# The Chatham Daily Planet.

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# Sale of Dress Goods

On Sa urday next, Nov. 24th, we are going to have a big sale of Dress Goods, and we want you to take advantage of our offerings. You will find these goods mentioned below on tables in our Dress Goods aisle next Saturday, and the early shopper will get best choice.

### DRESS GOODS

- 3 pcs. Twill Costume Suiting, in colors navy, brown and garnet, good, heavy, durable, very special on Saturday..... brown, oxford gray, black, blue gray, navy, very special, on Saturday for.....
- 8 pcs. fancy small checks, in very suitable dark colorings, for ladies' waists and children's dresses, made to sell at 40c a yard, special next Saturday...... 25c 9 pcs. fancy Plaids, newest colors and in excellent pat-terns, good weight and durable, special at.....

### DRESS GOODS

- 4 pcs. Camel's Hair Cheviot Serges, in good colors of blue gray, brown mix, fawn, slate, reg. price 75c a yard, the newest effects of the season, very special next

### SALE OF MILLINERY

Our sale of Millinery as advertised last week was successful beyond our expectation and we are so encouraged in our efforts to give you the latest up to date styles in Millinery at low prices that we are going to repeat the sale next Saturday, only giving you better bargains and hats trimmed with more care and painstaking. These are the prices at which you can buy stylish trimmed hats next Saturday,

\$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.00

The regular prices of these hats would be \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.25, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4, and \$5.

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**IMPORTERS** 

Good Advice About

# UNDERCLOTHING

What Kind to Wear

It all depends on the individual; but from all information gathered from the various medical experts, ALL-WOOL UNDERWEAR is the safest for the majority of people to wear. Most people delay too long in putting on the Heavyweight Underwear, thinking they will not derive the benefit when the real cold weather sets in. This is a great mustake. More people die of pneumonia than sunstroke, the corollary of which is that there is more danger of dressing too lightly than too heavily. Most men need a barrier between them and the raw, cold atmosphere, which shall be a non-conductor of heat, and woolen goods are an excellent non-conductor. Wool is the natural protection of all animals. After a man has put on heavyweight he should grapple it to his soul with rods of steel, for if he tries to dodge the autumnal changes by shifting his attire to suit the conditions, sooner or later the weather will eatch him napping.

### WHERE TO BUY YOUR WINTER UNDERWEAR

50c per Suit-Heavy and Medium Cotton Underwear Shirts 75c per Suit-Mixed Cotton and Wool Underwear, good

\$1.00 per Suit-It is always our aim to have the very best value in every line we shew in Underwear, but there are some prices that we buy largely to secure lower prices and offer better grades for the money, and our one dollar per suit is the best that can be procured in Scotch Knit Pure All-Wool.

\$1.50 per Suit—This is another popular price, and at that figure we have wonderful value in Soft Knit Pure Wool, Sateen finished Shirts and Drawers, all sizes. 34 to 40 inch chest measures—comfortable and warm and will wear well.

\$1.50 per Suit-American manufactured, fleece-lined all and very popular this season.

\$2.00 per Suit—Our big selling line for the last three years was \$2.25 per suit, and this year, notwithstanding the big advance in Wools, we have secured a large stock of this line at a very close figure, and we have decised to sell them at \$2.00 per suit, making it, without a doubt, the best line offered in Chattana and the work of the second selection of the second selection. ham for the money. All sizes, 34 to 44 inches.

Fine Grade Goods—We have also a good assortment of higher class goods in Natural Wool, Medium and Heavy Weight Scotch Lamb's Wool, Silk and Wool and Pure Silk Underwear at \$2.50 and \$3.00.

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We have not said much lately about .

as Stoves and Ranges have claimed our attention. Now a word about Lamps.

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89 KING STREET

### WHISKEY AND JEALOUSY

Caused a Bloody Tragedy at Bradford Pa.,-Brakeman Shot His Wife and Killed Himself.

Bradford, Pa., Nov. 23.-Yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, John J. Keating, aged 39, a passenger brakeman on the Buffalo. Rochester and Pittsburg railroad, fatally shot his wife, aged 35, and then turning the smoking weapon against his own breast, fired a bullet through his heart. Two bullets were fired at Mrs. Keating. The first entered her left temple, and the second passed through her left breast. After the shooting of the ewoman, Keating seemed to suddenly realize what he was doing. "My God, my God," he shricked, "what have I done?" Then he shot himself and fell forward against the body of his wife. Both were soon dead. In a small room near where the shooting occurred a near where the shooting occurred a little 9-year-old son of the dead woman by a former husband, lay sick of the scarlet fever. The sounds of the shooting and the frightful death of his mother and stepfather produced a shock to the little patient which may also end his life. The cause of the tragedy is ascribed to whiskey and insane jealousy without cause.

### CHATHAM TO NEW YORK.

The trains from Chatham to New York via Grand Trunk and Lehigh Valley leave at 9 02 a. m. and 3.30 p. m. Passengers going by Lehigh Valley are landed in New York uptown near all European steamship docks, saving passengers for Europe a long and expensive transfer. For tickets, Pullmans, and further information call at Grand Trunk city or station ticket office.

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### So Oom Paul Says of the Boers.

steamed into the outer harbor, firing a salute of twenty-one guns, to which a shore battery replied. Mr. Kruger cannot but be elated at the warmth of cannot but be elated at the warmth of his reception by the people of Marseilles to-day. From the moment the white, twelve-oared barge left the side of the Gelderland, with ex-President Kruger sitting in her stern, surrounded by the Boer representatives, the storm of cheering never ceased until he entered his hotel. Even then a vast concourse of people remained. until he entered his hotel. Even then a vast concourse of people remained in front of the building until Mr. Kruger arrived on the balcony, where he had to remain for some time uncovered, acknowledging the acclamations of his thousands of admirers, who cheered until they were hoarse. The fighting declaration which Mr. Kruger made at the landing stage dispelled at once any impression that he pelled at once any impression that he might intend to accept a compromise from the British Government. His announcement was greeted with a roar of cheers, and cried of "Vive Kruger!" "Vive les Boers!" "Vive la Liberte!" "Vive les Boers!" "Vive la Liberte!"
He repeated the sentiment from the hotel balcony, where, replying to the storm of acclamations from the solid block of thousands of people, Mr. Kruger said the reception given him would do much to sooth the wounds in his heart. The Boers, said he, would never sacrifice their freedom. They would rather be exterminated to the last man.

KRIGER'S SPEECH.

KRUGER'S SPEECH. Following is the text of Mr. Kru-ger's speech :- "I thank the president of the Marseilles committee and the president of the central committee of the independence of the Boers for their welcome. I thank all this popu-lation assembled in great concourse to greet me, for I hough I wear mourning for the misfortunes of my country, and although I have not come to seek festivities, still I accept with all my heart the acclamations, for I know they are distated to you by the emotions which are inspired in you emotions which are inspired in you by our trials and by your sympathy for our cause, which is that of liberty, which awakened you. I am truly proud and happy at having chosen as my point of landing a port in France, to set foot on free soil, and to be received by you as a free man. But my first duty is to thank your Government for all these tokens of interest that again only recently it was

pleased to give me. I believe England, had she been botter informed, would never have consented to this war, and since the expedition of Jameson, who wished to seize the two republics without the necessity of firing a rifle shot, I have never ceased to demand a tribunal of arbitraed to demand a tribunal of a arbitration, which up to now has always been refused. The war waged on us in the two regablics reached the last limits of barbarism. During my life I have had to fight many times the savages of the tribes of Africa. But the barbarians we have to fight now are worse than the others. They even urge the Kaffirs against us. They burn the farms we worked so hard to construct, and they drive out our women and children, whose husbands and brothers they have killed or taken prisoners, leaving them unprotected Marseifles, Nov. 23. — The Gelderland was sighted several miles out at seven o'clock in the morning, and Dr. Leyds and Messrs. Fischer and Wessels, an interpreter and Dr. Van Hammel immediately proceeded to the Dutch warship in a steam launch, and soon afterward boarded her. A conference between the Boer leaders ensued. The Gelderland remained behind the Island of the Chateau D'If, made famous in Dumas' "Monte Christo," until ten o'clock, when she steamed into the outer harbor, firing a salute of twenty-one guns, to which a TRAITOR SPEAKS. A TRAITOR SPEAKS.

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Michael Davitt delivered a short address in behalf of the Irish people, which evoked much enthusiastic applause from those present, during which cries of "Vive!" Ireland" resounded. The gist of Mr. Davitt's address was interpreted to Mr. Kruger sounded. The gist of Mr. Davitt's address was interpreted to Mr. Kruger who is pleased with his reception, Mr. Kruger only replied in the hall of the hotel to the first address delivered by M. Thourel, president of the Marseilles committee, who presented the traveller with a symbolic brouge group entitled "the defence of bronze group entitled "the defence of

MOBBED THE ENGLISH.

Mr, Kruger received a great ova-tion from his hearers. Although the former president had retired for a rest, the crowd still remained in front of the hotel and horse cars and carof the hotel and horse cars and carriages could only pass with the utmost difficulty. The crowd called upon a party throwing sous from the balt cony of the hotel to take off their hats as Mr. Kruger passed. But the seemingly plausible explanation was given that they were Englishmen and did not understand French, and foolishly threw small coins into the crowd which they had so frequently done on similar occasions in England. The Frenchmen misunderstood this, and imagined the sous were thrown insultingly at Mr. Kruger. Hence a tumuit. The crowd endeavored to invade the hotel, and the police prevented this. But the hotel people were ed this. But the hotel people were obliged to close their doors, and late this evening an unfriendly mob was still beside the building, which was

cordoned by police. A WILD NIGHT. The highly reprehensible foolishness of a half dozen persons in throwing small coins into the crowd as Mr. Kruger passed acted like magic in conjuring up an anti-British outburst, which it needed all the prompitude and energy of the police to prevent becoming a serious disturbance. The hotel remained for the rest of the day in a state of siege, while at one time a procession several thousand strong Kruger passed acted like magic in conjuring up an anti-British outburst, which it needed all the prompitude and energy of the police to prevent becoming a serious disturbance. The hotel remained for the rest of the day in a state of siege, while at one time a procession several thousand strong marched in the direction of the British consulate, shouting "Down with the English!" and raising other threatening cries. The result was that

a strong body of police was compelled to disperse the demonstrators, although it was not found necessary to make more than a few temporary arrests. Throughout the evening, however, large bands of students and other youths marched up and down in front of Mr. Kruger's hotel and of the hotel which was the scene of the unfortunate incident, cheering in unfortunate incident, cheering in chorus for Mr. Kruger and the Transvaal and denouncing England. The demonstrators were more noisy than dangerous, and the police wisely left them to relieve their feelings by shouting instead of interfering with them, which might have created dis-

in Europe last night that the Czar was dead.

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THE BACON TRADE.

A lengthy circular, giving pointers on the bacon trade to the farmers of the province, is issued by the Ontario department of agriculture. F. W. Hodson, Dominion live stock commissioner, after summing up the whole bacon situation at present says: - "The / Canadian market demands a long, lean singer. Therefore it is in the interest of Canadian farmers to supply the best pigs for that purpose. First class goods mean growing market at home and abroad anything elsel means a stationary or receding market. At the present time 25 per cent, of the pigs marketed in Canada are what is known as "softs, 25 per cent, are flats and at least 10 per cent. unsizables. Sixty per cent. of Canadian pigs grade as No. 2 or lower, which is 40 per cent. more than might be expected if breeding were in children. carefully done. Canadian farmers lose at least 20 cents per hundred on all pigs sold because of this condition, packers fixing their buying prices according to their average receipts from sales. The man who insists on breeding the wrong type not only loses 20 cents per hundred, but he causes his neighbor to do so as well. Not only this, but he injures the home and foreign trade. Therefore it is to the interest of every citizen that the right sort of pigs te bred on every Canadian farm and that they be properly fed. Pigs of the wrong type cannot be made good by any kind of feeding, yet bad feeding will spoil a good pig.'

THE TEMPLE OF FAME AND GEN-ERAL LEE.

There is to be in the United States'a Hall of Fame, in which shall be enshrined for future generations the names and deeds of one hundred of the most illustrious men-soldiers, sailors, statesmen and so on-in American history. This is a very good idea, for the Americans have no Westminster Abbey or St. Paul's, no national shrine sacred to the memories of the illustrious dead. There is, to be sure, Mount Vernon, where lie the ashes of the Father of the Country; there is Monticetto, with its memories of Jefferson; there is Grant's Tomb beside the Hudson. But these and others like them recall the memories only of individuals; while Westminster Abbey or St. Paul's recalls the memories of "a mighty company" of those who have made Britain what she is. And so the Americans are to have their the charm of age, but, as a compen- Mr. Brown, of Hamilton, when in par- been growing trees for centuries, and shrine of greatness, lacking, it is true, sation, being somewhat exclusive, and having thus the advantage over England's great mausoleums, where, it must be confessed, lie the ashes of a good many, whose very names are now forgotien. The number of names will, in the case of the United States, be limited to one hundred; and the selection, apparently, has been fairly made But here a difficulty arises. Certain names have been chosen that are not acceptable to certain classes of the people. The best example is that of General Robert E. Lee, the great leader of the Lost Cause. The New York Sun strongly opposes his admission. It, says: "At a time when the flag and the government Lee had sworn to defend . . . were in sore need of the most loyal obedience to their oaths by officers of the army, he wrote to General Scott to 'tender my resignation, which I request you will recommend for acceptance. Two days later, without waiting for such acceptance or receiving dismissal from the service in which he had been for a generation, he was appointed by the government of Virginia to the chief command of its insurrectionary forces, and the next day was publicly invested with that command. . . He forswore himself and became a deserter. Are our words harsh? That is not the question to ask of them. Are they true words?" After paying a high tribute to General Lee as a man and a commander, the Sun ends its article with "Lee was a destroyer, not a builder. Hail to the Stars and Stripes ! Forever and always death and confusion to its enemies !" The Southern press is, of course, up

in arms against this view. The Commercial Appeal, of Memphis, for example, says that The Sun "deliberately maligns a man whose name it is not fit to utter." While the Atlanta Journal declares that "Lee is as secure from the assaults of sectional prejudice as the fixed stars are from the clouds that drift and blow about our little earth." Individual writers from the South point out that England has honored Cromwell; and that Lee was no rebel, as he obeyed the command of his State, to whom his first allegiance was due. The Richmond Times takes the most aggressive position against the New York Sun. It says: "There is no honor conferred upon General Lee by placing his name there. The honor is the other way How can it honor a man thus thought of by mankind to inscribe his name in a two-penny show gallery, along with a number of nebodies that people have to ask about to know that they lived. . . If the narrow-minded bigots, who carp at his name being DON'T COUGH

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A little coughing is nothing -the tickling, that makes you cough once, is some dust; not the least harm. You scratch an itch, and forget it. This cough is scratching an itch.

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which Lee's name confers upon them, let his name be withdrawn, that it may blaze in the figmament with his own undying light, uninterrupted by the petty screens which the bigots would attempt to interpose between it and the admirers who dwell all over the civilized world."

DISCREDITABLE CRUELTY.

Humane people generally will agree with the following from the Aylmer Express:

Three thousand live pigeons arrived in St. Thomas, by express on Saturday morning last, and we were told by a party who saw them that it was a pitiable sight. They were so packed together they could not move with comfort, and some of them were dead from the close confinement and exposure. These pigeons are for so called "sport," viz: a big shooting match which takes place in St. Thomas this week. In Massachusetts and some other states of the union, this kind of "sport" has been placed under the has been placed under the ban of the law and is prohibited altogether. It should be in this en-lightened Province also, and the man who takes the matter up in our leg-is ature, and puts it through, if he does nothing else, will do more than the average member. When you come to figure it down, pigeon shooting from a trap, is a cruel, unsportsmanlike and unfair piece of business. It is unworthy of the support or toleration of any man who claims to be fair minded and not inhuman.

The country, however, does not seem ripe for any legislation in the matter. He intimates that the Almighty has times to prohibit the trap shooting of live birds, but each time the measure was laughed down. Anything that is to be done, therefore, must be done by public opinion.

Talking of birds, why should not the shooting of partridage and quail be altogether prohibited-for a few years at all events? As stands, they may be shot, but they may not be sold, so that the only persons who can obtain the birds are those who can shoot and find time to do it, or those who have friends to do them. If these game birds are delicacies, surely an invalid should be given the opportunity of enjoying them, as well as the robust, husky feilow, who can tramp the woods all day, with agun and a bag of shells.—London Free Press. Quail are quite plentiful, why should their shooting be prohibited? As for

> That Whoop!

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their sale the regulation is one of those meddlesome ones which does little good and possibly shuts out a section of the community from getting this kind of game

In the aldermanic race the more the mergier.

Really, if for nothing else than to save the Liberal press from further worry in the matter, the Conservatives ought to get together and pick out a new leader.

The commission at Toronto for the purpose of discussing and amending the assessment laws is carefully looking over the ground and it is hoped an itch that hangs on and something tangible and uniform will be the result, so that the man who has to pay the taxes will know where he is "at." The general tenon of the discussion seems to be on the line of throwing the greater part of the burden of tax paying on the man who has provided a home for the comfort of his family. It is to be on the plan that real estate should pay all the taxes and the man who has his wealth in cash or personal property shall escape. If such a recommendation turns out to be the result of the commission's labors, their work will prove time wasted. In the cities, particularly, real estate is already taxed up to the top

> In the taking of the census it is not proposed to class as factories concerns employing less than six hands. The London Free Press contends that this is wrong and asserts that a blacksmith shop, for instance, which turns out horseshoes, is a factory just as much if it has three hands as if it has six. This is quite true. 'Any concern that takes raw material and turns it out in a manufactured state, is a factory, irrespective of its size. Bakeries could be so classed. But as we understand it, the object of the census is to gather and tabulate for the public useful statistics. But would they be useful if the policy were followed throughout of counting every tinshop and every shoe shop a factory, and then proving by the total that this was the greatest manufacturing country in the world?

> > ABOUT SHADE TREES.

London News. Yesterday the News published in full W. E. Saunders' admirable paper on the proper treatment of shade trees. It is hardly necessary to say that the News' agrees in toto with Mr. Saunders' views. We have more than once voiced popular disapproval of the tree butcher. Mr. Saunders' contention is, in brief, that the proper treatment for a tree is to let it alone. liament, introduced a bill several understands his business better than with axes and saws at the trees. Mr. Saunders points out that what the shade trees in London need, if they need anything, is not pruning, but thinning out. The ordinary practice here, as elsewhere, where trees appear cramped for growing room, is not to then out the weakest, but to hack and hew off the lower limbs of all-a practice that weakens all the trees, destroys their symmetry and does not in the least remove the cause of the trout ble, which originated when the trees were planted too close together.

THE TICKET OF LEAVE.

London Free Press. Hon. D. Mills, of this city, the Minister of Justice, considers that he has good reason to feel satisfied with the results which have attended the trial given in Canada under his supervision to what is commonly known as the "ticket-of-leave" system, and there is no question that if the practice be kept from developing into an abuse of justice, that it will be found to afford the opportunity for reformation of which the majority of youthful offenders against the laws of the land will be glad to avail themselves. 'We have had a chance of seeing how the idea works out in actual practice," said Hon. Mr. Mills to the Free Press, "and are satisfied that its utility is proven beyond a doubt. It is furnishing opportunity for many poor fellow to regain his manhood and get gradually back to respectability. This is particularly so with the class of prisoners who are under detention for the first time. Many a young man is pulled up on the road of crime before he has got very far and of these not a few find themselves in prison before they are well aware of what business they have been about. It is with such as are anxious to reform that we have to do. They are required at stated intervals to report themselves to the local police authorities wherever they may be, and out of the hundred odd cases in which this clemency has been allowed there have been but two instances where the parties fell back into their old ways. One man had to be brought back from the United States after having fled the country, and both are again behind the bars. But the percentage of lapses is so small that we can well congratulate ourselves on the general success that attends the reform. A feature which should be appreciated by the general public is the wholesome saving ef-fected through being freed from the cost of keeping this company at the

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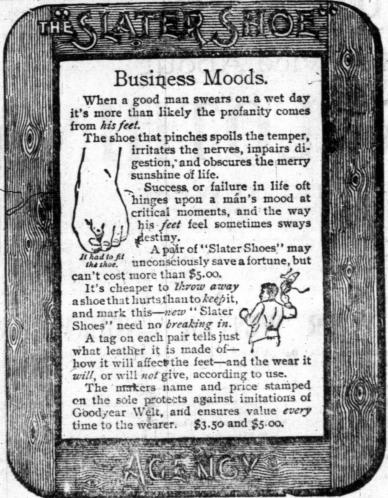
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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8TH, 1900 at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, by Messrs. McCoig & Harrington, auc-tioneers, the following freehold pro-

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Lot 30 ft. front x 104 deep, \$450.00.

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They call on Thee when phantoms of the night
Creep close to them and whisper in their ear,

"We are the ghosts of sin that come so near." to I all all Alsia But Lord. I need Thee in the daylight, When figures, never vague, but real

and true, Come close to me and tempt me on my o, Lord, I need Thee so from day to

> -Charles Hanson. MY FATHER'S HOUSE.

My Father's house has many rooms, And each is fair; And some are reached through gathered glooms

By silent stair; But he keeps house, and makes it home, Whichever way the children come.

Plenty and peace are everywhere The rooms are eloquent with prayer,

The songs begin, And dear hearts filled with love, are Forgetting that they once were sad. Thy Father's house is surely thine,

Therefore why wait His lights of love through darkness Shine,
The hour grows late.
Push back the curtain of thy doubt,
And enter—none will cast thee out!
—Marianna Farningham.

### AT THE THEATRE.

THE GIRL FROM CALCUTTA. N xt Saturday's Attraction at the Grand

The following are some of the comments on the performances of "The Girl from Calcutta," at St. Catharines and Hamilton, where the play was

presented on Monday and Tuesday Mgr., Wilson, of the Grand Opera House, St. Catharines: "Very pretty play, well costumed, scenery fine, people first-class."

Mgr. Loudon, of the Grand Opera

House, Hamilton:—'The company is an excellent one, and the piece is beautifully staged. You can strongly recommend the company and produc-The Hamilton Herald-The play is

minus a villain, or anything that borders on deception or villainy, and the yet neatly. The play is handsomely staged and the costumes are all that be wished for. .

Miss Margaret Wilkes, who is being featured in the titular role, is charming little lady with a small, musical voice and a manner quite bemusical voice and a manner quise-bewitching. Her sympathetic manner
and quiet effort easily won for her a
warm spot in the hearts of her auditors. Miss Henrietta Lee as Lady
Flora, the other woman in the case,
proved to be a capital actress, and
made the most of a most difficult role.
The men are clever, though the leading man Mr. Paxton, was seriously ing man, Mr. Paxton, was seriously handicapped last evening by a distressing cold. Charles P. Morrison, as the Duc de Chavannes, and T. B. Bridgeland, in the role of his headstrong son, gave capital performances, and their efforts were much appreciat-

Hamilton Spectator-T. B, Bridgeland was breezy and hearty as Capt. George, and Charles P. Morrison did good work as Duc de Chavennes. There were three fine scenic settings, that of the second act, the top of Clumbers be-

Ing particularly attractive.
The Hamilton Post-Miss Margaret Wilkes in the titular role gave a very bright bit of character work. She is one of those delightful dear little one of those designtial dear integrits, artless and innocent as a new born babé, but lovable for that very fact. Unaccustomed to men of the world, her guileless ventures of opinion were as humorous as they were frank. Miss Henrietta Lee, as Lady Flora shared the honors of the even-ing. Faultlessly gowned and wearing her costumes with grace and ease she helped materially to interest the au-

### ARBITRATORS' AWARD

In a Dispute Between Blenheim And Harwich School

The arbitrators appointed by the Blenheim and Harwich councils respectively, Messrs. Andrew Denholm, James Leslie and Inspector Colles met yesterday in Harrison hall to consider the evidence taken on rison hall to consider the evidence taken on the two preceding days upon the petition for separation of school lands from U. S. S. No. 5, Harwich and Blenheim. An award was made requiring that the lands referred to should be allowed to remain in the union on the following grounds:—

First, the petitions asked for what appeared to the arbitrators unreasonable, namely, to attach the lands south of Bleinheim to a new section in which the school house would have to be north of the town. Second, the position of certain of the lands referred to in the petitions has already been determined by a former arbitration affew months ago.

few months ago. few months ago.

Third, there was no evidence to show that the requirements of section 11, subsec. 3 of the act could be met from the union lands north of the town only.

Fourth, the plan of new section proposed, embraced lands in union sections 2½ and 4 Harwich and Raleigh, whereas no arbitrator was appointed by the Raleigh council

cil.

These and other legal complexities rendered it impossible for the board of arbitrators to form the new section proposed.

The costs of the arbitration were put upon Blenheim and Harwich equally both arbitrators being agreed.

H. D. Smith, Ridgetown, for petitioners; R. L. Gosnell, Blenheim, for the town.

A GOOD GUESSER. Bride (formerly a widow) - Oh, Harry, what would I do if you should Harry (doubtfully)—I don't know, dear, but I think I can guess.

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TWO LOVERS.

Mother's own.
All around the world north, south, east,
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For whether it be a Chinese tot,
With eyes aslant and a shaven crown,
Or a dear little girl of the land of the free
To a toddling prince in Londontown
Or the one rare treasure a Sudan slave
Hugs to her heart, all wee and brown,
Each in its mother's gentle pride
Is fairer than all the world beside.

Whose mother is loved the best? Baby's own. She whose cheeks was first caressed-

She alone.

For whether she be an Eskimo
Or colored mammy or stately queen
Or a wandering organ grinder's wife,
Jingling and beating her tambourine,
In every land where challen are
The baby eyes from their deep, serene
Gaze, rapture bound by the tender grace
In the mother's bended, 'ove lit face.

BUYING A SAW. The Variety on Hand Puzzled the

Man Who Wanted to Purchase. When the man with the red mustache started down stairs, his wife ran to the door and called him back.
"Donald," she said, "I want you to go into a hardware store today and get a saw. Don't forget it, please. We need

one badly." Being an accommodating person, the man with the red mustache said he'd get it. He chose the luncheon hour as the most opportune time for making his sin. ple purchase. He was in a good humor, and he smiled blandly when he went bustling into the store and said, "I want

a saw, please.' The clerk who had come forward to wait on him had a merry twinkle in his question and spread all over his face in

"What kind of a saw?" he asked. The prospective purchaser began to perceive what an intricate business the buying of a saw really is.
"Why," said he, "I don't know. Just
a saw. Any kind will do, I suppose." The clerk sighed. "If you only knew what you want to use it for, perhaps I could advise you," he suggested. "What I want to use it for?" echoed the man with the red mustache. "Why, want to saw, of course-at least my

folks do. "Saw what?" asked the clerk. "I don't know," admitted the nonplused shopper.
The clerk brightened up again and led

the way to the rear of the store. "I will show you a few different varieties of saws we have on hand," he said. "Ob-servation and an explanation of their uses and prices may assist you in mak-ing a decision. Here's a metal saw. It is the hardest saw there is, It is made of highly tempered steel and will saw iron, copper, lead and all manner of met-als. It is small in size and sells for \$2 to \$2.50, according to the style of the handle, which comes in beech wood and oak, the latter being more expensive. Is that the kind of saw you want?"

The man with the red mustache was sorely perplexed. "No," said he, "I don't think so. We have no metals at our house to work on that I know of."

"Perhaps you would like a meat saw?" suggested the clerk. "Steel in these is of hardly so high a grade, and a could let you have a good one of \$1. But you're not a butcher?" The man who wanted a saw shook his

head mournfully, and the clerk continued general utility purposes, which will cost you only 50 cents. How does that strike you? No? Then here's the cabinet maker's saw. I can give you a very good one for \$3. Then I have over here plumbers' saws, the fine, delicate saws used by all manner of artificers and the ordinary wood saws which cost you anywhere from 50 cents to \$4. In that back room we have still other varieties—the two man ten foot saws, buzzsaws and circuhar saws. If you want to pay a big price, you'd better take one of the latter. I'll give you a good one for \$50. Would you like to see them?"

The man with the red mustache looked about him wonderingly.

"No, thank you," he said. "I never dreamed that there were so many differ-

ent kinds of saws. I guess I won't take any till I find out just what kind I want." The clerk bowed affably. "I regret being unable to make a sale," he said, "but I really think that the wiser plan."

With What the Law Allowed. The country swain and his sweetheart had come in from the mountain fastnesses to be married at the minister's house in an Adirondack town. The cere

house in an Adirondack town. The cere-mony was over, but the bridegroom hesi-tated. There was another important function to be performed. "What do ! pay you for this?" he asked. "The law allows me \$1.50," said the minister, willing to swell his wife's pin money fund to that extent, but not wish-ing to ask more than would be conven-ient for the bridegroom to pay. A look ient for the bridegroom to pay. A look of pleasure came into the bridegroom's face. "Well, here's 50 cents," he said cheerfully, handing him the money. "That will make \$2." And he departed with a comfortable feeling that the minister had been well paid, while the min-ister's wife heaved a sigh of regret.

How Two and Two Make Five. Fond Wife-You can't prove that two Loving Husband-Easily. You say it only takes you two minutes to do your

hair, don't you? Fond Wife-Yes. Loving Husband-And two midutes to

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Pierce's Favorite Prescription — having taken it for nine months previous to confinement. I suffered scarcely any I had at other "I suffered fifteen years with female weakness and nerv-

Franklin, Johnson Co., Indiana. "One year ago I began taking your 'Favor-ite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I took and now I am well.

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> Missed Her Mark. "Are you fond of music, mein frau-

"Oh, yes; very." "Do you sing pretty frequently?" "Yes; a great deal."

"And you play the piano as well?" "To be sure; nearly all day long." "Soh? Then I must take some time to consider before applying to your her



lunatic wants to know is I glad school is

No Chance to Spread. "Isn't he one of those people who are very well met in a mixed company at the festal board, but whom you would hesitate to take home to dinner?"
"No," answered Mr. Blykins. "On the contrary, I'd much prefer taking him home with me, where there would be no excuse for his trying to make an after dinner speech."—Washington Star.

He Could, but He Wouldn't. "Come, now," persisted the lawyer, "are you not able to say that the defendant was in the room at the time and objected to the whole proceeding?"
"Yes, sir," savagely replied the witness. "I am able to say it, I reckon, but I'd be telling the blamedest lie you even heard of if I did."—Chicago Tribune.

Worse Than the Census Taker.

"A city fellow came out to our little old town where he used to live." "Did he take any interest in things?"
"Take any interest? Well, he visited all around and asked so many questions that after he went away half the popuation had to go to bed sick."-Indian-

Faux Pas. Caller-This is Mrs. de Style's "at nome" day too. Hostess-You will call there later, I

apolis Journal.

Caller-Oh, my gracious, no. I'm not iressed well enough for that.-Philadel

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Neil Ruthven desires The Planet to con

rect the item in yesterday's paper. Mr. Ruthven has not yet taken up his residence in his new home nor will it be ready for oc-

Edward Cape, messenger for Bank of Commerce, was taken to St. Jos-eph's Hospital to-day, suffering from what promises to be an attack of ty-

Jasper Winters, who attempted to

commit suicide Wednesday night, was taken to his old home in Seaforth this

orning by his brother, who arrived

in the city yesterday. His wounds are

Before Judge Houston at the police court

this morning, Morris Stone, a Hebrew, charged Daniel Macdonald, night watchman

at the S Hadley Company, with assault. Stone traded Macdonald a \$10 horse for two

old stoves and a dollar and a half. A dol-lar's worth of scrap iron belonging to Mac-

donald got mixed up in the deal and caused the scrap The case was dismissed, both

parties paying their own cost. W. G. Richards appeared for thedefendant.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

A MILITARY MEETING:

A meeting of those interested in the

formation of a city regiment in Chat-ham was held in the office of Lieut.-

ham was held in the office of Lieut.Col. Rankin last evening. There were
present Edwin Ball, T. K. McKeand,
Dr. Hall, Will Mowbray, Dr. Cornell,
J. S. Black, Chas. Ryall, Sim Smith,
W. R. Hickey and D. W. B. Spray.
The formation of the officers' mess
and the rating of the officers and
their duties were discussed. The tenders for heating, and repairing the

ders for heating and repairing the drill shed have been forwarded to the

The work of enjistment has already

got in shape for drilling as soon as sible. Lieut.-Col. Holmes has written Lieut.-Col Rankin, that he will come

to Chatham on December 1st to resume charge of the military property in the

them of the park generally. Every op-portunity will be given the city to

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THE PROBABILITIES.

G. N. W. Special. Toronto, Nov. 23. - Strong north-west winds, fair and colder. Saturday, norther-

Miss Jeanie J. Martin, Stanley avenue. F. B. Dundas and J. S. Fraser, of Wallaceburg, are in the city to-day. Neil Watson, of Mull, is a Maple City

Neil Watson, of Mull, spent Thursday in

Miss Annie Pierce, daughter of James Pierce, Raleigh, left yesterday for Cali-fornia, where she will reside.

Miss Ottley MacGregor, Frank Knight and William Tait, of Blenheim, were the guests of the Amethyst Club last evening. Emnia Hazel, the four-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Martin, Forest

street, passed away yesterday afternoon. Miss Gurd, of Sarnia, is in the city a tending Diocesan convention of Church of England. She is the guest of Mrs. A. L.

A special meeting of the Sons of Scotland will be held to-morrow evening at 8 p. m. in their lodge room. A full attendance is

An enjoyable sacred concert will be presented in the William Street Baptist Church on Tuesday evening, Dec. 4, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society. Largest shipment of New American Xmas Neckwear and Mufflers ever re-ceived was placed in stock to-day. The

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Assisting Society will be held Monday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. S. T. Martin at 3.30 sharp. All members are asked to be present, and those having work will kindly bring or send in to this meeting.

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Sensation in North Chatham Over a Quarter of Porks

The whole of North Chatham was engaged this morning discussing the peculiar attributes of a piece of pork purchased last Saturday by James Matthews, who resides at the corner of Forest and Joseph streets. Mr. Matthews, or as he is more familiarly known, "Bube," went out to the back kitchen to cut a slice from the quarter of pork. What was his surprise to see the meat luminous and glowing as if it had been soaked with phosphore us. The meat was brightest right at the bone and Mr. Matthews, cut out this piece. The news of the wonderful ment at Matthews' was soon noised about the neighborhood and over 200 people visited the house to see what Fied Wurd styled a phosphorescent luminosity. One young lady vivwhat F.ed Ward styled a phosphorescent luminosity. One young lady vividly described her visit to the house as follows: "We heard about the strange phenomena at Matthews', so we went to see it. They took us into the kitchen, which was in darkness so that we could see the meat. This rather frightened us, but we were really seared when we looked at the ally scared when we looked at the mest. It lighted up with all the appearance of a man's face. It was horrible. We were sure that the Devil had got into that pork, and were exceedingly glad to leave that dark room and the mysterious meat." The remains of Mr. Matthews' lit-

tle 10-year-old crippled son had been brought home from the Children's Hospital, Toronto, the day before. The body was lying in the house and there were some among the people who coupled the peculiar conduct of the meat with the death of the child.

The meat was taken over to Dr. Hall for examination, and probably he will be able to throw some light on the matter after he has examined the

It is said there is a certain disease affects hogs which when a degree of decay is reached the meat throws off phosphorescent rays some-thing I ke will-o-the-wisps in swamps. Dr. Hall stated that he had inspected the meat and observed the phosphorescence, but was unable to definitely account for the phenomenon. It might have been caused by rubbing phospherus on the meat or it might Iso have been caused by the hog having had access to phosphorus in some form, probably by medicine adminis-tered to prevent hog cholera. The Medica! Health Officer stated that the amount of phosphorus present would have no detrimental effect on the

Delegates to the Layworkers' Association,

The following is a list of the delegates at the Lay Workers' Convention here and also of the citizens with whom they are billeted: Rey. H. Hamilton, London, with Rev. R. Sims, Selkirk street.

Rev. R. J. Murphy, Essex, with D Kerr, Head street. Rev. Mr. Racey, Comber, with Chas Williamson, Victoria avenue. Rev. H. E. Bray, Hansver, with Dr.

charge of the mantary property in the city, and hand the same over to the charge of Col. Rankin. The London officer also asked that the Mayor and citizens be assured that the militia department do not desire to desire to desire. Joseph Sampson, Walpole Island, at department do not desire to deprive Rankin House.

Rev. J. G. Hooper, Morpeth, with W. Miss Walters, Trinity Church, How-ard, G. D. Ross, Baxter street.

Miss Walters, Trinity Church, How-

Miss Walters, Brinty Church, Howard, G. D. Ross, Baxter street.

Mrs. Wilson, Howard, with G. D. Ross, Baxter street.

Mrs. Hooper, Morpeth, with W. D. Sheidon, Harvey street.

Rev. C. A. Anderson, Kingsville, with city property, Lots Twelve and Thirteen, west side of Lacroix Streat. On lot Twelve is a modern dwelling and barn, and is plant-Mrs. Wemp, Weilington street.

Jasper Golden, Kingsville, with W. R. Baxter, Amelia street.

Miss Ludiam, Leamington, with Jas. Moore, Head street.
Mrs. Ludlam, Learnington, with Jas. Moore, Head street. J. A. Deadman, Leamington, with G.

O. Scott, Park avenue.
Rev. Canon Hincks, Windsor, with
Rev. R. McCosh, William street.
Miss Amy Laing, Windsor, with E.
J. MacIntyre, Emma street.
Miss Hincks, Windsor, with E.
J. MacIntyre, Emma street.
Mrs. Broom, Stratford, with Mrs.
Davis, Victoria avenue.
Canon Smith, London, Garner House.
Miss Beamish, Bothwell, with Mrs.
Wm. Bennett, Head street.
Miss Hart, Woodstock, with Mrs.
Skey, Thames street.

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Rev. and Mrs. Diell, Florence, with
Mrs. Jno. Northwood, Head street.

Rev. W. J. Taylor, St. Mary's, with Dr. Holmes, King street.
Mrs. Winters, Florence, with Mrs. Mrs. Wenters, Florence, with Mrs. Backus, Wellington street.
Rev. Mr. Cotlins, Wardsville, with W. J. Moore, Victoria avenue.
G. W. Armstrong, Newbury, with Mrs. Macoun, Prince street.
Rev. F. E. Roy, London, Mrs. D. R. VanAllen, Garner.
Rev. C. C. Purton, Glencoe, with Mrs. W. A. Campbell, Victoria avenue.
Rev. W. G. Freeman, Thamesville, Mrs. Goodfand, C. P. R. Hotel.
Mrs. Brock, Thamesford, W. D. Sheldon, Harvéy street.

don, Harvey street.

Rev. and Mrs. T. El Higley, Blen-heim, with R. A. Hughes, Baxter St. Miss Bounsall, Blenheim, with N. H.

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Miss Dickie, Glencoe, with Willard Merritt, Head street. ( Rev. W. A. Graham, St. Thomas, with D Kerr. Head street. Miss Dupuy, Wallaceburg, with D. Glass, King street. Miss Mountford, Blenheim, with

friends. Ashford, Blenheim, with Miss friends T. M. Webb, London, with Rev. R. McCosh, William street.
Rev. F. M. Holmes, Learnington, with' N. Holmes, Larwell avenue.
His Lordship, Bithop of Huron, with Judge Woods, Garner. Miss Gurd, Sarnia, with A. L. Sham Miss S. H. Smith, Morpeth, with

friends.
Rev. T. L. Armstrong, Millbank Friends, Hillyard street.

Rev. John Downie, Watford, with A.

F, Falls, Wellington street.

Dean Innes, London, with Mrs.
O'Hara, Victoria avenue. Fred Stover, Charing Cross, with Mrs. Fred Stover, Charing Cross

with friends. Miss Russell, Charing Cross, with friends.
Rev. W. R. George, Charing Cross with friends.

Rev. A. H. Baldwin, Topponto, with
Judge Woods, Garner.

With Mrs. Canon Hall, St. Thomas, with Mrs.

Rev. A. K. Griffin, Dresden, with H. Dennis, Grant street.
Miss Grace Miller, Dresden, with H. nnis Grant street.

Mrs. Eglin, Dresden, with friends. Rev. W. T. and Mrs. Cluff, Strath-Rev. W. M. and Mrs. Shore, with J. W. McLaren, William street.
A. Selging, Walpole Island, at C. P.
R. Hotel.

Chas. Jacobs, Walpole Island, at C. P. R. Hotel, ( Rev. Mr. Dobson, Talbury, with Jno Waddell, Water street.

Miss Hemsworth, Tilbury, with Jno.
Waddell, Water street.

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Sep. Heyward, Grant street. Rev. G. B. Sage, London, with Mrs. H. Stevens, Dover street. I Miss Greer, Watford, with Mrs. Rutey, Head street. Mess Harris, Watford, with Mrs Rutley, Head street. Miss Webb, Mt. Brydges, with Miss

That, Wellington street.

Rev. Mr. Beverley, Forest, with J.
C. Pritchard, Queen street.
Rev. W. J. TenEyck, Exeter, with
G. O. Scott, Park (avenue.
Bev. Wm. and Mrs, Craig, Petrolea,
S. Stephenson, King street, west. S. Stephenson, King street, west.
A. H. Dymond, Brantford, with M.
Wilson, Wellington street.
J. M. McWhinney, London, with R. Stephenson, Victoria avenue.

Miss Hemsworth, Tilbury, with D.

Raterson, Prince street.

W. J. Moore, Victoria Ave., is in

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pcs. heavy colored Tweed, in mixed plaids and check goods, a suitable material for separate skirt or full 

pcs. all-wool Homespun, 58 in. wide, in all the pretty mixed colorings, special value, you should call and see the bargain, our reg. price \$1.00, sale price.....

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18 pcs. colored tweed, fancy. mixed, also check, a durable cloth for house wear, in pretty well assorted col-

15 pcs. colored Poplin Cord, in shades brown, navy, cardinal, light green, myrtle green, fawn, castor, light gray, dark gray, royal blue, these are special value, our reg. price 50c, sale price.

pcs. colored Poplin Cord, in shades of brown, light green, navy blue, car-dinal, bluette, myrtle, slate, staple

pes. Colored Tweeds, in mixed color ings, heavy weight, for seperate skirt or tailored suit, come and be quick, our reg. price 69c, sale price

pcs. colored all-wool homespun, 58 in.
wide, in good mixed shades, we
are sacrificing them, our reg. price
\$1.25, sale price.
goods, best value, regular price 75c,
sale price at.

pcs. all-wool solid shades homespuns, 58 in. wide, lovely suiting, in gray, fawn, pavy blue, black, dark gray blue mixed, our reg. price \$1.50, our sale price.....

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Morley

Mrs. J. G. McLean is visiting in St.

The schooner Kolfage is in port with a cargo of lumber for Blonde Bros. &

Mrs. and Mrs. Wm. Bradley, of Both well, were the guests of D. H. Dimond, West street, yesterduy.

Lost !-Six dollars, in the Post Office, yesterday, near the stamp counter. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at this office.

Walter Wilson, of the Ridge Ro

had a finger caught in a cog wheel of a threshing machine on Nov. 10.

The Owen is loading oats for Sar-nia. The shipment is being made by Grain Merchant Frank S. Crow. The Owen will bring back a load of lumber

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Craig's little

poisoning, caused from scratching her hand on a brass garter suspender. She was very ill but is now recover-

The partnership formerly existing between Messrs. Weese & Merrifield, proprietors of the Queen's Hotel, Ridgetown, has been dissolved, Mr.

from consumption for some time. He was a son of J. N. Kenny, a former resident of Ridgetown.

The anniversary services of the Methodist church, Highgate, will be held on December 2nd and 3rd, Rev.

The Epworth League of the Victoria Ave. Methodist Church will hold a literary evening at their meeting tonight. The subject of debate will be, "Resolved that England is the greatest power on the world." Lindsay Parrott will lead the affirmative and

Quite a curiosity arrived at the L. E. & D. R. R. station, at Ridgetown, on Monday last. It was an old-fashioned axe, and had been sent out from some place in the Rockey Mountains.

some time previous to the election "to kill Sifton," There was hardly a spot on the handle or blade that did not

bear a tag of some description, marking the places it had been. Agent Youngs forwarded it to Windsor and it will be sent back to Winnipeg.

James Lewis, son of Geo. Lewis, of

in short order .- Merlin Mirror.

MUST GO TO GLENCOE.

Last evening Secretary Piggott, of the Chatham Football club, received a commun-

ication from the League Secretary notifying him that the executive had decreed that the deciding Chatham-Glencoe match be

played in Glencoe on Saturday and that the

played in Glencoe on Saturday and that the Glencoe team had been instructed to pay one-half of the Chatham club's expenses in connection with the trip. "We have no alternative but to go to Glencoe," said Manager F. D. Laurie when asked concerning the communication by The Planet, "although we are not forcibly impressed with the fairness of the decision, believing the contest should have been played on neutral grounds. However, a victory on the Glen-

grounds. However, a victory on the Glen-coe grounds—should we be able to gain one

GEO. MITTON'S FUNERAL.

eral of the late George Micton,

The Ridgetown Dominion has the

was accidentally killed in Drader's mill: The remains were brought here

to the home of the deceased's father.

and the funeral on Friday was largely attended. Rev. Mr. Fowler conducted

attended. Rev. Mr. Fowler conducted services at the Disciples' Church, preaching an excellent and most appropriate discourse. The interment took places at Greenwood, the following acting as pall-bearers: D. G. Willson, J. N. Wallson, A. Long, Effection Porter, S. J. Jeffries, and L. J. Rey-

craft. The deceased, who spent nearly all his life in Ridgetown and Howard,

M. Stonehouse is away this week vis-iting Buffalo, Cleveland and Toronto in the interests of the Wallaceburg Canning Factory.

Will Powers was in Port Lambton

yesterday. Clark Williams, who has been sail-

Clark Williams, who has been sailing all summer, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Ed. McDougall, this week.

A number of our young men left for the lumber woods this week.

Our merchants made a bee yesterday and took down all their awnings.

The bachelors will hold a ball tonight in the Robinson Hall.

The Public school is menaring to

to say in regard to the fun-

Fax Foy the negative.

ing.-Ridgetown Dominion.

Merrifield retaining charge.

The death of Dr, W. W. Kenny place recently on a ranch near Olds, A berta. Deceased had been a sufferer

which necessitated its amputation.

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### Cleaned Currants

Our special machine removes nearly all the sand and grit from the currants. The stems are taken off, and you will find them very nice, in every way.

2 lbs for 25c.

Vostizza Currants, the finest grown in the world, 15c a lb.

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Seeded Raisins, 2 lbs. for 25c.

Seeded Blue Raisins, 15c a lb.

Shelled Almonds, 50c a lb. Shelleed Walnuts, 40c a lb.

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Victoria Saxony, per bunch...... Stitching Saxony, per bunch..... Rock Saxony, per bunch....... Goblin Saxony, per ske n.........

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WHAT WE MAKE

WE GUARANTEE

This Man Said He was Also Held up by Footpads

But P. C. Groves Thought What He Most Needed was a Night's Sleep.

"Oh, Mr. Officer!" P. C. Groves, was on the Eastern King street beat this morning about one o'clock, when he was thus accested by a tail stranger with a startling by a tall stranger with a startling story. The man wore the regular cowboy hat and corduroy coat. His sleeves were partially rolled up and there appeared to be considerable realism in the blood which bespattered them. He gave his name as Pat Monohan, and said he "was at home in these parts."

"I've lost a cheque," Monohan de-clared in an excited tone, "a valuable heque, and I don't know what to From present indications there will not be 1,000 bushets of fall wheat in this section next year. The Hessian fly is destroying field after field.—Ridgetown Plaindealer.

"For what amount and what bank? was the officer's business-like query.
"On the Post Office Savings Bank,
The cheque was for \$1,750. Oh, shat
shall I do?"

The officer pursed his lips and let loose a low whistle. Then he sniffed

the air, as though suspicious of alco-holie fumes.

"Now," he said, "you just hustle up and make for bed. The rest will do you good. The Post Office opens at 7.30 in the morning, and you can drop 7.30 in the morning, and you can drop in about that time and cancel your check. You've got no cause for

Mr. Groves threw the flash of his antern upon the man. "Where did Mr. Groves threw the hash of his hartern upon the man. "Where did you get the blood?" he asked.
"I was held up by foot-pads on William street, opposite Park's foundry," he declared. "They came up behind me and knocked me down and cut my bead. "But they didn't get my monhead. But they didn't get my mon-ey. This is a terrible town." "I think a night's rest will, do you Dr. Hannon, of Chatham, will preach at both services on Sunday. On Mon-day evening the annual tea-meeting will be held. good," marmured the officer, as he directed the excited man to a hotel.

### TILBURY.

Nov. 22.—John Norry left here this week for Onoway. Mich.
W. Martin, of Toronto, has accepted a position in Crawford's store.
D. Henderson, Sr., and family have moved back to the farm on the Middle Road, Tilbury North, with his son.
Mrs. R. H. Smith is an inmate of the General Hospital, Chatham.
Mrs. (Rev.) Johnston is visiting at her home in Mount Forrest for a few

her home, in Mount Forrest for a few Mrs. Thornton, Essex, and Mrs.

Mrs. Thornton, Essex, and Mrs. Pierce, Detroit, are the guests of their sister here, Mrs. S. King.

Lawyer Macdonald returned yesterday from Muskoka, where he has been in a sanitarium for the past three months, for the benefit of his health. He leaves here on Monday for Eritish Columbia.

George McLeod returned home this week from the Sault. Miss Nettie Richardson is entertaining a large number of her friends this evening. The Daily Planet is on sale at Johnston's drug store.

### THAMESVILLE.

Nov. 23.—Nelson Groves, C. Cryder-man, W. J. Robinson and W. C. Armstrong are attending division court in

Bothwell.
G. J. Watts is shipping two carloads of live turkeys from here.

Thos. Twigg has opened up a butcher shop in his brick store opposite the ecumseh House. Ernest Brown has gone to St. Thom-

as, where he hopes to secure a position on the railway.

John Duncan is quite ill. Rev. G. Freeman and Miss Nellie Rev. G. Freeman and Miss Neille Maybew are in Chatham attending the Lay Workers' convention. Mr. Delzell, of Windsor, salesman for the Heintzman Piano Co., is in

Miss Clark, of Mitchell's Bay, is the

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10 Ladies' Jackets, regular value \$4.00, for ......\$1.98 10 Ladies' Black Curl Coats, fancy trimmed fronts, lined throughout with silk, \$6.00 and \$7.00 for ......\$4.98 Children's Jackets, Ulsters and Reefers, at ..... \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00

ALL NEW GOODS-LATEST STYLE.

### DRESS GOODS=

TWENTY PIECES Dark and Fancy Tweed, regular values 30c, 40c and 50c, for..... SIXTEEN PIECES 54 inch Homespun and All-wool Tweeds, regular value \$1.00, for.....

25c Yard

SPECIAL REDUCTIONS FOR SATURDAY

MISS CATHCART'S SPECIAL HALF PRICE SALE of Outing Hats continues while they last. Many new and ady-te-wear Hats now in stock, perfect gems. Pretty Millinery here at prices you will appreciate

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### For Gentlemen

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Beaver Flour THE CHEAPEST because it is THE BEST the market. Bran, Shorts, Crushed Oats, Corn or Barley.

FARMERS try our new chopping device. It grinds your grain RIGHT and STOCK do better on this chop.

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APPLE SHIPMENTS.

Pames Lewis, son of Geo. Lewis, of Raleigh, returned home from the Northwest last week. Mr. Lewis has been away from home about three years, and resided most of the time in Calgary. He brought with him some 21 horses, most of them of the Irish hunter class, ranging from three to seven years aid. It is quite exciting A wellknown apple buyer has ex-A wellknown apple buyer has ex-pressed the opinion that the shipments of apples from this section would turn out to be considerably less than last year, although how much cannot be ascertained until it is found out in what condition the fruit is going to seven years old. It is quite exciting to see James, seated on his fine horse, start on the run and throw, out his lasso and bring one of the herd to bay land in England. The English market is somewhat off. The last shipment did not land in England in good condition. The Spies, particularly, were too tender, owing to the hot weather, and did not keep well. This is the dif-ficulty that is going to face the ship-pers this season, the matter of getting the fruit through in good condition.

If it can be done the usual good prices

will prevail.-Ridgetown Plaindealer. THE ARMY OF HEALTH.

The Army in the Philliphines Insignificant Compared With This One.

If all the people in the United States Canada and Great Britain, who make daily use of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets could be assembled together it would —would be a decisive indication that the Chatham club is the better team, while if we fail it will not be because we have not done our best."

Could be a sessimiled to gette it would outnumber our army of one hundred thousand by at least five to one.

Men and women who are broken

down in health are only a part of the thousands who use this popular preparation, the greater number are people who are in fair health, but who know that the way to keep well is to keep the digestion perfect and use Stuart's Tablets as regularly as meal time comes round to insure good diges-tion and proper assimilation of food. Prevention is always better than

cure and diseases can find no foothold if the digestion is kept in good working order by the daily use of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. Mr. Thomas Scale, Mayfield, Calif.,

says: "Have used and recommended Stuart's Tablets because there is nothing like them to keep the stomach right."

raft. The deceased, who spent nearly all his life in Ridgetown and Howard, was of a kindly disposition and had a great many friends. For a time he was in partnership with his brother Edward, but was principally engaged in farming, until his removal about a year ago to Chatham. He leaves a widow, before marriage Miss Shaw, of Aldboro, and a sister to Mrs. John Wat. Din, of this town, who with other relatives have the sympathy of all in in their sudden and sad affliction.

WALLACEBURG.

Was a last found something that has reached my ailment."

Mrs. Del. Eldred, Sun Prairie, Wis., says: "I was taken dizzy very suddenly during the hot weather of the past summer. After ten days of constant dizziness, I went to our local physician, who said my liver was torpid and I had over heated my blood; he docto-date, and everybody was well sate to do we heated my blood; he docto-date, and everybody was well sate. improvement I finally thought of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets (which I had used long before for various had feelings) and the first three tablets

feelings) and the first three tablets helped me.

They are easily the best of all around family medicine I ever used."

The army of people who take Sturart's Tablets are mostly people in fairly good health, and who keep well by taking them regularly after meals. They contain no opiates, cocaine or any cathartic or injurious drugs, simply peptones and digestives which every weak stomach lacks.

Stuarts Dyspepsia Tablets are sold by druggists everywhere in United States, Canada and Great Britain.

The Public school is preparing to hold its regular concert on Dec. 14th.

The firemen held a most successful ball in the Town Hall on Tuesday night last, a large crowd of the dancing people being present. After the dance an excellent supper was prepared at the Arlington Hotel.

A. Fenny, photographer, has started in town.

Stuarts Dyspepsia Tablets are sold by druggists everywhere in United States, Canada and Great Britain.

Messrs. John Watson, Jos. Laing and D. Roach have returned from a week's shooting at the Eau. They bagget but few duck, on account of the rough weather.—Ridgetown Plaindealer.

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First Class Work. Very Moderate Fees. Office next Lawyer Atkinson's, King St three doors west of Market.

THE MACAULAY CLUB.

The following is the program or the Macaulay Club for the next moneh: Debate, Saturday, 24th inst.: - Re-solved, that Milton's "Lycidas" is a

greater poem that Grey's "Elegy," Affirmative, Wm. Mowbray, S. B. Arnold. Negative, Thos. Scullard, C. E. Bèeston. Reading-J. S. Lane. Debate, Saturday, Dec. 1st-Resolved that the recent military invasion of Chinese territory by the powers of

Europe was and is unjustifiable. Af-firmative, F. Stone and J. G. Kerr. Negative, J. S. Lane and C. J. O'Neill. Reading-S. B. Arnold.
Debate, Saturday, Dec. 8th-Resolv-

ed, that the adoption of the principle of the single tax is desirable. Affirma-ative, J. S. Black and R. L. Brackin. Negative, W. Taylor and F. Hall. Reading—C. E. Beeston. Debate, Saturday, Dec. 15th—Resolved, that the age of Louis XIV. was greater than the age of Napoleon. Affirmative, E. Bell and J. S. Lane. Negative, C. J. O'Neill and A. E. Jewett,

Reading-By the President. For whooping cough and croup, Vapo-Cres ene is a simple and perfect remedy.

It is well to leave off playing when the game is at its best.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tableta he remedy that cures a cold in one day

MAYORALTY To the Electorate of the City of

Chatham. Ladies and Gentlemen : I am a candidate for mayor for 1901, and I respectfully ask for your vote and influence.

Faithfully yours,
W. E. McKeough.
Chatham, Ont., 19th November, 1900.

ALDERMEN.

To the Electors of Chatham. Ladies and Gentlemen: At the urgent request of several re-presentative citizens, I have consent-ed to offer myself as a candidate for alderman for 1901. I would like your support. Yours, W. F. SMITH,

Barrister.

To the Electors of the City of Chatham.

Ladies and Gentlemen: Ides and Gentlemen:

It is my intention to again offer my services as Alderman for 1901.

I trust that my record as alderman during 1896 and 1897, and as chairman of the finance committee in the latter year is such as to entitle me to your confidence. If elected, I will, as before, strive to look after the city's interests to the best of my ability, and I respectfully solicit your support.

Yours faithfully, S. B. ARNOLD.

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His Frowning Landlady Presents Her Badly Belated Bill, and She Is Promptly Taken Into the Universal Musical Company.

[Copyright, 1900, by C. B. Lewis.] Major Crofoot, grand promoter and general organizer, had observed signs of a coming calamity around his boarding house. He hadn't sat down with pencil and paper and figured that it was three months since he had paid his landlady a dollar, but in a dim, undefined way he put it at about three. He hadn't taken half an hour to wonder now much longer things could run on tick, but hoped it might be for three. months more. He was living on in a blissful state of certain uncertainty, finding fault with the steak and suggesting a change of puddings, when the demeanor of the landlady warned him that a crisis was at hand. He was the man for the crisis. It was at the dinner table that the notes of the



"WHY SPEAK OF DOLLARS?"

warning bell struck his ear, and when he had finished his meal he rose up before the other boarders with the dignity of a millionaire and observed:

"Madam the landlady, if not too much trouble I wish you would come to my room this evening for your check. I like to balance my books once

The shot told. The landlady's frown changed to a smile as soft as jelly, and the three or four boarders who had been hinting that the major was a deadbeat and would bilk the house felt a large feeling of awe steal over them. Half an hour later the woman knocked at the major's door and found him seated with his checkbook in front

"My dear woman," he began, as he motioned for her to sit down, "your trust and confidence in me are something sublime-really sublime. I am not a man given to emotion, but in this case-in this case"-

"You owe me three months' room rent and board," she said as he paused

"That is the case exactly, as I found to my surprise in footing my ledger this afternoon. Yes. For three long months I have occupied this room and sat at your table, and you have not even hinted at filthy lucre in payment. I don't exactly remember what Cleo-patra did to win undying fame, but if she reposed the sublime confidence in a man that you have reposed in me I don't wonder that her name is engraven on the scrolls of time forever more." "I have been trying to catch you for the last month, but you have dodged

me," replied the landlady with exceeding candor. "In other words, madam, I have been too wrapped up in gigantic specula-tions to remember that I owed you a few dollars. However, the fact re-

mains that you did not worry over my "But I have worried. I have been afraid you'd get your trunk out and

skip. "The fact remains, madam," repested the major as he nibbled at the penholder and looked into vacancy-"the fact remains that you have not worried. You knew and felt that the debt was safe. You might have worried about others, but about Major Crofoot -never. Ah, it makes me feel better toward the whole world to have a person trust me thus! Such trust! Such confidence! Such childish faith in the midst of universal wickedness!" "And now you will pay me for 13

weeks at \$8 per week?" she queried as she laid the bill before him. "My dear woman," he replied as he rose up to walk about, "why specify the flight of time? Why speak of doi-

lars? Thirteen weeks at \$8 per week makes a total of \$104, of course, but should we thus brutalize sentiment? Let me say that you have trusted me. Let me say that you have put me down as a man of honor. Then let me repay you for your confidence rather than for your room and board. We will say that I hand you a check for \$200." "You don't mean it, major," she ex-

claimed, with a catch of her breath. "I sit down thus. I fill in a check for \$200, so. I tear it off and hand it to you, and with it goes a deeper feeling than I can explain. If there are tears in my eyes, you will please excuse

"I knew you would pay. I told them you were no deadbeat," said the over-come landlady as she held the check in trembling fingers.

"And your confidence was not misplaced. Let me call your attention to the fact that this check is made out to the order of J. Jordan. He is the treasurer of the corporation, you know."

"But what corporation?"
"The Universal Musical company, my friend. The organization was perfected last week, all the necessary cap-ital paid in, and we shall begin work next Monday. Having an instinctive feeling that you trusted me and wish-

ing to prove my gratitude in something beyond words, I have reserved \$10,000 worth of stock for you at ground floor figures. A dividend of 50 per cent on this stock, which is a low brings you in \$5,000 per year. All you need do is to sit with folded hands." "But I don't want stock in any of your companies," she protested. "I've

got to have money to run my house." "The object of the company," he explained, "is to provide music for the world at the cheapest possible price and in supplying music we supply sentiment, raise the social standard and make the whole world happier and bet ter. We also make a saving in provisions and fuel. A man with a fiddle will sit for hours and never know whether a room is hot or cold. A woman who is giving Mozart a twist on the plane wants neither dinner nor supper. Give a boy a mouth organ, and he will not ask for bread and butter as long as he has wind enough left to blow. It is the scheme of my life, and millions of profit will soon be rolling in."

"But about this check?" she insisted. "A great scheme and in many ways a noble enterprise. Let us take a city block, for instance. We will say there are 200 families on the block. The Universal supplies those families with planes or organs, zithers, fiddles, harps, hand organs, mouth organs, brass bands, bugles, fifes and drums. From 7 o'clock in the morning to 10 o'clock at night there is music. No one has time to quarrel or get drunk. No one stops to eat or wonder whether it's cold or hot. Music evokes sentiment, love, pity, charity. Human nature is elevated and purified, and the rent for the various instruments comes rolling in as fast as two men can count the dollars My dear woman, you see"-"But this check."

"You will take it to J. Jordan and deposit it as security for your stock, and you will order two planos, three fiddles, four harps, two drums and a set of bagpipes for this house. The effect on your boarders will be"-

"But I thought you were going to square up," exclaimed the landlady. "What do I know about your company or stocks? Whenever I present my bill, you always dodge and twist."

"In case you do not wish to use the check to secure stock you can ask Mr. Jordan to indorse it over to me. I will then indorse it to the vice president, he will indorse it to the secretary, and the secretary will indorse it to you. You will then have to be identified at the bank. It will take some few days or weeks to obtain the money, but it is a mere question of time. Meanwhile things go over. Ask yourself if it is not your duty to help us ele vate the moral tone of society? Ask yourself if it is not better to have \$5,-000 a year dividends than to be slaving your life away in a boarding house. Ask yourself"—

"Can't you give me \$10 on account?" asked the landlady in desperation as

she put the check on the table. "What! Discount my own paper after your sublime confidence in me?" he exclaimed. "Never, my dear woman, never! You must be paid in full. Inhow, and now it only remains for you to leave me to balance up my cashbook and write 15 or 20 business letters of a pressing nature. You trusted me, and you have your reward. Don't fail to be identified at the bank. If there should be any trouble, just call on me. And now good night and pleasant dreams to you.

"Major, I want this room tomorrow, called the landlady when she found herself outside the door.

No answer. "And you'll have to go!" But she talked to the silence of the M. QUAD.

She Knew. Marjorie is the small and only daugh ter in a family which boasts of several sens. Aged 4 is Marjorie, petite and imperious and enjoying excellent opportunities for becoming spoiled. She has lately attained to the dignity of the kindergarten and comes home daily with some fresh acquisition of wisdom A few days ago it was addition, and she proclaimed proudly at the dinner

table: "I know how much two and two make and free and two and four and

"And what," said her father, "do you and I make, Marjie?" Without a moment's hesftation over

these new factors in her problem, the little maid answered, with a dimple and a smile: "Sweethearts." And all the family were satisfied

with Marjie's arithmetic.-London An-

She Did "Heat" It. A Milford (Mass.) man engaged as a

helper a girl just from England. The letter II was a capital letter in her vocabulary. A very rich pudding was served for dinner, but as two members of the family were delayed the mistress put on a plate two large portions, rang for the girl and said "Heat it" for the absent members. Later, when the girl was found struggling and stuffing with the pudding, she besought my friend to let her off, as she couldn't "heat" another bite.

Johnny's Compliment. Johnny, a Sunday school boy, having arrived at his eighth birthday, thought it would be real nice to write a letter to his papa, and this is how he began it. Dear Papa-Whenever I am tempted to de wrong I think of you and say, "Get thee behind

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About a year ago the Government New Zealand decided to attemp to acclimatize the North American moose there and entered into correspondence with the Canadian Govern-The authorities at Ottawa ment. promised to assist the project and with the help of C. C. Chipman, chief commissioner of the Hudson Bay company, 13 baby moose, none of them more than a few weeks old, were got together in the Lake Manitable country. These was hard rear toba country. These were hand reared for six or eight months on chop-ped food, fresh fruit, vegetables, etc., special care being taken to get them sufficiently tame for the long voyage that is before them. Their railroad journey from Portage la Prairie to the Pacific coast was about 1,600 miles, and now they have been emon board the steamship Aorangi for a sea voyage of a month

to the antipodes. Four very fine specimens of Newfoundland caribou have just been sent from St. John's to the National Zoological park at Washington. were shipped by United States Con-sul Carter at St. John's on board the steamship Sylvia, bound for New York. They were caught when quite young by George Nicholls at Deer Pond and were so docile that they would follow Nicholls about like

FINLAND'S STAMPS VANISH musing Method to Which Finns Resor

to Keep Them Current. Finland is no longer a member of the international postal union, as by an imperial Russian ukase the Finnish postage stamp is withdrawn from use, and the Russian postage stamp substituted. While the 1 innsh postage stamp until a few weeks ago had no value in the eyes of stamp collectors, it has now at one jump reached to the head of the list, and will probably be the most valuable in the stamp collector's albums. The Finns are of course furi-ous against Russin for this addition-al demonstration of the Bear to blot their country off the map of the

But, the Finns are by nature stubborn people, and the method they adopted to still compel the Russian authorities to forward letters with the Finnish postage stamp is amus-Their correspondence they ining. closed in an ordinary envelope, which they placed the Finnish post-age stamp in the usual corner. This envelope was then inclosed in a thin transparent envelope, plainly show-ing the Finnish stamp. The outside envelope was then properly addressed and provided with a Russian postage stamp placed by the side of the Finnish. So far no notice has been taken by the Russian Government of this amusing method.

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ing investigation.

The number and variety of the demands for damages made upon a street railroad corporation are surprising, but no matter how trivial or how serious a complaint may be all are treated exactly elike and all are subject to the same routine, whether it be Giuseppe Caponsacchi, whose pushcart has lost a wheel, or the banker who has been thrown from his carriage.

The claim department of one of the

largest street railroad corporations in the country employs 70 men. Last year those 70 men investigated nearly 20,000 claims and paid damages amounting to \$700,000, an average of \$35 a claim. The claim department has to contend with every sort of fraud, and it is partly to stamp fraud as fraud that an intricate system has been built up.

Two cases illustrating the desire of the

general public to "do" a railroad corporation came up recently not 1,000 miles from New York. A servant girl who stuttered so badly that she couldn't announce a visitor's name without getting tangled asked a street railroad company for damages. She said that a car started suddenly and threw her to the pavement. When she recovered from the shock she found that she had an impediment in her speech. It was proved to the satisfaction of every one except the girl and her lawyer that she had stuttered ever since she

began to talk.
In another instance a man who asserted that he had been permanently injured in a collision sued the company for \$25,-000 damages. Two days before the trial the company's attorney invited him to compromise for \$4,500. He declined. When the case came to trial, the judge dismissed it on the victim's own testimony. These instances may be excep-tions. If they are exceptions they prove a rule which points to the necessity for a careful and systematic investigation by the claim department of every claim presented.

It is interesting to trace the various steps which lead up to a settlement. Suppose a trolley car runs into a truck driv-en by John Doe of 100 East One Hundreth street. A wheel is knocked off the truck and John Doe hits the pavement with his head. The conductor and the motorman immediately jump from the Allowing John Doe to shift for himself, they get the names and addresses of as many witnesses of the accident as pos-sible. When they finish their run, they fill out blanks, which are kept at each

depot. Certain questions on each blank must be answered-for example, the number of the ear, the number of passengers aboard at the time of the accident, whether night or day, whether an izspector was present, the policeman present and his her and so on at some length. It is this week, but watch for it next week. always difficult to induce witnesses to give their names, and they are likely to hide behind fictitious names or the names of friends, a practice which sometimes

leads to unpleasant complications.

The peports made by the motorman and conductor, with the names of the witness es, are immediately referred to the central office, where the case is turned over to the chief investigator. He sends his Subordinates out to see the witnesses. In as many cases as possible signed statements of the circumstances of the acci-dent are obtained. The reports of the ner are outsined. The reports of the investigators and the wagon builder are handed over to a force of typewriters, who transcribe the written statements and collocate them as "Case No. 18,000". or whatever number it may happen to be. The doctor who attended John Doe sends to the company a statement of the extent of his patient's injuries, and the company's physician calls up the doctor on the telephone to get his professional opinion on Mr. Doe's case. Then "No.

18,000" goes to a reader.

The duty of the reader is to examine carefully the papers in the case as put before him in the form of the reports from the investigating department. He is supposed to separate the salient points from the mass of detail. He must report the number of witnesses seen, how many favor the company and how many favor the truck and John Doe and whether in his judgment the company is liable. Then he turns over the case to the claim adjuster. Up to this point the investigation may have occupied two days or two

The claim adjuster is a lawyer, with a lawyer's insight into human nature and a lawyer's appreciation of the power of Mammon. He decides at just what Mammon. He decides at just what price the company should settle and sends his men out to see John Doe and the owner of the truck. If these last are wise, they will sign receipts and accept what the company sends. If they aren't, the case will go to the courts. The price set by the claim adjuster is likely to be final, and discretion is generally the bet-

ter part of valor.

This, in brief, is the process through which each of perhaps 20,000 claims must go. So thoroughly is the work done that no claimant ever receives excessive dam-ages. He gets what he deserves and not

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Wy., has been nominated for member of congress by the Prohibitionists of the state. Mrs. Slosson is the chaplain of the state penitentiary.
• Mrs. Amelia Folsom Young, one of the

wives of Brigham Young, made her first journey to Utah 45 years ago largely by wagon, and is now at work upon a vol-ume of memoirs of early Mormon times. Mrs. Stanislaus Vezyk, the representa Mrs. Stanishus verye, the representative of the Polish photographers of Chicago at the recent convention of the American Photographic association in Milwaukee, is one of the few women professional photographers in the United

Miss Rose E. Cleveland, sister of ex President Grover Cleveland, was in Rockville. Me., recently accompanied by Miss Ames of Boston. Miss Cleveland has just bought the Warren farm at Park Harbor, Isleboro, one of the finest pieces of property at that resort.

Mrs. William Astor, who is looking remarkably well since her recent return from Europe, is partial to a costume of black crepe de chine. The hat is orna-mented with a white plume and the cape. which completes the costume, is a com-bination of black and white lace over taffeta. Mrs. Clara L. Bovard of Atlanta ap-

peared in court recently in her own be-balf in a suit against a person who owed money to a firm for which she was collector. Women are not admitted to the bar in Georgia, but Mrs. Bovard, who has studied law, hopes to have a chance to practice some day. Miss Vivian Sartoris has this season

added to her former accomplishments that of golf, and is said to be one of the strong players of Richfield Springs, where, with her grandmother, Mrs. Julia Dent Grant; her mother, Mrs. Nellie Grant Sartoris, and her sister, Miss Rosemary Sartoris, she is spending the sea-A few weeks ago Miss Sarah Carr of

Boston was a cloak model in a depart-ment store. Now she is Mrs. Frank Skinner, Jr., wife of a millionaire and "Our little daughter had an almost fatal attark of whooping cough and bronchitis," writes Mrs. W. K. Haviland, of Armonk, N. Y., "but, when all other remedies failed, we saved her life with Dr. King's New Discovery. Our niece, who had Consumption in an advanced stage, also used this wonderful medicine and to-day she is perfectly well." Desperate throat and lung diseases yield to Dr. King's New Discovery as to no other medicine.on mistress of one of the finest homes on the Back Bay. While accompanying his aunt on a shopping expedition, the young millionaire saw the girl who became his wife, and his parents made no objection to the match.

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### CHINESE PROVERBS.

A wise man forgets old grudges. A bird can roost but on one branch. Disease may be cured, but not destiny. He who pursues the stags regards not

The gods cannot help a man who loses opportunity. Riches come better after poverty than poverty after riches. The error of one moment becomes the

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entirely disappeared.
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CHRISTOPHER GERY.

A vacant mind is open to all suggestions all suggestions and the hollow mountain seturns all

> sounds. If the root is left, the grass will grow again (the reason given for exterminating a traitor's family). A wise man adapts himself to circum-

stances as water shapes itself into the vessel that contains it. For "Enough is as good as a feast" the Chinese say "A horse can drink no more

than its fill from the river." A wife may not spend her husband's money in thought even, taking the gowns in gratitude, asking no more. If few she shall not deport herself in languid de-meanor, but shall walk with energy, as though well pleased.

### THE DOMINIE.

Lincoln Park church, at Cincinnati, has a mothers' gallery, with a nursery supplied with cots, easy chairs and other

er?' said the younger man. "Well," said the father, "I guess we'll have to lay the gad on the old gray." That homely compliment to women: "The gray mare's the better horse" sugenveniences adjoining it. Mgr. Favier, the Roman Catholic bishdowr at last under the added weight of some "last straw." Women who are dragging along wearily through op of Peking, holds, by virtue of a decree of the emperor, the local rank of mandarin of the grade equal to that of the governor of a province.

life can gain real strength by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discov-A new Catholic church is being erected at Vancouver, B. C., at a cost of \$150,-000. It will be finished in October and ery. It puts back in concentrated form the strength making material which working women use up more rapidly than it can be restored by Nawill be the most magnificent edifice on the Pacific coast.

ture in the ordinary processes of nour-ishment and rest. Dr. Pierce's Pleas-ant Pellets are universal favorites with women because they are easy to take and thoroughly effective in cur-ing the consequences of constipation. The Rev. Henry B. Smith, rector of St. Paul's church, Ardmore, I. T., who has just been ordained to the priesthood in the Episcopal church, is a full blooded Cherokee Indian. He will soon leave St. Paul's church to become a member of the staff of the cathedral at Milwaukee. We have a horror of being old and

### SCRAPS OF SCIENCE.

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the friends of Mrs. L. Pease, of Law-rence, Kan. They knew she had been unable to leave her bed in seven years on account of kidney and liver trouble, nervous prostration and general debil-ity; but, "Three bottles of Electric Bit-ters enabled me to well." she writer Recent discoveries tend to increase the belief that the sun's corona, the mysterious, lacelike, pearl colored halo that is seen surrounding the sun in a total eclipse, is an electrical phenomenon simity; but, "Three bottles of Electric Bit-ters enabled me to walk," she writes, "and in three months I felt like a new-person." Women suffering from Headache, Backache, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Fainting and Dizzy Spells will find it a priceless blessing. Try it. Satisfaction guar-anteed by A. I. McCall & Co. Only 50c. ilar to the aurora.

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### THE LAY WORKERS'

Proceedings at the Convention On the Opening Day.

Baldwin, of Toronto C. 11 Church Members Stirred

The ninth annual Diocesan Convention of the Huron Lay Workers and Sunday Schools is now in full session There is a large attendance of dele There is a large attendance of delegates—many of whom are ladies—and Dr. R. V. Bray, the enterprising local secretary, has been kept exceedingly busy in arranging and perfecting their entertainment. The convention is meeting in the lecture hall of Christ Church, than which no better centre could be provided. A very pleasing feature of this morning's session was the cordial reception accorded Rev.

the cordial reception accorded Rev. Rural Dean McCosh, who has sufficiently recovered from his long illness to call at the convention.

As stated in yesterday's Planet the convention did not open till after after schedule time and the initiatory ssion, while brief, was most helpful

and enjoyable. Following the opening devotional ex-ercises the Bishop spoke briefly wel-coming the gathering.

Three excellent papers were sub-

Three excellent papers were sub-mitted, "Some By-ways to Success in S. S. Teaching," by Mrs. Jno, B. Dale; "Prayer Book Teaching," by Rev. Can-on Hill, M. A., and "The Church in Rural Districts," by Rev. W. J. Tay-lor. A short discussion followed the reading of each of these papers, being led respectively by Rev. F. M. Holmes, Learnington, Dr. R. V. Bray and Mat-thew Wilson, Q. C., Chatham. No further business was taken up at the afternoon session, in order to

at the afternoon session, in order to enable the escorting of the delegates to their homes and the preparation for the evening gathering. THURSDAY EVENING.

Divine service was held in Christ Church at 8 o'cleck, conducted by Revs. Canon Richardson, J. Downie, W. G. Colfes and very Rev. Dean Innes. The first lessow was read by His Honor Judge Woods and the second by Mr. Jasper Golden. The sermon was preached by Rev. Arthur Baldwin, Rector of All Saints, Toronto, from Act. Vi. 17. "What was I that I could Acts XI, 17:-"What was I that I could

withstand God."

The reverend gentleman said the first practical break from the narrowness of Jewish prejudice was by St. Peter. God taught the people to cry for the gespel but Peter was the first to give it to them. Prejudice dies hard and Peter was arraigned for receiving by baptism into the charch others than those of the Jewish faith. But this new doctrine was quickly spread from city to city by many, such as Aysila and this new doctrine was quickly spread from city to city by many, such as Aysila and Priscilla. Each one helped to spread the word. When we think of St. Paul pleading for such a one as Onesmus is it possible that in these days the church should want helpers when the Mater is soon to come again. The same gospel must be preached by all to-day. The service is not for the clergyman and choir and it is not for the clergy only to preach the gospel. The speaker than traced in the history of the church the separation of the clergy from the laity. When one proclaimed himself able to transubstantiate the bread and wine into the body and blood of Christ. The breach widened and this went Christ. The breach widened and this went on until the 12 century when the cup was withheld from the laity because the blood was life. The Church of England has much to thank God for. St. Columba early brought the gospel to England and when the monk, St. Augustine, first reached that land he found a people whose hearts had already been touched by the gospel. The subjects of England are all free agents and to many of the godly laity much is due for beginning and carrying on church work. The grand old societies, the Church Missionary Society, the Religious Tract Society, the Great Bible Society and the society for the propagation of the gospel owe their origin to laymen. If these did such work for Christ in their day is it possible that laymen in our day are following in their footsteps if they do not work for the Master? Referring to Sunday school work he pointed out that these schools were starting to the supplementation of the pointed out that these schools were starting to the supplementation of the supplementati on until the 12 century when the cup was he pointed out that these schools were start ed by a layman and said one principle laid

down by Robt. Raikes, that each scholar should attend church, men would do well to copy in our day. No church is a living church without being a missionary church and no one can forget the work of Carey or Howard and of many great me who labored for Christ. The great movement in favor of lay help began in 1866 and 1882 Archbishep Tait said that he thought the laity ought to be allowed to read the service and preach the gospel. This soon spread to other parts and has taken hold of the land. Then the speaker first advocated the land. Then the speaker first airvocated this at Trinity-College he was promptly condemned by the authorities but still the work went on. It was new to some to night that laymen should take part in the service, but it served to show that the church was more conting ready for the coming of the

and more getting ready for the coming o Reference was made to the great univer sity movement under J. R. Mott and to the missionary effort now being put forth. Men great and noble have gone out to the field and are trying to win souls for Christ. It was said to day the church wants work-ers. In the early days every Christian was a worker. They were not Christians in name only, needed to be placarded in order to be known. He pointed out that the

a worker. They were not Christians in name only, needed to be placarded in order to be known. He pointed out that the church cannot go by the law of modern society. Men can dine out six nights in the week and are too tired to go to church. If the growing English custom of suppers on Sunday evening come into force more generally men will dine out seven night in the week and never go to God's house. Think of a Christian never going to the holy communion or going only once or twice in the year. How can we expect such to be living Christians?

Men expect to be different before they die and he had known many to die before they wanted to but the funeral did not make them Christian. The clergy are not lords over God's heritage and it is not right for laymen to stand aloft and to be only sermon tasters. The church may be and is very cold—ice would be warm compared with some. God the Holy Ghost can warm the coldest and use the humblest to do his work. Clergy are cold to clergy and laity often the same. The speaker gave an instance of cold treatment by laymen in England and that as we in Cananda light a fire to keep out twe cold, so in the church men need to be filled with the Holy Ghost and with fire. If a man is afraid to take up church work because of what may be said let such come out in politics and he would soon learn what a soondrel he is. He referred to the want of missions in country parts because the laymen could not be found to carry them on.

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Why should they not do as other bodies do especially since they have one grand service to hand. People who come from England love the service of their church but becoming old or infirm cannot climb to the church ing old or infirm cannot climb to the church up on the hill, which looks nice enough when you get there and so go to a nearby pisce and are soon lost to the church. We wast men to keep open the churches—to feel that God gave His Son for them and they ought to give themselves to Him. Think of the Sanday schools, nearly every one of which wast men who are too tired to help. God gets best helpers from among those more tired than such. "No time for God" is written on many hearts. The preacher s written on many hearts. The preacher concluded an earnest appeal by invoking God's blessing upon the convention and said they in Toronto were trying to copy the example of Huron in this regard.

A collection was made towards expenses of the convention and the service was closed with the benediction by the Bishop.

FRIDAY MORNING. This morning the observance of holy The additional of the control of the communion was celebrated in Holy Trinity church, which was followed by an admirable address on the subject of fatthfulness, by Mrs. W. E. Brooker of Stratford.

The annual meeting of the associa-tion took place in the lecture hall of

Christ Church.

The annual report was fully presented. It is a most extensive document setting forth fully the excellent progress made during the past year. It

The election of officers was then pro-ceded with and resulted as follows:— President—Rt. Rev., the Bishop of Huron. Vice-Presidents—Very Rev. the Dean of Huron, Chas. Jenkins, Petro-

Chairman of Committee of Manage ment—A. H. Dymond, Brantford, Secretary-Treasurer —J. M. Whanney, London.

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Norfolk, J. D. Christie, Simcoe Oxford, Jos. Dent. Woodstock. Perth. R. R. Neild, Stratford. Waterloo, James, Woods, Galt. Middlesex Branch, F. T. Harrison,

Ph. D., London.
Atlen Dymond, of Toronto, repre nting the Toronto Lay Workers' As sociation, briefly addressed the meeting, extending the greetings of the greetings of the sister organization. This evening a publi meeting will be held in Christ church when addresses will be delivered by the Bishop and Rev. C. L. Arnold, M. A., of Detroit,

CONCERT AT MERLIN.

Merlin Mirror:—Miss Charbonneau, assisted by Prof. McCaw and Miss McCaw, of Chatbam, gave a concert in the I. O. D. F. hall Merlin, on Tuesday evening. The attendance was somewhat marved on account of the rain but those who were present enjoyed a pleasant evening. Both Prof. and Miss McCaw are talented artists, the former violing and the latter on the plano.

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Last evening, at Hall's restaurant, his worship Mayor Smith, for many years Chief Ranger of Court McGregyears Chief Ranger of Court McGregor, I. O. F., entertained some thirty of the brethren. to a splendid and sumptuous oyster supper. At the conclusion of the repast Peter McCauley moved, seconded by R. H. Humphrey, a cordial and appreciative vote of thanks to the Mayor. In putting the motion, which was unanimously carried amid applause, F. Shoemaker took occasion to pay eulogistic tribute to the energy and arduous influence of Mayor Smith at all times for the benefit of the lodge and order. His Worship made a brief and fitting response, expressing his appreciation of the kind words uttered. He was proud to have been able to have done the kind words uttered. He was proud to have been able to have done the little he had accomplished. He wished the courf continued success and prosperity. Three hearty cheers were given for the host and the brethren

united in the singing of "For he's a jolly good fellow," ere adjournment. DRESDEN.

Nov. 23.—Mrs. Colwell was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital, Chatham, yes-Mrs. Charles Tassie spent yesterday,

in the Maple City. George Weir was in London yester-

day.

Rev. Mr. Griffin, Mrs. E. Eglin and,
Miss Grace Miller went to Chatham,
yesterday to attend the convention of
English Church Workers.

A concert will be given, under the
auspices of the Children's Aid Society, on November 30th, in the Grand Op-era House.

James I. Buchanan, of Pittsburg, formerly of Hamilton, has given \$2,000 to build a vestry to the Macnab St. Presbyterian Church, Hamilton.

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Chatham, Nov. 22, 1900.

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To The Planet .- Can you inform me as to how our Collegiate Institute is conducted in regard to the text books used therein. To make my meaning clear, last year pupils had to purchase an arithmetic published by W. Taylor, one of the teachers, but never author-ized by the Department. I am aware that the C. C. I. Board did not countenthat the C. C. I. Board did not counten-ance its use as a board, but a pupil, to keep up with his or her class, had to have it—and was told so in so many words. Speak to a member of the board and his reply was, "Oh, well, your child is not obliged to use it; you can't be forced to purchase it," but it was used all the same and chil-dren root basing it was under a condren not having it were under a great from experience, and anyone wishing to purchase one of Mr. Taylor's arith-

of the C. C. I., Matters of this kind need to be remedied, and I can as-sure you there is a great deal of com-ment about the matter, and the soon-er the C. C. I. board awaken and see what is going on the better. If what is going on the better. If any one can give a reason why the board is necessary, or what good it does, I for one would like to hear it.

PARENT.

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