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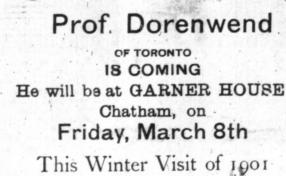
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# UNWELGOME GREETING.

The Young Duke of Manchester Met With one at Liverpool.

was Served With a Writ for Alleged Breach of Promise on his Arrival.

Liverpool, Mar. 7 .- On his arrival here yesterday on the White Star the Duke of Manchester, who with his bride, formerly Miss Helen Zimmerman, of Cincinnati, was a passenger on board, was served with a writ for an alleged breach of promise, at the instance of Portia Knight, of Lon-

London, March 7 .- No one met the Duke and Duchess of Manchester on their arrival at Euston station, Lon-don. The duchess looked extremely well and very pretty. The duke seemed rather worried. When asked if it were true that he had been served with a writ for afleged breach of promise, he replied:

"It is quite untrue. I know nothing about the suit. I am feeling quite fit and had a fine time in America,"
"Come along," said the duchess, and the couple jumped into a cab and drove off. They had intended to land at Queenstown to proceed to their Irish home. But the scorm prevented and, therefore, they decided to come to London, which they will shortly leave for Ireland. The Manchester sensation promises

rival the Westminster scandal. Although the duke asserts that the writ has not been served upon him, this is quite immaterial as the writ has been issued and proceedings have commenced.

This entirely unexpected sequel to one of the most interesting marriages between American he esses and rep-resentatives of the British peerage had its inception short Wafter the Duke of Manchester so suddengy made Miss Zimmerman a duchess. Miss Knight's allegations are not yet obtainable, but it is evident that she is in earnest and that the suit was brought without any idea of gaining publicity.

MISS KNIGHT'S STATEMENT. Miss Portin Knight is an American 23 or 24 years of age. She was on the stage in New York for a short time and has been living privately in London for a year. Her acquaintance with the duke began when Miss Knight was living in Stirmin's Mansions, in London, where the duke frequently visited. The employes of the mansions say the acquaintance ripened to a stage where they quarreled frequently and that the visits continued until only about six menths ago, when the duke no longer called there and Miss Knight took a flat elsewhere. She is now living in London among friends of position and means. Unlike the duchess, Miss Knight is a pronounced when interviewed regarding the matter she said a writ has been out for some time and she did not know whather it would be served in America or England. Miss Knight was glad to hear that it had been served in to hear that it had been served in

"I regret that this affair has be-come public," she said. "I thought it would all be done in camera. I do hope it will not be taken up by the American papers. I have brought the suit not because I desired publicity, but because I felt in duty bound to all my friends here in England. For their sake as well as my own, I have every wish that; the proceedings should be as private as possible. I only met the Duke of Manchester since I came to England a year ago, but really I must refer you to my solicitors."

solicitors."
When Miss Knight's solicitors were called upon they declined to give any details or to do more than to confirm the report that Miss Knight had com-

## The Rumor at Last Receives Confirmation - De Wet and Delarey Will be Dealt With Individually. London. Thursday, March 7.—Private information tending to show that Lord Kitchener and Sir Alfred Milner and Commandant General Louis Botha. Nathing is known as to the actual presence of the Boer commander-in-chief at Pretoria, and no London paper publishes a statement that he is there, but it is reasonably certain that Gen. Botha is in either personal or very close touch with Lord Kitchener. To-day private information tending to show that Lord Kitchener and Sir Alfred Milner have decided to accept his surrender on the basis that he is merely an individual commander rather than commander-in-chief of the enemy's forces. Gen. De Wet and Gen. Delarey, as well as the other leaders, will probably have to be dealt with individually on similar terms. If the negotiations with Gen. Botha successful termination, it will be, to use an impressive Americanism, Just one of the bunch. It is also understood that Dr. Leyds was recently negotiating to secure peace terms, vate information received in London this morning confirms the rumors of negotiations between Lord Kitchener, Sir Alfred Milner and Commandant General Louis Botha. Nathing is known as to the actual presence of

NEGOTIATING FOR SURRENDER.

**BOER GENERAL LOUIS BOTHA** 

the Boer commander-in-chief at Pretoria, and no London paper publishes a statement that he is there, but it is reasonably certain that Gen. Botha is in either personal or very close touch with Lord Kitchener. To-day Sir Henry Campbell-Bunnerman will endeavor to extract some information from the Government on the subject in the House of Commons. The Associated Press 'is informed that Sir Alfred Milner has gone to Pretoria with the object of assisting Lord Kitchener in these negotiations, the length of which appears to be due to Gen. Botha's desire to consult with acting President Schalk-Burger at Pietersburg and to make terms applying to the whole Boer forces; but militating against this is Lord Kitchener's doubt as to Gen Botha's ability to control Gen. De Wet and other leaders, as well as the internal oppo-sition Gen. Bothu is encountering. One of the best informed South African authorities said to a representative of the Associated Press last evening:— "We have little doubt that General

BOTHA WILL SURRENDER. The question now is as to what forces River he can bring with him. We have Boers

one of the bunch.' It is also understood that Dr. Leyds was recently negotiating to secure peace terms, but when it was discovered that he was merely acting a farce, not being in communication with Gen. Botha or able to live up to the tentative suggest one made, the British Government learned his views and quickly ended the proceedings, especially when it was found that Lord Kitchener was treating with Gen. Botha, while Dr. Leyds was unable to speak authoritatively for the forces in the field. Curiously enough, the War Office seems genuinely without definite information regarding the exact status of affairs. The great financial firms, whose interests in South Africa are almost equal to those of the Government, believe from their private advices that the present situation is likely to result in the surrender of Gen. Botha and the forces under his immediate command, while the other Boor units will remain in the field." immediate command, while the other Boer units will remain in the field." CLEAR ORANGE RIVER COLONY.

The Daily Mail publishes the fol-lowing from Colesberg, dated March 5.—A big movement is being pre-pared to clear the whole of Orange River Colony, from north to south, of

# **POLICE PREPARE FOR ROWS** IN BRITISH HOUSE OF COMMONS.

Future Disturbances Will be Severely Dealt With - Irish Leader Redmond Talks of the Trouble

ances, the whole police force on duty

and reinforced by reserves. Mr. John Redmond speedily rose, and raised a question of privilege arising from "the painful scenes of last night." He claimed that memb rs had been suspended without proper steps being taken to identify them, and that their removal had been accompanied by undue violence. He was satisfied, be said, that members had been suspended who actually had gone to the obby to participate in the division. The Speaker, interrupting, pointed out that Mr. Redmond was not raising a question of privilege, but a point of order. If he was properly informed of any wrongful suspensions, he (the Speaker), would be glad to take steps to rectify them.

Mr. Redmond subsequently tried to nove an adjournment, and appealed to Mr. Balfour to give the members an opportunity for discussion.

Mr. Balfour, remarking that he presumed it was desired to institute

means for preventing a recurrence of the scenes of last night, promised to consider what opportunity for discuson would be given. The subject was en dropped. Mr. Baffour subsequently gave no-

ce of a motion to be made to-morrow suspend such offenders bereafter. or the remainder of the session. Messrs. Jordan, McGovern and Donelan are the members who, it is claimed, were wrongfully suspended. It is understood that Mr. Balfour proposes is alter the House of Commons rule relating to suspension, making the kely a repetition of last night's rewolt against the authority of the

AS VIEWED BY REDMOND. John Redmond said to a press re resentative :- "The scene last night in the House of Commons was a direct result of a trick on the part of the government. A vote on account for £17,000,000 had been brought up for discussion. It covered a multitude of items, and included over £2,000,000 for Irish purposes. The discussion was initiated by English members on the English education question, and it was universally understood that the whole night would be devoted to this English question, and that the debate on the remaining items would stand adjourned. On this understanding a large number of Irish members, including some of the most experienced nembers of the party, left the house Suddenly, at the close of the sitting at midnight, Mr. Balfour proposed to closure the discussion on the entire vote of £17,000,000. This naturally progoked an outburst on the part of the Irish members who were in the

#### WANTED BY F. Marx

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London, March 6 .- The excitement | House. The scene was one disgrace occasioned by last night's scenes in the House of Commons to-day was still very evident, and when the House met at moon, in view of possible disturbscene, and most brutal violence was exhibited in the moving of some of our ment is likely to defeat its object, and, will make the Irish more determined than over to resist the government's

# THE WURK OF SAVING SOULS.

**Evangelists Crossley and Hunter** Find Scope for Effort Even in Chatham.

arge y Attended Meeting Last Evening With Spler did Addresses and Successful Results.

The Park St. Methodist Church was again crowded last evening. The people appeals to be taking great interest in the revival services being conducted by Messrs. Crossley and Hunter, and eagerness to work for the Lord is being manifested by many already Rev. Mr. Hunter read and explained the teaching of the lesson. He chose the 21st chapter of John, beginning at the 4th verse, in which is told how Jesus came to the disciples at Gallilee. They had been fishing all night but had not caught anything. When. Jesus came he told the disciples to throw the net on the other side of the boat. They did so and the net was laden with fish when it was haul-

"Some people," said the Rev. Mr. Hunter, "stick to one way of doing things all the time. It is sometimes advisable in church work to begin at the other end and tucn the old order of doing things right around. When I was a missionary in the Northwest the ruts in the old Red River road were so deep that the wagons couldn't turn out except at certain places. It is the same with churches. The people travel the same hard-beaten tracks so long that they cannot get out. Churches run in ruts or on the hand-organ style are useless. The tactics must be changed. If men cannot be won over to the Lord in one way, another way must be iried. Jesus teaches this in the lesson when he tells the fishermen to try casting their net on the other side of the

"In Parry Sound a few years ago the fish were biting at a great rate and I was so anxious to eatch the fish that I didn't look after the ones count much on a convert till you get him into the church. There are many

men, however, to be converted at these meetings who never dicken a church door. Hing up in your memories some of the wonderful teachings of this evening's tesson. In the first place, Jesus wants workers. He chose his disciples from amongst the busy fishermen. Jesus has no place for lazy men. It is remarkable that you never find a lazy woman. There isn't a woman in Chatham but would get up in the night to work, while a man would only get up to smoke his pipe. Some people think that they should exhibit their religion only on Sunday or in the house of God. Jesus, in the lesson, teaches us that we should carry our religion into all the walks of life. The re-son some men fail is because they don't take Jesus Christ as life. The reason some men fail is because they don't take Jesus Christ as

cause they don't take Jesus Christ as a partner in their business.

The less in a teaches that we must presvere in Christian work and like the fishermed we will be able to say, "Master, we have to ed all night, then comes morning and Jesus"

Miss Elda Id e and Mr. Crossley sang the beautiful duet, "Ah, my heart is heavy laden." The duet was splendidly rendered. Rev. Mr. Hunter read a number of letters late'y received from and concerning their converts. One man, converted eight their converts. One man, converted eight years ago in Nova Scotia, has just died at the age of 98. Other converts were living righteously.

righteously.

Evangelist Crossley addressed the gathering. He took as the basis of his remarks, blunders.

Mr. Crossley pointed out some of the mistakes the people of the world make. He said that Christians made blunders. They were always too apt to compare themselves with other people. Christians shouldn't compare themselvs with other people, but should rather be all God made out of them. 'Another blander of Christians was When Mr. Crossley was a boy he had read all the diseases described in the almanac, and imagined he had them all. It was the same with Christians, when they began to examine their when they began to examine their feelings, and in the end became what they thought they were. The feel-ings depended on the way the wind blows and the state of the liver. If Christians judged their piety by their feelings and not by their faith they yould soon get at sea religiously.

There were 300 promises in the bible and not one had been broken. Dr. Allen was a skeptic, and his wife was a Christian woman. When the Doctor's child was dying, the little one asked the father if he was right or if the mother was right. The father let his own opinions crumble and told the taught, for she was right. Backsliders blundered, but some of the best Christians had been backsliders at some time during their life.

Then there were secret Christians who said their prayers and lived right but people never knew that they were Christians, 'These Christians were making a mistake in not confessing Him. God gave every Christian a ban-ner to display, so that every one might know that he was a Christian.

The unconverted one made a mistake in not yielding to God but the convert must

be careful not to make the blunder of cass-ing until through when once he has started.

The meeting closed with prayer by Rev. Mr. Hunter. This part of the meeting was marked by great reverence and solemnity.

DATE CE APRIVAL Lendon, March 7.—The official programme of the Dake of Counwait and fork's colonial visits gives his arrival at Halifax for September 15. He will leave Halifax Sept. 17, arriving at Quebec Cept. 20, and leaving there Oct. 17 ha will arrive at St. John's, Oct. 22, and leave there Oct. 25, and arrive at Portsmouth, Nov. 1. The present intention of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York appears to be to go to Vancouver over-land, between Sept. 20 and Oct. 17: possibly passing through the United States on a part of their return

# JEALOUS MAN SLEW A RIVAL.

John M. Durant had Written Letters to a Russian Count's W ife.

Paris, March 7. - John Wilson Durant, of New York, who has been living for the past two years in Paris, with his mother, at the Hotel Lafonde Tremo lie, has been killes at Ostend

in a duel with a Russian count:
According to the best information
obtainable, Durant had written letters
to the wife of the Russian count. The
latter's nephew came to Paris to settle the matter, where he met Durant in a restaurant, where a vicious fight resulted, in which Durant lost his front teeth. He struck the Russian with a heavy glass water bottle and the latter died, but the doctor's certificate gaye congestion of the brain as the cause of death. This occurred during January, Later the count took the matter up,

sending his seconds to Durant. mother, is the later went to Glasgow. A duel was arranged with pistols. Durant was killed and the count

was seriously wounded. Durant registered in the hotel at Ostend as Charles Neville Carter. Durant was well known in the Amer-ican colony here. He was a frequent attendant at official receptions given by the American officials. His engage-ment to a young French lady was recently announced. They were to have been married this month. The names of the Russians have not yet been ascertained.

the fish were biting at a great rate and I was so anxious to catch the fish that I didn't look latter the ones I had caught. As a result, when I was ready to p'rk up my fish I could not find more than half of them. You can't count much on a fish until you get him on a string, and you can't count much on a convert till you get him on a string. There are many the count much on a convert till you get him into the church. There are many the count much on a convert till you get him into the church. There are many the count much on a convert till you get him into the church. There are many the count much on a convert till you get him into the church. There are many the count much on a convert till you get him into the church. There are many the count much on a convert till you get him to the church. There are many the count much on a convert till you get him to the church will be given in the Opera House, under the auspices of the Ladies.' Aid of St. Joseph's Church. Mr. Hirold Jarvis, Detroit's favorite tenor; Miss Susan McGill, of London, and other first-olass talent have been engaged, and the Concert promises to be a great success, id

### .The Planet..

S. STEPHENSON, - Proprietor

IT WON'T HURT BOSTON.

The Portland, Me., Advertiser points out that Boston has no occasion to be jealous of Portland. What is taking place in transportation matters, it says, is not designed to hurt Boston, but Montreal. Indeed, more busines for Portland is more business for the railroads, and the prominent lines to be benefitted are those running to Boston and Central Massachasetts.

To quote: "What is taking place is simply the transference to Portland of a part of the business which Montreal has enjoyed until now for many years. That can injure Boston in no way and indirectly it will benefit Boston."

It is quite probable that our Maine friend is correct, and Boston will suffer no harm. It is also quite true that "for fifty years Portland' has played a very important part in the railroad economy of New England," and the indications are that "in the nature of things it will continue to

All this must be exceedingly gratifying to the average Canadian, who reflects that Portland would not be playing any very "important part in the railroad economy of New England," or anywhere else, had it not been built up by the trade of a Canadian railway system which cost the people of Canada many millions of dollars. The mere transference to Portland of a part of the business which Montreal has enjoyed for years should be accepted with equanimity,

CANADIAN PRODUCTS NOT PRE-FERRED.

provided it does not hurt Boston.

The trade figures made public are usually 'given in values instead of quantities, and owing to fluctuations in prices, it is impossible to tell from the figures of value, what the actual increase in business has been. During the last five years, probably on account of the increased quantity of gold in the world, prices have generally been much higher all over the world than for twenty years before. It would be well for the Dominion government in every case, to publish both quantities and values.

The last monthly report of the Minister of Trade and Commerce reproduces the British returns of imports of some of the principal food products into the United Kingdom during the last three years. These returns show that in 1898 the quantity of Canadian butter imported into the United Kingdom was 156,865 cwt.; in 1899 it was 250,083 cwt.; and in 1900 it decreased to 138,313 cwt. The other colonies exbutter to England were New South Wales, Victoria and New Zealand. All of there ordenies have steadily increased their exports of butter. New South Water Sent 31,391 ewt. of butter to Britain in 1898; 43,-561 cwt. im 1899; and 81,436 cwt., in 1900. Victoria sent 124,223 ewt. in 1898; 211,744, in 1989; and 264,603 in 1900. New Zealand sent 69,919 cwt. in 1898; 111,639 cwt. in 1899, and 264,603 owt. in 1900. The quantity of butter imported into the United Kingdom from foreign countries was 3,209,093 ewt. in 1898; 3,398,851 cwt., in 1899; and

3,378,516 cwt., in 1900. In 1898 the quantity of cheese in ported from Canada was 1,432,181 cwt. in 1899 it was 4,337,198 cwt.; in 1900 it was 1,511,872 cwt. Australasia sent 44,608 cwt. of cheese to Britain in 1899, and 86 513 cwt, in 1090, while the cu'ntities imported into the United Kingdom from foreign countries were 862, 663 cwt. in 1898; 1,014,621 cwt. in 1899,

and 1,113,420 cwt in 1900. Canada is the only colony that exports bacon and hams to the United Kingdom. In 1898 the quantity of bacon imported from Canada was 535,-879 cwt.; in 1899 it was 453,698 cwt., arsi in 1900 529,864 cwt.

The quantities of hams imported from Canada in 1898 was 117,181 cwt.; in 1899 it was 150,698 cwt.; and in 1900 it reached 196,182 cwt. From foreign countries the United Kingdom import. ed 5,175,443 cwt. of bacon and 1,854,-871 cwt. of hams in 1898; 5,350,810 cwt of bacon, and 1,827,923 cwt. of hams in 1899; and 5,111,622 ewit, of bacon and 1,606,494 cwt. of hams in 1900.

Canada is the only colony from which the United Kingdom imports eggs. The quantity was .745,355 gt. hd. in 1898; 646,867 gt. hd. in 1899, and 807,702 gt. hd. in 1900. From foreign countries the United Kingdom imported 14,424,582 gt. hd. in 1898; 16,174,760 gt hd. in 1899, and 16,881,838 gt. hf. in

. These are the only farm products given in tables. In 1898 about 10.8 per cent, of Britain's total imports of these articles, came from Canada. In 1900 about 10.4 per cent. of the total imports were from Canada. So far as these five leading farm products are concerned it is evident that the British people have not given Canadians a preference in return for a prefer-

In the next report of the Minister of Trade and Commerce it would be well to give the quantities of all the food products imported into the United Kingdom. Perhaps if all the imports were given there might be a nomewhat better showing for Canada, or perhaps it might be worse.

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IS IT HUMBUG ?

The question whether the preferential tariff shall be applied only to British goods brought direct from British ports to Canadian ports is one that can be discussed without political prejudice, because neither of the political parties have as yet committed themselves either in favor of or against the proposed discrimination. At the meeting of the Montreal Board of Trade yesterday Mr. Crathern expressed the hope that members of the House of Commons would support the proposal to discriminate in favor of Canadian ports. Mr. Hodgson replied that it was all humbug. He did not want to be hampered as to which route he should import his goods by Mr. Hodgson and other importers

are now hampered as to where they shall buy their goods by the preferential tariff. They get a reduction of 33 1-3 per cent. in the duties if they buy in the United Kingdom instead of in the United States, Germany, or some other foreign country, and Mr. Hodgson thinks that is quite right. Now, if it is right to give a preference to British manufacturers, why should it be "humbug" to propose to give a preference to Canadian ports?

At present the preferential tarisf is purely a matter of sentiment. We get no return for it. If it is right to favor British manufacturers for sentimental reasons, why is it wrong to be equally sentimental about Cana-

At present a very large proportion of Canada's foreign commerce passes through American ports in both summer and winter, and the Grand Trunk Raidway proposes to take a larger proportion of the business to Portland than ever before, making it the chief terminal in summer as well as winter The men engaged in handling Canadian business at American ports de not buy Canadian farm products or Canadian manufactured goods. If the business were done at Canadian ports Il the workmen employed in hariding it and the population dependen on them would become consumers canadian products of all kinds.

It is evidently not merely a ques tion of sentiment; it is a matter of

There is just one reasonable objetion that can be raised to such a dis crimination, from a business point of view. That objection is that the Americans might retaliate by making a tariff discrimination in favor of their own ports. - The question to be decid ed then, is whether the iAmerican business coming to Canadian ports is equal in quantity to the Canadian business going to American ports. We have been trying for twenty-five years or more to divert American business to Montreal. . To what extent have we succeeded in the past? Are we likely to be much more successful in the future? Can we afford to give up the American business for the sake of having a monopoly of the Canadian business? These are the questions that must be seriously considered be fore deciding to make our tariff discriminate in favor of Canadian ports

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# HUMAN FLESH EATEN IN CHINA

Famine has Driven Villagers in Sian Fu to Cerrible Extremities.

Victoria, B. C., March 6.-Chine papers, received by the Empress of Indea, say that in Kansu, the Mohammedan revolution, of which the moving spirit is Gen. Fuh Siang, is growing. The court, fearing that the re moving the capital to Szaechuan, The Chinese army of the north has een transferred to Yu Nan and Kwei fies the system against the inChau, and Gen. Feng Tzt says the
Southern army of 80,000 has been or
dered north to Shen Si. It is stated at the Chinese capital that in the event of peace negotiations failing these

> The Japan Gazette says: "By order of the governor of Shantung, large posters have been put out at Che Foo, the contents of which are as follows: 1. Pastors and priests are invited to return to their various stations.

mops will be pitted against the al-

2. Magistrates to receive them and 3. Should there in the future be outbreaks against the Christians, similar to those of the past few months, magistrates over the districts which are disturbed, are to be cashiered. 4. The magistrate who keeps the district peaceful is to get a good mark. If he keeps it peaceful three

years he is to be recommended fo 5. The gentry of the districts which remain peaceful for one year are to get a good mark; if peaceful for three years, they are to get buttons, 6. Goods looted must be restored not restored within a certain pe pd, the holders of them are to b reated as having received stolen pro-

7. Goods that cannot be restored must be paid for in money. Shantung missionaries are planning return to their stations after the himese New Year.

The pitates are getting more bold on the west river, near Conton, and they recently attacked an European hous boat. They killed a Chinese boatman and severely wounded Brookburst and Spalinger, European passengers. In San Fu. because of famine, th villagers are eating human flesh.

# BRUTAL POLICEMEN HURT THE WOMEN

Czar's Mounted Men Chased There Furiously Through St. Petersburg Streets.

St. Petersburg, March 6. - Monday was the fortieth anniversary of the elmancipation of the serfs.

At noon 1,500 men and women stu dents gathered in and around the Kasan Cathedral on the Nevsky prospect, where mass for the repose of the soul of Czar Alexander II. was being celebrated. After the mass the stugathered in great numbers. dents were scarounded and driven in a crowd towards the city hall not far away, and also on the Navsky pros

For no special reason the police be gan beating the students and tramp ing them under the feet of their norses. The Nevsky prospect was fitled with spectators, The banks and business houses were nearly all closed with shutters fastened and doors

The spectators and the women stu dents screamed with horror, police kept up their attack on the students until 400 of the latter were driven into the courtyand of the city half the others escapting in the crowd.

The entire city is horrified by the conduct of the police.

The police were warned beforehand and 2) delegates from the various St. Petersburg higher educational insti tutions were arrested Friday night for meeting to consider student affairs learned that the arrest of Prof an and author of a threetwolum "History of Russian Literature" and of "A History of the Period of Peter the Great," and editor of the Russian edition of the Ferman encyclopedia who was taken into custody Feb. 11 was for participation in a conference between liberal citizens and 150 students.

y made at Kieff. The government the attempt made Feb. 2 as decided not to make by Peter Karpovich upon the life of the minister of public instruction. M the minister of public instruction, M. Bogoliepoff, when Karpovich shot the minister through the neck. The his crime, therefore, will not exceed 15 years' imprisonment.

#### M'KAY'S CORNERS. Colin McCann, contractor and

builder has returned from Essex, where he has been visiting for the past two weeks. He is preparing for the Soo in the spring.

Mrs. L. Towsley, of Michigan, is visiting with her mother, Mrs. Chas.

Martin. Mrs. Amasa Gage is seriously il S. E. Holmes is getting many logs into the mill yard these days.

Dr. and Mrs. Robertson, of Newbury, have been in the village for a days visiting friends. o. McCann, fir., paid a flying

Geo. McCann, Br., paid a flying to Wallaceburg yesterday. Mrs. Isaac Montgomery, of Dover Centre, is visiting at Wm. Steen's, car-ing for her sister, Mrs. Steen, who is eriously ill. Mrs. Cameron, of Ridgetown, has returned home, after visiting with he daughter, Mrs. Will Parsons, of this

Mage. Miss Winnie West has returned to Miss Winnie West has returned to R dgetown, after visiting with her friends, the Misses Hutchinson.

Birt McKay and family have moved into the village, having resided in the country for about one year.

Mrs. Booth, of Whitebread, is visiting with her son, Wm. Moore.

The Mystery of Agatha Webb, a very interesting story by Anna Katharine Green, will commence in the next issue of The Weekly Planet.

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water to every two quarts of which has been added half a tablespoon of melted iard. Wipe thoroughly and set in a warm place till perfectly free from mois-

### CONGRESSIONAL CUIS.

When we read that 287 lawyers are nembers of congress, our wonder growt at the number of bills passed which law vers on the bench find constitutional .-Louisville Post.

roting on legislative questions with the unanimity and dispatch that it votes on motion to adjourn for the holidays, we shall win the world's record for legislative speed.

When congress can learn the art of

TABLOID JOURNALISM. Perhaps Mr. Alfred Harmsworth could find a good field for labor in editing the almanac.—Baltamore American. It isn't size that makes or unmakes newspaper. If it were, the yardstick

would be mightier than the pen.-Boston

Herald. Mr. Harmsworth fails to explain how his coming newspaper trust can have a brisk controversy with itself.-Philadel-

### DARRELL.

Darrell was overcast with grief at the death of our young friend and schoolmate, Ira L. Gregory. No thought of such a shocking event en-tered the minds of our people. A few days ago in good health, and then the news that Iva Gregory was dead. The heartfelt sympathy of this com-The heartfelt sympathy of this com-munity goes out to the family in their bereavement. The pall-bearers were six youths who had been schoolmates and chums—Fred Pugh, Fred. Agar, Wm. Brown, Wm. McLean, Ed. Jinks and H. French. The deceased was laid to rest in Arnold's cemetery, Louis-ville. The grief of the parents is very great.

The box social, which was postpon ed on account of Miss Gregory's fu-neral, will be held at the home of Mrs. E. French, 4th Con., Tuesday evening.
A number of friends attended the funeral of Mrs. Thos. Grant, Head St., Chatham, Friday afternoon.

Miss Florence Ritchie and Miss Ed th Side, who have been visiting Mrs. E. French, have returned to ther homes.

#### The aggregate attendance at school NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF

PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby give that partnership hitherto subsisting between us, the andersigned, as painters, paper hangers, picture framers, etc., in the City of Chatham, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to Jos. A. Tilt at Chatham aforesaid, and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented to the said Joseph A. Tilt, by whom the same will be settled.

JOHN A. TILT

Witness, W. G RICHARDS. 2w2 Keep Minard's

NEW ELECTRIC ALARM CLOCK

An electric time alarm, which has been patented lately, has at least one navelty to recommend it. It is direct-ly connected to the bed, and it is impossible for the sleeper to stop it un-til he gets up to stay. Underneath the bed is a series of contact points, the weight of the person forcing them together. A clock is used in connec-nection with the apparatus, and as soon as the hour of rising is indicated the remaining opening or break in the wire is closed, the current passing wire is closed, the current passing through the contact points underneath the bed and causing the bell to ring continuously until the sleeper, by leaving the bed, breaks the circuit. Should he lie down again, the circuit is again completed and the bell rings until the second rising.—Electricity.

## BYE AND BYE.

A good story is going the rounds at pre-sent, to the effect that a family in the North-west, by the name of Day consisted of the parents and seven daughters. On ar adjoining section lived a farmer named Sunday and he had seven sons. The eldest son fell in love with Miss Day and wedded her; and soon after another of the Day girls was married to Mr. Sunday. The mother objected strongly to this, but her husband said, "Oh, don't worry, every Day'll be

unday bye and bye. BUTCHERING DEER IN THE WATER This Journal stood alone for years in its determined hostility to when the Legislature passed a law

booting of deer in the water, and prohibiting the practice, we never imagined it possible that it would be Such, however was the revoked case, and though in answer to the circulars sent out by the Department, the majority of the replies were opposed to the privilege being again granted, the Minister saw fit to disregard the protest and again allow the pot-hunters their way.

There is no more sport in killing deer in the water than knifing lambs in the slaughter house. The writer of this has hunted deer for over twenty years, and during the time that it was egal to kill deer in the water he has seen many a one clubbed to death by men who excused their action by saying there was no use wasting ammun-ition. The man who "still" hunts or shoots his deer ahead of the dogs in the woods, fairly earns his venisor But the game has no fair chance when it can be driven to the water and killed there. Lots of men now go hunting who are actually afraid to go five hundred yards into the woods for fear of losing themselves; hunters of this stamp wouldn't kill a deer in ten seasons, but when these same men are located in boats on a lake and experienced guides are hired to put out the water-thus dogs and run deer to the guarded they butcher them at their leisure. If an amendment to the Game Protection Act prohibiting the killing of deer in the water is submitted to the legislature this season it should be passed without a dissenting voice.
No true sportsman will oppose it.—
Toronto Canadian Sportsman and
Live Stock Journal, February 15, 1901.

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### TILBURY

March 6 .- At, the banquet at Valetta on Monday evening D. R. Farqu-harson, late township clerk of Tilbury East, was presented with a \$75 gold watch by the council. Many speeches, both of regret and congratulation, were delivered.

Two rinks of local curlers went to mesville yesterday afternoon to conclusions with the curlers of

Word was received yesterday of the death of John Hutton, of Napier, father of W. A. Hutton, principal of the Public school here.

A public meeting will be held in Anderson Hall next Tuesday evening.

Mar. 12, to discuss the flax by-law and other matters pertaining to the municipality.

dry from Toronto to resume charge of W. O. Crawford's millinery estab-lishment for the coming season.

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Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up till noon Saturday, March, 1901, for the erection and tion of a two story frame house at Merlin.

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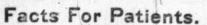
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#### JOE AT A HANGING.

THE VENERABLE PILGRIM PLAYS LEAD-ING MAN IN ONE.

Much Against His Own Will He Is Forced to Enact a Tragic Role, Which Ends in a Way Totally Unexpected by Him.

[Copyright, 1900, by C. B. Lewis ] With my tintype outfit, my fightin dog and my bottled grasshopper I was amblin along the highway toward the town of Lucky Strike when I meets up with an enthusiastic crowd on horseback. I gin 'em a friendly nod to prove that I didn't feel stuck up and purse proud, but instead of passin on and leavin me to my reflections he who was boss called fur a halt and courteously said to me:

"Stranger, would it be axin too much to ax the name you go by as you wander back and forth?"

"Not at all," said I. "I am called Pilgrim Joe, and my mission is to grad-



A TRAGIC SCENE. den the hearts of the sorrerful and make the afflicted bust into song and

"That's a powerful good mission," said he, "and would you be so kind and condescendin as to git off'n your wagin?"

"With all my heart. What else kin I do fur the crowd?" "We are sorrerful and want our

hearts gladdened. How much de you weigh as you stand?" "Clus on to 160." "And this rope," said he, as he took it from his saddle, "will stand twice that, and that limb up thar, is good fur

500. Stranger, the situashun is favor able, and, though we ain't in no pertickler hurry, it's jest as well to take advantage of this beautiful weather." "I don't quite ketch on," said I, "and mebbe you kin bely me out a bit What's the connection between me'n the rope and the limb?"

"A clus one, stranger. In about five minits you'll be hangin by the neck." "But whyfore?".

"It's the custom of the boundless we was arter got away, and so we take the next. No hard feelin's about it, you know. We are goin to put the job through in the greatest good natur', and you shall hev a marble headstone as soon as ever the railroad strikes this locality. I hope you won't be captious about the matter."

Bein spoken to in that kindly manner, I could hardly make up my mind to disappoint the crowd, and yit I preferred to remain on earth. I was reflectin on it when they throwed the noosed rope over my head, hustled me along to the tree, and thar was a fatherly tenderness in the voice of the boss as he patted me on the back and observed:

"I can't tell you how much obleeged we are, but I promise you that the headstone shan't cost less'n \$20 and that a lamb shall be carved on the top. It has bin a leetle surprise on you, but you hev acted like a man and won our esteem. Hast a wife anywhere?"

"Not a one." "Any relative to whom you want to send a few farewell words?"

"And it ain't much use to do any prayin, bein as you are a good man and duly prepared to go. I sorter wish I was goin with you, as this is sure to be a hard winter and I'm bound to git chilblains, but I've got to tarry fur awhile longer to look after my mother less children. You seem to be about

"I reckon I am," I said, "and I hope you won't loaf away no time over the job. Bein hung by the neck is a heap different from haufin up a bale of

"It is, pilgrim, it is, and I pledge you my solmen word you shall hev no fault to find with the way we manage this leetle picnic. Stand over to your left a bit and hold your head up. Rest easy on your feet, so they won't stick to the grass. Now, then, are you all ready?" "It seems like I am."

"Then haul away." The crowd hauled, and I riz. I choked and kicked and swung about and had begun to wonder why I didn't reach the shores of that brighter land and hear the songs of the angels when I opened my eyes to tind myself on the

grass and still alive. As soon as I could look around the boss said to me; "Pilgrim, kin you ever furgive me? I thought the rope was strong enough to hold a bull, but it broke with you. Instead of bein in paradise you are still

in Oklahoma." "And am I to try it over ag'in?" asked:

"Oh, no! no! no! You must know the custom of the boundless west on sich occasions. When the rope breaks, the victim is turned loose, to be hung some on your wagon, and we'll feel proud to escort you to the young and enterprising town of Lucky Strike."

M. QUAD.

tive character of a member of congress should be lost or merged in a large body. It all depends on the kind of character the member has end his ability to maintain it.

#### THE HORSE SHOW.

The trotting stallion Jay Bird, Jr., has gone from Ohio to lowa. Over 700 horses for South Africa were recently inspected at Fort Worth, Tex. A half pair of pyjamas is now used for the education of high steppers. It is a new idea.

The veteran driver Sam Robbins has been removed from a Detroit hospital to the poorhouse. It is reported from Denver that John Blue, formerly with Tom Keating, will train for Ed Gaylord next season.

The total dead weight of horse meat sold in Paris during 1900 was 5,300 tons, or 590 tons more than the preceding year. One of the coming 2:10 pacers at the Jewett covered track is the Heir Apparent, by Chimes, which Charles Olcott drove a half in 1:071/4 recently. He was purchased by A. E. Perrin for \$250 last

The pair of horses recently purchased by President McKinley are dark bays 16% hands high and weigh 1,256 pounds each. They were sired by the Morgan stallion Bay Highland. The price is reported at \$2,000.

A peculiar disease has appeared among the horses at Brasfield, Madison county, Ky., and several have died from it. The horses go suddenly blind and die after a few hours. No one seems to understand the disease or its cause.

Ben W. Whitehead, the young trainer of Rome, Ga., has formed a partnership with Smith Thomas, Glendale, Tenn., and will train a string of horses for the coming season. Although only 23 years old, Mr. Whitehead has given records to several horses.

Statistics of the export trade show that 108,049 horses and mules were sent abroad from the United States during the value of the animals was \$11.531.533. Most of them were bought for shipment to Africa.-Horseman.

### IMPERTINENT PERSONALS.

Lord Kitchener is kept busy trying to look pleasant, and it doesn't come natural either.—Memphis Commercial\*Appeal. The latest report about Nikola Tesla is that he is perfecting a process for extracting oil paint from rainbows.-Albany Journal.

Jay Gould left \$70,000,000. would he have thought if anybody had told him that one of his daughters would be in a bankruptcy court within nine

Ex-Mayor Hewitt of New York says salt has "set him back 20 years on the highroad of life." That being the case, he must be booming amiably along away back in the nineteenth century. - Exchange.

People have had enough of successful living on a dollar a week and the like. What would really interest in that line would be a written description, say, from the Count de Castellane, of how people can fail to live on \$900 000 a year, with daily details.

Alfred Austin has small sense of the fitting. He is to celebrate the return of Roberts with a new poem. England has much to bear. Just at the moment when she must summon all her lightheartedness for rejoicing Austin trots out his wretched, hamstrung Pegasus to flap his creaking wings at the careworn bunting.

### THE DOMINIE.

Dr. Lapponi, one of the pope's physicians, states that notwithstanding his recent fatigues the pope is in excellent

The Rev. Hannibal Goodwin, who died at his home in Newark recently at the age of 78, attained distinction as a clergyman of the Episcopal church and as the inventor of the continuous film for photography.

A Chicago pastor inserted a want advertisement in a newspaper asking for 500 girls to attend service at his church. There was a big congregation present. The pastor told them to try to be pretty, to dress well, not to use paint or powder and not to eat too many caramels.

The condition of Bishop Littlejohn of Long Island, which was so serious last summer and fall as to cause some anxsummer and fail as to cause some anxiety, has so far improved as to permit him to take up his work again. He is keeping such diocesan engagements as his strength will allow and expects soon to be able to assume all of his duties.

### JEWELRY JOTTINGS.

In searching for novelties opal matrix should be remembered as one of the inno-

Thimbles have around the top hand somely embossed bands enriched with colored stones.

A very pretty line of charms consists of plump hearts cut in amethysts and in topazes, yellow, pink, etc. These are held in a wirelike frame of gold.

An odd trifle that will solve the perplexities of some seekers after originality s a miniature coal scuttle in silver, whose filling of black fiber serves as a pen wip-

Long chains undoubtedly lead the pro cession of feminine vanities, and popular among the plainer specimens is the one unadorned save with a small engraved or enameled oval slide.

### HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

To remove grease spots from silk moisten the spots with chloroform and rub with a cloth till dry.

A saturated solution of borax and water rubbed on with a sponge, then followed by clear water, will remove a glaze, the result of wear, from black goods. To take grease out of leather apply the white of an egg to the spot and dry in the sunlight. If one application is not sufficient, repeat until the stain is removed.

A painter suggests that if the bathtub be given two coats of common white paint before the enamel paint is applied, letting each dry for 24 hours, the objec-tionable flaking off process will not fol-

# CONGRESSIONAL CUTS.

Several others bave lost it.-Balt

There is no reason why the representa

#### How Will She End?

Just budding into womanhood, so fresh, so fair and fine that we turn to watch her as she passes, she trips along the street a picture of health and beauty. Among the passing crowd of worn and wrinkled women, she looks a being from another



tion, cures bear-ing-down pains strengthens the

caine or other narcotic. "I had been a great sufferer from female weakness," writes Mrs. M. B. Wallace, of Muenster, Cook Co., Texas. "I ried four doctors and none did me any good. I suffered six years, but at last I found relicf. I followed your advice, and took eight bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and four of Ms 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I now feel like a new woman. I have gained eighteen pounds."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure bil-

### THE VERDICT.

A miser who lived in one filthy room in England has just died and left \$5,000,000 to charity. Who will say that man lived

in vain?-Cleveland Leader. That Harvard professor who propose to make burning at the stake a legal pen-alty evidently belongs to the middle ages instead of the twentieth century .- Pittsburg Times.

The British are calling for army re form. In fact, all around there seems to be a general demand for a prompt and vigorous locking of empty stable doors .-Baltimore American.

Although better roads are demanded by farmers and citizens generally, the mand is now being made doubly emphatic by the growing use of the automo bile.-Syracuse Post-Standard.

Even old Rome is paying the penalty of denuding forests. The Tiber has re-cently been on a tear which cost the inhabitants in its vicinity \$7,500,000. Protect nature, and nature will protect you.

-St. Louis Star. Contemplation of the probability of a coal famine in the west is not pleasant, but it is an effectual reminder of the fact that this country has expanded faster than records realize. This impending famine is due solely to the fact that the coal

is used faster than it is dug.

# WEST POINT TACTICS.

Hazing is one of the last relics of bar barism which the nineteenth century did not eliminate.—Philadelphia Press. When some of the exercises in hazing

are described, it becomes a little difficult to decide whether the custom is brutal or merely idiotic .- Washington Star. It seems pertinent to inquire whether the nation maintains West Point for the education of officers of the American ar

my or for the training of efficient valets -Indianapolis Press. Some day the right wild western boy will be sent to West Point, and then the dudish hazers will hide away in the rocky bluffs of the historic Hudson until he car be roped and brought back home.-Den-

ver Post. It is a nice question whether a man would prefer to go through the battle of Gettysburg or sit it ice water and drink a bottle of red pepper sauce as a fresh-man at West Point.-St. Louis Globe-

The conduct of the Military academy at West Point has been shown to be both ridiculous and vicious. The government of the United States should not be expected to run an elaborate establishment

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Mr. Harland Smith, of Toronto, will be in Chatham at Gray's factory to purchase horses on Saturday, March 16. The high est cash price will be paid for light and

heavy horses. IT IS A GUNBOAT. Joseph McGarvin says that Mr. Coltart is mistaken when he calls the boat, found by Mr. Kearney, a scow. It is in reality a gunboat. Mr. McGarvin's father had often told him that there was a boat sunk back of the Ruddla property. This is the farm now owned by Edward McKer-rall, and back of which the boat has been found. Mr. McGarvin was present when the boat at. Sicklesteel's dock was fired by the retreating Cana-dians. This is the boat back of Fish-

SUCCESSFUL CHATHAMITE.

B M. Feliows, of New York, Sec.-Treas of the Geo. F. Fuller Building and Construction Co., in a letter to relative in Chatham, says :have been very ousy at the office late-iy; have taken on about \$10,000,000 in new business for the coming season, and, as it is all carried on from here, and, as it is all carried on from here, it makes it lively in the office. Our company's year ended Feb. 24, and the year's business shows a net profit of over \$1,200,000. It will probably be more next year, so you will see it is a pretty big business: We recently placed an order for \$1,500,000 worth of steel and 75,000 barrels of Portland cement to be delivered in 1091. We pay put \$1,000,000 per month for labor and material. We are just completing the largest office building in the world at a cost of \$3,500,000, started June 5th, last, and will be completed April 1, and our company owns 9-20ths of it. The building and grounds are valued at \$7,500,000." Mr. Fellows is the youngest son of the late W. R. Fellows, of Blenheim, and received his business training in the C. B. C. here. "Barney," as he is familiarly known to his friends in Chatham and Blenheim, has evidently made a success in the great metropolis.

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Joseph Downey, Queen street, is slowly Barrister Judd, of the firm of Meredith Judd & Co., London, was in the city to-day

Litany service will be held at 4.30 to-morrow afternoon in connection with Christ Church.

A MORNING BLAZE.

At 1.15 this morning Fireman Hicklin noticed a blaze and forthwith turned in an alarm. The brigade took a run to the pop factory of Ab. McGregor, corner of Church and Murray streets, and tound the building blazing, but the fire was soon put out. The loss on building will be in the neighborhood of \$.00. The damage on machinery is not known. Fireman Potter had a narrow escape when the chimney fell in, a number of bricks falling on the legs of the fireman, but he was promptly dug out by the others.

# WAS JUST THE SAME AS USUAL

Chatham Curlers Again Trimmed-Prospects of Escape From Defeat Brigh en With Advent of Warm Weather.

Glencoe, Ont., March 7.—Three rinks of Chatham curlers were defeated here yesterday by Glenche curlers, as fol-

Chatham-Dr. Bray, skip 11; W. D. Sheldon, skip, 11; J. McCong, skip, 12; Glencoe-R. R. McKellar, skip, 21; J. L. Luckham, skip, 16; W. D. Moss, sk p, 12; total, 49. Majority for Glencoe, 15 shots.

FOUGHT A HORDE.

London, March 6.-Intelligence just received from Northern Nigeria, bring events there up to Jan. 31, describes the operations of a British expedition of three hundred against the marauding Emirs of Bida and Konta Gora. Both capital towns were burned by the British. Two hundred slave women be longing to the King of Bida were re-leased by 36 men, under the command of two officers, who successfully en-gaged 1,000 armed natives.

CANADIAN CASUALTIES. London, March 6.-The War Office eports the following casualties among eneral French:-

Killed-Major Howard. Dangerous y wounded -235, Sergeant

warthway, Severely wounded-Sergt. Douglass. Accidently injured—Sergt. Vine, Slightly wounded—Sergt. Abbott Slightly wounded-and 183, Ptc. Carter.

Major Howard is Major "Gat" Howard, whose death has previously been eponted. Sargt. R. J. Northway went Squadron, Canadian Mounted Rifles. He enlisted at Calgary, N. W. T. Sergt. Henry S. Douglass went out as a member of the same squadron, enlisting at Winnipeg. Sergt. Vine is probably the man who enlisted in "A" Squadron, Mounted Rifles, as Pte. J. A. Vine, formerly of "A" Squadron, R. C. D. Sergt. W. R. Abbott enlisted as a private in "B" Squadron, Strathcoma Horse, at Maple Creek, Alberta. Several men of the name of Carter joined the Mounted Rifles, all Westerners, but their numbers in the off. orners, but their numbers in the official register do not correspond with that given in the above cable.

London, March 7 .- Mr. Balfour's proposal to make suspension for the remainder of the session the penalty for disobedience to the chair, is expected to lead to an angry debate. The action of the Irish members is universally condemned; but, at the same time, Mr. Balfour's attempt to drive, rather than lead the house meets with much disapprobation. It is said Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman will protest against whosesale closuring.

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# **EXPLAINS**

Writes The Planet Concerning His Vote on Proposed Beet-Sugar Bounty.

Has Been Interesting Himself With Members of the Government in Kent's Interests.

To the Editor of The Planet: Dear Sir,-I notice in your paper of Feb. 27th an article in reference to the Government of Canada giving a bonus or bounty on all sugar made

in the Dominion of Canada from beet

You may say that I have had personal interviews with Sir Wilfrid and some of the members of the Government, and used all the influence. I possessed to induce them to give the bounty, and had the vote been whether the bounty was to be given or not, I should have voted for the bounty no matter whether that vote had been for or against the Government.

Yours very truly. GEO. STEPHENS. House of Commons, Ottawa, March

Lieut. West, with the gunboat Laguna de Bay, has captured a Filipino camp near Manila.

George Bennie was mominated for the Legislative Assembly by the Lib-erals of South Grey. The small-pox ep demic at Glasgow is

more serious. Forty-two fresh cases were reported yesterday. Parry Sound Conservatives have nominated Joseph Edgar, of Sundridge for the Legislative Assembly.

The recruits for the South African Constabulary will leave for South Africa about the 20th or 22nd inst.

Fire broke out in the building at St Catharines, used as a postoffice and customs house. Little damage was

Sir Wilfrid Laurier has given notice of a bill to amend the alien labor law. which is designed to render the act more workable.

It is understood that Mr. J. E. Dalrymple, General Freight Agent of the Central Vermont, will be appointed Secretary to Mr. Reeve, the General Manager of the Grand Trunk, to suc-ceed Mr. Logan, who was appointed General Manager of the Central Ver-

MANGLED TO DEATH.

London, Thursday, March 7.—A despatch to the Daily Mail from Moscow says that a number of peasants who had cleared a snow-filled cut on the railroad near Wolovo, were over-taken by a train as they were departing from their work. The place where the walls of snow on each side of the track were so high that they could not be climbed. The engine dashed into the party, mangling thirty of them. The clothing and bodies of the victims clogged the wheels and stopped the train

MR. MULOCK LEAVES.

Hon. Wm. Mullock, who will represent the Dominion of Canada at the opening of the first Parliament of the Commonwealth of Australia, has so be able to leave Thoronto this afternoon on the 5.20 train for New York. He will be accompanied by Way of England, and will be accompanied by Mrs. Mulock, his son Cawthra, and his private secretary. It is probable that a number of the Postmyth Carrail's friends. tary. It is probable that a number of the Postmester-General's friends will be at the Union Station this af-ternoon to wish the party bon voy-

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# A LITTLE MORE WIND AND THUNDER

This Time it is U. S. Senitor Morga Who Threatens Britain With Extinction.

Washington, D. C., March 6.-Senaor Morgan to-day, addressing the Senate on his resolution declaring the Clayton-Bulwer treaty abrogated

said :-"We will make no compromise Great Britain upon that subject. will make no concession to Great Britain in relation to that treaty. What we shall do with it (and some of our people are opposed even to that) is that we shall declare it abrogated in that we shall declare it abrogated. It the write on my resolution could be taken to-day, it would inform the Brefedent of the United States that he has no two-thirds majority in the Seanie to adopt any compromise he may make with Great Britain. If it is the purpose of Great Britain still is the purpose of Great Britain still to look for delay, she will not get it. If it be her determination to pick a quarrel with us about it she will find the President in the last election -fighting men. And she will find, when that war terminates, that the steel band which bind the thone in London with Australia and India and passes through Canada will have been rent in twain, and with its severance

down will go the Empire. WILL BREAK UP EMPIRE. "She will find that her possessions in the Carribean Sea have lapsed. She will find that she has overtaxed our patience. She has started with a new

King, and upon a new career that will break up the Empire, and reduce the King to the sowereignty of his own ishand. Does Great Britain suppose that she can escape from the terrors of the existing situation and the prospective situation everywhere, and that she can find a favorable oppor-

tunity to display her military power against the United States?"

Mr. Morgan knew, when the supreme moment should come, and any power in the world should undertake to bridle the United States by placing such restraints up on her sovereignty as were contained in the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, the American people would resist to the bitter end.

# THE RECRUITING IS COMPLETED

Fifty-five Men Secured From the London District -They Include Several Chathamites.

Another batch of twenty-six men left London yesterday afternoon for Ottawa to join the contingents from all parts of Canada now assembling there prior to leaving for South Africa and service in Baden-Powell's mount ed constabulary. The men were a part of the squad recruited at Wolseley Birracks by Col. Holmes, the reruiting officer for the London distriot, and as they marched off the barracks square they were given three hearty cheers by the men of the permanent force. They went to Ottawa on the C. P. R. express leaving here at 5.20, and they were given a send-off at the depot by a number of their friends.

friends. The recruiting was concluded at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, and all the papers in connection with the three days' work were forwarded to Ottawa. Sixty men were asked from the district, but only 55 were accepted. From this it might be inferred that there was a scaroity of applicants, but such was not the case. There was no end of young men at the bar-racks during the progress of the re-cructing, but the regulations governing the enlishment were very strict, and many of the applicants were rejected because they were unable to meet the requirements in some slight respect. The balance of the recruits -seventeen in number-will leave for Ottawa on the C. P. R. this after-

Among those taken on yesterday af-ternoon were Joe Day, G. W. Wood-liffe and P. C. Ingameils, all of whom served in South Africa with "B" Com-pany. Every member of "B" Company who applied for admission to the police was accepted. Col. Holmes appointed the following as provisional non-commissioned officers, and it is almost a certainty that their appoint ments will later be confirmed:—Sergt Little, Sergt. Tawse and Sergt. Gib Little, Sergt. Tawse and Sergt. Gibbons; Corporals Rogers, Ingamells, Delmar, Hartford, Day and Penward n. Sergt. Tawse has been sergeantmajor of the Thioteenth Battalion (Wellington Rifles), one of the best corps in the London district, for the past three years, and Gibbons has been a sergeant in the First Hussars for a similar period. Stripes in the South African police force means a large difference in the pay, a sergeant receiving 8 and 9 shillings and 6 pence, while the trooper receives 5, 6 or 7 shillings according to his class.

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The People Strongly Antagonistic to the Clergy.

Madrid, Feb. 11 .- For nearly a quan ter of a century Spain has been free from civil war and from the religious and anti-clerical agitations that so greatly disturbed the peace of the peo-insula earlier in the 19th century. With the restoration of the Alphonsist branch of the Bourbons in 1874 the st branch of the Bouroons in 1874 the church and the religious orders were shown much favor by the crown, chiefly to win the support of the priesthood for a monarchy that was confronted by a pretender who had at one time succeeded in raising seventy thousand volunteers to the cry of Dos natria Rev.

Dos, patria y Rey.

The restored Alphonsist monarchy had to fight Carlism for fifteen months before the pretender gave up the struggle which he knew to be hopeless from the moment that his cousin had come to terms with the Vatican. Alphonso XII. was in a position to induce the Cortes to restore to the church its annual budget of \$8,350,000, a considerable influence in public education of every grade, unlimited liberty to found convents, monasies, schools, Catholic universities, even spitals, and refuges and permission turn many religious houses into orkshops and manufactories, competg with the industries of the nation. was also able to suppress the unnited liberty of conscience established by the Cortes and governments of the revolution from 1868 to 1874, and the Protestants were only permitted freedom inside their churches, chapels, schools and cemeteries. The favor shown by the Conservative and Liberal governments of the Alphonsist branch of the Bourbons to the state church was rewarded by the decided support of the Vatican and of the prelates and higher ranks of the ciergy, who really endeavored to curb and check the visi-ble sympathies which the lower orders of the clengy, the Jesu is and religious orders of both sexes professed for the

-Wihen the French Republican cabi nets took steps, under the famous Jules Ferry laws, of 1881, which led to an exodus of some of the wealthiest and most powerful religious or-ders, and especially the Jesuits, Spain was selected by the monks, nuns and Jesuits as a promising land of exile. They were so well received by the gov-ernment, the people and the court that Spain now boasts of possessing more opvents, more monasteries and more Jesuit colleges, seminaries and establishments of all kinds than at any time under the houses of Bourbon and Austria. The last census, in 1897. showed 28,549 nuns, 45,328 monks and priests, 1,200 Jesuits, 9 archbishops, 51 bishops, 55 deans, and 1,213 canons in the country. The religious houses of every kind exceed two thousand. It not possible to ascertain their real wealth or the value of their movable property. They pay no duties on their real property, and none on their registers of ratepayers, only having to pay on capital invested in stock. The clergy and dignitaries of the church pay no taxes, but with the permissionof the Pope grant the state annually a donative, the gift of a very moderate amount towards the ways and means of the budget, \$600,000. No objection was raised in parliament, nor much in the country to the growth of the orders and of the Jesnots, nor to the spread of their in-

usits, nor to the spread of their in-fluence in Spanish society of over y grade from the lowest to the highest. Whenever Republicans or Democrats protested against the indulgence shown to clericals and ultramontanes the Conservative ministers retorted by saying that Sagasta and all his Liberal cabinets had behaved exactly as they did, with a view to secure the support of Leo XIII, the godfather of the present King Alphonso XIII, and of the bishops, and archbishops; and Nuncio, in order to restrain the rural and parochial clergy as well as the religious orders, and to check even

Carlist intrigues. SAGASTA'S SUCCESSORS. After the war with the United States, and after the loss of the colonies, when the pretender wanted to make capital out of the popular and military discontent in Spain, the Queen Regent most gladly accepted the resignation of Sagasta and of the Liberal party in order to confide the reins of government to its strongly Conservative and ment to its strongly Conservative and Catholic cabinets, led first by Silvela, then by Gen, Azcarraga, who selected as colleagues men quite as devoted to the church and Vatican as themselves. The Regent maturally expected that such ministers would not only carry out a policy in accordance with the wishes of the Pope and the church, but that they would, as they did, though reluctantly at first, assist her in obliging the nation to submit to the contemplated

the nation to submit to the contemplated marriage of her eldest daughter, the Princess of Asturias, with the second son of the Count of Caserta, who was chief of staff to the Spanish pretender from 1874 to 1876 Count of Caserta, as head of the former royal house of Naples, and as "King in partibus" of the two Sicilies, is also a distant cousin of the Spanish Bourbons, and the brother-in-law of the Infanta Isabella, dowager Countess of Girgenti and aunt of dowager Countess of Girgenti and aunt of Alphonso XIII. The advent to office of the Conservatives in March, 1899, and their

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domestic policy in Spain since have contributed to develop in the provinces and in Madrid among Liberals, Democrats, Fepublicans of every shade, an ever-increasing discontent against the prevalent Clerical and Untamontane influences. Fuel was added to this movement of opinion by the royal marriage, and by a series of incidents that aggravated the discontent which has been rapidly assuming a serious aspect in the capital and many great towns.

Warnings had not been wanting in the short session of the Cortes which began on Nov. 20 and closed on Jan. 10, when the very shaky Cabinet of Gen Azcarraga put an end to the sittings simply to please the Queen Regent and avert a ministerial crisis on the eve of the royal marriage, which Dona Christina wanted to see carried out under the protection of the gallant old soldier and royalist who kept Spain under martial law to quell Carlist risings on the one hand and all resistance to the ceremony on the other. After the parliament had one hand and all resistance to the ceremony on the other. After the parliament had ceased to sit, by virture of a royal decree, the irritation against the Catholic and Clerical influences was soon fanned into a blaze by the Liberal and Republican press, and a few untoward incidents tended to increase the hostile tendency of public opinion, while it was observed that even the Catholics and the Conservatives showed very little enthusiasm for the approaching

AN AWAKENING PLAY. The most popular of Spanish novelists, Don Benito Perez Galdos, put on the stage last week in the classical Teatro Espanol at Madrid, a powerful picture of Madrid society with criful picture of Madrid society with its characteristic traits, blending frivolity and fanaticism, external picty and worldly-mindedness. The hero, posing as a reformed rake, is an intriguing hypocrite worse than any Jesuit in the cold-blooded pursuit of his cruel ends. It is his own natural daughter whom he attempts by deliberate falsehood and violence to immure in a convent to expiate his own diughter which he are a liberate falsehood and violence to immure in a convent to expiate his own sins and the sins of her deceased mother! A brave young engineer and cousin of the heroine unmasks the intriguer and ultimately makes the girl his bride, after a long struggle and many spirited scenes, which won the success of the play. Galdos, to use the words of Sagasta, has been so much in touch with the currents of the day that he fired a train that spread like wildfire in Madrid and the provinces, provoking demonstrations that are still going on despite all the efforts of the government and of the the Catholics.

of the the Catholics.

A FLAGRANT CASE. In the wake of "Electra" came the news of several cases in which the Jesuits, nuns and friars have taken away, often blandestinely and by night, young and rich girls, some of them minors. One was a daughter of a general of Cuban and political fame, another was betrothed and on the rec of her matriage, after a long of a general of Culsan and potteral fame, another was betrothed and on the eve of her matriage, after a long engagement; a third was torn away at midnight by a parish priest and his sister from the home where her invalid mother had been bedridden for years, and was distracted by this desertion of an only and beloved daughter. Last, but not least, came the appeal, addressed to the Supreme Court of Spain, by a Catholic and Ultramon montane mother, who demanded restitution of her daughter—a rich heiress, a bright, intelligent girl of twenty-four, romantic, religious and impressionable—who had been induced by a celebrated Jesuit preacher to become a nun at the Convent of the "Slaves of the Sacred Heart of Jesus" in Maddid. The Jesuit not only persuaded or the Secred Heart of Jesus in ma-drid. The Jesuit not only persuaded Adela Ubao to come to him for confes-sion secretly, without the knowledge or consent of her mother, but he made her conceal the fact from her ordinary confessor, the respectable parish priest and friend of the family. Then he kept up a correspondence with the girl, under fictitious names, through servants and other messengers, in Ma-drid, and even when she was away in summer he provided her with books in which she found tales of Catholic girls and saints who had abandoned aged, pauper, dying parents for the

sake of religion.

The great Republican lawyer, deputy and ex-president of the republic, Salmeron, defended the appeal at the Sameron, derended the appear at the Supreme Court, and showed, to the best of his belief, that the Spanish civil code and canon law, church usages, and precedents, contained nothing that could justify the ruling of the I that could justify the ruling of the Courtludge of First Grade or of the Courtcal, in nonsuiting the mother of the senorita. The case excited such in the curiosity and interest that the Supreme Court was densely overcrowded, and, after his pleading, Salmeron was escorted home by two these and persons of every class, inmeron was escorted home by two thousand persons of every class, including many barristers and even judges. He spoke to them from his balcony, strongly urging them to disperse quietly and give no pretence for police interference, as liberty and justice must prevail if they all persevered. Unfortunately, the students and lower classes did not follow this advice, and began that series of demonstrations.

constrations, some very violent, against Jesuit colleges, seminaries and convents that soon spread to the provinces.
The arrival of Count Caserta and his family a Madrid, on the occasion of th court festivities before the marriage of his son and the Princess of Asturias, added to son and the Frincess of Asturias, added to the exasperation of the students, Liberals, Republicases and Democrats, all over Spain. Sagasts, with his usual intrepid frankness, asked the present rulers of Spain how they could expect that public opinion, excited to such a pitch by the conduct of the govern-ment and of the Ultramontanes, could pos-siby be checked when Count Caserta appeared at the court of Spain and in the

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The Eyes of Chance.

"A rascal more or less of these scamps on t count. Try some of these pheasants, your honor. They were sent me by a friend, a trusted old friend. Yes, as I was saying, a rascal more or less." And the speaker, a broad shouldered, blond bearded man in uniform, launched forth into a tirade against the Arabs that from any other man would have brought down swift, vengeance from these hardy sons of Algeria. But Vandier's cheery smile and kindly sympathy for the very men he was engaged in execrating were prover-bial beneath the white tents that dotted

the sandy plains around us.
We, the judge of El Azereg and I, the military doctor, were seated at Vandier's table. In spite of the disparity of our positions-Vandier had risen from the ranks to a sergeantcy-we loved him for his geniality, devotion to his duty and, above all, to his family, for whom he

lived, breathed and thought.

No, decidedly our good friend was exempt from the risk other men had incurred. But what did worry me was his perpetual and incurable fondness for winging anything feathered that came within gunshot, despite the stringent laws that forbade such sport and the danger he, as guardian of these same laws, ran when he infringed upon them.

I wondered silently whether the judge was deceived by this excuse of an old friend, and as I glanced at the sweet faced little wife and her two bonny chil dren I resolved to repeat my warnings to Vandier at the Ast opportunity. Alas, fate willed it otherwise!

The day after our pleasant little visit was returning from a long and somewhat cheerless journey into the desert, whither I had been summoned to relieve suffering Arab, when I was stopped by crowd of people, headed by mg friend,

Garien, the judge. "Quick, doctor," he cried. "I am off to El Azereg. Vandier has been assassi-nated!"

"Dead?" I repeated, chilled to the "No but a pistol shot in the groin. He

s in great danger."

Mechanically I wheeled my horse's head in the opposite direction and galloped rapidly along beside Garien, who informed me that the police were aleady on the spot. The minutes grew into hours in my dis

torted fancy: I hoped my colleague had been summoned in my absence for I felt myself too excited to handle my patient with the calm deliberation so necessary

stice, your honor. We entered the house hurriedly, As

had hoped, my colleague had preceded . Vandier, his face tensely drawn with he agony of his wound, lay among the white sheets that were spotted by a few rops of blood. Mme. Vandier knelt sobng beside him. The doctor straightened s he saw us.

"He still lives. You will have time to ke his deposition Vandier opened his eyes with a groan

"Oh!" he whispered, "it's all over with Watch over Marie and my little ones. The government must provide for hem now. Don't abandon them." I could not answer; my grief tugged at my throat, and I nodded sorrowfully.

Again the doctor spoke: "To save his strength I will repeat the story of his mishap. Listen carefully, Vandier, so that you can sign the declara-tion when it is finished." Vandier nodded, and his face set in more dolorous

lines than before. "Vandier was shot at very short range; just how I cannot say, as it is impossible to search the wound—some Arab contrivance, loaded with stones perhaps. The murderer is a well known rascal, Chenefi Omar Abdelkader, living yonder at Mahoudi. He has just been arrested. Vandier was returning from the farm of Pavanni in his runabout. He was alone, armed as usual with his gun and cartridge belt, both carelessly thrown under the seat. Everything seemed as usual until he approached El Azereg, when this blackguard sprang upon him from some bushes at the roadside and without a word shot at him. Vandier, though gravely wounded, reached for his gun; the trigger caught and the gun went off, the bullet passing through the flooring of the carriage. This accident gave the assassin time to escape in the brush, but not before the victim had recognized him as a

scamp who had just been imprisoned for six months for theft. Then, by a su-preme effort of his will, he managed to drive into the village." Pear Vander! He had, then, fallen a victim to his hasty words. During the narrative his pallor had increased, and as the judge glanced up, expectantly awaiting his affirmation of the details, he opened his eyes with an expression of anguish I have never before or since,

thank God, seen on any face. "Well, Vandier, as you hope for im mortal salvation, is this the truth?" "Just an bistant," interrupted my col-

"Did the Arab shoot from the right of the left side?"

"Strange," murmured his interlocutor

"We must investigate this. The wagon is very high." We filed out to inspect the wagon, and when we returned convinced that a very tall man could have accomplished the deed the invalid took the oath, and we

turned from the painful farewell scene between husband and wife.

Outside the crowd surged and shouted for justice, for Vandier was a universal

At last my colleague summoned us.

a shudder. "Vandier, is this the man?"

The sergeant's features were convulsed by some mental struggle, and his threatening words against the Arab rang my ears, why I could not telt. most penitent remorse, he murmured:
"It is." Then, with an expression of pity,

Noble soul, true hearted Vandier griev ed that his murderer should suffer penalty of his crime. But Omar cast himself beside the dying man and cried, with a refinement of

hypocritical sincerity:
"In Allah's name, I have never injured And before we could prevent him he had kissed Vandier's hand with passion

ite devotion. The excitement overwhelmed the invaid, his breath came in gasps, his eyes closed, and then followed an ominous si-

The following days we devoted to care ful investigation of the facts. Needless investigation to my mind, convinced as I was of Vandier's absolute loyalty. As impartial judge, however, I pretended the absolute necessity of investigating the prisoner's unswerving asseverations of innocence, and my colleague, for some reason unknown to me, but based, he told us, upon pathological reasons, supported

Our researches, however, confirmed all the details of Vandier's story. That Omar's friends and relatives swore he had not been absent from his tent at the hour specified we did not need, for the Arabs would naturally seek to protect

heir kinsman One thing, however, impressed us as strange. The terrible hemorrhage that must have followed had not stained the bottom of the runabout, and yet the ground where the attack was made had

been flooded a deep crimson. "It dropped through the cracks," I aserted, when Garien mentioned the iraobability of the wounded man having limbed from the wagon in pursuit of the "But in that case we would find traces

t it all along the road." I left the judge in anger at his implied doubt of Vandier's veracity. Our Arab maintained an attitude of dignified resignation. Allah would not desert his child until his innocence had been prov-

Early in the morning of the day appointed for the man's conviction Garien came to me with something clasped tightly in his left hand. "What do you make of that?" he ask-

ed, extending a bullet of the caliber used Vandier instead of the Arab, and in the place of the rags they use, a bit of "Why, wood; rather superfluous in a wound it seems to me." "Where did you get them?" I asked,

raguely disconcerted by the occurrence. "Your colleague brought them to me after the autopsy." replied Garien, between his teeth. "Come, let us examine the wagonette again."

We went out together, I still seeking an explanation to this undefined accusaion against my departed friend. Garien quietly fitted the splinters into the small hole in the bottom of the runabout. Not a morsel was missing. Vandier himself had explained this hole by

the accidental discharge of his gun. "There," said he at last. I could not believe my eyes.
"Impossible!" I cried. "They are not the same color as the wagon.' The judge gravely scraped awar the the splinters. The bright yel

low that Vandier bad used to stain his

wagonette gleamed beneath the somber "I-I don't understand," I stammered The judge looked at me; then he said: "You know Vandier hunted, or, rather, poached?" he said coldly.

I nodded. "Well, he shot himself, and Omar is innocent. It is all quite clear. Returning that morning, he discovered one of the pheasants his trusted friend was so fond of sending him. Dismounting he started to pull out his gun, but the trigger caught, discharging the bullet, which lodged in his groin." Garlen illustrated just how this had happened. "By a marvelous effort of love and devotion Vandier, realizing what the consequences for his family would be if the true cause were known, forced his way back into the runabout and drove home with his carefully planned tale. For one of Vandier's frank, honest nature the stupen-dous deceit with which he dared face his Maker, from sheer love for his wife, amounted to a real heroism. It is superb and abominable. And to think that a man's life should depend upon such a

We entered the little courtroom where our prisoner was already seated.
"You are free," said Garien, "to seturn

The Arab answered simply: "Allah be praised. May he watch over you for long days to come." Then, with the easy grace of a men who feels his innocence proved in the

face of doubt, he added:
"The tongue of the witness is a serpent who drinks of lies, but innocence is re-flected in the eyes of a just man." "That is sometimes a truth and some-times an error," murmured Garien, as

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I will not sicken you with the details

of the preparations, as some of our boys gave them when they came to tell me, in the hope that I should be able to inter-fere, but before they reached the steamer the big drum's dam-dum announced the final act. The natives could not, or at least appeared not to, understand why the white man and his people should take exceptions to their proceedings. "Why." said they to one of our boys,

"Why," said they to one of our boys,
"do you interfere with us? We don't
trouble you when you kill your goats.
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"Cavalry riding." said the major. "Is xelting, but very exhausting business. Long distance raids in an enemy's country can be made only where there are a good many horses. John Morgan could never have made his raid through Indiana and Ohio in 1863 if the counties raided bad not been well supplied with the best horses in the west. When he started from the Cumberland river, in east Tennessee, Morgan believed that he would sweep everything before him and that, if properly supported, he would capture Cincinnati.

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"This was the most remarkable raid of the war. It carried panic and confusion into Ohio and Indiana, but in results it was of no benefit whatever to the Confederate cause. Morgan believed that there would be an uprising in the Confederate interest in Kentucky. There was not. He believed that the peace Democrats in Ohio would give him at least secret support. but when his men stole the horses of the peace Democrats the latter joined the ranks of Morgan's pursuers, and before the raid was half over the whole state was aroused, and men who had taken no interest in the war previous to that time shouldered their squirrel rifles to fight the raiders who were stealing their horses and carry-

ing the horrors of war to their very doors. "There was hard riding all the time for Morgan's men. They left behind them a wreckage of broken down horses. They kept ahead of their Union pursuers simply because they stole horses right and left and remounted the men, but they were finally captured, and that fall Ohio gave the war party the largest majority in the history of the state up to that time. In fact, the Morgan raid, by carrying the war into the peaceful districts of Indiana and Ohio, provoked a furious feeling of resentment, which influ

enced people for 20 years.
"The comedy of the raid was fur nished by the people of the districts wholly unused to war, wholly unprepared for it and with exaggerated ideas of the ferocity of Morgan's men For two weeks it was only necessary for some mischievous boy to shout 'Morgan is coming!' in any village in central or southern Ohio to create a panie I know that many of the raiders after Morgan got no rest night or day. slept in the saddle, and not a few of them fell off their horses in sleep. At the end of the raid they were as exhausted as Morgan's men, but with a more difficult task to perform they never received half the praise given to the raiders.

"I remember," continued the major. one case in which a woman stabled her carriage horses in the parlor for two days to keep them out of Morgan's hands. I saw Morgan's men ride by that house and saw some of them stop to listen at the unusual sound of horses' feet on a carpeted floor, but the parlor horses were not disturbed. Some of our neighbors drove their horses, cattle and sheep 30 miles into the interior and were away from home a week. Morgan's men looted right and left, and some of them had bolts of calico strapped to their saddles when

they were captured. "Morgan, it must be remembered, made his whole raid with artillery and a wagon train, but he was not in Ohio to fight, and he demonstrated at once the ease with which a peaceful district may be invaded by a mobile column and at the same time the peril involved in such a venture. In a few days 50,000 militiamen were in the field against him. At first be played with these green soldiers, but at last they bung on his flanks, eager, for fight as bulldogs. In the last days Hobson's men, who had followed Morgan for hundreds of miles through three states, closed in on their old enemies with a gleefulness that exceeded anything of the kind, I ever saw in the army, and Judah's men, closing in on the other

side, settled the fate of the raiders. "Morgan's men knew by the manen vering and the firing when they were faced by trained soldiers, and the first charge of the Union cavalry had in it the impetus of delayed vengeance. The Unionists who rode in that charge had old scores to settle, and Morgan's tired veterans were overwhelmed. After Morgan had escaped from the penitentiary at Columbus and had reorganized his command and was again raiding Kentucky hundreds of Union soldiers on their way home for discharge left their trains and joined in the pursuit simply to get a crack at the old raider and Morgan knew when their rifler stoke that he was up against the real

> Just Like a Man. no; she's not at all what you call a really feminine woman. wits masculine ways."

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The public character of a man is the tinsel worn at court; his private character is the service of gold kept at his

bankers.-Sir T. Overbury.

cis Leclaire, one of the men employed by me working in the lumber woods, had a tree fall on him, crushing him fearfully. He was, when found, placgrave fears were entertained for his recovery, his hips being badly bruised and his body turned black from his ribs to his feet. We used MINARD'S LINIMENT ON HIM freely to dead able to return to his work. SAUVER DUVAL.

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The more the world is laid open, the greater men's minds become; and the greater their minds, the greater they make the world.—Menzell.

GLENWOOD

Miss Sophia Brown, of Detroit, visited har mother here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. McGee and daughter Edith are spending this week with relatives in Woodstock. Miss Millie Rollett is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. Branton, of Port

a this vicinity, have signed a petition

asking the county council to consider the advisability of filling the approach to the main span of the iron bridge

here with earth, and building an

iron approach as at first proposed. They believe that the scheme would

be the best for several reasons. All

materials except stone, could be found

within a few rolls of the bridge. The filling would give employment to many men and teams, and it is esti-

mated that the cost would be much

P. Gilbert is hauling brick and

sard, and will soon commence build-

WABASH.

Mr. Burgess is recovering from his

Thos. Lewis is preparing to build a

There was no prayer meeting last

Thursday evening.
Christopher Shaw has moved down to his new bouse, and his son William

moves into the one he formerly occu-

per and Mr. Christopher Shaw are on the sick list.

on the sick list.

Joe Anderson bought Vance's house near the C. P. R. and has moved it

down on the 10th concession for a ten-

nant house. W. E. Kelley, Gray's agent, Chat-

ham, was in our vicinity this week. Mr. and Mrs. McGowan returned to

Chatham on Saturday after visiting friends and relatives here.

S. S. NO. 6, DOVER.

Mrs. Joe Phillips, Mrs. Alex. Hop-

new barn.

Charlie Jeffry, of Leamington, was in the village this week. KENT BRIDGE. About 100 ratepayers of the county

less than for iron work.

Good thoughts are blassed guests, and should be heartily welcomed, well fed, and much sought after. Like rose leaves, they give out a sweet smell if laid up in the jar of memony. -Spurgeon.

#### TURNERVILLE.

A HELPLESS CHILD. Mrs. J. Lewis and family, of Bethel, Harwich, were the guests of Thomas Buckingham last week.

Thos. Buckingham officiated in the Lindsay Road Church on Sunday last, owing to the illness of the pastor. Miss Oxley, of Blenheim, is visiting her mother.
Yes, our assessor is on his rounds:

incapacity and weakness.

Any woman who expects to become Keep your eyes open.

A sleighing party from Dresden took possession of Aaron Lane's residence on Tuesday night last. A very enjoyable time was spent by all. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will do both for her own health and safety

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#### The following pupils of U. S. S. No. 6, Dover and Raleigh, are entitled to ice-cream between two ginger waf-

have their names placed on the honor list for the month of February. Deadly La Grippe Class V.-Myrtle Clements. Class IV.—Emma Newkirk, Belva Clements, Amy Boley, Wm. Hodges, George Holmes, Nellie Peel, Bertha Gilbert.
Class III.—Cora Ennis, Guy Holmes,
Wm. Leach, Ivie Clements, Wesley
Clements, Robina Johnston, Justin Williams, Annie Tommas, Marie Peck, Percy Clemernts, Wm. Crow, Lucy-Newkirk.

Class II.—Myrtle Gilbert, Leo Rogers, Marion Johnston, Susie Gilbert Martin Leash, John Boley, Robt Braybrook, Thomas Peel. Class I., Pt. II.—Flossie Gilbert, M. A. Matte, Albert Holmes, Fred Parry. Class I., Pt. I.—Ray W. Huff, Francis R. Johnston.

John Rogers,

### TUPPERVILLE.

Dan. Heffernan is about to give up his hetel and intends going north to start in the grocery business there. Thomas Radpath, of Waliaceburg, has bought Mr. Heffernan out.

John Willox has regained his health John Wilvox has regained his health and is at the mild again.

Herbert H. Baker, of London, visit-ed his brother, J. S., here last week, and is now at Dr. Baker's, in Detroit. At present E. Daley is no better. On Sunday about one o'clock Mr. Logan noticed smoke rising from Ben.

Baker's sawmill and on reaching it tound the milk to be on fire. With the aid of others it was saved. Loss H. Holmes has been at Watford with

his sister, who has been ill, but is no J. Simpson was at Wallaceburg or business Monday.

### McKAY'S CORNERS.

Harry Green, of Chatham, is busily friends in the village ere starting for South Africa on the morrow, as a member of Baden-Powell's police force Harry leaves with many good wishes for his safe return in some three years

A prominent farmer from Howard township has been in the habit of driving into the village, tying his horse up to a post, and allowing it to stand out in the cold and storm for hours at a time. He was taken to task about it one day very lately, and warned not to allow it to occur again. The citizens of this village are determined that the noble animal shall no be illused within its borders, or sub

Mrs. Mac Campbell is visiting in Botany during the present week.

The young people of this vicinity are preparing to give the public a treat to a real old fashioned enter-tainment in the course of a few

for an addition to his shop the com-ing spring, as well as giving the old building a general overhauling. The trustee board are worried over some slight omission in form, about holding the annual meeting. 'Twere better far to allow this oversight on the part of the secretary to go unno-ticed, as everything in the section has een going smoothly as usual. Minnie Fiuellin is seriously indispos ed, having contracted a very heavy

Wm. Mobray, of Botany, is in the

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

# Mrs. E. B. Shults.

ends, for I am to-day much better."

MRS. E. B. SHULTS



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#### HUFFMAN'S CORNERS.

Jennie Cundle is under the doctor's care. She has been suffering for a week from a severe attack of pneu-monia, but is better. Chas. Myland, of the 9th Con., is

in bed with heart trouble. E. Whittington and his sister, Mrs. Finnie, of South Dakota, who were home attending the funeral of their mother, Mrs. Geo. Whittington, re-turned last week to their own

is quite poorly.

H. Bowden has been attending the High Court of the Canadian Order of Mr. A. Bockie has not much im-

proved in health. A car of export whiskey lay on the siding at Fargo one night last week and in the morning it was found that the customs seal had been brok-en and that some one had appropri-

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Class II.—Grace Wright, R. Rice, A. French, A. Rice,
Class Pt. II., Sr.—Artie Stewart, S. Warnock, Myrtle French, George Skinner. Class Pt. II., Jr.—Pearl Newkirk, O. Wright, R. Berkby, J. Marshall.
Class I.—Esther Rice, Robt. Smith,

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FLORENCE. Our town is talking up a gun club. Mrs. J. B. Webster is in

Miss Mary Miller has returned to Miss Mary Miller has returned to Dresden, after visiting her cousin, Miss M. Wilsom.

Mrs. Kendry and children, St. Catharines, are visiting relatives in town and vicinity.

St. Matthew's Guild will give a sacred concert in the church on March 8th A silver collection will be taken.

A silver collection will be taken liss Morrison spent last Saturday and Sunday at her home near Bot-

London. C. W. Holmes, Amherst, N. S., was

nual meeting of the Presbyterian W. F. M. S. at Leamington this week. The funeral of the late Mrs. Isaac Crowder took place on Sunday, service being conducted by Rev. H. R. Diehl in St. Matthew's Church. Mrs. Crowder had been ill only a few days

day evening and was buried Sunday afternoon, the service being conduct-ed at her late residence by the Rev. J. J. Brown. The remains were in-terred in Butler Cemetery.

### Kent Children's Aid Society.

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Miss J. Sangster has returned from attending the millinery openings at

C. W. Holmes, Amherst, N. S., was the guest of D. Corbett and family last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson, Ridgetown, and Mr. and Mrs. Walters, Morpeth, attended the funeral of the late Mrs. W. Reader last Sunday.

Mrs. John Webster attended the an-

with pneumonia.

A successful social evening was given by the young men of the League last Thursday evening. After the service an oyster supper was served at the parsonage, and the evening spent in games and music.

Mrs. W. Reeder, Sr., died last Friday evening and was barried Sunday.

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stable, \$1,100.

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aquestion gently. Take a dark night for it. Have the blinds closed, the curtains down, and the lamp turned most on. Sit down mear enough to her so that you can mook your little finger into hers.

Wait until conversation begins to flag, and then quietly remark: "Susie, I want to ask you some thing ?"

She will fidget about a little, and probably reply:

After a pause, you can add: 'Susie, my actions must have shown -that is, you must have seen-I mean you must be aware that-Pause here for your little finger firmly locked. She may cough and try to turn the subject off by asking how you liked the sermon, but she only does it to en-courage you. After a pause you can

'I was thinking as I was coming up the street to-night, that before I went ask you-that is, away I would would broach the subject nearest my

-I mean I would know my——" Stop again and give her hand a gen tle squeeze. She may make a move to get away, or she may not. In eith er case it augurs well for you. Wait five minutes, and then go on: The past year has been a very

happy one to me, but I hope that fu-ture years will be still happier. However, that depends entirely on you. I am here to-night to know-that is, to ask you-lam here to-night to hear from your own lips the one sweet-" Wait again. It isn't best to be too rash about such things. Give her plenty of time to recover her composure, and then put your hand on your

heart and continue: "Yes, I thought as I was coming here to-night how happy I had been, and I said to myself that if I only knew-if I was only certain that my heart had not deceived me, and you

were ready to share——"

Hold on—there's no hurry about it "Give the wind a chance to sob and moan outside amongst the trees. This will make her lonesome, and call up all the love in her heart. When she begins to cough and grow restless, you

can go on:
"Before I met you this world was a desert to me. I didn't take any pleasure in life, and it didn't matter whether the sun shone or not. But what a change in one short year! as for you o say whether my future prairie of happiness, or one long and never-ending pathway of thistles. Speak, dearest, Susie, and say—and say that—"
give her five minutes more by the

clock, and then add: "That you will be—that is that you will be mine!" She will heave a sigh, look up at the

# Dr. A.W. Thornton township, who has been attending her sister's funeral at Cayuga, returned

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clock and round the room, and then pocket, she will whisper:

# SPENT LONG HOURS

Hunter Caught in a Bear Trap and Surrounded by Many Fierce Wolves.

Duluth, Minn., March 6. - With hair turned gray in an evening from terror and his nerves shattered so that he despairs of ever being a well man again, Floyd J. Staffler, aged 22, has come out of the wilds of northern Minnesota after an experience that gave him all he wanted of the woods and more, too. For several hours he was caught in a bear trap in Beltram county and surrounded by wolves that threatened his life.

He went into the woods with a party of lumbermen. One afternoon he went to visit a bear frap set some distance from camp. He followed a route different from the usual one, and in consequence reached the trap before he was aware of it. In fact, the first notice he had of it was a click and a snap, and then an excruciating pain in his leg as the trap's jaws closed on his

right leg just above the ankle.

As dusk drew on he fired several shots, as the wind had died away and he had hoped that the sound would reach camp. Then he was confronted op a new terror.

He heard the pattering of feet in the woods and the sound of a long, mournful how! Then came answering cries from other wolves. Soon the underbrush seemed alive with them.

The wolves drew nearer. Suddenly about a dozen trotted forth from the woods. They seemed to be planning the final approach. 5.
Staffler fired. The wolves scattered but did not run away. Staffler fired again and again, but he was nervous and shot wildly. He was almost ready to turn the tifle on himself when he

heard a human voice near at hand, and he sank back in a faint. H's companions made a stretches and carried him back to camp, where they dressed his wounds as best they could. When they got into the light of the fire one of them started.

"My God!" he exclaimed: "He's graysheaded!"

And he was right. Staffler's hair. black that day, had turned almost Wh n Staffler reached Duluth on his way home he was supported by a big word man, for he was unable to

FÁTE. Often o'er her school-room tasks some spinster sighs, Who'd ten times rather make som

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Births, Marriages and Deaths

HOPE—At Bingham Road, South Cay-uga,, at her father's residence, on the 16th of February, Janet Hope, fourth daughter of George Hope, late of Chatham.

Geo. Jackson, Leamington. Frank Sterling, of St. Marys, Mich., risiting friends and relatives in the city.

The Sunday school teachers of Christ Church will meet to-morrow night at M. C. Dickson, District Passenger Agent of the G. T. Ry., Toronto, was

in the city yesterday. The infant child of Ed, Taylor ,For-sythe street., died this morning. The child was but six months old. There will be a meeting of the Poul-try Association to-morrow night in Barrister Will Robinson's office.

Mrs. Allen, of Park street, sustained a bad fall last evening at the corner of Walliam and Park streets. A large number of members of the Daught r of Relevah left the afternoon to attend a meeting of that body in Wallace-

As engine No. 16 of the Lake Erie, in charge of Engineer Marion was at Mars-field last evening the whistle blew off causing a delay of over two hours. Mrs. John Paterson, of Chatham

to her home. Misses Myrtle and Stella Tillson, of Wellington street, have returned af-ter an extended visit to friends and

relatives in Detroit. Townsend Lewis was charged at the police court this morning with stealing-wood from William Drader, on Friday night last. He was remanded

A meeting of Court Kent, No. 304, Canadian Order of Foresters, will be held to-morrow evening, when the report of the High Court meeting, which was held last reek in Sarnia, will be read.

This is the time of the year to feed linseed meal, ground oil-cake, Bibby's cattle food and cream equivalent. Stock raisers will bear in mind that all these are kept by Geo. Stephens, Qu'nn & Douglas. Kent Preceptory, No. 20, Knights

Templar, will meet in Masonic Hall, Fifth St., to-morrow evening for the purpose of conferring degrees. is earnestly desired that there be a large attendance. W. H. Harper, city ticket and pas-senger agent of the C. P. R. says that the parties looking for gan boats up

the river want to be careful and not mistake the C. P. R. telegraph cable tow-line of the gun boat. William Chrysler was summoned to license. He had \$35 owing to him from the city and the case was missed on the understanding that Chrysler should at once pay for

# EX-CHAMPION FITZ HAS NOW RETIRED.

So the Lanky One Informed Referee biler in a Chicago Interview

In an interview with George Siler at Chicago, Bob Fitzsimmons said: more for me, George. After I defeated Ruhfin and Sharkey I offered to fight Jeffries in a week, and offered to bet William Brady \$20,000 I could defeat his champion in six rounds. He refused the offer, saying Jeff was out of condition. That settled it with me. I was satisfied he did not want any of my game after he saw the easy and Sharkey, especially Sharkey. Be-fore Sharkey and I spepped into the ring that night at Coney Island, Jeffries was asked how he was feeling, and he said never better; that he felt good enough to fight in 48 hours. After I defeated Sharkey inside of two rounds he did not feel so good : in fact made me tired, so I concluded to quit

the ring forever.
"The game is dead, anyhow," he continued, "and even if I was inclined fight? Carson City? Corbet and d'd not draw much there, and that was an irra rtant fight. I'No, no; I'm done. Nobody'to fight, no place to fight, and if a place could be secured, there would be nothing much to fight

"It took Jeffries 20 rounds to get a rounds to gain a decision over Shar-key. You know what I did to those men, and I'll leave it to the public who is the best man—Jeff or I. I know this much—but there's my cue. Excuse me while I play the hero." And with the last remark, Fitz, in full dress attire, shuffled through the wings toward cupies throughout the play.

Fitz during the conversation, san e picked Jeffries to defeat Ruhlinbecause he was the more scienti but because of his strength, hit ting powers and especially for taking punishment. Inferentially he added: "And I can lick him."

### FROM WAR TO LOVE.

Rev. W. E. Knowles performed his n tial marriage ceremony in Chatham last evening, when he joined in holy wedlock Henry Burrell and Miss Netwedlock Henry Burrell and Miss Net-tie Herron, both of this city. The groom had but recently returned from the field of battle, being one of the first contingent. George C. Pollock and Miss Nettie Gray assisted the principals.

# LT.-COL HOLMES

The Local D. O. C. Will Proceed to British Columbia to Assume New Militia Duties.

the B itish Columbia Troops-nis Successor Not Yet Names.

Col. Holmes! the commanding office or No. 1 Military District, received word from the militia authorities at Ottawa yesterday afternoon to the effect that he was to be transferred to the command of the Pritish Columbia district, and that he was to assum his new duties on the first of April A rumor that the transfer was to made had been in circulation in military circles for some time, and the notice of it was not, therefore, a complete surprise to the recipient. Col. Holmes will leave London about the last week of this month. He succeedast week of this month. He succeeded Col. Smith in command of the district less than three years ago, and during his residence in this city he has made many friends, as also has Mrs. Holmes, Col. Holmes has made himself very popular among the officers of the saveral militia corres with cers of the several militia corps with which he has had to deal during the annual camps of instruction, and they, too, will regret his transfer. The Colonel is not a stranger in the west. He was stationed at Victoria, the headquarters of the British Columbia district, for ten years, and from there he was transferred to Winnipeg, where he remained for five years per-vious to coming to this city. He was in command at Victoria when the barracks were built there, and he sub-sequently handed them over to the Imperial forces, Two of Col. Holmes' sons are now resident in British Co-lumbia, and for that reason he does lumbia, and for that reason he does not regret the change. The letter received by him yesterday, was from the Adjutant-General, and read as

"I have the honor to inform you by desire of the Major-General commanddesire in the Major-General command-ing, that you will be transferred from the command of No. 1 Melitary Dis-trict to that of No. 11 Military Dis-trict, the same to take effect from April 1."

The forces in No. 11 District are not so numerous as those of the London District, but they are scattered over a larger extent of territory. The name of Col. Holms is as yet unknown.

#### WHY SO MANY FAIL

The Reason so Many Cararh Reme dies are Unsuccessful.

There are few troubles for which are so many remedies and so called "cures" as for catarrh and it may be added there are few diseases so difficult to really and permanently cure douches are all applied locally and give temporary relief, often for only a few hours, and it is doubtful if anything like a real cure of catarrh was

ever accomplished by the use of local Catarrh is a constitutional disease to cure it requires an internal medicine to act upon the blood, to drive out the catarrhal poison from the system entirely, and anyone can readily see that a salve or powder or inhaler which simply clears off the mucous membrane of the nose and throat can hvae no effect on the real cause of

Catarrhal disea The remarkable success of the new entarrh remedy, Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, is because it drives out of the system through the natural channels, the catarrhal poison, the germs of grip, bronchitis and consumption and auses the hawking, spitting, and gagging because the excessive secretion is no longer supplied when the blood is made healthy from the reguar use of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets. The remedy is in the form of large 20 grain lozenges, pleasant and palatable, composed only of wholesome antiseptics and so safe to use that little children use them with perfect safety and benefit if the little one is suffering from colds, croup or cough from

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets have been on the market scarcely one year, yet they have met with such popularity ccess that druggists everywher in the United States and Canada now have them in stock and report a con-stantly increasing demand for them.

### TILBURY

March 7 .- Mrs. F. Beao and Miss Maggie Carless were visiting in Detroit yesterday

and to-day. The concert given by the Presbyterians in Anderson hall on Tuesday night, was well attended and a splendid masical pro-gram was given Dr Samson, of Windsor, acted as chairman in his usual able manne

the proceeds were about \$45.

Miss Rice returns to day from Ridgetown to resume charge of J. Powell's millinery department the coming season. Our curlers returned victorious from Thamesville, where they played Tuesday

Sandwich, is spending the week at his h here.

The Daily Planet is on sale at John Dog lost -On Feb 28th, a black Cockre

Tasso; any one finding the same will please leave with Louis Staniewicz, Plauet office and receive a suitable reward

Will be at the Garner House, Chatham, Friday, March 8, Ladies and gentlemen, see Prof. Dorenwend's beautiful Wigs, Toupees, Bangs, Wavy and Plain Fronts, Switches in every length and shade, etc. His hair goods styles, when properly adjusted protect and ornament the head, soften and beautify the expression of the face and consequently tone up aged appearance. consequently tone up aged appearance Prof. Dorenwend has for this season many ne wand pretty designs. He has added a number of New York, London and Paris patterns. Be sure to see themn and not forget day and date. Friday, March 8.

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# WRITER ALLEGES

RED TAPEISM.

A Correspondent Calls Attention to an Unnecessary Rule of the Free Library Board.

Editor Planet. - I would like to call the attention of the public library board to one of the rules, which in my opinion is very arbitrary and unreasonable. If I take a book out I can keep it for two weeks at the end of this time if I have not finished reading it and wish to retain it for another two weeks I have to lug my book back to the library, show it to the librarian, have my card changed and carry the book home again. In the name of common sense why should I be compelled to do this. Surely the card taken back should be enough, and all that is necessary. To me it seems very strange that in a city, and a supposedly up to-date one, an absurd practice that might have been in vogue a hundred years ago should still be in existence. I have ceased taking books out of the library as two weeks is not sufficient in my spare time to read books of the class I wish, and I don't like to carry the book back (when the card should be sufficient) simply to gratify the whimsical idea of an over zealous librarian, or a benighted board:

READER. Chatham, March 7th, 1901.

# AT THE THEATRE.

The third number of the popular Lyceum course at the Grand te-morrow night promises to be one of the best entertain ments ever offered local concert-goers. The company has received the most extravagant praise where it has appeared and the following extracts are from a letter from Valentine Abt, conceded to be the finest mandolinist of the world. The letter was written from New York after his return from th concert in Detroit :-

"In regard to the playing of the Hanmer Ladies' Mandolin Orchestra, would say, their playing was excellent. I have heard no better orchestra, in fact it surpassed by no better orchestra, in fact it surpassed by any mandolin orchestra whether a gentle-men's or ladies or an orchestra comprising both gentlemen and ladies. Under Mr. G. Arthur Depew's direction the orchestra plays as one person. Let me add a few words in regard to Mr. Depew. His piano accompaniments to my numbers pleased me nightly and I trust it will be my pleasure to

ncerely yours, VALENTINE ABT.

GENERAL GORDON'S BEDROOM MOTTO. Oh, ask not thou, How shall I bear The burden of to-morrow f Sufficient for the day its care Its evil and its sorrow.

CHICAGO MARKETS Mar. 7, 1901. Opn. High Low Clo Wheat—Jan..... 758 75½ 75 Corn—Jan...... 408 403 404 404 403 Jan. .... 251 251 248 248 Pork-Jan. .... 14.25 14.55 14.25 14.52 Lard-May..... 7.50 7.57 7.50 7.55

ATTACK ON THE KAISER.

May..... 7 12 7.20 7.12 7.20

Bremen, March 7.—While Emperor William was driving from the Rathskeller to the railway station here yesterday, a workman named Dietrich Welland, threw a piece of iron into his majesty's carrage. Welland was immediately arrested. The emperor is said to have been slightly bejured in the cheek, but he continued his journey without interruption.

interruption.

Welland, who is an epileptic, gave contusing answers to the police regarding his



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