unanimously adopted to gave vocal soles in excellent style. A resolution was unanimously adopted to be forwarded to the government in strong commendation of their action in respect of the age limit of legal protection of girls, and for the stand taken for the suppression of gambling, and urging the discontinuance of kinetoscope reproductions of pictured vice. The society learns with the deepest regret of the death of another of their missionaries in China, Miss Ford,

# Turrill's

# It's Just

The reason why our biscuits are so fresh and nice, is that we get them each week

and get them always in tins. It is a little more expensive for us, but the increased sales more than compensate us for the extra trouble.

OUR SPECIAL ASSORTMENT Of biscuits, twee 17-five different kinds, are crisp and fresh, 2 pounds for 25c.

GILLARD'S PICKLES Put up in mustard is a delicions relish, 35c a bottle.

Fresh, no waste, cut as you wish

CANNED BEEF

High quality, guaranteed by government stamp, 15c and 25c a can.

OUR FINEST MIXTURE

Has very fine biscu ts, light and flakey, nice for the atternoon or evening, 20c a pound.

Of condensed milk is pure, 20c

CANNED MUSHROOMS Are nice and tasty. Ours are the finest imported-20c and

25c a caa.

In bottles, best quality 30c and 50c a bottle.

Our English Breakfast Tea-black-at 40c a

pound will please you. H. Malcolmson

# **Times** Not so Very Dull

In the month of May we sold 12 piance and 4 organs. 16 instruments in all, and have orders ahead for delivery this month. At times we were short of some styles, but our stock is now com-plete with all the latest designs, plete with all the latest designs, and there will be no delay in filling orders promptly. We've no shop worn stock to work off, but everything clean, bright and new and direct from the factory.

# B. J. Walker

THE ART OF LIVING AND LIVING WELL--

le in judicious buying. Where you buy is of as much importance as what you buy, and what you pay for it. When it cames to food you want to know the surrounding of the things you are going to eat. NOTICE

The cleanliness of our store. Everything is fresh and appetizing and attractive. Our stock is complete, and we guarantee our goods pure and always fresh.

W. S. Richards



We got the drop On 'em all

New Barnes Wheel for \$68. Just think of it, they are a perfect high grade wheel fully guaranteed. Also we have the fatrous Racycle Wheel which experts say is the best wheel in the market to-day. Stands without a rival, the crank hanger is a jem, 20 to 30 per cent less triction than any other wheel made—\$1,000 the manufacturers offer if you can prove to the contrary. Call and see same in our show window.

indow.

We also carry a full line of Hyslops with the Anderson brake.—Works of art,

(The best \$75 wheels for \$55 in the market)

Chatham Loan And Savings Co.

SIST HALF-YEARLY DIVIDEND Notice is hereby given that a Dividend at the rate of six per cent per annum upon the paid up capital stock of this Company has been declared this day for the current half year ending June 30th, 1897 payable at the company's office, on and after July 2ad, 1897.

The transfer books will be closed from the 21st to 30th June, both days includes.

By order of the board,

# LEADS ANTI-TOXIN

Absolute Cure For Diphtheria Discovered.

Children in a State of Collapse are Around Playing in a Few Hours.

New York, June 3.—A number of tests have been made here of the new Bracelin treatment for diphtheria and the results are described as wonderful. The Bracelin treatment consists in the admnistration of chlorine gas which has been chemically treated so as to destroy the caustic and irritant pro-perties which make the inhalation of

chlorine impossible.

The chlorine solution is made as fol-.....20 parts Solution arsenic chlorid

The corrective is a combination of menthol, eucalyptol and camphor. The glass, and the patient is forced to in-hale the vapor liberated by the resultant chemical action through a rubber mouthpiece. The vapor, it is said, will kill the diphtheria bacillus in two min-

Dr. J. Etiward Pendergast, of Jersey City, thus describes the case of a little girl who had been subjected un-

fittle girl who had been subjected unsuccessfully to the anti-toxin treatment and was sol near death that the
vipor had to be blown down her
throat:

"The little girl had reached the
stage preceding total collapse. Her face
had assumed the bluish-purple hue
which shortly precedes death.

"I removed as much of the membrane from the throat as I could, and
then Mr. Russell applied the chlorine
gapor. The child was too far gone
to inhale the gas, and we had to blow
the medicated hir into, her lungs
through a tube.

through a tube.

The result was myrveious. Her

reathing sobn became easier. threating soon became easier, her theeks grew ruddier and her pulse be-came stronger and more regular. I had been up for sewertal nights, and finally went home and left Mr. Rus-sell to continue the treatment at intervals.

"When I returned at 7 o'clock next morning the child was out of danger. When I called again at noon she was

out of bed and playing marbles on the floor. It was a wonderful cure of one f the most malignant cases I have ever seen."
It is reported from Chicago that out of 105 virulent cases treated only one death occurred and the treatment seems likely to supplant anti-toxin.

# THAMESVILLE

A number of ladies intend wheeling to Bothwell this afternoon.

The Daily Planet is on sale at the Central Drug store, where subscriptions, are taken and receipts given. This paper is delivered free to any part of the town.

A TREUMPH WON. "Before taking Doan's Kidney Pills I felt that diabetes had its grip upon me. Now I know that it has been met and defeated. I have used the pills for some time and now enjoy good health. I shall always be glad to testify to the merits of this triumphant madicine."

RICHARD LYMAN,

### BASEBALL RECORD.

The Torontos returned yesterday ng from their victorious trip to Buffak up with Wilkes-Barre, and seat the Barons 9 to 0. Irwin's sen put up a sharp game in the ledd and their hit and run tactica sent nea around the bases at most opportune noments.

At Buffalo-Buffalo .... Buffalo ... . . 0 0 1 2 4 2 1 0 \*-10 14 4 8 cranton ... . 0 0 0 3 1 0 0 1 2 - 7 8 1 Batterles - Gray and Urquhart ; Gillen and Cunson

NATIONAL LEAGUE. At Washington—R. H. E. Washington ... 1 0 2 0 0 1 0 1 0 -5 10 5 Chicago ... 3 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 -6 8 1 Ratteries—McJames and Farrell: Denzer, Griffith and Donahue.

At Brooklyn—

Brooklyn ... 0 1 0 0 5 3 0 1 \*-10 9 1
St. Louis ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 - 1 8 9
Batteries—Daub, Fisher, Gylm and Burrell: Hart and McFarland. At Philadelphia— R.H.B.
Philadelphia ...000100001-263
Pittsburg ....003100001-5101
Batteries—Orth and Boyle: Hughey and Suzden.

CHARLIE'S TEAM BLANKED. London, June 2.—The Londons played a emarkably fine game to-day and administered a dose of whitewash to the Torontos. koore:

LEAFS BEAT THE HAMS.

Hamilton, June 2.—(Special.)—The Hamiltons played poor baseball in their match with the champion Guelph team to-day. Cochran pitched a good game for the local team until the fifth innings, when he became disgusted with the support given him and broke down. The score:

R.H.E. Guelph ....... 2 0 0 0 5 0 0 0 0 0 7 6 3
Hamilton ...... 0 0 0 1 0 0 2 9 1 4 6 4
Batteries Cochran and Conwell; Brudford and Powers.

THE MARKETS

Flour—Trade continues dull and prices are generally unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at \$3.50.

Bran—Trade quiet, with bran quoted at \$8.50 west, and shorts \$9.50 to \$10.

Wheat—Business continues dull and the feeding unsettled. Red winter is quoted at 70c high freights, and white at 71c. Manitoba wheats are kenvy. No. 1 is quoted at 73c, Fort William, and at 78c at Midhand, No. 2 hard at 75c, Midland.

Buckwheat—The demand is limited, and prices nominal.

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Barley—The market is quiet, with limited demand. No. 1 is quoted at 30c, Na. 2 at 25c and No. 3 extra at 25c to 24c. Feed barley sold at 21c to 22c.

Oats—The market is quiet, with prices heavy. Sales of white at 20c, middle freights, and of mixed at 19c, middle freights.

Peas—The market is steady, with purchases outside to-day at 38c to 39c, north and west. chases outside to-day at 38c to 39c, north and west.
Oatmeal—The market is quiet and prices steady at \$2.80 to \$2.00 for car lots.
Corn—Trude quiet and prices steady. Cars are quoted at 22%c to 23c west.
Ryé—Trade quiet and prices unchanged.
Car lots quoted at 32c cast.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET. There were 14 car loads of cattle unsold of Tuesday and 4 loads more came yesterday. There was not much business transacted and two cars of cattle were shipped back home by Messrs. J. Wolf of Brace County and Macamara of Keniiworth; not being offered as much as they paid the firmers.

formers.

The C.P.R. and G.T.R. each carried 21 cars of cattle to Montreal on Tuesday and w. H. lean's by the C.P.R. for export yestermy. 1 part
49 parts
49 parts
W Dunn will ship 15 car made, and W H Denn'2 to-day. Thursday, all for export. Prices for cattle remain about the same as Tuesday.
There were only 359 hogs on the market.
Prices unchanged and firm.

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Shipping cattle, choice 30 4½ to 30 43-5 Shipping cattle, ordinary .0 639½ 0.04 Buils, light export, good quality ... 0.035 0.029½ Buils, heavy export, good quality ... 0.03½ 0.0

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BRITISH MARKETS.

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Liverpool, June 2.—Spring wheat, 5s 10d to 5s 11d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 6s 4½d to 6s 5½d; peas, 4s 2½d; corn, new, 2s 7½d; pork, 50s for eastern and 47s 6d for western; lard, 19s 3d; bacon, Lc, heavy, 25s 0d; do., light, 24s 6d; do., short cut, 24s 6d; tallow, 17s 0d; cheese, new, 45s 6d.

London—Wheat off coast, buyers and sellers apart. English country markets 6d to 1s lower. Maize on passage rather firmer. Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures steady at 5s 7½d for July, 5s 6½d for Sept, and 5s 7d for Dec. Maise firm at 2s 7½d for July, 2s 8d for Aug, and 2s 9¾d for Sept, Flour 20s 6d.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat steady at 5s 7½d for July, 2s 8d for Sept, and 5s 7½d for Dec. Maize steady at 2s 7½d for July, 2s 8d for Aug, and 2s 9½d for Sept. Flour 20s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage very little doing. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

CHEESE MARKETS.

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June 3.—A meeting is called for to-morrow night in the town hall of all those interested in wheeling for the propose of organizing a bicycle club. A large attendance is anticipated.

There will be a meeting of the ladies of the town on Saturday afternoon at a o'clock to make arrangements for the refreshments to be provided for the jubilee celebration.

Kenneth Duncan and Noble Ripley wheeled to Chatham yesterday afternoon.

There will be no service ap the Presbyterian church on Sunday morning, owing to communion service being held at Turin.

Mrs. Crawford is somewhat improved.

A number of ladies intend wheeling to Bothwell this afternoon.

The Daily Planet is on sale at the Central Drug store, where subscriptions, are taken and receipts given. This paper is delivered free to any part of the town.

String Ont.

TWO BOTTLES CURE PIMPLES.

TWO BOTTLES CURE PIMPLES. pimples breaking out all over my face.
Gentlemen,—For a long time I had I was told about B. B. B., and started its use. After taking one bottle I was much better, and the second bottle made a complete cure. I have recommended it to others of my friends, and they have found it uniformly satisfacture.

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# **➣**The Dominion House

BLENHEIM PUBLIC SCHOOL.

Report of Blenheim school for the nonth of May; arranged according to

Room VII.-Miss Kinsman, teacher. Total 200. Senior division-Evelyn VonGunten 122, Maggie Beals 119, Edith Grist 102. Junior divisiou— Stella Putnam 117, Lydia Pegg 90,

Treadgold 87.

Room V.—Mise C. M. Morgan, teacher. Total 200. Senior class—Nettie Halleck 190, Effic Burroughs 190, Ruby Arnold 190, Eliza Russell 186, Ida Kinnaird 190, Fred Clements 185, Junior class-Jessie Rutherford 190, Nellie Gilbert 165, Harold Titus 160, May Irwin 150, Eddie Hewitt 145, Willie Durfy

Koom IV .- Miss Carrie Rowe, teacher. Total 400. Senior class-Lynn Robertson 363, Archie Campbell 358, Percy Collar 344, Elda Ransom 337, Reba Snyder 327, Florence Hawkins 323. Junior class—Freddie Bounsall 307, Bells Tate 385, Norm Samson 284, Amy Proctor 281, Herbie Proctor 274, Willie Young 269.

Willie Young 269.

Room III.—Miss Russell, teacher.
Total, 200. Senior Class—Orville Holland 178, Hazel Blewlett 164, Harry Walker 156, Orville Irwin 145, Mary Vandusen 143, Willie Heartwell 130, Junior Class—Roba Black 132, Robbie Mitchell III, Lloyd Shillington 103.

Room II.—W. J. Baird, teacher. Total 400. Seniors—Hilfson Pearson 359, Fred Byram 384, Howard Early 333, Flora Sinclair 304, Stanley Rumble 302, Lizzie Kindree 289, Juniors— John Nichol 362, Sydney Steward 330, Willie Pegg 318, Leonard Graham 313, Fletcher Beale 268, Nita Rumble 257.

Room I.—Miss Cora E. Putnam, teacher. Total 300. Class III. Egerton Morse 275, Bella Hartwell 264, Lee Dev-

Room I.—Miss Corn E. Putnam, teacher. Total 300. Class III.Egerton Morse 275, Bella Hartwell 264, Lee Devlin 244, Clifford Rumble 241, Nettie Henderson 199, Warren Pickefing 194, Stella Rumble 185, Beulah Tyrrell 174, Solomon Beals 160, Beatrice McKenzie 151: Class II.—Tilly Hawgodt 264, Albert Roszell 229, Fred Hebblethwaite 226, Flossie Watlin 207, Charlie Merrifield 206, Willie McGuinn 202, Arthur Griffith, 180, Harry Durfy 171, Percy Griffith, 180, Harry Durfy 171, Percy Rumble 158. Class I.—Mary Conneil 234, Clinton Early 162, Mortie Bunnell 151, Fred. Snyder 150, Mary McIntyre 96, Alex. McCrucken 75.

DAN'S WILD DUCKS,

Capt .Waggoner brought down with him from the Rainy River district a number of seu-gull eggs which he left at the office of Stevens-Campbell Co. Dan McIntyre was placed in charge. "What are those?" asked Jack Mc-Kerrall.

"Wild duck eggs," replied truthful Dan.
"They're not like any wild duck eggs bere," murmured dack.
"Oh, no," said Dan, "these are differ-ferent. These are the eggs of the wood-duck that lives in the north and

wood-duck that lives in the north and builds in trees."

Upon the basis of this understanding Jack took a setting of the eggs, and is to whack up even on whatever may come of the efforts of a duck into whose keeping the "wild wood-duck" eggs are to be given. Anyone else wanting a setting upon the same conditions should call early and avoid the rush.

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### DRESDEN.

June 3.—Mr. Ward left last night for New Books Ordered Accounts Passed The

a practice. They cleaned out the water in the town jump.

Work has been commenced on J. W. Harris' new residence on Hughes street, and John in looking forward to a handsome and comfortable building, situated on one of the best sites in Dresden.

All are most cordially invited to attend the afternoon School of Methods in connection with the Dresden W. C. T. U. on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock In connection with the Dresden W. C. T. U. on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Wright's Hall. At the evening meeting in the Methodist church a very interesting program will be rendered, consisting of papers on important subjects, singing, recitations, etc. A collection will be taken up to defray

expenses.

T. N. Wells and W. A. Johnson were in the Burg yesterday in the interest of Dresden's celebration on June 22nd. The Libby Glass Blowers, who were at the World's fair, have pitched their tent in Dresden, and are giving exhi-

bitions of glass blowing.

Stanley N. Carscallen has opened out a hicycle livery and repair shop on Brown street. He has up-to-date wheels for hire and for sale. Riding school open Saturday afternoons for ladies. The public will find Mr. Car-scallen obliging and courteous. Give him a call when you want to go for a spin.

### WALLACEBURG.

June 3.—James Clancy, jr., of the Bank of Montreal, Winnipeg, is spending a three weeks' vacation at the home of his parents here.

F. L. Stevens and Harry McCurdy wheeled to Chatham yesterday aftermoon.

on the corner of Herbert and Gillard streets and is removing his residence thereon.

J. H. Hudson, teller of the Bank of Mentreal, has received notice to report for duty at the Perth branch of the same institution, His position here will be filled by Mr. Stephenson, of Perth.

A committee of merchants made the rounds yesterday and arranged for a renewal of the early closing by-law. The law provides that stores shall be closed at six o'clock on three nights of

each week.

We are informed that Rev. Geo. Buggin, at present paster of the Nelson street Methodist church, has been stationed at Centralia, and will be sus-ceeded in Wallacetung by Rev. Mr. Mc-Allister. This change, if effected, will be the means of once more consolidating the two Methodist bodies in Wal-

# TILBURY.

laceburg.

June 3.-Miss Eva Stewart left yesterday on an extended visit to her sis-ter in Woodstock. Rev. Mr. Hodges leaves on Saturday for a three-months' vacation with friends in the east. His successor, Rev. Mr. Wright, is expected to arrive here or to-day, and will conduct services in the Methodist church next Sunday morning and in the Presbyterian aburch in the evening. Thos. Banker, of Detroit, is visiting

friends here,
A meeting of the bicycle club has been called for to-morrow night in Palmer's hall. As there are over thir-ty wheelmen in Tilbury there should be no difficulty in organizing a club, and it is to be hoped there will be a

good attentiance;
Miss Maude Shaw, of Chatham Coitegiate Postitute, arrived home yes-terday; and will remain until after va-

The ladies of the Presbyterian church are arranging for a strawberry so-cial to be held here on June 22nd. This will probably be the extent of Tilbury's celebration of Her Majesty's diamond, tabiles diamond jubilee.

The workmen at the gas well are boring early and late. This morning a
depth of 116 feet had been reached.

# BLENHEIM.

June 3.-District meeting of I. O. F. here to-day.

T. McCallom's team, attached to a

T. McCallum's team, attached to a dray, ran away yesterday, heading for Chatham. They were caught near Charing Cross. One wheel of the wagon was broken and one of the horses badly cut.

Sneak thieves operated on several clothes-lines. Alden Johnson lost a number of new articles.

John D. Depencier, Romney, and Miss Mary R. Riseborough, Harwich, were married yesterday by Rev. Mr. Holmes. The happy couple left for their future home, Renwick, amid a shower of rice and best wishes of their friends.

Harvey Winters has engaged a Mr. Trury, from Washington, U. S., to assist in his tonsorial parlor.

The Daily Planet is on sale at G. N. Babcock's Drug Store. Subscriptions received; and the paper delivered to any part of the town free.

Geo. Jackson, stationer, of Leamington has for sale a curiosity in the shape of an ancient edition of the Bible. It was printed in the reign of Elizabeth, on the 22nd of December, 1578, hence is 319 years old. It is provided with marginal references, and a concordance. It has also the Psalms of David in metre and the paraphrases. The peculiar spelling and strange forms of expression make it rather difficult to read and to understand. This edition is known as the Breeches' edition of the Bible. It gets its name on account of the wording of Gen. 3, and 7. "Then the eyes of them both were opened and they knew that they were naked, and they knew them both were opened and they knew that they were naked, and they knew them both were opened and they knew them they had been the country of the series of the series of the most promounced symptoms of heart disease are palpitation, or finatering of the heart, shortness of breath, weak or irregular pulse, smothering spelling of the feet and ankles, nightmare, spells of hunger or exhaustion. The brain may be congested, causing headaches, dizziness or vertigo. In short, whenever the heart factors, or times out easily, aches or palpitates, or times out easily.

### FREE LIBRARY AFFAIRS.

The Dresden football team played in Dawn, Mills last night. A number of football enthusiasts wheeled over to see the game, which resulted in favor of our boys by two goals to more. Goal, Bass; defence, Hayhow and Blanchard; half-backs, Johnson, Smith and Graham; forwards, Francis, centre. Stokes and Ripley left wing; Huff and Hitchcock right wing.

The firemen were cart last night for a practice. They cleaned out the water in the town jamp.

Work has been commenced on J. W. culating library and one for reference. On motion, the action of the commit-tee was approved concerning the picture and the suggestion about the book was adopted in part, it being moved in amendment that one copy of "Victoria, sixty years a queen' be placed in the circulating library. The vote resulted in a tie and the chairman declared the amendment carried, so that no copy of the work goes into the reference lib-

The following accounts were dispos

ed of W. Bressey \$9.24. - Passed.

Gas Company, May gas bill, \$4.70.— Passed.—London Auer Light Company, 25c.— Passed.

The usual salaries were also passed and the secretary authorized to draw upon the city for \$100.

Mr. Davis for the room committee reported having had the spring house cleaning done at a cost of \$5. Ap-

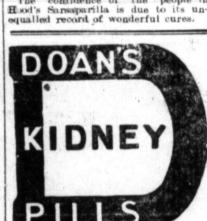
The tibrarian's report for May showed 14 new applicants and 1657 books given out, of which 1418 were fiction; and 42 reference. The amount received for cards, catalogues, fines and papers was \$27.35.

Secretary Davis reported having forwarded the annual report to education.

warded the annual report to education-al department, Toronto. The matter of subscribing to the Electrical News and Travel and Adventure was referred to the library com-

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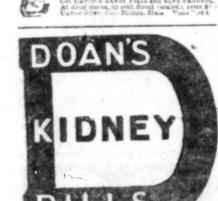
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Two Instances Related by an Old Hunter and Prospector-Ferocity Aroused by Hunger-A Tragedy In the Foothills of the Sierra Nevadas

"As a rule the mountain lion is a shy east, which retreats from the presence of I had to get up six or eight man and rurely will attack him even when times every night. I tried doc-wounded," said A. H. Davis, formerly a prospector and hunter on the Pacific slope. "I have brought one down from a tree with a bullet, and on striking the ground, instead of showing fight, the creature tried to crawl away to escape. Owing to the acuteness of its senses the mountain lion is usually forewarned of the approach of man in time to take itself out of the way. tyseen, and when confronted with hu-manity in the wilds it often displays a sin-gular confidence and gentleness. But there are two conditions which coompletely change the mountain lion's ordinary dis-position toward man and render this ani-mal his inveterate and dangerious foa. The one is the approach of man toward a female lion with cubs; the other is when the lion is half famished and flerce with hunger. At such times the lion's fear and the cubic famished and flerce with hunger. tolerance of mankind alike vanish, and it does not hesitate to attack him, even when the odds seem greatly against its success.
Then its innate ferocity, strength and agility, backed by its terrible equipment of teeth and claws, make it a truly formi-

> 'In 20 years' hunting and prospecting along the Sierra Nevada and Cascade ranges I have personally known of in-stances in which the mountain lion at-tacked man without provocation, and in each of these instances it appeared to have done so because of hunger. The first was many years ago in Oregon. Two men were driving a herd of hogs from the interior toward the coast when, while passing through a wild canyon, a huge mouning through a wild canyon, a nage moon tain lion sprang from a true upon the shoulders of the foremost man and tried to tear his throat. It being cold weather the man had an overcoat of California overalls stuff, as strong almost as canvas, with the wide collar turned up about his ears, and this saved his neck from the ears, and this saved his beek from the lion's teeth. The other man had no fire, arms, but he ran to his companion's aid with the long black snake whip used in herding. A blow from the long lash of such a whip in the bands of a map who can use it cuts through hair and skin like a knife, and with his black side he whip. a knife, and with his black snake he whipped the lion till it dropped from the man's choulders and retreated. The drovers took their herd along to the next town, where they told their story, and a party of hunt-ers went out next day and found and killed the lion, which measured 10 feet from nose to tail. This is a foot longer than any mountain lion I have ever seen, but the statement as to its length was made to me on excellent authority, and I do not doubt its truth.

The worst instance I knew of a mountain lion's attacking a man resulted in a tragedy. A party of five of us were in the Sierra Nevedas in November hunting. The peaks were already white with snow, and every snowfall drove the deer farther down into the valleys which were our hunting grounds. Deer were scarce that year, and for that reason all the carnivo-rous animals that prey on them were un-usually bold and hungry, and the ranchmen already were complaining of losses of stock through bears and wolves. There came a morning with a light snow, fallen the night before, just deep enough to track a deer in well, and three of us set out among the foothills in the morning. One our three was a young fellow nat

Tillman, net long out of college. "In the course of the day we got sepa-rated. About the middle of the afternoon my partner, Ferguson, and I came togeth-er, but Tillman did not turn up. Fearing he might have got lost, we went in search of him. We came at last upon his tracks, and following them up, we came, just at dusk, upon Tillman lying lifeless in the snow, his throat torp and his clothes part-ly stripped from his body. We at first thought it was the work of a bear, but the tracks in the snow showed it to have been a mountain lien, which had leaped upon him from a thicket of mountain cedar The fact that Tillman's rifle had not been discharged showed that the lion had been the aggressor. After killing this young man and lapping his blood the lion had dragged some brushwood over him and gone away. It was a startling sight to come suddenly on, and after we had laid poor Tillman's body out in decent shape Ferguson and I stood looking at each oth

er undecided what we'd better do next. 'It's five good miles to camp and no We never can carry him there to night, Ferguson said at last. 'I'll stay here and watch the body if you'll go to camp tonight and fetch the rest of the boys

out first thing in the morning." So I gave Ferguson what grub was in my haversack and matches and the ax and started for camp, leaving him cutting wood for a fire. I got to camp all right before midnight, and told the boys what had happened, and next morning at earliest daylight we were on the move for the scene of the tragedy. When we got there, Ferguson was sitting by the are, with Tillman, lying there stark and stiff on the ground with a handkerchief over his face. After we had talked a bit Ferguson pointed out to us an opening in the bushes 20

yards away. ... There's the murderer, he said. It was a mountain lien lying dead with a bullet hole in its forehead. It was a big and terrible looking brute, gaunt and lean. as if it had been near starvation before the bullet knocked it over.
"'I was looking for him to come,' said

Ferguson. 'He came before midnight prewling about the camp. The fire kept beno back for awbile, but he kept coming nearer until at last I got a fair chance to sim by his eyes. One shot settled him. If

It hadn't'....
"Well, it did not need be said what Well, it did not need be said what might have happened if the shot had merely wounded the lion, for the brute was fierce with hunger and already had tasted human bleed. We made a hier from saplings and got poor Tillman's body to camp and then out of the mountains, and thus our hunting trip disastrously ended."—New York Sun.

Hardening Steel. A process of hardening steel by means of an electric current traversing the redhot metal has been invented in France. Experiments made with tools thus hardened are said to have given surprising results. A sharpened table knife cut a one eighth inch iron wire as if it had been a string. lres bars were casily cut with a circular saw. Drills pierced cast steel plates with twice the speed and case of ordinary drills, and in all the experiments the tools show-ed no injury.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children.

GOOD APPLE SAUCE.

"And we had the best apple sauce," said a young girl when telling of a visit to a tear old nunt.

dear old aunt.
"Wherein did it differ from all other apple sauces?" the mother queried quizzically, for the mother thought she knew all there was to know about apple sauce. "Well, I don't know," said the young person, "but it was the best, and she put the sugar in it before she cooked it, and it was so different from any other."

It so happened that the mother had oc-casion to make some apple sauce for tea, and not to be outdone by any auntie, how-ever worthy she might be, the mother also put the sugar in before she cocked the apple, but the young person said it wasn't a

bit like auntie's.

Now, I happened to know just how this auntie really did make her apple sauce, and will tell you, besides giving you another way too.

Peel tart apples and quarter them. If very large, cut the quarters once in two. Have 2 quarts when peeled, and put them into a granite kettle; pour over them 2 cups of sugar and set on the back part of the range, when there is a fire in it. Let them cook slowly until perfectly clear. Cover them closely.

I didn't say anything about the water! No, and that is just where the difference comes in. The apples are cooked in their own juice, and this combined with the sugar, makes a rich and delicious sirup which will almost jell when cold.

Don't be afraid of their burning to the kettle, though they will if put over a hot fire at first. It will not take long for enough juice to exude to cook them, and they may be left whole. They must be cooked until they look clear and translu-

you can. Cut up a couple of quarts of apples, or have a couple of quarts when they are cut. Do not pare them. Put them into a small stone jar. Put over them two big cups of sugar and cover closely. Place in the oven and let them remain four hours at least. The oven should not be very hot. The apples will come out looking as red as rubies clear through, and tasting so delicious they would tempt even a non apple sauce lover to try them.—Household.

THE SAND BLAST.

omething About the Working of This Wonderful Process General Benjamin C. Tilghman of Phildelphia invented the sand blast process It is used for cutting, boring, pulverizing and engraving stone, glass, wood and other hard or solid substances.

The well known abrading power of sand when driven by air or water against hard substances suggested the sand blast to General Tilghman and led him to make his first experiment. He fitted up a very simple air blast, producing but a few ounces of pressure, and by means of a con-centric jet of glass this air was made to drive the sand against the object to be cut. He found that holes could be bored through ommon window glass in a few seconds. further experimenting, he discovered that be had only to improve the apparatus to get increased efficiency

The sand blast performs both heavy and light work. For heavy work a high pres-sure and great velocity are necessary. The heavy sand blast is used chiefly for orna-menting and dressing stone after it has been quarried. For light work the pres-sure is light and the velocity low.

Letters may be cut in marble by means of the sand blast in the following manner The stone or marble is first covered with a thin sheet of wax, and the letters are cut in the wax, leaving the marble exposed. Next the marble is passed under the blast, and the sand cuts the letters deep into the stone without injuring the wax in the least. In like manner any ornamental design may be cut into the stone.

Glass, too, may be ornamented by means of the sand biast. If a piece of glass be vered with fine lace and placed under the blast, not a thread of the lace will be injured, but the pattern will be beautiful-

ly cut into the glass.

The sand does not affect soft, yielding substances, but quickly cuts away iron, steel, stone, glass or any other resisting substance. The workmen can hold their hands under the blast and receive no inmry by simply wrapping their finger nails in little pieces of soft cloth.—Philadelphia

Her Bankbook.

In a nest little volume published by the Lincoln National back the customer is intormed that "the passbook, while kept by the customer, is really the property of the bank and nothing should be written in it by the depositor. The custom of some persons using their bank passbooks as personal memorandum books causes endless annoyance and labor to the bookkeeper; who has to handle large numbers of these books in a short space of time." cessity for positive instructions of this kind was demonstrated recently when a woman handed her book to the receiving teller to have the deposit recorded. It was found that a line had been drawn under the last figures made by the bank and the amount figured up, and then came the following

Paid Sterns ... Cook Theater tickets.....

When the bank clerk told the woman that the book should not be used for such purposes, he was informed indignantly that it was her book and that she knew how to keep tally on the bank .- New York Trib-

Three Used Middle Names. There were 56 signers of the Declaration of Independence, and only three had or ed a middle name: Robert Treat Paine of Massachusetts and Richard Henry Lee and Francis Lightfoot Lee of Virginia. The Lees were both natives of Stratford. Va. Robert Treat Paine was six years older than Tom Paine, the publicist. former was a Bostonian; the latter was born in England.

Some of Them Do. The master had been giving a class of youngsters some ideas of adages and how

to make them. Presently he said: "Birds of a feather—do what?"

"Lay eggs," piped a small boy before anybody clse had a chance to speak.—San Francisco Examiner.

The Bath order of knighthood is found in the earliest ages of the English sovereigns. It derived its name from the cirthe principal features in the installation of

Maids of honor may retain their posts in the royal household of England so long as they remain unmarried. There is no fixed age at which they are obliged to retire.

"I wonder," said the philological oarder, "why a fight is called a boarder, "why a fight is scrap?"
"Because it is a broken peace," the "Because it is a broken peace," the Cheerful Idiot explained, with his usu-al promptitude.

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Guilt Proved. Judge—Prisoner, you are charged with impersonating an officer. What have you

say for yourself? Prisoner—Your honor, I was merely standing on the corner asleep. Do you call that impersonating an officer?

Judge-Yes. Thirty days on the island.

-New York Journal.

IT DOESN'T PAY

TO PARLEY WITH RHEUMATISM. Rheumatic joints, and aching limbs mean ple, means inability to gain a live-So from that point of view it doesn't ay to parley with Rheumatism. Then here's another side of the question—the

days of agony and suffering. natism'compels to give up their occupation, and threw up a splendid position that it took

iem perhaps years tô attain? Mr. Thomas Warren, of 134 Strachan St., Hamilton, states under oath that he had to give up his situation in the shops of the Big Four R. R." on account of Rheumaism. He tried mineral springs in Indiana and mud baths, but these did him so little ood that he returned Home to Hamilton a

ipple. Then he started taking Ryckman's Kooteay Cure, and four bottles have completely ared him. He feels fit to start to work now If he'd only known of Kootenay at the outset, how much time and money he would have saved, and how much suffering he would have escaped.

Mr. James Watson, living at 64 Florence

Street, in the City of Hamilton, makes a sworn statement, he is employed as moulder in the Grand Trunk shops. He had Rheu-matism so bad in hisfeet and knees that he could not work steadily. He says since could not work steadily. He says since taking Ryckman's Kootenay Cure he has ot felt a twinge of Rheumatism. Now he can work every day, without ne slightest suffering. Kootenay has put te Kheumatism to rout

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SPOILED HIS CHANCE. 1 Visitor-Well, business is springing

ip in all quarters since the election. verybody seems to be ready for it. Little Johnnie (who has never learn d that children should be seen and not heard)-No, it ain't exactly that way. I heard sister Lil tell ma that she guessed Charlie Snooper didn't mean business, after all, 'cause he had a horribee onion breath on him when be came to see her last night.

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Words of anger soothe mine ear
When from those sweet lips they start.
Let them rush in music, panting—
Wondrous carol, bells of pearl—
As a chain of gems enchanting
In a silver shell may cur.

II-FAREWELL.
Fading, falling, all the autumn day,
Yellow leaves in gusts are whirled away.
Only in the distant vale I see
Scarlet clusters deck the rowan tree.

Glewing now with joy, now sadly plain ing.

In my heart I feel no autumn waning,
Yet in silence and in tears I press
Little hands with warm and mute caress.

LIVE AND DIE UNKNOWN.

The Strange Community of Hinkleyite

One of the strangest sects in the United States are the Hinkleyites, who occupy a small settlement among Pennsylvania's hills, a few miles from the New York state line, not far from the city of Binghamton. There, strange as it may seem, money is a drug on the market, and yet the inhabitants are contented and happy. But it is doubtful, though, the money in the entire community that it would foot or than \$10 at any

This peculiar settlement is known as Hinkley's Corpers. It consists of a half dozen houses, a like number of barns and other outhuildings and a frame structure used as a place of worship in cold weather.
As long as the weather will permit, the religious rites of this strange sect are held in the open air, usually in a cave near the

The history of this peculiar community is a strange one. About 35 years ago a man named Hinkley began preaching a crusade in the city of Pittsburg. claimed that Christianity, by disre arding the Mosaic laws, had violated one of the

principles upon which it was founded. Hinkley's crusade was so much of a ess, many prominent persons following his standard, that the police suddenly put a stop to the sacrifices. The result of this threat was to cause Hinkley and a few followers to emigrate to the mountains, there to start the peculiar settle-ment that exists today. While working about the farms the men wear ragged clothes that in the summer season scarcely cover their bodies, but on Saturday, the day set apart for public worship, they don their best apparel. The services open with an invocation, the sacrifice having been previously prepared and laid on the altar. The fire is then lighted, and if the smoke arises in a straight column both men and women burst into songs of thanksgiving, but should the smoke hang in a cloud above the altar a weird, wailing song fills the air until the priest has replenished the fire, prepared a new offering, and the smoke ascends directly heavenward.

A strange, weird and solemn sight is a funeral among these strange people. The body is carried to its last resting place on a bier, the grave having been previously lined with straw, and into this the un coffined remains are lowered. Each person in attendance then sprinkles a handful of earth on the corpse, all the while chanting the funeral hymn and finally passing out of the graveyard until only the sexton is left to complete the work of burying the

A wedding is an unusually quiet affair.

The contracting parties call upon the priest, who requires them to sign an agree ment to live together as man and wife and then performs a short ceremony, at the conclusion of which he pronounces the couple united. Then at the next funeral A wedding is an unusually quiet affair. or the next day of worship he ann the wedding, and the newly married cou-ple are accorded the rights usually bestowed upon man and wife-they are at liberty to purchase a farm, and the community will become security for the payment within five years. If at the end of that time the farm is not paid for, the priest, who is the chief executive officer of the community, forecloses the claim, and the couple are obliged to separate and seek work where they can among their fellows .- New York Herald.

Kentucky Saddle Horses.

Kentuckians have bred saddle horses for beauty and charm and have got them. a charm about the Kentucky horses that no other American horse has. No other animals I have met in the country exist in the memory with quite the fascination of certain horses I have seen in Kentucky. There was, for instance, a few miles from Lexington, a roan gelding that had this fascination to a high degree. He had the graceful Kentucky characteristics and yet with a difference. His beauty appeared particularly in the shape

of the rump and in the carriage of the tail. There was an exquisite trick in the conformation of the quarters. "Charming and very Kentucky," you said as you looked at them, and yet you felt you had never seen quite that before. It was perhaps a bold flight nearer the Kentucky ideal than you had seen. This quality of the figure was certainly due to an infu-sion of the Denmark grace. The tail was the other chief beauty. There was an airy grace in the carriage of it which reminded you of the fortunate work of some architect'of genius. "What have you done to him?" I said, referring to the graceful lightness with which the tail was held. "Nothing," said the farmer. "As you drive out of the gate you will see his old dam in the pasture to the left, and you will see that she carries just the same tail that he does." I did look at the mare on the way out, and it was so.—Harper's

Mayonnaise Dressing.

Sometimes when a mayonnaise dressing begins to curdle its evil course may be arted by the slow addition of a few drops of vinegar. If this does not correct the tendency to separate, there is nothing to be done but to begin all over again, with the egg yolk, the salt, white pepper and mustard, and add eil and vinegar or lemon juice in alternate drops until this new emulsion has thickened properly. Then the curdled mayonnaise may be slewly combined with it and need not be wasted. onnbined with it and need not be wasted.

If one is an adept at making this salad dressing (an amateur can never take liberties with so delicate an operation), a retary egg beater may be employed in the place of the usual silver fork for mixing the ingredients. This will be found equally useful and much more speedy in result.— New York Post.

There is a belief current in all parts of India that a certain snake called shesh nag, when it attains the age of 1,000 years, has a precious jewel formed in its head. This jewel, it is affirmed, has the quality of sucking up the person of the deadliest snake if applied to the wounded

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Teacher-Who was Joan of Are? Bright Boy-Noah's wife.

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TOO MUCH FOR HIM

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Tem—Well, he's neither the quick nor the dead. Tom (reflectively) - Odd, but that

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CURIOUS FOREIGN TERMS.

The Government Compilation of Weights and Measures Phraseology. For the purpose of assisting the tradesmen of this country to a proper under-standing of the weights and measures in ountries with which the United States has established trade relations the state de

curious as well as instructive features. The word "candy" in India means 506 pounds in Madras and 529 pounds in Bombay. The word "barrel" in Spain means 100 pounds of raises, while in Malta it is a customs phrase for 11.4 gallons. "Dun" is Japanese for one inch, and "li" is Chinese for 2,115 feet. In Germany the word "last" means two metric tons, or 4,480 pounds, while in England it stands for \$2½ bushels of dry malt. A person who said "pie" in the Argentine Republic would describe nine-tenths of a foot,

and the person using the word "sho" in

Japan would designate 1.6 quarts.

and measures, with their American equivalents. This compilation contains some

"Rottle" in Palestine means 6 pounds and in Syria 5½ pounds. "Seer" is Indian for 1 pound 13 ounces, "salm" is Maltose for 490 pounds, and "pood" is Russian for 36 bounds. A "catty" in China, Japan and Java means about 11/4 pounds, while in Sumatra it indicates about 2½ pounds. "Coyan" is Sarawak for 3 pounds and Stamese for about 2½ pounds. 'Fanega'' is a common unit of dry meas ure in South and Central America; it means 2½ bushels in Chile, 3.88 bushels in Uruguay, 11/2 bushels in Venezuela, 11/2 bushels in Mexico, and about the same in "Arroba" means 32% pounds in Brazil and 25% pounds in the Argentine "Arshine" is Russian for 28 inches and "artel" in Marocco means 1.19

In Denmark and Sweden some queer names prevail, with widely different mean-ings, although the pund (pound) is the popular unit of weight in both countries. In Denmark "tonde" means 3.94 bushels, and "tondeland" means 1.36 acres. "Centner" stands for 110 pounds in Denmark and 98.7 pounds in Sweden. In the last named country "tunna" describes 41/2 oushels and "tunnland" 1.22 acres. 'Mil' in Denmark means 4.68 miles. 'Bu'' in Japanese is one-tenth of an inch. and "to" in the same language is 2 pecks. acre. - New York Times.

HARD FIGHTERS.

Sticklebacks Will Attack Anything and

The stickleback is the most combative fish, according to The American Angler. "The raison d'etre for a stickleback encounter," says the writer, "is generally, I believe, that which actuates men to fight over women. When I have watched them whether there has been a lady 'tiddler' present or not, or, if so, which one she But whatever the motive may have been, I have seen them fight with as much desperation as would have been necessary if 40 females had been the point of issue. Not only will they fight one another, but they will even go out of their way to attack anything which may appear to them offensive, and if a walking stick be put into the water near a fight the two combatants will almost surely suspend per sonal animosities for awhile and make for the stick, butting it with their horny noses and trying to saw it in two by swimming on their sides with their stickles rubbing against the wood. Having conquered the stick, the two turn against each other again. "The victor stickleback assumes a radi-

ant, translucent green, his sides and gills glow with scarlet and gold, while his white under parts shimmer like silver. It is then st. in an agu the stickleback loses his and becomes a faded creature, though at first it fights the glass case if alone, and another if it has companions, till the mastery is obtained, when victor and conquered swim to the corners and die or pine

"The stickleback shoots at its opponent, strikes and is away as quickly as a flash. Then back it comes again. Their spines get covered with blood from each other's body, the spines being used like a saw whenever the one fighter gets under the other. Although the stickleback fights at all seasons, the height of the fighting comes during the mating season."

A Magnetic Mountain. In the Arabian tales a story is told about magnetic mountain which attracts irresistibly all ships, and when they come near extracts every particle of iron from them, even to the nails. Such a mountain exists in reality, although not quite as dangerous in its activity as the one mentioned in the oriental fairy tale. The island of Bernholm, in the Baltic, belonging to Denmark, consists almost entirely of magnetite, and its magnetic influence is very well known to the navigators of those wa-ters, and also much feared by them, not on account of the possibility of its extracting the nails from their ships, but because of its influence on the magnetic needle, which makes the steering of a ship almost impossible. This influence is felt even at a distance of miles, and when this island is sighted all mariners on the Baltic discontinue steering their course by the needle, but turn to well known lighthouses and other helps to direct their course. Between Bornholm and the mainland there is bank of rock under water which is very dangerous to navigation and because being constantly submerged vessels have been frequently wrecked at that point. The magnetic influence of that ore bank is so powerful that a magnetic needle suspended freely in a boat over the bank will point down and if not disturbed will remain in a perfectly perpendicular line.—Philadel-phia Record.

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Imp once meant a child. Shake speaking of the children in the Tower, calls them imps. Jeremy Taylor, in one of his sermons, speaks of "the beautiful imps that sing hosannas to the Saviour of the tem-

The title "reverend" was, until the sixteenth century, addressed to many others besides clergymen, such as judges and emi-nent writers, but from that time its use has been strictly confined to the clergy.

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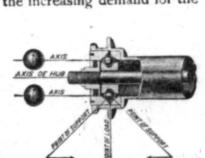
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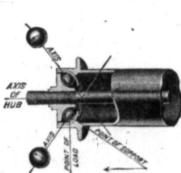
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# CANADA TO THE QUEEN

The Loyal Address Passed in the Commons.

The Premier in Moving the Address Made a Happy and Eloquent Speech in Landation of Our Gracious Sovereign, and Sir Charles Tupper Seconded in Like Feliclions Terms-The Motion Passed Amid General Cheering and the Singing of the anthem, and Then the Fight Over the Anti Combines Clause of the Tartif Besolution Came On.

Ottawa, June 2 .- (Special.)-The chief centure of to-day's sitting of the Comions has been the adoption of the address to the Queen. Both Mr. Laurier and Sir Charles Tupper made graceful and felicitous speeches, the leader of the Opposition paying quite a compliment o the Premier in regard to his carryng the address to the foot of the throne. Mr. Laurier informed Mr. McInnes that the time within which the Gover-nor-in-Council could disallow the Bri-tish Columbia Southern Railway And-Amendment Act expires some time next

Mr. Sifton told Mr. Lister that 1,425,-935 acres of the C. P. R. land grant 935 acres of the C. P. R. land grant had been patented.

Mr. Davin called attention to a statement in The Quebec Chronicle as to the inferior appearance of the Jubiles Regiment. The regiment should reflect the highest credit on Canada, but he was informed by an eye-witness on whom he could place the greatest reliance that some of the men selected would not do the country credit. According to his information the sizing-up of the men had been bungled. It was not possible to make elephants out of mosquitoes, or men out of mice. He mosquitoes, or men out of mice. He hoped the Government would do something to make a creditable showing for

Canada in England.

Sir Richard Cartwright said he was sorry to hear what had been said, even if it applied to a small portion of the Jubilee contingent. No later than yesterday, Col. Aylmer, who was to command the regiment, had expressed to him ethe Minister) how extremely pleased and well satisfied he was with the appearence of the contingent. Units had been selected from the various corps at the suggestion of the Horse Guards, as it would lend greater interest to the parade, and it was obvious that when 20 or 30 regiments were est to the parade, and it was obvious that when 20 or 30 regiments were drawn upon there must be a lack of uniform appearance. He promised to make enquiries into the matter, but with possibly one or two exceptions be had reason to believe that the men chosen

Caron said that yesterday Sir A. P. Caron said that yesterday he met two military officers from Que-bec, who were present on the occasion, of the church parade of the Jubilee con-tingent last Sanday. Those officers spoke very highly of the physique and drill of the men. [Hear, hear.] He was glad to learn this, as he was desirens of seeing Canada well represented in England.

Prime Minister, Mr. Laurier: The Frame Minister, Mr. Laurers: The Senate adopted an address to Her Majesty the Queen, in connection with her diamond jubilee, to which they have asked the concurrence of this House, and I am sure the concurrence will be cheer-Premier at this point read the

Continuing, he said: "I am sure the Continuing, he said: "I am sure the House will appreciate the language of this address. It seems to me to convey in very felicitous terms some of the spienders of what will be known in future ages as the Victorian era. It has ilege which will be more and more an vilege which will be more and more appreciated as time goes on, to live under what is certainly one of the most illustrious reigns in all history; certainly the most glorious of British history. In many respects the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria resembles and in other respects surpasses, the reign of Louis XIV. of France. In the number of years the reign of Her Majesty approaches, though it does not yet equal. of years the reign of Her Majesty approaches, though it does not yet equal, the reign of Louis XIV. In many respects it equals and in some other respects it surpasses the reign of the French monarch in the development of arts, and in literature it may be perhaps said that it is equal if not superior to, the reign of a Louis XIV, whereas in the application of the arts and sciences to the comfort of mankind and to the utility of the human race. and to the utility of the human race and to the utility of the human race, it surpasses not only the reign of Louis XIV, but all other periods known to history. It was the misfortune of Louis XIV, that his reign was cursed by war, whereas the long reign of Her Majosty has been comparatively free from that mighty scourge. Wars happily have been few, happily for the British people and for the happiness of mankind at large. It is gratifying to British subjects of all origins to respendent that

kind at large. It is gratifying to British subjects of all origins to remember that in the wars which took place the old renown of the British arms for pluck, endurance and valor has been kept to the highest pitch. [Cheers.]

"But, above all this, there has been the personality of the sovereign herself. That personality has been higher in everything that has tended to cultivate and adorn her reign. Of what we know of her private life we know that in all those domestic virtues which above all appeal to the humblest of her subjects, and we know that in public life, though she has been a constitutional sovereign in every sense of the

subjects, and we know that in posterific, though she has been a constitutional sovereign in every sense of the term, op more than one occasion she has exerted a personal influence in unravelling difficulties and in carrying the nation successfully through troubled periods. [Hear, hear.]

"Perhaps one of her chief glories, perhaps the chiefest of all her glories is that, in so far as she has been a sovereign, she has been in every sense a model constitutional sovereign. [Hear, hear.] For us Canadians, one thing which we cannot forget is that underher reign we have obtained the inestimable benefit of responsible government. [Hear, hear.] It is as dutiful sobjects that we approach her on this occasion, and not as aveophants; but it is our pride to give her upon this occasion, the allegiance, the willing allegiance, of free mes. [Applause.] It is in this spirit, Mr. Speaker, that I move, see onded by Sir Charles Tupper, that the pride to give ner upon this spirit, Mr. Speaker, the willing allegiance, of free mea. [Applause.] It is in this spirit, Mr. Speaker, that I move, saconded by Sir Charles Tupper, that the House do concur in the address of the Senate to Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen, congratulating her upon the completion of the sixtieth year of her illustrious and anspicious reign, by liling up the blank with the words 'House of Commons.' [General cheering.] Sir Charles Tupper: It gives me very great pleasure to have an opportunity of seconding this address to Her Majesty from the Parliament of Canada. After the elequent words to which we have all just listened with such pleasure from the First Minister, no poor words of mine are required to commend this address to the hearty approval of the House of Commons. But I may at the outset take the opportunity of expressing the satisfaction I feel that

A Member of the Omnario Board of Health says: "I have prescribed Scott's Emulsion in Consumption and even when the digestive powers were weak it has been followed by good re-sults." H. P. Yeomans. A. B. M. D.

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ais tribute of the Parhament of Canada will be laid at the foot of the throne by one so well calculated in every way to represent this Dominion. [Hear, hear.] The hon, mover of this address has already stated that the Victorian era will be one that will shed a lustre on the world. He has referred to the fact that as a woman, as a wife, as a mother, Her Gracious Majesty has presented an object of admiration and a model for the women of every country and of every elime. The condition of the court over which Her Majesty has presided has never in the history, certainly of this Empire, been equalled. In everything that has contributed to elevate the tone of public sentiment Her Majesty has contributed in no slight degree. As a sovereign Her Majesty, although, administering a system of particular and the supplementations of the court of particular and the supplementations of the court of particular and the supplementations of particular and the supplementations of the court of particular and the supplementations of the supplementation of the suppl gree. As a sovereign Her Majesty, although administering a system of par liamentary government which, during her reign, has reached probably the highest point that parliamentary government has ever attained in any country, has yet by her great ability, by her devotion to her public duties, exercised a most potent influence on the administration of the affairs of the Empire, and, as has already been mentioned, we have every reason to believe that on more than one occasion the

tioned, we have every reason to believe that on more than one occasion the voice and influence that Her Majesty has exerted with the Ministers of all parties has been such as to determine the fate of the nation-towards peace rather than towards war. [Hear, hear.] The great achievement of Her Majesty's reign, so far as we are concerned, is the fulness with which the great principle of self-government has been conferred upon the autonomous colonies. The House need not be reminded that when Her Majesty ascended the throne a rebellion prevailed in the old Province of Canada, a struggle caused by the determination of, the people to obtain of Canada, a stringgle caused by the determination of the people to obtain that power and influence in the control of their own affairs which they felt they were entitled to achieve. That result has not only been obtained, but, under the beneficent reign of Her Majesty, that fulness of self-government has been given to the ordlying portions of the Empire to the autonomous coldination.

of the Empire, to the autonomous colonies, and that has resulted in bringing about a condition not only of complete and thorough devotion to the Crown and to British institutions, but has resulted in the happiness, prosperity and well-being of all those great portions of the Empire. [Cheers.] Reference has been made, and properly made in this address to the union of this Deminion, and the following words have been "Your Majesty's colonies in North

"Your Majesty's colonies in North America have, with but one exception, been gradually consolidated into a united Dominion, the people of which have been, and we believe will continue to be, amongst the most loyal of the races and peoples owing fealty to the British Crown." We all not only concur in that sentiment, but I think we will one and all agree that there will be no exaggeration in stating this, that not only is this a united Dominion, but it is a Dominion which at this moment is as happy and a tinted position, but it is a frommen, which at this moment is as happy and as prosperous as is to be found in any portion of the world. [Cheers.] I trust that Her Majesty may still live to see a great confederation, not only of Australia, but of South Africa, and that those great entlying portions of the tralia, but of South Africa, and that those great outlying portions of the Empire, being thus consolidated, as the Dominion of Canada has been, will not only be equally happy and equally prosperity will become still more able and capable of strengthening the hunds of the Imperial state, and to increase the greatness of this great Empire, [Cheers.] In that prayer for the long life and freatness of this great Empire. (Cheece, In that prayer for the long life and appiness of Her Majesty we shall be joined not only by the people of all elimes, by the people of all colors and the peoples of all sections of the British Empire, but by every good man and woman throughout the world, who will wish long life and happiness to Her. woman throughout the world, who will wish long life and happiness to Her Majesty the Queen. [General cheering.]
The motion was then unanimously agreed to, and Col. Prior struck up. "God Save the Queen," and the authem

was sung with great spirit by members and spectators in the galleries. The Anti-Combine Ciause Ip. House having gone Charles Tupper arose and objected to the adoption of the anti-combine clause, t had, he said, been somewhat improved It had, he said, been somewhat improved by the importation of a judge into the case, since first introduced, but it was still legislation of a most vicious character. If the Government wanted to prevent combinations why did they not introduce a stringent bill against combines, so that procedure could be taken in the regular way before the courts? But this clause on the fact of it does what no law in any country in the world does, namely, punishes the innocent with the guilty, by providing that world does, namely, punishes the inno-cent with the guilty, by providing that upon the combination of any two or three in any line of manufacture the Government may place their articles of manufacture upon the free list, thus striking the other unoffending menufac-turers of such lines. He moved in

pendment as follows: That while this House is prepared to support a stringent measure for effectually preventing illegal com binations with a view to enhance prices, such legislation should not be included in a tariff bill, and thus leave the industries of the country to be interfered with by the Government without the judgment of a superior court of law." Mr. Fielding contended, in favor of

e clause, that it was the only way f reaching those who entered into ombines, as manufacturers might who had grown up under the system of pro

tection.

Mr. Casgrain pointed out that whether conducted privately or openly, any such summary investigation as proposed before a judge would be a grievous wrong fore a judge would be a grievous wrong to innocent persons.

Mr. Britton concurred in Sir Charles Tupper's objection as to the liability of the innocent being punished with the guilty by the reduction or removal of the protective duty. He proposed, therefore, that a provision should be inserted providing that in case of the removal or reduction of a protective duty to punish combinesters, those not in the combine should be compensated for the loss in the stock on band.

Mr. Casgrain: And who would determine the compensation?

Mr. Britton: Why, the Governor-in-Council of course.

in-Council of course.

Mr. Casgrain (amilest laughter): Why, that would be worse than ever; putting still more power in the hands of the

Government.

Mr. Craig opposed the clause vigorously, pointing out the viciousness of the proposed legislation.

Mr. Davies spoke in defence of the proposal, pointing out that the present anti-combines law was imperative.

Mr. Paster asked, in case a judge reported that a combine existed, would the Government have discretion to act or do nothing?

Mr. Davies replied in the affirmative.

Mr. Clarke Wallace pointed out how outrageously such a chause would work just about election times, when funds were needed, and the opportunity was then furnished the Government to aqueeze them out of the manufacturers. Then there was a combine among the manufacturers of biscuits and confectionery, and one of the prospective Caloinet Ministers (Mr. Paterson) was a biscuit manufacturer. Would the Government proceed against the biscuit combine? ombine?
Mr. Foster: Oh, the Controller of Customs is to be one of the judges.
Of course, added Mr. Wallace, the

CASTORIA.

BICYCLE FOR SALE?

biscuit trust would thus be safe. Yet the raw material had been lowered and the protective duty increased. There was a law now against combines, but the very word "unduly" had been smug-gled into it by the Senate and spoiled it, just as the words appeared in the clause under consideration. clause under consideration.

Mr. Davies: We use the word in you

own resolution.

Mr. Wallace: I have no resolution.

Mr. Davies: I mean your leader's re

Mr. Wallace: I don't know that I have leader either. Hear, hear!" cried the Ministerial-"Well." Mr. Wallace continued. "I have been so long now on my own hook that I've rather begun to like it." [Laughter.]
"Six o'clock," called the chairman,

rising.
"And biscuits after eight," chirped in rising.

"And biscuits after eight," chirped in Mr. Foster, getting up too.

The first hour after recess was taken up in discussing the provisions of the bill to incorporate the American Bank Note Company, which came up for third reading on motion of Mr. Belcourt.

Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper and Mr. Foster criticized the proposition to incorporate a foreign corporation to do work which had been done heretofore by a Canadian company. They should not be allowed to retain the name, confusing it with another company, viz., the British American Bank Note Company. Rather they should be obliged to go before the Government as private individuals, give the Government the necessary satisfaction and obtain letters patent of incorporation.

Thus was the bill talked out again, and the House went again and Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Wallace resumed discussion of the anti-combines clause, rallying the Controller upon his interest in the alleged biscuit combine. Then he went on to say that for 20 years Sir Oliver Mowat had terrorized the hotelkeepers of Ontario by means of his license law. Those men were effectually deprived of their freedom by just such means. In fact,

tario by means of his license law. Those mep were effectually deprived of their freedom by just such means. In fact, Mr. Wallace thought he detected the fine Italian hand of Sir Oliver Mowat in this clause. [Laughter and cheers.]

This moved Mr. McMullen to denial, but he got rather the worst of the wordy exchange that followed.

Mr. Wallace was certain the clause emanated from Sir Oliver, and was designed for no other-purpose than to hold the manufacturers in the same relentless grasp in which that a state politician has so long held the Ontario hotelkeepers.

The discussion was continued by Messrs. Sproule. Dupont, Taylor, Henderson, Bennett, McCleary, Kaulbach, Dagin and others, with occasional explanations from Mr. Fielding and Sir Richard Cartwright.

Shortly after midnight Mr. Foster suggested that the committee rise.

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The Government refused, having de-

Mr. Davin then took the floor and Mr. Davin then took the floor and spoke amid constant interruptions from the Liberal side and throwing of missies of different kinds. He remarked that if he could not get a hearing he would hold the floor until midnight next day. Shortly before 1 o'clock Sir Richard, who is to be leader during the Premier's absence, yielded with a good grace, and Mr. Foster promised that the discussion should close by 6 o'clock to-The House adjourned at 12,50 a.m.

# SECOND DAY AT HAMILTON.

Thorneliff Won the Cocktail Steeplechase Wordsworth in Front to the Openiug Event.

strongly backed at less than even money and, arthough the odds-on favorite, she threw her rider and the Hendrie pair, about whom 3 to 1 could be had, came been easily in first and second places. Acma Lyle was a 12 to 1 shot in the betting and came home an easy winner ahead of the favorite Samson. The upset of the day was in the closing event, when Mike Gorman's Odd Genius turned the trick with 20 to 1 marked up against him. There was a quiet tip out on the good thing and quite a few cashed in \$100 tlekets for the small outlay of \$5.

There was a rather sad occurrence in the second race, when Songer, the Toronto lockey, who made a clever reputation at New Orients the past winter and around through Chreimati and Windsor this spring, was thrown from the favorite Hume, and fractured a bone in his left arm. This will necessitate his retirement for at least two months. He got his mount off well in second place and only a length behind Benumont. The Hendrie pair had forced their way up around the turn and Belle of Stockwood crowded Hume, with the result that the horse went down and the rider got mixed up with the flying feet of the field and he was carried off in a limp condition. Lendrum was thrown, from Ben Morglay in the mix-up, but excepted with only a slight shaking. Songer is now in the Hamilton General Hospital. First race, 5½ furlongs, purse \$250, for nasidens of all ages. Belle of Stockwood 1. Givgaway 2. Hurns 3. Time 1.09%.

Second race, 'a mile, purse \$350, for nasidens of all ages. Belle of Stockwood 1. Glengowrie 2. Royal Oak 3. Time 1.09%.

Third race, Gocktall Steepiechase, about 2 miles, purse \$250. Thorneliffe 1. Chark 2. Dodo 3. Time 4.28%.

Fifth race, % mile, Burlington purse \$250. for note-winners this year-Odd Genius 1, Rideau 2. Kapanga Coit 3. Time 1.16%.

MASTER FRED AND BILLY DINMONT.

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Guelph, June 2.—The second and concluding day of the Guelph Trotting Association's meet. was a decided success; track
fast; weather perfect. Summary:
First race, 2.32 trot or pace, purse \$200—
Robert M., b.g., by Ontario, owned
by J. W. Smith, Goderich .... 1 1 1
Boloby Hale, owned by Burgess of
Hamilton. Hamilton
Tom Appleby, ch.s., by George
Stanton, owned by Robert Porter,
Stratford
Grover Wlikes, owned by John

Musk, b.m., owned by J. A. Rimm, Ruskview Time-1.07½, 1.09.

Chess Too Tame for 11tm. London, June 2.—Toward the close of the international chess match last night an American gentleman, who was in the room, received the following cablegram: "What's the use of playing chess with these Britishers; let's try them ...t poker."

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Ottawa, June 2 .- (Special.) -- Both poll-

tical parties held caucuses this morning The gathering in room 16-the Liberal headquarters was very largely attend ed, and was kept up until the unuspal hour of 2 o'clock. There were important topics under discussion and members wanted to have their say on them. Mr. wanted to have their say on them. Mr. Julius Seriver, the veteran of the House, presided. The Government's railway policy, especially with regard to the Crow's Nest Pass Railway, was announced by Mr. Blair. An agreement has been reached by the Government with the C. P. R., under which the Government will pay to the company a subsidy of \$11,000 per mile; for 330 miles from Lethbridge, N. W. T., to Nelson, B. C., the line to be completed this year. The Government reserves to itself the right to regulate the terms and conditions upon which the timber and conditions upon which the timber and timber lands are to be sold, and receives from the company 50,000, acres of the valuable coal lands acquired by the C. P. R. some months ago under the British Columbia Southern charter, these coal lands having been originally granted by lands having been originally granted by the Provincial Government as a subsidy to assist in building the road. The C. P. R. Company makes reduc-

The C. P. R. Company tions in rates on important classes of freight over its main line and connec-tions coming from the east of Lake treight over its main the east of Lake Superior, and especially on wheat, coal oil, hardware, fruit, etc. These reductions in some cases are as high as 33 per cent. On wheat there is to be a reduction in the freight the first year of 1 1-2 cents per bushel, and a similar reduction the second year, making 3 reduction the second year, making 3 cents altogether.

Those who have looked into this mat-

ter state that the cut in rates will mean about \$600,000 a year to the farmers of the Province of Manitoba alone. Be-sides this, the company binds itself to submit its rates on all business to and from the Crow's Nest line, to and from all points on the C. P. R. and its connections in other parts of Canada, to the control of the Railway Committee of the Privy Council. All railways are to have running powers over the

whether or not effect should be given whether or not effect should be given by legislation to the agreement this session. Several of the western members urged that the matter be postponed until next session, on the ground that better terms might possibly be secured from the C. P. R. It was eventually decided however to legislate on the protest. cided, however, to legislate on the mat-ter this session. The bill will be down

Then there was a further lively talk over the construction of local lines in British Columbia. Mr. Heinze, who owns the railway from Trail to Rossland, is here, and wants to get the charter, which will give him control over a notified of

place on the bill to make the Con-trollers Ministers of full Cabinet rank and, although this proposal was criticized, it was decided to press the bithis year. Mr. Laurier addressed his followed. lowers at some length, expressing the hope that they would accord the Minis-try during his absence the same loyal support that he had been given. It was desirable that the session should be brought to as early a termination as possible, on account of the season of

the year, and the fact that he would be absent some time.

Mr. Laurier intimated that such measures as the new franchise and supperannuation bills will be held over till next session. Incidentally the other Government measures are the contraction. Government measures now on the der paper, such as the tariff, the esti-mates and the bill to restore the Con-trollers to the full status of Cabinet Ministers must be passed. The prohibi-tion bill will also be pressed to provide for a plebiscite.

The Conservatives had a very brie but harmonious gathering in the Rail-way Committee room, under the presi-dency of Mr. E. B. Osler, M. P. for West Toronto, It was decided to not unduly prolong the session, but indeed to help it along to an early prorogation. The further action of the party in reto the tariff was discussed, and it decided to submit an aroundment to the combines clause, which was done this

# VIOLET HAS GOT BAIL

But There is a Prospect That Her Com-Buffalo, June 2.-Canadian friends have come to the rescue of Violet Cleve-land and have furnished \$500 bonds for her appearance before the federal

her appearance before the federal grand jury in September. With Francis R. Robinson, she was arrested at Niagara Falls last week, charged with using the United States mails for blackmailing purposes. There seems to be a prospect of Rob-tason's remaining in jail until he ap-lation of the grand jury in Septempears before the grand jury in Septa ber, as his friends so far have sho no inclination to furnish the necessary \$2000 bonds for his appearance.

SMALL BOY WITH MATCHES

Started's Fire in Brampton and Caused Less of About \$1200 Brampton, June 2 .- (Special.) - A small Brampton, June 2.—(Special.)—A small boy playing with matches started a fire at William Fendlay's, the market gardener and huckster, this evening at 6. A large stable and a hennery, with valuable contents, including a fine driving horse, were destroyed. A large section of the greenhouse and contents were ruined. The loss is upwards of \$1200, with \$250 insurance.

The Sultan Accepts Mr. Angell New York, June 2.—A special to The Tribune from Washington says: The Sultan of Turkey has withdrawn his objection to the appointment of James B. Angell as Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of the United States at Constantinople. Official word to this effect was to-day received by cable by Secretary Sherman.

SIGNS OF WORMS are variable ap-petite, itching at the nose, etc. Dr. Low's Worm Syrup is the best worm

Messrs. Atkinson & Rispin have some valuable building lots on Wellington street for sale at very low figures. Intending purchasers should see them at once. They also have a large quantity of money to loan, at very low rate of interest.

# PREDICTION COMES TRUE.

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However, for the benefit of those who may still doubt the curative powers of Dr. Hobbs' Sparagus Kidney Pills we herewith appent to this article more convincing proof:

One of the Best Known Men in Michigan Indorses Dr. Hobbs r paragus Kidney Pills, Say They Work Like a Charm

A reporter called on Col, A./T. Mc-Reynolds of \$25 Madison avenue, Grand Rapids, and found a man of ninety years of age, remarkably well preserv-el, and in reply to his question told the ollowing interesting experience: "I am ninety years old and have fived in the the state of Michigan for sixty-three years, holding many political positions during that time. I suppose I am one of the best known men in the state today. I have not known what it was to to be sick or have a doctor until a year ago last winter, when I was taken Then crowd on the second day of the Hamilton meeting was about the same size as on the first, with the same good curruen from Toronto. The weather was in and the track fast. It was a day or general upsets and the talent were all askew on their choices. Curiously enough the only favorite was in the steeplechase, when Thorneliffe, at 1 to 2, won handily wordsworth came in a winner and was a split favorite with Hurus, both being strongly played at 2's and 3's. Hume was strongly played at 2's and 3's. Hume was strongly backed at less than even money and, aithough the oddson favorite, she three her rider and the Hendric pair, about whom 3 to 1 could be had, came count upon his active opposition here count upon his active opposition here. started taking them at once and to ny surprise, as well as satisfaction, I began to improve from the very star I am now using my first regular box that I got from my drusselet after the that I got from my druggist after the samples were used up. I find that the pages in my kidneys and bladder have left-me entirely, and the swelling has disappeared in my feet. In fact all the weakness and bad symptoms have gone, and I cannot find worth to ex-press my gratifule to the Holts' Re-medy Co., for bringing before my notice a remisity that does the work such a satisfactory manner as Hobbs' Sparagus Kidney Pills. work like a charm, and I take great pleasure in being able to tell my friends what they have done for me.

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