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Commencing MONDAY MORNING we place on sale the greatest values ever offered the trade in Cottons, Embroideries and Laces. Look

Yard wide Bleached Long Cloth Yard wide Bleached Cotton,

12½c. value for..........10c 44 in. wide Circular Pillow Cotton, 

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And so on right down an immense range of Cottons and Sheetings. We will be ready to show them to you on Monday, and the sale will continue throughout the week. COME EARLY.

#### Beautiful Showing of... ...Embroideries and Laces

Our New Embroideries and Laces have just arrived and as deliveryzis somewhat late, we have marked them very close for quick selling. Come and see them while the assortment is complete.

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Will cost \$150,000,000 and every citizen of Canada must pay his share. Start saving at once by open-

### Westman Bros.

Our quotations on Builders' Hardware will prove a nest egg for a saving bank account.

### WESTMAN BROS.

Big Hardware and Stove House \*\*\*\*\*

### THANKS!

We thank the residents of Chatham and vi by for their fiberal patronage—the continued in-crease in the amount of business we are doing is very pleasing to us, and we shall try in every way—both in the quality and price of our goods to make it satisfactory to all customers.

7 lbs. Best Rolled Oats, 25c. Mixed Pickles, 13c. Per Quart Brooms, 15c. 25c. and 30c. Corn Starch, 6c, Per Package Very Bright Syrup, 50c. Per Gal.

I Corn, I Peas, I Tomatoes 25c. Pickles roc Per Bottle

Naval Oranges 25c Per Dozen 3 lbs. Mixed Biscuits 25c.

Clearing Sale of CROCKERY, CHINA, LAMPS and GLASSWARE still going on. Lots of bargains left

John McConnell

# CAKES

Lamon Bros. Phone 489

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FOR SALE

### THE ORATORS **GAVE AWAY**

puties Not to Force a Debate

#### CONFERENCE ON SATURDAY HE IS AN OLD COUNTRY WAIF ROADSQUESTION CONSIDERED TRANSVAAL WILL SETTLE IT

Paris, Feb. 24.—Premier Rouvier made an earnest appeal to the Chamber of Deputies yesterday not to force a debate at this moment, as it might embarrass the interests of the country.

Later, the Premier added, when the
conference at Algedras terminated or
was suspended he would fully disc.ss

M. Rouvier's reference to the possible suspension of the conference caused surprise. The orators yielded. Fremier Rouvier laid the Moroccan situation fully before the Cabinet yes-

Minister of Marine Thomson announced his intention to ask Parliament to build three battleships, each of 18,000 tons, which will be the largest

French ships yet constructed.

M. Jaures, the Socialist leader, de-M. Jaures, the Socialist leader, de-clared that France demanded to know the real situation, of which the people are ignorant. The conference had at-tained nothing, he continued, excep-the possibilities of a conflict. M. Jaures concluded with saying that it would be piteous were the two great nations to fall on each other over the miserable question of Morocco.

M. Rouvier, after warning M. Jaures

of the effect his utterances would have in Germany, declared that the Government had the entire support of the country. France, he said, was deeply desirous of peace, but of peace on con-dition that her rights and dignity be

More Hopeful Feetling. Algedras, Feb. 24.—The first feeling of depression over Germany's rejection of the French proposals is gradually wearing off, and a slightly more hopeful feeling is observable among the

delegates.

This is due largely to the amicable spirit shown between the French and German delegates during the formal degrades and the formal degrades. bates on the Moroccan Bank question. Strong influences operate to induce the Germans to recognize the syndi-cate of French bankers who furnished the first loan to Morocco, and who seek thereby to obtain a preferred position in the state bank and numerous com-

promises on the details of the bank are being discussed.

The deadlock on the question of policing Morocco is unchanged, but the improved feeling also extends to that

Conference Adjourns. Washington, Feb. 24.—Ambassador White yesterday cabled the State Department from Algeciras that the Mo ccan conference had adjourned until

Saturday next, after discussing the question of an international bank.

A very strong spirit of conciliation ned to prevail. The understanding here is that there is no immediate prospect of hostile issues between France and Germany on this subject.

ENLISTS FOR CHINA; DROWNS. itish Veteran's Untimely End At the

Canadian Soo. Canadian Soo.
Sault Ste. Marle, Feb. 21.—Archer
Devilliers, aged 22 years, a native of
Sutherland, Eng., fell through the ice
in the St. Mary's River yesterday and
was drowned. Thursday he enlisted was growned. Thursday he einsted with a company of American regulars stationed at the Michigan Sault, which is about to be sent to China. While crossing from the American side, a few rods from Canadian soil he fell through the ice. Devilliers served in the British forces at the Boer War, and also served in India. served in India.

#### AFTER YOUNG MEN

Policemen Will See That There Is No Loitering On King St. in The

The local police authorities have started out on a campaign against the young men who make a practice of loitering around in store doorways and corners on King street.

"This is done in Chatham as it is not done in other cities," said Tom Groves this morning. "Any time you walk down King street after seven o'clock at night you can time you walk down King street after seven o'clock at night you can see many of the doorways crowded with young fellows whose only intentions are to watch the people walking up and down the street. "This is repeatedly remarked upon by strangers who come to our city, and the present condition of affairs is anything but desirable. "From this time forward we will speak to young men once, and if they do not move on we will have to make a move oursetves and see

#### YOUTH WITH WILL CONFER WITH C. C. I. A RECORD

Premier Rouvier Ask De- Albert Stewart Arrested as County Council Decide To Imperial House Developes **Assailant of James** Morrison

Owen Sound, Feb. 24.—Yesterday morning a youth, Albert Stewart, was lodged in the police cells here on suspicion of being the man who murderously assaulted James Morrison, a farmer living near Leith, Wednesday evening. He was brought up in court in the afternoon and remanded a week. County Constable Foster made the arrest at the house of Mr. Handle, on the 16th concession of Keppel, near Kemble, where he had been tracked.

Kemble, where he had been tracked from where the shooting occurred. Stewart is an old country walf who was raised by a farmer in Sullivan Township. At the death a few years ago of the latter, the young fellow drifted into town, where a friend secured him employment. He had not been long in town before he was given a three months' sentence for stealing a pail of candles from the Grand Trunk freight department. On his release he filled positions around town in intermittent stages, going out to work as a

mitted positions around town in inter-mittent stages, going out to work as a farm hand with the farmers of the ad-jacent sections at times. Robbed Hogg Postoffice. Last winter he robbed the Hogg postcoffice and got a six-months sentence.
Up to last week for some time he was employed temporarily at the farm of Albert Lemon, on the east shore near the Morrison farm, and knew the people and the neighborhood. On the night of the attempt on Morrison's life Mrs. Lemon was aroused from her sleep by some one walking in the house. Thinking it was an aged uncle who was residing with the family, she inquired what he wanted. There was no answer,

what he wanted. There was no answer, but a hurried exit by the person.

Tracks in the snow showed that the person who was seen on the road corresponds with Morrison's assailant, and the tracks were identical with those near the Lemon residence. Stewart knew that Lemon had sold a large quantity of seed grain last week, and it is surmised that this visit to Lemon's was with the object of robbery. Stewart admits that he was not at Stewart admits that he was not at Handley's on the night previous, and tells different stories as to the disposi-tion of a revolver he was known to have

#### A MASS MEETING

Mayor Marshall Has Called a Meeting of The Citizens to Discuss The Bridge Question

next, to discuss the proposal to join the Chatham & Wallaceburg Electric Railway Company in building a new bridge at Third street, to meet the requirements of both corporation of the control of the con ing amongst the ratepayers that

tions. There is a very general feeling amongst the ratepayers that this should be done, and the question that is agitating those who have already given the matter some consideration, is, to what extent the municipality should go.

It has already been demonstrated beyond all question that the benefits derived from the construction of the road have far exceeded the expectations of the average ratepayer, and that when the line to the south is completed these benefits should be more than doubled, by reason of the fact that this part of the county is more thickly settled.

What the city wants is a bridge having double the capacity of the present structure, that will meet all the requirements of the public and the Electric Road for the next thirty-five or forty years, and the Mayor and the officials of the rail-way want a free and full discussion of the terms of the proposed agreement, which is now being prepared, and which will be submitted to the meeting on Monday night. Every ratepayer should be interested in the discussion and there should be a large representation of the rait-way want a free and full discussion and there should be a large representation of the rait-way want a free and full discussion and there should be a large representation of the rait-way want a free and full discussion and there should be a large representation of the rait-way want a free and full discussion and there should be a large representation of the rait-way want a free and full discussion and there should be a large representation of the rait-way want a free and full discussion of the terms of the proposed agreement with them that county pay \$1,600 for each of the two years, 1904, 1905, and the county pay should represent the deputation to return in that the discussion and there should be a large representation of the rait-way want and the representation of the rait-way want a free and full discussion of the terms of the proposed agreement with the full and the full an

is anything but desirable,
"From this time forward we will speak to young men once, and if they do not move on we will have to make a move ourselves and see that they are taught a lesson. We have received complaints from merchants in this matter and it is time it were stopped."

The police deserve to be commended for taking up this movement and if they can stop the loafing on the street they will perform a great service for the citizens of Chatham.

An electric light on the corner of Park and Adelaide streets, fell to the ground last evening about 7,30. On the authorities being notified the light was immediately replaced in its proper position.

Mrs. R. V. Bray, who for some time has officiated in such an efficient manner as leader of the Holy Trinity church choir was, last evening, presented with a silk umbrella on the eve of her retirement from that position.

There was no address; none was needed. Mrs. Bray has always had her work at heart and the members of the choir all appreciate what she has accomplished. She expressed her thanks in a very fitting manner. To morrow will be Mrs. Bray's last Sunday as leader of the choir. She will be succeeded in that position by Mrs. John Cooper.

### Arrange an Amicable Settlement

FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

At two o'clock the Council as-embled and went into committee on ne C. C. I. matter. At three o'clock the C. C. I. depu-At three colors the C. C. tepus tation appeared, and were heard in committee for half an hour. The Council then resumed in the hall and the deputation was heard within the bar. W. G. Richards, chairman of the

Finance committee of the Collegiate Board, addressed the Council, saying that he and his colleagues were well pleased with the opinions which had been expressed in committee by several of the councillors.

He asked for an assurance from the Council that they would give ample financial aid to the C. C. I., in pro-viding the requisite extra eccommo-dation for pupils, made necessary by the large increase in the number of dation for pupils, made necessary by
the large increase in the number of
county pupils attending the schools.
Ald. Scullard also spoke, pointing
out in a clear manner the position
of the City Council in the matter.
He referred to the by-law which the
city would have to put to the people
to raise the money for these improvements, and showed that unless
the by-law was a popular one, the
money could not be obtained. "Suppose," he said, "that we were to exclude the county pupils from the Institute, what would be the result?
We would save money, be able to
dispense with a couple of teachers,
and still tetain the Government
grant. But we don't want to dc
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this; we want the Board and the Council to come to a business-like decision. If we are to expend money in making room for county pupils, the county should from common fairness help us all they can."

Councillor Ross here referred to the five thousand dollar grant which was made toward the building of the institution by the county. He did not think the county had ever got their money's worth,

money's worth, Ald. Scullard said that the num-Ald. Scuttard said that the number of brilliant county students who had left the Institute to take up good positions in different towns, was ample reward for the county's expenditure. Hear, hear.
Ald. Stone, who followed, spoke along much the same lines as the aldermen preceding him.
Councillor Somers proposed that the county pay one-quarter of all the expenses incurred in enlarging the Institute.

the Institute. Councillor Grant followed with a Councillor Grant followed with a proposition that the county pay the sum of \$1,500 for county pupils' maintenance in 1994, and a like sum for 1995, and that the county pay a hundred per cent. On their maintenance to the Chatham & Wallaceburg Electric Railway Company in building a new bridge at Third street, to meet to the county of the C. C. I. Board to produce a proper statement of their expenditure, and submit it to the County for the Council of the county pay he sum of \$1,500 for county pupils' maintenance in 1994, and a like sum for 1995, and that the county pay he sum of \$1,500 for county pupils' maintenance in 1994, and a like sum for 1995, and that the county pay he sum of \$1,500 for county pupils' maintenance in 1994, and a like sum for 1995, and that the county pay he sum of \$1,500 for county pupils' maintenance in 1994, and a like sum for 1995, and that the county pay he sum of \$1,500 for county pupils' maintenance in 1994, and a like sum for 1995, and that the county pay he sum of \$1,500 for county pupils' maintenance in 1994, and a like sum for 1995, and that the county pay he sum of \$1,500 for county pupils' maintenance in 1994, and a like sum for 1995, and that the county pay he sum of \$1,500 for county pupils' maintenance in 1994, and a like sum for 1995, and that the county pay he sum of \$1,500 for county pupils' maintenance in 1994, and a like sum for 1995, and that the county pay he sum of \$1,500 for county pupils' maintenance in 1994, and a like sum for 1995, and that the county pay he sum of \$1,500 for county pupils' maintenance in 1994, and a like sum for 1995, and that the county pay he sum of \$1,500 for county pupils' maintenance in 1994, and a like sum for 1995, and that the county pay he sum of \$1,500 for county pupils' maintenance in 1994, and a like sum for 1995, and that the county pay he sum of \$1,500 for county pupils' maintenance in 1994, and a like sum for 1995, and that the county pay he sum of \$1,500 for county pupils' maintenance in 1994, and a like sum for 1995, and the sum o

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Council.

A little routine business was transacted and the Council adjourned till ten o'clock Saturday morning.

#### HAVE ARRIVED

Little Johnny Jones Co., with 75 rived in Chatham via G. T. R. at 12.55 to-day. This is the largest and most expensive organization that ever played the Grand.

# TALK CHINESE

Some Bitter Discussion

London, Feb. '24.-An' amendment to the address to the throne, in reply to the King's speech at the opening of Parliament, expressing regret at the fact that the Government had brought the reputation of the country into contempt by describing the employment of Chinese in South Africa as slavery, was defeated in the House of Commons yesterday afternoon by 416 to 91 votes. The debate, which lasted two days, developed considerable bitterness.

The Liberal Positon.

Briefly summed up to the Liberal policy is that there shall be no violent expulsion of the Chinese, but that while some of the great servile conditions of indenture will be eliminated, the ultimate decision of the question is to be

mate decision of the question is to be left to a responsible Government of the

bers of the Opposition declared the Government had ridden in power on false pretences. Mr. Chamberlain as-serted that he had been informed that the mining magnates had approved the Government's proposals, which could not be carried out for several

years. Says Statement Is False. Premier Campbell-Bannerman here interrupted Mr. Chamberlain, saying the statement was false. Chancellor of the Exchequer Asquith

wet sponge and wipe the hateful ordinance off the statutes.

However no new license for the importation of cooles would be amended, and all cooling designs to leave South

all coolles desiring to leave South
Africa would be repatriated at the cost
of imperial exchequer.

Transvasi to Decide.

When a responsible Government is established in the Transvaal it would

have full power to determine whether to retain the Chinese. But the condi-tions would be subject to the assent of the Imperial Government.

Trading on the Stock Exchange opened much more cheerful yesterday, all departments sharing in the improvement. Kaffirs had an appreciably better tone on the statement of Winston Spencer Churchill, Under Secretary of State for the Colonies, in the House of Commons yesterday outling the Government's policy on the Chinese labor ernment's policy on the Chinese labor question in South Africa.

#### SULTAN HAS TROUBLES.

Mutinous Turkish Troops Want Their Pay Before Fighting.

the deputa-the encounters with Turkish troops which have taken place at various which have taken place at various points indicate that the situation is \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Turkey is embarrassed by the objection of the troops to go to Yemen. Fur-ther reinforcements which were on their way there mutinled on board a transport in the Red Sea early this week and refused to do any duty until they received their arrears of pay.

#### **WORK IS SANITARY**

Inspector Bryan Says The Plumbing in The Central School is Equal to Anything in Detroit

Michael Bryan, of Windsor, was recently appointed by the Public School Board to inspect the plumbing work in the Central School, visited

work in the Central School, visited the city yesterday and, with a number of the frustees, went over the new work. Those who were with him when he made the inspection were, Contractor Westman, and Trustees Paxton, Robertson, Somerville and Morley.

Mr. Bryan will submit a written report to the Board in a few days, but the whole new department will be put in operation on Monday next.

All of the old fixtures have been sold to Westman Bros., and they will be torn out next week. Arches will be cut in the basement to provide large, airy play-rooms for the childlarge, airy play-rooms for the child ren attending the school. Mr. Bryan made the statement that the sanitary work in the Cen

tral School is now equal to anything in Detroit, and he has seen them all

#### **CEMENT HAS GONE UP**

The price of cement has been increased 25 cents a barrel. The cheapest rate now obtainable from the wholesale houses is \$2 per barrel. This will effect the public works this year considerably.

A big landslide occurred along the river bank near the waterworks pumping house last night.

## SLAVERY Hair Brushes

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## Cloth Brushes

For One Week we will continue our sale of these two lines at a lower than

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Hair	Brushes	14c,	regular	25c	
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Cloth Brushes 19c, regular - 35c

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KING and SIXTH STREETS

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Opposite C.P.R. Station.

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Apply to SMITH & SMITH, Real Estate and Insurance Agents. Money to Loan on Mortgages. 

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At the Kent Bakery

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Gerhard Heintzman

F. M. BEDFORD, Chatham

### KENT COUNTY COUNCIL HOLDS SPECIAL SESSION & THE STAGE

The Matter of Road Improvement is Receiving Serious Attention-Many Discussions Held

#### COUNCIL DECIDES TO GIVE AUDIENCE TO C. C. I. COMMITTEE

The County Council met in Har-rison Hall at ten o'clock Friday Chairman Thornton said that to a

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county and left the matter to their good judgment.

Ald. Scullard followed Mr. Rankin, asking that the councillors form a committee to consider the matter. He said that under present conditions the Collegiate Tratify "e could only accommodate the pupils, and if the Council beautiful that they should a so only right that they should a linearial aid to the Institute.

Mayor Marshall also made a very strong appeal for proper consideration of the matter. He said it was not a question of who were within their rights, but a question of what the council the nadjourned till two of sock Friday afternoon.

# ASTONISHED THE DOCTOR.



'ANNOUNCEMENTS

Little Johnny Jones-Feb. 24. Summers Stock Co., week-Feb. 26.

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in that it has more of a story than have they.

The play, lyrios and music were written by George M. Cohan, whose previous success as the author of "The Governor's Son" and "Running For Office" is well known to the theatrical world.

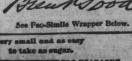
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# TO-NIGHT At Northway's

20c LINEN TOWELS 14c EACH—10 doz. fine linen huck towels, plain and fancy ends, hemmed and fringed, large sizes, regular 20c each, Saturday 14c.

\$1.35 WHITE QUILTS AT \$1.00—38 only extra large size fine white crotchet Quilts, choice patterns, regular \$1.35 each, Saturday \$1.00.

\$2.00 MARSEILLES QUILTS \$1.48—Fine English make, large size, handsome designs, pure bleached finish, regular \$2.00 value, Saturday \$1.48.

25c SHEETING 17c VD.—2 yds. wide unbleached Sheeting, unbleached finish, even round thread, regular 25c value, Saturday 17c.

#### Three Table Linen Bargains

FINE CREAM TABLING 60-inch wide, soft undressed HEAVY CREAM TABLE DAMASK 70-inch wide, we choice patterns, regular 45c. Saturday 33c.

75c. PURE LINEN TABLING—5cc. yard, full two yards wide. Extra fine Cream Damask, warranted pure linen, 5 choice designs, special Saturday 5cc. Sc. LINEN TOWLING 6c. YD-200 yards heavy twill

15c. BLEACHED COTTON 11c. YD-250 yds. Harrockse's English Bleached Cotton, best grade, regular 15c. yd., Saturday 11c.

CLOTHING BARGAINS.—Owing to alterations now under way we are compelled to sacrifice Stock of Mens' and Boys' Clothing—it must be closed out in order to make room for new goods arriving.

MENS' SOLID TWEED SUITS in natty mixtures rell made and finished, regular \$6,50 to \$7.50, Saturday

MENS' SUITS—Fine worsteds styles and Scotch Tweeds, regular \$12.00 to \$15.00 each, Saturday \$8.89 BOYS' CLOTHING of every description, clearing at

25c. FLANNELETTE DRAWERS Saturday 19c.

CHILDREN'S DRAWERS, lace trimmed, regular 50c. Saturday 35c.; Regular 35c., Saturday 19c.

CORSET COVERS, regular \$2.50 and \$2.75, Saturday \$1.50; Regular \$1.25 and \$1.50, Saturday 75c.

WHITE CAMBRIC UNDERSKIRTS — Fine quality, deep lawn flounce and fine tucks, wide Val. lace, regular \$3.75, Saturday \$2.50.

MILLINERY—A few stylish trimmed and untrimmed Hats, clearing at LESS THAN HALF.

LADIES'FANCY COLLARS 10c-3 doz. pretty styles in silk, lace, chiffon collars, regular 25c and 35c each, Sat-

LADIES' HOSE—Fine Cashmere and fine pure wool, plain and ribbed hose, regular 35c to 40c a pr., Saturday 25c.

20c RIBBONS AT 12½c VD.—60 pieces rich pure Silk Taffetta Ribbons, 3 to 4 inches wide, every wanted shade, regular 20c., Saturday 12½c.

25c TURNOVER COLLARS 15c. Fine Swiss Embroidery in beautiful designs, regular 25c., Saturday 15c.

- 46 INCH GRANITE SUITINGS 60c YD.—Fine pure wool crisp granite Suitings, 46 in. wide, full range shades, regular value 75c yd., Saturday 60c.

# The Northway Co.

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SUMMERS STOCK CO.

The Summers Stock Company, one of the very best ever through this territory, will visit this town for a week, beginning Monday, Feb. 26th. They carry a carload of special seenery and effects, and produce such fine plays as The Fugitives, The.

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Little Minister, Leah, The Forsaken, For Her Child's Sake, Master and Man, The Parish Priest, and others. A complete company of vaudeville artists from the leading theatres of the United States furnish high class pocialties between the acts. The organization numbers twenty members. Popular prices will prevail.

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Messrs. A. B. McCoig, and John Auld, members for West Kent and South Essex, respectively, introduced the deputation, which included J. H. Rodd, Windsor: Dr. C. N. Anderson, Leamington: S. T. Anderson, Comber; Reeve Tisdale, and J. A. Tremblay, Tilbury North: Reeve Dun-

Tilbury West: Reeve Fletcher, Tilbury East: Councillor Richardson, Tilbury village: County Councillor McNaughton, Reeve Whittle and

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'My Secret Remedy Quickly Cures Catarrh."-C. E. Gauss.

#### NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made by The Huron & Ontario Railway Company to the Parliament of Canada at the next session-thereof for an Act to amend the Company's Act of incorporation by giving further and additional power to issue bonds and to extend branches of said Railway in the County of Ontario from Port Perry to a point on Lake Ontario at or near Whithy or Oshawa, and from Goderich Town south through the Counties of Huron, Middlesex, Lambton, Kent and Essex to the city of Windsor and town of Sarnia touching at Parkhill and Strathroy, and for other purposes.

Dated at Toronto this 9th day of February, A. D. 1906.

mary, A. D. 1906. PROUDFOOT, DUNCAN, GRANT & SKEANS, Solicitors for Applicant.

### Mass Meeting Monday Night



A meeting of the ratepayers of the city of Chatham will be held on MONDAY EVENING, FEB. 26th, 1906, at 8 o'clock in the City Council Chambers to discuss the matter of joining with the C. W. & L. E. Railway in building a new bridge on Third Street. W. S. MARSHALL, Mayor

Tenders for Pulpwood Concession



ASK FOR GRANT

Toronto, Feb. 21.—A big deputation waited on Hon. Dr. Renume to-day and asked that the Government pay \$1,300 interest due on the cost of the file Creek drainage scheme, in which five municipalities in the eastern part of Essex and the western part of Essex and the western part of Kessex and the amount mentioned should have been paid off under a grant made by the Government as few years ago, but was not, owing to a miscalculation in the treasury department as to the amount.

It is now saddled wholly upon the twomship of Filbury West, and there in no provision under the law by which the other townships which benefit by the drainage works can be seeded for their portion.

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The assumption of the interest by the Government would prevent costily litigation or the expanse of arbitration, and would also, the deputation held, be only carrying out what had been originally intended by the Government. Consideration was promised.

Measrs, A. B. McDoig, and John Anld, members for West Kent and

ing into agreements to carry out conditions, etc. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. For particulars as to description of territory, capital required to be invested, etc., apply to the under-signed.

HON. F. COCHRANE,
Minister of Lands and Mines,
Teronto, Ont.



The Instinct

the vegetable bud. You have first an

instinct, then an opinion, then a knowledge, as the plant has root, bud and

fruit. Trust the instinct to the end, though you can render no reason.—

He-I have a sweet little home in

which I would like to install you as its

mistress. She-Indeed, sir. I'll go into

no home on the installment plan .-

Whose Say-so is Best?

THE OLD ONE KNEW.

I m afraid, said the junior mem-ber of the faw firm, that we are

causing our client unnecessary trou-

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Blotches, Pimples,
FLESHWORMS

And Humors, and various other blood discases.

Their presence is a source of embarrassment to those afflicted, as well as pain and
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#### Humor and Philosophy By DUNCAN M. SMITE

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

A boost when it's needed is worth a myriad when they aren't

To economize is to be miserable nov in order that you may make some one

A girl with several strings to her bow is apt to have a string to everything she



No drinks are served at the bar of justice; just food for reflection.

The number of people who are about to lead different lives are about the same as usual every year, and they

Being busy should be only another term for being happy.

Work shows what is in you, and laziness shows what isn't. The people who get rich quick wouldn't if there weren't so many oth-

ers who want to. It takes a guardian angel and special police to keep some people out of dif-

When there are a lot of people lying awake nights trying to invent new ways of getting money, the devil feels that he may take a breathing spell.

Whose Say-so is Best?

With nearly all medicines put up for sale through druggists, one has to take the maker's say-so alone as to their curative value. Of course, such testimony is not that of a disinterested party and accordingly is not to be given the same credit as if written from disinterested motives. -Dr. Pierce's-medicines, however, form a single and therefore striking exception to this rule. Their claims to the confidence of invalids does not rest solely upon their makers' say-so or praise. Their ingredients are matters of public knowledge, being printed on each separate bottle wrapper. Thus invalid sufferers are taken into Dr. Pierce's full confidence. Scores of leading medical men have written enough to fill volumes in praise of the curative value of the several ingredients entering into these well-known medicines.

Amongst these writers we find such medical light as Prof. Finley Ellipressed M. D. The man who doesn't care anyway wouldn't amount to much if he did

The remarkable thing about some women is the persistency with which

Vapor, She asked me to forget it,
To throw the weed away;
The evils that beset it
Are dangerous, they say.

I see her face beseeching, Her eyes all dewy wet, Her slender hand outreaching— I seem to see them yet. I hear her accents tender,
I see her blushes red

While here beside my fender The smoke enfolds my head.



"I'd gladly give the beggar a dime if I thought he would spend it for gather than squander it foolishly." "Don't take any chances. He might buy an automobile with it."

Early Social Function Just that history may be kept straight it may be said that those who attended the Boston tea party did not wear dress suits. According to the best in-formation we have, the distinguishing garb of those who attended was a loo of determination and a hatchet.

Social affairs were crude in those days. A man would drop in to see a days. A man would drop in to see a neighbor without any formal invitation, and that was the way it was with this affair. Those who attended this party came without invitation. Had the host known they were coming the reception might have been warmer.

How times have changed since then! Men no longer carry a hatchet when they go to parties. The host furnishes all the tools, including the corkscrew. although some ladies do carry their

hammers along as a precaution Best We Can Do. We take a chance
And think it right
When there is nothing
Else in sight.
We take a chance,
But, oh, we frown,
For other things
Are all nailed down!

No Thought Necessary. "Her ambition is to be a great authoress, but she can't think of anything to write." "Then why doesn't she tackle a his-

torical novel?" Sounds Like It.

"The Russian New Year's lasts a "Huh! That's nothing. It is Fourth of July all the year round there."

No Meal Ticket "On what charge did they lock the fellow up?"
"No visible means of support."

"Not married, then."

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The names of the winners of these prizes who determined by judges whom we shall appoin No list will be accepted that reaches our offic ater than 5 o'clock, April 30th, 1906. Write only on one side of the paper. Aft naking out your list, state the number of wor t contains, with your full name and address he top of each piece of paper and mark on t sutside of the envelope "Educational Conte

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The Preparation.

William O'Brien in his "Recollections" tells this story of Dr. Coke, the his examinations of the children for confirmation the archbishop put to a little girl the question from the catechism, 'What is the preparation for matrimony?' The little one blushed and giggled and put the corner of her bib in her mouth by way of answer. The question was repeated. 'Oh, sure, your lordship knows it yourself,' was the timid reply. 'Yes, but you must tell me, my child. What is the preparation for matrimony? 'Well, my lord, a little courting, of course,' at last came the reluctant answer from amid a rosary of blushes.

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grew worse and his face was a sickening sight. We then started to use the
Cuticura Remedies, and noticed an
improvement at once. Within a fortnight the running had ceased and the
scabs were nearly all dried off, and in
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#### AND STILL ANOTHER

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HOURS OF SERVICE.

CHURCHES

The services in all the churches in the city are held at 11 a. m. and 7 . m., except the following:-St. Joseph's R. C .- 8.30, 10.30, 7.30 Seventh Day Adventists-3 and 7. Campbell A. M. E.-11 and 7.30.

Union A. M. E .- 11 and 7.30. NOTICE TO PASTORS.

First Baptist-11 and 7.30.

Armour's Extract Pastors and others who contribute news items to this department of Saturday's Planet will confer a favor by seeing to it that their "copy" reaches this office not later than Friday at 4 p. m. Matter received later than that hour cannot be guar-anteed insertion.

> INTERNATIONAL EIBLE LESSON FOR TO-MORROW.

Jesus' Power to Forgive-Mark 2. 12. Read Matt. 9, 28; Luke 5, 17-Golden Text-The Son of Man hath power on earth to forgive sins.

In the last five verses of Mark 1 Jesus is described as touching and healing a Jewish leper and directing him not to tell a soul about it, but to go at once to the priest, be examto go at once to the priest, be examined as to his being healed and offer, as the law of Moses prescribed, for his cleansing; otherwise they were both quarantined by Jewish law—see Lev. 14—but the man disobeyed Jesus, and He was without in desert places for several days. In this lesson He is back in His own city, and the common people, leaders in church and mon people, leaders in church and state, flock to see, to hear or to be

healed of Him Verses 3 and 4—Four friends of a paralyzed comrade carry him on his sleeping mat to Jesus that He might heal him, but the jam was so great they could not get near Him; but wherever there's a will there's a way—those who are determined to reach Jesus Christ always get there—they take the outside stair to the roof and soon lower their helpless friend to the feet of Jesus.

Verses 5 to 8—Jesus saw their faith, others saw their works, but he ever looks at the hearts of men. If there is any place that you are helpless when ill, it is on board a steamer, at sea, miles away from any lifty out on other derive prompt and satisfactory. needed a change of heart, through the forgiveness of his sin, worse than he needed to be changed in body and restored to health. First things put first, and Jesus forgave him his sins, calling him son, while he was so paralyzed he never uttered a word of confession heard by mortal ear.

ear.
Sin is the tap-root of suffering; it were useless to remove the conse-quences of sin unless Jesus came to the sin-sick soul.

To Jesus' critics He was but a

man, and as none but God can for-give those who sin against Him, Jesus by this act was claiming God-head, which , from their standpoint. was blashemy and worthy of death. He saw their blind hearts as He saw the faith of the four and the heart of the paralytic.

Verses 9-12—He admitted God only

could forgive, and to prove He had authority as God to forgive sins, He said, arise, take up thy bed and go unto thy house, which he at once did, and went forth before them all, insomuch that they were all amazed, and glorified God, saying, "We never saw it on this fashion."

"Have you been to Jesus for the cleaning power?

cleansing power?"

CHURCH NOTES. II -- FINE THE

First Presbyterian. The pastor, Rev. A. H. MacGillitaking as his morning theme, "Bread from Heaven"; evening, "Israel at Rephidim." Strangers cordially wel-

Sunday School and Bible Class at Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

Christ Church. Rev. R. McCosh, rector, will conduct the services and occupy the pulpit on both occasions to-morrows 3 p. m. Sunday School and Bible Class to-norrow at 3 p. m. Christ Church Junior Guild meets

every Monday night at 8.

Divine service in the church Wednesday evening next (Ash Wednesday) at a quarter to eight. Divine service every Wednesday vening during Lent.

Holy Communion the first Sunday in every month, at 11 o'clock service, and an early celebration at 8.30 the third Sunday in every month, St. Andrew's.

The pastor, Rev. Dr. Battisby, will creach on both occasions to-morrow. Sunday School and Bible Class at Regular weekly prayer meeting on

Wednesday evening at 8.

Holy Trinity. The rector, Rev. J. W. Hodgins, will conduct the services and preach on both occasions to-morrow — special missionary service on behalf of the mission work of the diocese. Special music.

Sunday School and Bible Class at

The sacrament of holy baptism will e administered to-morrow after-

Divine service every Wednesday evening during Lent.

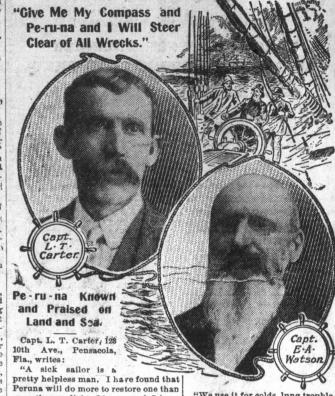
The W. A. M. A. will meet on Mon-day at 3 p. m.

The Willing Workers will meet on Monday evening at 7.30.

Holy Communion every Sunday during Lent at 8.30 and 11 a. m., alternate.

Park St. Methodist. Rev. W. L. Rutledge, pastor. Pastor will preach morning and

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any other medicine I know, and I have

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evening, taking as his morning subject, "The Gift of God": evening, 8 o'clock. Religeo Society every Sunday even-ing at 8.15.

Christian fellowship meeting to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock, in S. Sunday School and Bible Class at

Regular weekly prayer service on Wednesday evening at 8. Young Men's Club every Tuesday, vening at 8, in S. S. Hall.

Epworth League on Monday even nat at 8, in S. S. Hall. Victoria Ave. Methodist.

Rev. F. E. Malott, pastor. Epwarth League Anniversary sermons will be preached t-morrow by Rev. J. H. Oliver, of Central Methodist Church, Sarnia.

Clas es meet to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock and 12 noon, Sunday School and Bible Class tomorrow at 3 p. m. Regular weekly prayer service on Wednesday evening at 8.

The Epworth League meets on Friday evening at 8.
William St. Baptist. Rev. J. W. Hoyt, M. A., Pastor.

Prayer meeting to-morrow morning at 10. The pastor will preach at both services. His evening theme will be, "A Good Woman who Married a Fool"

No. 7 of series Women of the Bible.

Sunday School and Bible Class at Regular weekly prayer meeting on

Wednesday evening at 8. Latter Day Saints.

Elder T. A. Phillips, Missionary, of St. Thomas, who has been holding special services during the past week, will preach to-morrow, morning and evening: also special services will be held as usual to-morrow.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

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Sunday School to-morrow after-noon at 2 o'clock. Prayer service to-morrow at 3 p. Regular weekly prayer service on on Wednesday evening at 8, Ques-tion box at the door.

Salvation Army. Salvation Army, Union Depot -Knee drill at 7 a. m., meeting for promotion of holiness at 11 a. m., Christian fellowship meeting at 3 p. m. soul-winning service at 7.30 p. m. All services for citizens and

Campbell A. M. E. The pastor, Rev. Wm. Clark, will conduct the services and preach on both occasions to-morrow, Sunday school will meet to-merrow

at 3 p. m. Union A. M. E. Services will be held as usual to-Sunday School will meet to-morrow afternoon at 2.30.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8. First Baptist.
The pastor, Rev. T. Jesse Henderson, will conduct both services, townorrow. All welcome.
Sabbath School at 12.30.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8. B. M. E.
Services will be held to-morrow at the usual hours.

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#### BIRTHS - MARRIAGES - DEATHS

DIED.

ARNOLD—On Saturday, Feb. 24th, 1906, Rachel, relict of the late Adam Arnold ,Louisville; aged 86 years, 5 months and 11 days.

Funeral will take place from the residence of her son, Demuel T. Arnold, on Monday at one p. m., to Riverside Cemetery.
Friends and acquaintances will
please accept this intimation.

#### PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W. Toronto, Feb. 24.—11 a. m.—Easterly winds and mild weather with rain this evening or to-night. Sunday, westerly winds, mild at first, followed by colder before night.

#### Supplied by W. W. Turner. YESTERDAY.

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### LOCAL

Fred. Ward and A. Hall will con-

Miss Pearl Johnson, of Ridgetown, s the guest of her cousin, W. E.

is the guest of her cousin, W McKerracher, St. Clair street. Mrs. Egeland, of Bisby, Dak., who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. W. H. Colles, Wade St., returned to her home to-day.

James B. Baxter, of Dresden, a former member of the Chatham fire department, is visiting friends in the

Mrs. Wm. Kinney and her two granddaughters, the Misses Rickley, of Mitchell's Bay, are the guests of Mrs. Richard Pritchard, Dover street.

The Urban's last day, so don't forget to call and get a bargain in a fancy lace collar at less than manufacturers' prices. The Urban bankrupt closing sale.

Mrs. R. H. Verity and daughter. who spent a few days the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gundy, Laeroix street, have returned to their home in Toronto.

Arthur Dunn, who arrived home a few days ago from Detroit, where he underwent a critical surgical operation, is improving rapidly. He is making wonderful progress.

The ladies of the Altar Society of St. Joseph's church will give an oyster supper in St. Joseph's Hall, Cross street, on Tuesday evening, Feb. 27th. Supper served from six to nine. Tickets 25 cents.

Rev. Mr. Cowsert, of Park street church, Brantford, has returned after a week assisting Rev. J. W. Hoyt, of the William street Baptist church, with revival services. Rev. Mr. Brown, of Brantford, will assist at these services next week.

visitor in the city yesterday.

The police are very grateful to ates Bros, for a box of choice cigars.

David Fluke, who was sent to jail charged with being insane, was removed to the Public General Hospital this morning. He is in poor health.

The Young Peoples Society of St.

Word of the Public General Hospital a delightful euchre party last Wednesday afternoon. The pretty prizes were won by Miss Stephenson and Andrew's church will be entertained Andrew's church will be entertained by the old maids from Alaska. Those taking part last year will be assisted by others. Thursday evening, March lst. You are invited to attend.

Miss Lowdnes.

Mrs. Harry Philp, King street, was the hostess at a card party Friday afternoon she

#### POLICE COURT

Refer poured tea and the Misses dance will be held next Tuesday evening.

Miss Edith Holmes, King street, is the hostess at a euchre party this attended on the has kept it and is now waiting for the owner to come along. He is not very anxious that the owner should claim it, however, as the animal is a thoroughbred and he would like to keep it.

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Miss Edith Holmes, King street, is the hostess at a euchre party this afternoon in honor of her cousin, Miss McMullen, of Evanston, De.

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Mrs. W. H. Robenson, Dufferin avenue, was the hostess at a five o'clock tea on Thursday.

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#### HOSPITAL SALE

ery success, to judge by the large crowd present in the store this morn-ing when a Planet reporter called. The ladies in charge are courtesy

tiself and their earnest efforts in the cause of sweet charity should meet with the appreciation of Mayle City toria avenue.

shoppers.
All departments were busy to-day and it is expected that the sale will prove an unqualified success.

#### AGED RESIDENT GONE

to-morrow.

Byron Rankin, Park street, has left for Uniontown, Pa., where he will visit friends.

An aged and respected Chathamite street, South London.

Mrs. And aged and respected Chathamite street, South London. on Wood's Survey. The deceased was

Matthew Side, of this city, will conduct services in the Baptist church, Wallaceburg, to-morrow.

Miss Pearl Johnson, of Ridgetown, is the guest of her cousin W. E. Start Francisco of the course of son will take place to-morrow, leaving her late residence at 1.30 for Holy Trinity church, from whence the remains will be conveyed to their last resting place in the Maple Leaf Cemetery.

The fire brigade were called out at 9.30 this morning to the corner of Fourth and Wellington Sts., to extinguish a chimney fire. No damage was done.

The Urban's last day, so don't forget to call and get a bargain in a fancy lace collar at less than manufacturers' prices. The Urban bank-rupt closing sale. Richards. The following numbers I.O.F. were given:— S.O.S.

Solo-Mrs. Milton Bogart. Duett-Mrs. John Cooper and Mr. H. D. Smith. Ladies Quartette — Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. Bogart, Miss McGeorge and Miss Schwemler.

Violin Solo-Mrs. Jex. Solo-Master Roy Glassford. Duett-Miss M. Peate, Miss F. Mc-

Solo-Miss Lucy McKellar.

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J. S. McMichael, Queen street, re- Miss Sewell, of Quebec, is the guest turned home yesterday. Miss Ross, Victoria avenue, was the Mrs. John McKie, Lansdowne ave-

nostess at a small five o'clock tea nue, entertained a number of her Tuesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Stevens enter- Mrs. D. S. Paterson, Stanley ave-

tained at dinner Tuesday evening. nue, entertained ten tables at euchre Miss McKeough, Head street, gave small bridge party Thursday af-

Mrs. James Innes, King street, entertained Thursday evening in honor of the out of town guests. Cards and billiards formed the evening's amusement. The prizes were won Mrs. J. S. McMichael entertained

by Miss Greening and Mr. Harper.

Miss Lowdnes, who has been visiting Mrs. W. E. Rispin, leaves on Mrs. J. S. McMichael entertained Tuesday in honor of her guest, Mrs. J. W. McMichael, of London. Mrs. J. W. McMichael, of London, who has been the guest of her son, Monday for her home in Toronto. Mrs. S. M. Glenn, Park street, gave Mr. J. S. McMichael, Queen street,

a delightful euchre party last Wednesday afternoon. The pretty prizes evening. Covers were laid for fourwere won by Miss Stephenson and teen. Miss Lowdnes.

afternoon.

Mrs. West entertained pleasantly largely attended. at five o'clock tea on Thursday at the residence of her any W. The dance given in the Elks Audi-Charles Mulvane was fined \$5 in the residence of her aunt, Mrs. Wm. all for being found intoxicated.

Ball, Victoria avenue. The table
William Leggatt, of the 4th conwas artistically decorated with pink cession, Raleigh, was a visitor at the Police Court yesterday. He had done Keller poured tea and the Misses

nue, was the hostess at a five o'clock Mrs. John W. Young, Victoria ave

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toria avenue.

ful parties of the season last even-

were won by the Misses Gemmill,

Stegman, Lowdnes, and Messrs. El-

liott, O'Keefe and W. J. Taylor.

The house was beautifully decorat-

ed with a profusion of palms, car-

LARGE FUNERAL

The funeral of the late Mrs. John

o years ago she moved to Chat-

DISTRICT

of new books.

Huff and Simpson, butchers, have sold out their business to Anson Wicks, auctioneer. They give possession next Tuesday and make preparations for going to the Northwest.

nations and calla lilies.

Miss Isabel Complin, of London, is the guest of Mrs. F. D. Laurie, Vic- hostess at one of the most delight-

Mrs. John W. Young, Victoria avenue, has returned from visiting friends in St. Thomas.

Miss McDougall, of Chatham, is the guest of Miss Cora Perry, Stanley

#### WERE ENTERTAINED

The members of the County Council and officers of the County were Masterson, which took place yestervery pleasantly entertained at the day afternoon from the residence of residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Flem- her daughter, Wellington streetswas ing, Victoria, avenue, on Thursday very largely attended by friends from the city and from her old home in

Games and music were indulged in Harwich, Cametery.

She leaves a grown up family to mourn her loss.

Games and music were indulged in and everyone enjoyed the splendid entertainment provided. Miss Ada Ross and Mrs. F. D. Laurje gave some musical selections, which were much after the country when she was musical selections, which were much after the country when she was musical selections, which were much after the country when she was married. She

One of the finest musical entertainments ever put on in Chatham, was enjoyed by those who attended the

#### CARPET BALL

Th e standing of the Carpet Ball League WON LOST. TO PLAY PER CT: II .778 A.O.U.W. A.O.F. .286 13 .250

C.O.F.

THE FAST TRAINS To California are run over the To California are run over the Union Pacific, via Omaha, 16 hours quicker to San Francisco than any other line. 'No change of roads, no detours. "The Overland Route" all the way. Be sure your ticket reads over the Union Pacific. Inquire of H. F. Carter, T. P. A., 14 James Building, Toronto, Canada, or F. B. Choate, G. A., 126 Woodward avenue, Detroit.

\*\*The Methodist Sunday school have added to their library over \$20 worth of new books.

Detroit.

Solo-Mr. Jas. Trotter.
Solo-Miss Belle Kitchen.
Duett-Mrs. John Cooper, Miss

**TENDERS WANTED** 

For a number of School Seats that are at McKeough School. Tenders will be received up to March i addressed to T. C. McNABB, Secretary School Board, Chatham

Tax Sale of Lands

Take Notice, that I have prepared a list of lands for sale for arrears of taxes, and that copies thereof may be had on application in my office, and that a list is being published in the Ontario Gazette, the date of first publication being Nov. 25th, 1995, and for the next three publications thereform of County Council Chambers, on the 6th day of March, 1906, at 10 o'clock, a. m. Dated this 17th day of November, 1995.

Take, FIRMING, Teach and that in default of payment of taxes and costs the lands will be sold by Public Auction in the City Council Chambers, on the 6th day of March, 1906, at 10 o'clock, a. m. Dated this 17th day of November, 1995.

Take, Notice, that I have prepared a list of lands for the norm of county Council Consequence of the Northwest very shortly. He has sold out to J. B. Townsend and George McIntosh, who begins their new work next week. Frank Ogletree has resigned his position with the Wallaceburg Sugar Co. He is succeeded by Wm. Holmes, of Tapperville.

County Commissioner French left Thursday for Toronto as one of a deputation to interview the Provincial Government on changes in the form of County Council.

Miss Hughes has returned to her home in Kalamazoo, Migh. J. W. Sharpe was a Chatham visitor Thursday.

Miss Ethel McKim returned Thursday evening from a short visit in Detroit.

On Thursday Miss Irene Trerice attended a ball in Blenheim.

Miss Draper is visiting friends at Hamilton.

Thursday for Council Chambers, on the 6th day of March, 1906, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

Dated this 17th day of November, 1995.

R. G. FLEMING, March and Thursday evening.

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The Council Chambers, on the 6th day of November, 1995.

The Daylor of Council Chambers, on the 6th day of No

#### THE MARKET

TLANEI

There was a large market this morning. A few geese were offered, ranging in price from 80 to 90 cents ach. Apples took a jump from 25 to 30 cents a peck, or \$1.50 per bag. There was a very small showing of beef, pork and r.sh.

Following is the price list: DAIRY PRODUCE. Batter, per lb. 25c.
Cream, 30e quart.
Chickens, each, 35c to 40c.
Eggs, per dozen, 20c.
Gesse, each, 80s to 90c.
Honey, strained, per lb., 10c.
Honey, rack, 15c.
Lard, per lb., 12 1-2c.
VEGETABLES.

Beets, per peck, 15c. Beans, per quart, 6c. Cabbage, each, 5c to 10c. Carrots, per peck, 10c. Celery, per bunch, 10c., 3 for 25c. Celery, per bunch, 10c., 3 for 25c.
Cucumbers, in brine 40c hundred.
Horseraddish, per bottle, 20c.
Homney, per quart, 5c.
Lettuce, per bunch, 5c.
Marjorm, per bunch, 5c.
Onions, peck, 20c; bag, \$1.
Onion sets, per quart, 15c.
Parsnips, per peck, 15c.
Portatoes, per bag, 90c to \$1.00.
Pop corn, dozen, 10c.
Radishes, winter, per doz., 10c.
Sage, per bunch, 5c.
Savory, per bunch, 5c.
Sauerkraut, per quart, 5c.
Salsify, per bunch, 5c.
Turnips, per peck, 10c. Turnips, per peck, 10c. Thyme, per bunch, 5c. Tobacco, per bunch, 5c.

FRUIT, gave a very smart tea, which was Wholesale prices on fruits and nuts furnished by J. A. Thompson: Apples, peck, 30c to 55; bag, \$1,50 Oranges, Navel, \$3,25 to \$3.50 box Oranges, Mexican, \$2,75 to \$3 box

torium last Thursday evening was a most enjoyable affair and was very largely aftended, Mr. John Smith dance will be held next Tuesday even-

Oranges, Mexican, \$2.75 to \$3 box. Lemons, Macena, \$2.75 to \$3 box. Lemons, California, \$3.75 to \$4 box. Bananas, bunch, \$1.25 to \$1.75. Onions, Spanish, small crate, \$1.25; large crate, \$3.69. Cocoanuts, per doz., 70c. California celery, 75c to 85c doz. Peanuts, raw, 9c pound. Peanuts, roasted, 10 1-2c pound. English walnuts, 14c pound. Filberts, 10c pound. Almonds, 14c pound. Brazil, 15c pound. Hickory nuts, quart, 8c. Walnuts, per quart, 5c.

Minard's Liniment cures Dandruff WANTED

WANTED-Chamber maid and dining room girls at the Grand Central Hotel. Miss Bell, Stanley avenue, was the

WANTED-A strong girl for general housework; family of three. Ap-ply Box 22, Planet.

WANTED—Good servant for general housework. Apply to Mrs. E. J. Downey, C. P. R. crossing, Queen WANTED-Sunlight Soap Coupons

wanted. Toilet Soaps given in ex-change for these coupons, by Mr. Jas. N. Massey, Chatham. A FEW CANVASSERS WANTED To

sell goods and repeat orders from the same outsomers. Liberal in-ducements. Apply Alfred Tyler, 355-7 Clarence St., London.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT FOR SALE OR TO RENT-New twostorey house on Ursuline Ave., also lots for sale. Apply to Miss Charles, Lansdowne Ave.

acres, with house and stable, two miles from Chatham. Apply Box 13 Planet Office.

ROOMS TO RENT-For housekeeping; centrally located, with modern conveniences, Address Box 24, Planet.

ham, where she had resided with her daughter, Mrs. M. J. O'Neil, Wellington street, up till the time of her The pall-bearers at the funeral yesterday were: L. Higgins, F. Robert, Wm. Sloan, M. Hatton, Fred. Deloge and John Wildgen. DESIRABLE APARTMENTS TO RENT-A flat containing seven connected rooms, with modern con-veniences, including bath room. Ap-ply to the Chathum Loan and Sav-ings Company. HOUSE TO RENT-Good size, well

located and with modern conveni-ences; situated on corner of For-est and Elizabeth St., North Chat-ham. Apply to Mrs. Grandbois, next door on Elizabeth, BOAT LIVERY FOR SALE - Well

OAT LIVERY FOR SALE — Welk-known Beat Livery at Rondeau Cash business and pays 80 per cent of investment annually. First-class references. Full particulars on application. W. R. Fellows, Jr., Prop., Blenheim, Ont.

FOR SALE—115 acres of choice land, 1 1-2 miles from the city and within 1-2 mile of street car line; beautiful buildings of all descriptions, price \$6,500. On easy terms. Also houses and lots in all parts of the city. Apply to M. H. McGarvin, McGarvin's Stables, Market Square, Chatham, or at his residence, St. Clair street.

### C. AUSTIN & CO.

## Spring Dress Goods

The early prospective buyer may be interested in the fabrics now ready for inspection. Variety of colorings and fabrics are in evidence.

Our Advanced Showing Includes the Favored

#### Colored Dress Goods

Cashmere Serges in all shades, 40c yd. Colored Henriettas, in the popular spring shades, 50c and 60c.

All wool Batiste, summer weight, plain or invisible check effect. New ligh shades, 50 and 60c.

Grey Lustres and Brilliantines, one of the newest, glace finish, 60c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

Pure Wool French Satin cloths in light greys, cardinal, greens, plum, navy, champagne, browns. 46 inches wide, special 75c yard.

Mohair Melanges in a big variety of new weaves and colorings, correct for street costumes, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25.

The new suitings, wool Mavarro and Amerlin cloths, small cord and pebble effect, popular spring shades, 75c, \$1.00, Light Grey Tweeds and Worsteds, big

sortment, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50. We are now showing an excellent stock of New Cream Dress Goods. Everything

correct style.

#### Black Goods

A complete assortment now ready. All wool Cashmere and fine Serges, 40c yd. New Voiles and Etamines, 50c, 60c,75c,

Special value in Black Cashmeres and enriettas, 44 and 46 inches wide, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25.

Extra values in Black Lustres, Mohairs, Brilliantines, special finish, 40c, 50c, 60c, to \$1.25 yd.

All wool Bengaline and Batiste cloth for cool garments, 50c yard.

Spring weight in fine black Venetians, \$1.00, \$1.15 yd. Black all wool Panamas, for separate skirts and suits, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 yard. Black silk and wool costumes, choice

alues at 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25. Silk Warp, Repps, Endoras and Estrella suitings, \$1.00' \$1.25. Wool Tricot and Rosetta suiting, black,

75c, \$1.00, \$1.25. Black Cashmere, with silk evelet embroidery effect, 50c yard.

#### More New Designs in

## Baby Carriages and Go-Carts

The designs in these goods for 1906 are prettier than ever. They are made of the finest reed, closely woven, with heavy roll edges. Here are descriptions of a few :-

Reclining Go-Cart, finest german reed body, elliptic gear, auto 5/8 inch rubber tires, best silk plush apholstering. Price \$32.50.

Baby Carriage, Whitney design, close woven reed body with heavy roll edge. Upholstered in best quality silk plush with triple ruffle satin parasol. Auto gear enameled green, 5/8 inch rubber tires; mitless axles. Price \$20.00.

Baby Carriage, design the newest of the new, large, easy, luxurious. Price \$22.00.

of new 1906 carriages.

We invite you to come in and see these advance styles



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Whether you wear "ready-made" or "made to order" garments, the main things you look for is fit and satisfaction. We give you both skilled cutters, and careful workmen prime factors in a successJul merchant tailoring business. See our SPECIAL MADE TO MEASURE OFFERS

\$15.00, \$16.00, \$17.50, \$19.00.

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Shring Styles Now Ready. See Window Display-newest English and American blocks. \$4.00 Style, \$2.50 Quality.

Saturday

THE AUSTIN SPECIAL, \$2.00 **DERBIES** and FEDORAS

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Not what you eat, is what makes you healthy and strong. That is why it is so important that your groceries should be pure and good. That is why we are so particular about the quality of the goods we sell,

PAN DRIED ROLLED OATS, for

PEA-MEALED BACON, 20c a pound.

STRICTLY FRESH EGGS, for

SUGAR CURED HAM, sliced, 200

ORANGE MARMALADE, 15c and

RICH MILD CHEESE, 16c a

FINE OLD CHEESE, 18c pound

Our Mocha and Java Coffee-4oc a

### H. Malcolmson

### Our New **Enameled Ware**

Full new stock just in and we can say with con- \$ fidence that it has any beaten that we have ever seen. We know it is right \$ because we have seen \$ samples of it tested and \$ the tests showed it to be the best ever.

We have it ready for your inspection and we will be glad to have you } call and see it.

Prices no higher than \$ the ordinary kind.

#### J. C. Wanless. THE UPTO DATE

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SURGEON, OCULIST, SPECIALIST

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26.

E. A. Blackwell, of Glencoe, was

M. Lydon, of Thamesville, called on city friends yesterday.

CHATHAM WON EASILY

The Chatham Border Hockey League team again showed their abil

Datroit.

Chatham.

Goal-T. Mathison.

Point-Bell. Cover-Dr. Curran.

Centre—Hobbs. Left Wing—J. Mathison. Right Wing—Pulver.

Rover-White

Goal-Grace

Point-Cooper. Cover-O'Keefe.

Roover-Peech.

wanted at Coyne's.

city visitor yesterday.

A. I. McCALL & CO., Limited DRUGGISTS AND OPTICIANS

**BURROWS & LORRIMAN** UNDERTAKERS AND EMBALMERS

#### TO-NIGHT

Macaulay Club, in their rooms, at "Little Johnny Jones," Grand Opera House; curtain at 9.

### LOCAL

Bicycles for hire, Brisco's. Tel. 297 Good vest maker wanted at

Mrs. (Dr.) Fry, Ridgetown, is in the city to-day. \*\*\*\*\*\* Mrs. J. L. Baird, Ridgetown, is in the city to-day. D. G. Reid, of Bothwell, called on city friends yesterday.

Delbert Muckle, near Ridley, is visitor to the city to-day. Miss Myrtle Tillson is visiting the Misses Ingram, of Ridgetown.

Miss Sewell, Quebec, is the guest Mrs. A. C. Woodward, Hotel Sanita. Miss Mary Kerr, Lacroix street, is visiting her cousin, Mary Lecocq, of Fletcher.

Wanted, first class waist and skirt makers. Apply at once to Thomas Stone & Son.

George Earry and Roy Taylor, of Wallaceburg, are spending a few days with friends in the city. Wanted, first class waist and skirt makers. Apply at once to Thomas Stone & Son.

A few nice pairs of lace curtain going at your own prices at the Urban closing sale to-night.

Buttercups, very choice, 7c. and 15c. bottles, at Rhody's. See our window! Alvin Parmalin is spending a few

days with friends in Guelph and To-Try Waterhouse's Aunt Mary's ome-made bread-for sale at Mc-Corvie's Grocery.

Mrs. J. W. Elliott, of Kingston, is the guest of Mrs. E. T. Jones, Adelaide St. South.

"Oh Fudge"-it is great. Special or one week, 15c lb., assorted, at

Mrs. James H. Tyrrill left for Stephenson this morning on a visit to friends.

Mrs. Pickering, Patterson Ave. entertained Miss Alma Smith to a chinaware shower last evening.

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Dr. Ovens, London, eye and ear surgeon, will be at Radley's Drug Store on Monday, Feb. 26th. Glasses properly fitted and diseases of eye, ear and nose treated.

Miss Mabel Birch, of Kingsville Public School teaching staff, is spending to-day and to-morrow at her home, 38 Lorne Ave.

League team again showed their ability to play the game by defeating the fast Detroit Athletic Club seven in a league game last night by the score of 10 to 3.

The ice was somewhat soft, but the play was excellent and fast.

E. R. Dromgole, of Tilbury, made an excellent referre. The fine-up: spending to-day and to-morrow at her home, 38 Lorne Ave.

Miss Mary Green, of Lindsay, who has been visiting friends in the city, left for Stephenson this morning on a visit to friends.

Winding up sale of the Urban furs to-night, so don't forget to call and get one, as they are going very cheap. The Urban bankrupt closing sale, Garner Block.

Mrs. Clara Moore, of Oshawa, is spending a few days the guest of her

spending a few days the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. S. Morrison, Joseph St., en route to Dakota.

Signs have been placed up in the market building probibiting smoking and the habit of spitting on the floor. This is a sanitary measure which should commend itself to everyone.

The Ladies of the United States Booth will give another dance in the Elks' Hall on Monday evening, 26th inst. Everyone welcome. Admission

The Graduating Exercises of the Public Hospital will take place Tuesday, Feb. 27th, at the Nurses' Home, at eight o'clock. The public, clergy and doctors are cordially invited.

The following is taken from a subscriber in Plainview, Nebraska, under date of Feb. 21:—"We had about a foot of snow last week, but the weather is war mat present, and the snow is nearly all gone."

Farmers in the city to-day say the country roads in some places are still in very bad shape. There is not so much mud complained of as previously, but the thoroughfares are very rough and the road bottoms uneven.

The ladies' Aid of Park St. Church gave a social to the members of the congregation, in the S. S. Hall, last evening. W. E. Gundy acted as chairman, and a capable address was delivered by Rev. Mm. Rutledge. The following took part in the program: Misses Bogart and Hall, Mrs. Bogart, W. E. Smith and Mr. Stephenson.

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# OFF THE TOP

That Tory man McNaught Gave the Grits an awful swat.

JUST A LITTLE BIT

Of course, after an avalanche like that, ex-Mayor Urquhart finds it convenient to blame someone.

It should be termed the Bad Roads Movement, since it is the bad roads the county wish to get rid of. With all this talk of summer re-

sorts, it looks much as though Victoria Park had seen its best days. Landslides are reported along the river banks, or is it a case of real estate men watering their stock?

Yes, Toronto cheered for Laurier, and cheered for Ross, but did fou notice how the vote went, Thursday?

Santos-Dumont has invented another flying machine. He will yet succeed in giving the undertaker a

When the electric road is complet-Coney Island won't be able to d a candle to this portion of the old, green map.

A local man refuses to support his wife because she threw him out and his clothes after him. He was very easily discouraged.

Wooden legs are now being manufactured for crippled dogs, according to an exchange. They will probably prove a howling success.

A man lost his memory while stopping in Blenheim. The busy whirl of a big city was probably too great a strain on his nerves.

A local legal light went out and left a dark mystery. City Engineer Jones would probably explain that the armatures needed re-winding. --

A young woman was arrested in New York, Monday, for taking a bath on a public street. It being Monday, she probably thought she should have the wash—out.

A Brooklyn man has killed five sharks in three days near Miama. If he is in the business for keeps, a visit to some of the Chatham pool rooms might convince him of the large amount of his special game that is hanging around this vicin-Girl apprentice on ladies' tailoring

#### REVIVAL SERVICES

William C. Newman, of Ridgetown, The revival services in the Baptist William C. Newman, of Ridgetown, is a city visitor to-day.

One hundred and seventy glove boxes for sale at a snap at the Urban bankrupt sale.

The local market this morning was fairly large. Butter was selling at 25c. per lb., and eggs at 20c. per doz.

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#### THEATRE CAR

A special Electric Car will leave for Wallaceburg after the performance of 'Little Johnny Jones' on Saturday night.

REAL ESTATE AT A BARGAIN House, two lots and stable. Head St., \$600. Will accept small pay ment down, the balance in month

ly payments.

New house and two lots adjoining city, \$650. Modern house, west Chatham,

Apply to E. E. PARROTT & SON, Real Estate Dealers, Office Scane Block. Money to Loan. Fire

#### Farmers' Real Estate Exchange

Roover—Beech.
Certre—Marmon.
Left Wing—Lawson.
Right Wing—Wilson.
Summary:
First half—Detroit, Bell, 4 min.;
Chatham, Marron, 5 min.; Chatham,
Marron, 9 min.; Detroit, Pulver, 2
min.; Chatham, Marron, 1 min.;
Chatham, O'Keefe, 8 min.
Second half—Chatham, Marron, 3
min.; Chatham, Beech, 10 min.; Chatham,
Marron, 2 min.; Chatham, Marron, 3
min.; Chatham, Beech, 10 min.; Chatham,
Chatham, Coper, 2 min.
This places Detroit and Chatham
practically tie for first place. The
Chatham team has certainly made a
record this year. They have scored
70 goals to their opponents' 29. Much
credit for this is due Manager W. J.
Young and Capt. O'Keefe.
Ferst Wind Buy 75 acres 2 miles to market; \$5,600 will buy 100 acres in Eaphemia, all in good repair; \$5,000 will buy
100 acres in Dawn, 4 miles to market.
This is a cheap farm; \$2,000 will buy 27
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# Great Saturday Values

## THE GORDON STORE

Ladies' Cloth Coats Ladies' Furs of All Kinds Men's Fur and Fur Lined Coats

White and Grey Wool Blankets **Comforters and Fleeced Blankets** Lots Men's and Boys' Underwear To be cleaned out at and under Cost. **New Spring Prints at Old Prices** 

## GORDON

TENDERS WANTED.

### TO CONTRACTORS

Proprietos, Charing Cross, J. L. WILSON & SON., Architects, Chatham.

## Auction Sale

1 bay horse 7 years old, weighs about 1350; 1 driving horse weighing about 1100; 1350; 1 driving horse weighing about 1100; 2 milch cows—2 cowscoming in about time sle; 1 cow coming in about May; 2 fat steers 4 years old; 4 steers coming 3 years years old; 4 heifers coming 3 years old; 3 st ers coming 2 years old; 6 calves; 1 bull coming 3 years old; 1 brood sow; 1 boar hog; 1 American cultivator with bean at tachment; a quality of seed corn—Early Huron. Everything will be sold without reserve as the proprietor is leaving the farm. Terms: All sums of \$10 and under, cash, over that amount 7 months' credit on approved joint notes. A discount of 7 per per cent. per annum will be allowed for cash on credit amounts.

GEORE ROSZELL, Proprietor.

McCOIG & HARRINGTON, Auctioneers

McCOIG & HARRINGTON, Auction

#### Special Notice To Shareholders of The York County Loan and Savings Company

All persons having claims against the York County Loan and Savings Company as holders of Permauent or Terminating Stock of the said Company are required to forward forthwith to the Liquidator, to forward forthwith to the Liquidator, National Trusts Company, Limited, 22 King Street, East, Toronto, or to the different chartered Banks acting as collecting agents for the Liquidator, their Pars Books and Stock Certificates in order that they may participate in the benefits of the Winding-Up Order.

No firstly

No further proof or evidence of the claims of a shareholder than that contained in the Pass Books and Certificates received by the Liquidator will be required unless further notice is given to such shareholder.

Nell McLean, Official Referee Dated this 31st day of January, 1906.

### STOP TAKING DRUGS

R. C. WEESE, D. S. T.

Excelsior Paint will give you what you desire — a nice, glossy finish. Try it. Drew & McCallum.

#### Learn Dress - Making IN TWO WEEKS

To CONTRACTORS

Tenders will be received at the offices of the undersigned, marked tender for school house at McKay's Corners, up till 12 o'clock, noon, Saturday, March 3rd, 1906.

Plans, specifications, etc., can be seen at the offices of the architects. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

John McKay, John Galbraith and Arthur Campbell. Esqs., Trustees.

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TO CONTRACTORS

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#### Humor and Philosophy By DUNCAN M. SMITH

THE GRAFTER'S QUESTION.

You talk of reform
As though it were warm
And with the mazuma quite free.
It may hand to some
A neat little crumb,
But what is there in it for me?
What is there in it for me?
More than a blind man could see?
There may be some bones
For Jenks or for Jones,
But what is there in it for me?

The college bred guys
Look handsome and wise
And labor without any fee.
They gladly saw wood
If it will do good,
But what is there in it for me?
What is there in it for me?
Show me an X or a V.
There may be a stack
For Brown or for Black,
But what is there in it for me?

My eyes are too lame But still to a man up a tree
It seems I must say That some make it pay,
But what is there in it for me?
What is there in it for me?
Where is the rakeoff or fee?
There must be a lot
For Davis or Scott,
But what is there in it for me?

Perhaps it is so Perhaps it is so
That grafters must go
And jump in the lake or the sea.
I'd like to be strong
And shove them along,
But what is there in it for me?
What is there in it for me?
Dollars or doughnuts or tea?
There must be a lunch
For some of the bunch,
But what is there in it for me?

Off Her Guard.



"He proposed the first time they ever

"With what result?" "It surprised her so that she forgot to say anything about it being so sud-

"They were trying to hide a Chinaman who had been smuggled in contrary to the law." "Did they succeed?"

"No; the authorities made them cough up One Lung."

Warning.
Once a cat was killed with care.
Pretty ladies should beware
When they feel their tempers flare
Lest some ill beset 'em,
For amid the woes and strife
They might come out minus life.
Hubby, with a second wife,
Straightway would forget 'em.

At the Committee "Talk about your strenuous life!" "What you been working at?" "I have been before the investigating committee, and they kept me busy forgetting all day."

Might Be That. "He calls his masterpiece "The Last "What is it? A scene in a divorce

Practical Valor. The man who fights and runs away
Is really not so bright
As he who lightly ducks the game
Before they start to fight. E-

PERT PARAGRAPHS. People who say nothing aren't apt to e those who have nothing to say.

You can sometimes determine wha people think of others by what they say of themselves.

The system of the politician is apt to be immune from the attacks of the insult microbe.

Many men are more concerned about their money than about their honesty, because their honesty isn't worth con



We are always a little too short to reach the thing that we long for.

Turn about is horseplay with some

Patience and perseverance conquer all things but a man and a mule.

It takes a brave man to be chummy

A poor boss and a good workman seldom work on the same shift. Painting is an art with some people and a habit with others.

It isn't the fault of the curious that there are secrets about.

#### CATARRH

The true Cause and the true Cure.

How and why "Fruit-a-tives" completely eradicate this disease from the system.

Catarrh means inflammation. Ordinary catarrh is inflammation of the nose cavity opening into the throat. This cavity receives all the air going to and from the lungs. Food and drink passes through it to the stomach. And the prime cause of catarrh is indigestion.

Because indigestion means an irritated stomach. This irritation spreads to the throat and nose. Belching gas keeps up the inflammation. The blood is impure and badly nourished. And nine times in ten, there is Constipation and poor skin

The only way to cure Catarrh is to cure the cause of catarrh. Digestion must be improved - inflammation in stomach soothed-blood purified-and the liver strengthened so it will give up chough bile to make the bowels move regularly every day.

will always cure Catarrh of the throat and nose because these marvellous fruit tablets cure indigestion-sweeten the stomach - and eradicate all impurities from the blood by its stimulating and invigorating action on liver, bowels, kidneys and skin.

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One 50c. box of "Fruit-atives" will prove how effectively these tablets relieve catarrh-and will do you so much good that you will gladly continue the treatment until cured.



Hearses After Night. There is one kind of vehicle that neither the oldest nor the youngest inhabitant has seen on the street at night, or, if he has seen it at all, only infre quently. That is a hearse. Every other kind of conveyance used by modern man is driven about the streets freely after nightfall—the hearse alone comes under the curfew law. Early hours seem to be imposed upon that somber carriage by common consent. The public doesn't like to see it after dark, and coachmen don't like to drive it. No doubt there are hearses that are com-pelled by the exigencies of funeral arrangements to come home at unseasonable hours, but when forced to an infringement of the unwritten law they proceed through quiet streets where they will be least likely to wound the

### Faith

You cannot be expected to have faith in Shiloh's Consumption Cure, the Lung Tonic, as a cure for Colds, Coughs and all diseases of the air passages, if you have not tried it. We have faith in it, and we guarantee it. If it doesn't cure you it cost you nothing. If it doesn't cure you it cost you nothing. If it doesn't cure you 25c. That's fair. Try it coday. Shiloh has cured many thousands of the most obstinate cases, and we do not healtate to say that it will cure any Cold, Cough, Throat or Lung trouble. If we did not believe this we would not guarantee it. Shiloh has had an unbroken record of success for thirty years. It has stood every possible test without failure. Further

Proof

is found in the many testimonials of the who have tried Shiloh and been et Mrs. Archie Taylor, Asaph, Pa., write "I bought a bottle of Shiloh's Consumptice and found it very beneficial. I havetwo chand they had a terrible cough. I gave verything I could think of, butthey got no until one evening my husband bought a bought as the children who went to bed, and they slept all night. It was to bed, and they slept all night.

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#### SEATS AND SETTEES

ITEMS OF UP TO DATE FURNISHING AND DECORATING.

Feature That Affects the Expres sion or "Atmosphere" of Rooms Ideas For Hall and Staircase-Expe dients In Window Seats.

A seat built into a room gives quite a different expression or atmosphere from ordinary chairs. Even when this is attempted on a very inexpensive scale it is very often one of the most homelike furnishings in the room. In one hall the old fashioned hatrack, with umbrella holder and mirror combined in one piece, was removed and a long settee with panel back was designed to suit the space. The wood was painted white to correspond



A HALL SETTEE.

with the other finish, and a plain velvet cover was made for the cushion The pictures hung above the settee added a decoration in an unusual, interat the side of the staircase was fitted with a seat in a very simple fashion and a cushion laid on it.

The popular idea of a window seat is one that is recessed and out of line with the floor spaces. This is true with the old dwelling houses in this coun try and on the continent, as the wide stone walls were the occasion for the making of window seats, but in modern homes not on an expensive scale this is rarely the case. The expedient that may be furned to when the walls will not permit this kind of a seat is to project the wall outside with windows. a seat may be built under an ordinary window.

A seat built under a window of leaded glass at the side of a front door adds distinction to a hallway. A long seat built out in this way more than repays its cost in convenience. For afternoon tea or small parties the seat provides the extra service always

A seat may be combined with shelves in an attractive way, leaving the ques-tion of window glass entirely out. In the second illustration the seat has been left bare and a background for the pillows made by shirring a length of green material under the shelves. Some quaint pieces of pottery are kept on the shelves and a tea table is stationed near one end of the seat.

The most common mistakes made in lesigning a stationary seat are to have it too high and too narrow for comfort.



SEAT WITH POTTERY SHELVES. The cause of the first error is generally a forgetfulness of the cushion, which adds two or two and half inches to the height.

If the wood chosen for the seat matches the rest of the woodwork it will be at once unified with the room. Sometimes the settee must be painted when the woodwork is stained, and in this case a safe color is a deep green.— Designer.

New Pottery Decoration. It is only recently that the mush-

room has figured in this country as a decoration for pottery, says the New York Tribune. The Chinese, with whom it is an emblem of longevity, have long used it for their fine porce lains, and the American potters are now showing it upon some of their prettiest pieces. One of these is a little set comprising a sugar bowl and creamer. The handle to the cover of the former is a butterfly.

The Cheaper Meat Dishes.

Meats of all kinds are expensive, but there are many cheap parts of animals there are many cneap parts of animals that are good and nourishing when cooked properly. Brains, lights or lungs, haslets, kidneys, ox heels, pig's feet, famb's head and pluck, boiled marrowbones, tripe, etc., when cooked by one who knows how make nutritive, agreeable and economical dishes.

Wall Cabinets and Closets. Cabinets and closets that are well constructed and rightly placed are one of the surest means for minimizing kitchen work. A recess in the wall of fers an opportunity for shelves inclosed with glass doors and if these are cargather the dust.

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### DISTRICT

DARRELL.

The young people to the number of about forty were entertained by Miss Violet, Melvin and Harry French at a skating party last Wednesday evening. About ten o'clock they repaired to the house, and after partaking of an oyster supper a guessing contest was engaged in, Miss Annie Jinks and Mr. Tom Newkirk winning the nrizes, All enjoy-

Miss Annie Jinks and Mr. 10m New-kirk winning the prizes. All enjoy-ed themselves and went home in the wee small hours of the morning. The Ladies Aid of French's Metho-dist church will give a chicken pie social on Tuesday evening, March 20, at the home of Mr. John Kennedy,

Mr. Albert Peck and Miss Perish, of Mitchell's Bay, spent Sunday visiting friends here.

The valentine social given by the Ladies Aid last Wednesday night was

Evangelist Bishop will preach in the Methodist church next Sabbath orning. David Fryer, Jr., is quite ill.

ZONE CENTRE.

On Saturday, Feb. 3rd, the resignence of Wm. Chapman, Jr., was consumed by fire. Very little of the contents were saved and the insurance was small.

Miss Frances M. Richardson has returned to her home near Wallaceburg after a few pleasant weeks holidays with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Lidster.

holidays with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Lidster.
Mr. A. Wigle, wholesale representative of the William Piano Co., made a few business calls in our neighborhood last week,
We understand that Mr. William Chapman, Jr., intends moving to London in the near future.
We are sorry to announce the serious illness of Mrs. Joshua Lidster.
Mrs. Geo. Lidster and Master Roy spent Sunday with relatives at Wallaceburg.

Commencing Feb. 15th, W. E. Rispin City Passenger and Ticket Agent Agent G. T. R. and Wabash Railways, will issue special rate tickets to all western points at the following very low rates. To all Pacific Coast points, \$40.75; Billings, Montana, and Butte, Montana, \$32.75; Colorado Springs, Denver, Col., Odgen, and other corresponding points, \$37.75; Nelson and Rossland, B. C., and Spokane, Wash., \$38.25.

BALDOON.

Rev. W. J. Waddell, of Harwich, will preach annivefsary sermons at Oldfield Methodist church Sunday, Feb. 25, at 11 a. m., 3 p. m. and 7 p. m. Large congregations are expected, as Mr. Waddell is an excellent preacher.

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Rev. Mr. Thomson, of Merlin, preached three very able sermons at the anniversary services held in Grace church Feb. 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwards gave a party to the benefit of Walter Doyle and his friends the other evening.

Rev. Mr. Salton visited the school Monday morning and gave a speech lreatly to the pupils' pleasure.

A number of the farmers of this vicinity have taken advantage of the

success. Mr. Milton Shaw made an excellent chairman. The solos by Mr. Salton visited the school Monday morning and gave a speech lreatly to the pupils' pleasure.

A number of the farmers of this vicinity have taken advantage of the cold weather and are getting ice.
Inspector Park visited our school last week.

Miss Verna Hea will write for a second class certificate next June. She is a vary clever and industrious scholar and her teacher says she will surely meet with success.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stover have returned from Sombra, where they attended the funeral of his brother Joseph.

Men don't mind getting into a little bit of scandal if the ground of

pected, as Mr. Waddell is an excellent preacher.

Mrs. A. I. Brown lost her sister, retreat is very well covered.

JEANNETTE'S CREEK.

Mrs. J. H. Stewart and Misses Maggie and Ella Stewart were calling on friends here on Monday.

The Valentine concert was quite a success. Mr. Milton Shaw made an excellent

Talents, never wear out.



#### HAS BEEN ALL RIGHT EVER SINCE

H. T. Belyes, P. M., Proves That Dodds Kidney Pills Cure Permanently.

Some Years Since He Used Them Now And He Has Had Good Health Ever Since-Story of Well-Known large skeletons when found are some-New Brunswick Man.

cure completely and permanently. COUNTY COUNCILS.

Ontario Mnuicipal Association Favors Present System With one Change. Toronto, Feb. 23.—"That this association approve of the present system

of elective county councils. "That we believe that the disquali-fying clauses in section 81 and 82 might be removed and all councillors, reeves and mayors be eligible for election of county councillors."

This in brief is the resolution which will be presented to the Provincial Government at 11 o'clock this morn-ing, backed up by a delegation representing every municipality in the pro-

For seven long hours the delegates to the Ontario Municipal Association yesterday wrestled with the matter, and shortly before midnight a basis acceptable to all was reached.

Opposition Caucus.

An Opposition caucus was held early twenty feet. yesterday afternoon, after a luncheon One of the given in the reception room by Hon. G. W. Ross. Not a word was said about Mr. Ross' possible translation to Ottawa. The whips, C. M. Bowman and J. B. Tudhope, were re-elected. It was decided to meet frequently, and another caucus will be held next week.

ties of this remedy, its pleasant tasts early properties of this remedy, its pleasant tasts early profound astonishment on the part of the finders. The skeleton was perfect, and as it was lifted out, bone by mothers of small children, for colds, croup and whooping cough, as it always affords quick relief, and as it was lifted out, bone by bone, their amazement increased, and the news was spread all over the country, attracting large numbers of people. When the bones were placed in it contains no opium or other harm-ful drug, it may be given as confi-their proper position they were found dently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by all druggists.

ical remains found in Great Britain are the ancient "dew ponds," the construction of which is ascribed to people of the Neolithic age. The purpose of these ponds was to furnish drinking water for cattle. An exposed position, where springs were absent, was selected, and a broad, hollowed surface was formed and covered over with straw or some other nonconducting material. Above was spread a thick layer of clay strewn with stones. During the night the cold surface of the clay caused an abundance of moisture dense from the lower layers of

the air. Some of these ancient dew ponds are still in working order.

SETTLERS' LOW RATES WEST.

The Chicago and North Western Railway will sell low one way second class settlers tickets, daily from Feb. 15th to April 7th, 1906, to points in Colorado, Utah, Montana, Nevada, Idaho, Washington, California and British Columbia. Rate from Toronto to Vancouver, Victoria, New Westminster, B. C., Seattle, Wash, or Portland, Ore., \$42.25, to San Francisco or Los Angeles, Cal., \$44. Correspondingly low rates from all points in Canada. Choice of routes. Best of service. For full particulars and folders call on or write B. H. Bennett, General Agent, 2 East King street, Toronto, Ont. SETTLERS' LOW RATES WEST.

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G. F. WORDEN

This monster was twenty-five feet in length and must have been one of the strangest animals of its time.—London Spectator.

Barely Missed.

"I came hear getting that appointment I was after."

"How near?"

"I got a disappointment."—Exchange.

It is a miserable thing to live in sus-

#### GIANTS OF THE PAST

PREVIOUS AGES SUPPLY US WITH ENORMOUS FOSSIL BONES.

Lizards Three Times the Size of the Largest Elephant and a Turtle Whose Shell Looked Like a Hut. The Romarkable Plated Lizard.

The belief in a race of giants was

once almost universal. Even today times reported as being those of giant Lower Windsor, Carleton Co., N.
B., Feb. 19.—(Special)—"Yes, I have good health ever since I used Dodd's Kidney Pills. The speaker was Mr.
T. H. Belyea, postmaster here, and one of the most highly respected men in this part of the country. Asked to give his experience with the great Canadian Kidney Remedy Mr. Belyea Continued:

Hims reported as being those of gain times those of gain times reported as being those of gain times reported as being those of gain times those of gain times reported as being those of gain times those of gain times the proof the period about the tenth and those of the period about the time of the period about the tenth and those of gain times a had been troubled with my kidThe bones were enormous and proved the tomb of the Emperor Henry III. luck?" "I had been troubled with my kidneys for a number of years. I tried several kinds of plasters and other kinds of medicines, but did not seem to get any lasting benefit. Hearing Dodd's Kidney Pills so highly recommended I decided to try them and they made a complete cure of me. That is two years ago and as I said before I have had good health ever since I used Dodd's Kidney Pills."

Dodd's Kidney Pills cure once and for all. There is no stage of form of Kidney Disease that they do not cure completely and permanently.

The bones were enormous and proved to have belonged to a huge fossil elephant. As late as the fifteenth century awar of words was waged over a find of large bones, one party claiming that they belonged to the giant Teutobochus. In 1857 a glant was discovered in Switzerland. The council of Lucerne requested a learned scientific man, Professor Fellx Plater of Basel, to report upon it, and he not only announced the bones as part of a human giant, but made a complete restoration, showing made a complete restoration, showing the man twenty feet high, which the proud city adopted as an ancestor in the arms of the commonwealth. Unfortunately for the theory and much to the discomfiture of the people who had raised to a high pinnacle this mighty ancestor, it was found to be the remains of an elephant.

Nearly all the mastodon finds were attributed to giants, but there is no evidence that a human giant ever existed over eight feet in height, and it is extremely doubtful if this height was

ever attained. Giants other than human are very common in all branches of the animal kingdom—giants in every sense when compared to their pygmy representatives of today. Some years ago some laborers in the Senalik hills of India were engaged upon a government work when they came upon the re-mains of a turtle that proved beyond question that these animals had their AFRAID OF STRONG MEDICINES, giants in the days of old. The shell Many people suffer for years from rheumatic pains, and prefer to do so rather than take the strong medicines usually given for rheumatism, not-knowing that quick relief from pain may be had simply by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm and without taking any medicine Internally. Rev. Amos Parker of Magnolia, North Carolina, suffered for eight years with a lame hip, due to severe rheumatic pains. He has been permanently cured by the free application of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. For sale by all druggists. display a dome-like back eight or nine

One of the common animals in equatorial South America and in Central America is the lizard iguana, which land and various portions of the world. CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

A number of years ago some working men were excavating and blasting in THE MOTHER'S FAVORITE. a quarry near Maidstone, England, when The soothing and healing proper- some bones were uncovered that causthat when alive must have been three times as bulky as the largest living ele phant and stood upon its hind legs like "Dew Ponds."

Among the most singular archaeologfrom the highest trees. Such an ani-

feet high, giving a total length of

mal was a slow mover and sluggish and must have fallen an easy prey to the human hunters if they existed. The marine giants were even more bizarre and remarkable than the land forms. If we can imagine the little iguana lengthened out to thirty feet, its back spines changed to broad finlike objects, we form some idea of the appearance of one of the small dinosaurs tegosaurus ungulatus, one of the most uncanny and remarkable creatures ever found. It is called the plated lizard, and the best skeleton was found on the eastern flank of the Rocky mountains. Some of the plates with which this armored lizard were protected were two or three feet in diameter and the spines over two feet in length. From the fact that the hind limbs were the largest it is evident that this strange creature

its head calling to mind the rhinoceros.

It is a miserable thing to live in suspense. It is the life of a spider.—Swift

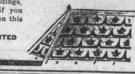
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PERT PARAGRAPHS.

The less some people have to say the more difficulty they seem to experience in keeping their tongues still.

When winter puts the lid on we'll be apt to get our fingers pinched.

When a woman lets her tongue run away with her it is a brave man as well as a rash one who will rush in and try to stop it.

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that have come from personal knowledge, says The Tribune.

Away back in the '70s a customer of the house from St. Joe, Mich., B. F. King, happening to learn that Marshall Field desired a good horse, brought one over and exhibited it to him. After looking the animal over carefully Mr. Field asked the price. Mr. King thought he was worth \$350. Mr. Field thought to the control of the con thought he was worth \$350. Mr. Field thought \$300 was about the right figure. That was finally agreed upon and the bargain closed. Some years afterward Mr. Field, happening to see Mr. King on the street, stopped him, and taking \$50 from his pocket, gave it to Mr. King, remarking as he did so: "That horse I bought of you was a better horse than I thought," and, without more words, walked away. This B. F. King was father of Ben King, Chicago, prototype of The Khan of Canada with a bow of blue velvet in front, slipped through a long gold buckle and further supplemented with a bunch of blue tips at one continental hat adorned with a bow of blue velvet in front, slipped through a long gold buckle and further supplemented with a bunch of blue tips at one side, the costume is sunning.

Millinery becomes less eccentric as the season advances. Conspicuous shapes and trimmings are much modified in the latest models, Large hats will not be so prominent, the becoming small toque in a number of instances.

as a newspaper poet.

When the great Mapleson opera comto be used galore. pany was at Haverly's theatre, in the old custom house, on the site of the present First National bank, one night rive but Marshall Field, wife, and friends. Mr. Field saw the boys at once, and, crossing the vestibule to where they were, slipped them seat tickets, wishing they might enjoy the music, etc. At that time those boys were only clerks, yet he recognized them at once. Those clerks are now department heads of Marshall Field's When the Field, Leiter & Co. business was moved from the old premises in Lake street to the new Potter Palmer palace at State and Washington streets, so well were the arrangements

streets, so well were the arrangements made, and carried out to the letter, by Marshall Field that only fifty-five minutes were consumed in the operation from the time the doors were closed to customers in the Lake street store until the doors were append for business. customers in the Lake street store un-til the doors were opened for business at the new State street palace. Every-thing moved like clockwork, so admir-ably was everything managed.

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really a chamois color - is the smart combination for spring. Worn with a chamois toned Continental hat adorned with a bow of blue velvet in front, slip-

cago, prototype of The Khan of Canada small toque in a number of instance replacing picture effects. Feathers are

New lingerie shirt waists show frills and ruffles with bolero jacket effect. In one advanced model two wide embroid-some clerks from Field, Leiter & Co.'s one advanced model two wide embroid-thought they would try to see the ered ruffles go from the waist over the shoulders, giving a broad effect—most purchase tickets, when who should arrive but Marshall Field, wife, and friends. Mr. Field saw the boys at one advanced model two wide embroid-

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Pony Coats For Linen Suits-Henris ettas In Charming Tones.

A jaunty little coat has arrived for spring wear-the pony jacket. This

Henrietta cloth is to be extensively

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shades, and attractive afternoon and

evening gowns are worked up with the aid of lace and ribbon. Directly in contrast with the shor waisted styles are the long coats fitting close, as a rule, and revealing severe

Individuality is the siegun of the sol dressed woman, and in this effort fat personal belongings she never goes to

The nightdress in the cut is a mode of the newest French idea. It is car ried out in the finest nainsook. The bolero jacket is a pretty mass of applique work, the center ornamentation being a bowknet in lace stitch. The long, flowing sleeves are trimmed with lace, and the bowknet is repeated at the longest peat.

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Testing the Czar's Fred

Victor Hirtzier, who served two years in the Czar's kitchens at the Winter palace in St. Petersburg, has given some interesting details as to the cuisine of the imperial household and the precautions taken against any attempt to poison the autocrat of all the Russias. The head chef of the imperial kitchens holds the rank of genperial kitchens holds the rank of general in the Russian army, receives a salary of more than \$50,000 a year and is an important official of the state. Under him there is an army of some 300 men as chefs, underchefs and subordinates and also the keepers of the spring wear—the pony jacket. This smart affair is of the sack type and reaches a little below the waist line. It has a short waisted effect that makes it a cross between the empire and box coat.

The pony coat is to be carried out next summer in linen and when perfectly cut is stunning. The best model is the navy or army man's coat. Make a study of the peculiar short waisted effect in the back of this hero's jacket, and you will be in the "know."

Harviette delth is to be acterial and subordingtes and also the keepers of the wine cellars. Every dish that is prepared for the imperial table must first be partaken of by a major of the partaken of by a major of the partaken of by a major of the partaken of by a major as closed shaft, which the major also enters, and it ascends to the dining room of the Czar, where the major again partakes of it, and, no ill effects ensured to the imperial household. The menu is ordered each day by the Czar, who is a hearty eater and subordingtes and also the keepers of the wine cellars. Every dish that is prepared for the imperial table must first be partaken of by a major of the closed shaft, which the major also enters, and it ascends to the dining room of the Czar, where the major again partakes of it, and, no ill effects ensured in the company of the compan new dishes be invented by his chef. The dining room in which the regular meals are taken is small, made of cast ron, is bombproof and is sealed like a hank vault between meals.

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#### ACCOUNTS MONDAY

Standing Committee Struck and Leg islature Now Ready For Active Business

Toronto, Feb. 24.—On the opening of the House yesterday, Mr. Ross enquired of the Provincial Treasurer when the House might expect the estimates and public accounts. They had already been there a week, and while they were enjoying themselves would like to do some business.

enjoying themselves would like to do some business.

Col. Matheson promised the public accounts on Monday or Tuesday. The estimates were not quite through council, but he hoped to bring them down the first of the week. With the consent of the leader of the Opposition the Government would follow the practice at Ottawa and bring down the estimates in advance of the budget speech, so that there would be something to discuss.

Mr. Ross. While business is being

Hon. Mr. Harcourt was also thirsting for information. When could they expect some of the promised measures

on education?

Hon. Dr. Pyne said they were under consideration, and the time was rapidly approaching when they would be ready.

Mr. Thompson (Simcoe) introduced a bill providing for the holding of municipal elections every two years, instead of annually, as at present.

Col. Matheson reported for the committee to select the standing committees for the session.

tees for the session.

The County Councils Bill.

X deputation of 200 from all over the province waited upon the Premier yesterday to ask that the present system of elective country countries. yesterday to ask that the present sys-tem of elective county councils he re-tained. A resolution of the Ontario Municipal Association in favor of hav-ing all councillors, reeves and mayors eligible for election as county coun-cillors, and suggesting that a commis-sion look into the question, was sub-mitted.

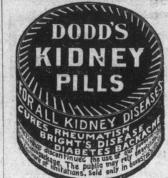
Mr. Whitney said that public opinion Mr. Whitney said that public opinion seemed to favor the re-establishing of the old law, with some changes, and hinted that the county councils bill would probably go through.

Statement From Premier.

Premier Whitney handed out the following statement yesterday:

"The number of deputations calling the the government, since the opening of the Legislature, have been so many that the Minister's have been able

ing of the Legislature, have been so many that the Ministers have been able to do but little of their departmental work. Consequently, the Cabinet has decided that outside of interviews already arranged for deputations will be received on Thursday of next week and thereafter on Wednesday of each week during the session and on no other days. The adoption of this



course is absolutely necessary in order to allow the Ministers time to give even partial attention to their duties." Six deputations were received by Hon. Dr. Pyne yesterday, Sarnia, Sault Ste. Marie, Cornwall, Guelph, Galt and Alliston eached asked for one of the normal schools to be established, No Chance For Criticism.

Hon, Mr. Whitney vesterday asymptotics.

No Chance For Criticism.

Hon, Mr. Whitney yesterday expressed his complete satisfaction with the result of the North Toronto bye-election, as follows:

"The Government is fairly well satisfied with the result. It closes up many avenues for criticism which would not have been justified, but no doubt would have been made. It was a strong expression of opinion and the majority was relatively larger than at the general election. The people expect that Mr. McNaught will be of great advantage to the Legislature and to the Government."

The official figures of the votes in North Toronto are:

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North Toronto are:

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#### SUPPORT BOYCOTT

Wu Ting Fang, Former Chinese Minis ter to:U. S. Sees no Danger of Anti Foreign Uprising

Pekin, Feb. 24.-Wu Ting Fang, former Chinese Minister to the United States, when interviewed for the first states, when interviewed for the mas-time yesterday on the existing situa-tion in China, spoke in support of the boycott. Wu Ting Fang is now living quietly in Pekin, devoting his time to codifying the laws of China, one of the numerous reforms under way. Speaking of present conditions. Wu Ting Fang said in the course of the in-

of Chinese are agreed is that China has been deprived of many rights by concessions and territorial grants, and by the way her people have been treated by foreigners in China and for-

eign countries.
"These rumors of anti-foreign feeling are not well founded. Sensible men advise boycotters and agitators to be reasonable, and only to boycott goods and not to treat persons unkindly, but to continue their friendship as before."

Court is Nervous.

London, Feb. 24.—The correspondent of The Tribune, at Pekin, says:
"The court is nervous over the possibility of trouble Feb. 24. The presi-

dent of the Chinese foreign board apdent of the Chinese foreign board ap-preclates the possibility of an anti-dynamite rising. The German legation last night doubled its sentries on ac-count of posting of anti-foreign pla-cards at Tientsin."

No Cause For Alarm. Washington, D. C., Feb. 24.—The United States Secretary of State has received a cablegram from Mr. Rock-hill, Minister to China, stating that he sees no cause for apprehension concern ing the situation there. The published reports of uneasiness are believed to be without cause. Missionary troubles are not more frequent than usual, it is said.

and are due, as was the Shanghai riot, to local causes. Placard Meaning May Be Deep. London, Feb. 24.—The Times' Tien-tsin correspondent says the placards which have aroused the apprehensions which have aroused the apprehamous of foreigners here are appeals for "subscriptions to a patriotic fund to relieve the Boxer indemnity. It is supposed that the fund may be capable of use for other ends."

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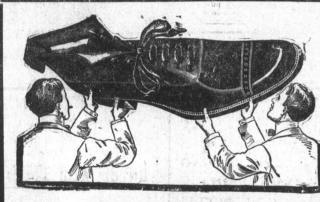
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ALL OUR WINTER SHOES On our shelves this minute for MEN, WOMEN and CHILDREN So smartly underpriced that no sane person will stay away that no sane person will stay away

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We haven't been partial to any portion of the stock; haven't reserved the fine goods and bought cheap stuff to put out at a price; we don't run sales that way. It's all spot cash, though; we lose enough as it is. See what we say and you'll buy.

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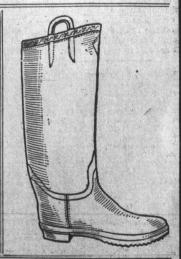
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OT that there isn't something to be said on the other side of the other side of the matter," Bridget resumes, after a deprecatory little cough behind her lisle thread glove. "The mistresses are on the lookout for faults as well as the maids. And, if you will let me say it, ma'am, they talk us over and tell their experiences to one another pretty ences to one another pretty much as the maids do—and we know it! The queerest thing is that, when they are ed that servant girls are a bad lot, they are so 'soft' in giving references. I've often turned over in my mind whether that's because, so long as they get rid of 'rubbish' themselves, they don't bish' themselves, they don't eare who gets it next, or be-cause, as I've heard them say over and over again, they think it's cruel to stand in the way of a girl's making an honest living, and what deser't suit one may suit andoesn't suit one may suit an-

other.

"Then, again, the most of them don't like a fuss, and girls talk very violent sometimes, and when once a lady has got a name for being unjust in turning a servant off without a character, or saying something in the 'confidential' books at the Intelligence Office that stands in the very of her getting a place—the story goes like wild-

character, or saying something in the 'confidential' books at the Intelligence Office that stands in the way of her getting a place—the story goes like wild-fire, and it ain't easy for that lady to get anybody to come to her, much less to stay with her. It's 'most like a smallpox card tacked up on the door for the word to be passed around from one kitchen to another that any madam is a 'hard mistress.'

"It ain't to be wondered at, either. I wouldn't take a hard place if I could-get one where things were likely to be more satisfactory.

"But about this reference business! There isn't a girl in the city who doesn't know that, no matter how ladies may talk down servant girls among themselves, they don't hold together when the pinch comes, as the maids do. Every little while there's a big talk in the newspapers of Housekeepers' Unions and the like that are going to band themselves together all over the country and alter everything. And how members are to take a pledge not to employ a girl that hasn't clean papers from her last place. And how diplomas are to be given to girls who have studied cooking and housework in schools and classes, and the like, and these scholars are to have the pick of the best places, and all that. And how wrong it is to give greenhorns such large wages, and they with everything to learn, and so how wrong it is to give greenhorns such large wages, and they with everything to learn, and so forth, and so forth.

#### GIRLS LAUGH ABOUT IT

ais sort of talk doesn't change matters one bit! You know it yourself, ma'am! Girls read some of the newspaper stories of what's going to be done, and make fun among themselves about the diplomas and such-like. If they had ever seen any of the housekeepers sticking together and taking one another's part—anything like a real union, or a strike, or the likes of that—they might take it serious.

laid before me or any other lover of her kind and sex. But they know that, when one cuts up so that her madam packs her off without a stiffticket, and sends word to the Intelligence Office she got her from that she is impudent, or a thief, or so violent tempered that she's dangerous in a family, the girl can get another place as good as that she left without never a scrap of a recommend. There are plenty of never a scrap of a recommend. There are plenty of other offices where her dollar will be taken and no

#### questions asked. A SAD EXPERIENCE

"Why, in one place where I was, in an out-oftown village, an office sent out a cook that had no stiffticket less than two years old. But Jane—that was her name—had been known in the office for four or five years, and had often worked in the families of the ladies as run it. Well, ma'am, as thrue as I'm sitting here, the woman was so drunk when she got to us that I and the chambermaid had to put her right to bed, and there she stayed for a day and a night, and the mistress had to pay for her railroad ticket back to town. You may depend the lady sent a strong letter to that office! And all they could say was that they were 'fair astonished, after knowing the woman so well and for so long, and there was a clergyman who had her once in his family and stood ready to pay her \$35 a month if she was her name-had been known in the office for ily and stood ready to pay her \$35 a month if she would come back,' and a lot more stuff of the same

would come back, and a return to the kind.

"If ever I saw a regular bum, that Jane (which I'm not mentioning her last name) was one! She slept in the same room with me, and, saving your presence, ma'am" (with another modest cough and looking down), "the state of that bed was such that gasoline and camphor shut in it for two days hardly set yield of 'om"

gasoline and campnor shur in it for two days hardly got rid of 'em?'
"Did not the lady get back the fee that she paid at the office?" I ask, interestedly, "or the money she spent for the drunken woman's railroad fare?"
"Not a cent, ma'am! They offered to send her out another cook—which she wouldn't have. She



"When girls find that getting good places - or any places at all - depend upon the way they conduct themselves and do their work, things will mend - Dot till then "

tried another office. I suppose Jane went to an-

other place." I suppose data when the action of the place."

"Abominable!" I interjected; "and as far as I can see there is no help for us."

"Thrue for you, ma'am!" observes Bridget-Thekla, with a philosophical calmness. "Not unless the mistresses take the law in their own hands, and, as I said, hold fast by one another. When girls find that getting good places—or any places at all—depends upon the way they conduct themselves and do their work, things will mend—not until then."

til then."

"There is a saying that good mistresses make good servants," I venture to remark. "Do you think that is true?"

"It is, ma'am—and it isn't! Which I mean to say, that a good mistress will keep a girl good and maybe make her better. But a good mistress is more likely to be imposed upon by a bad servant than any other. She takes too much for granted, and when she is doing as she would be done by, the onprincipled servant is taking advantage of her, and like's not laughing in her sleems at her for being so green. There's no use in denying, though, that in the long run she'd be better served on the whole than the other kind.

#### WANTS HER MONEY'S WORTH

"There is the other kind, you know, masam! Them who never praise a girl, or take any more notice of her than if she was a machine, and not flesh and blood, with a heart and a soul. The kind that's always keen to see that a servant does her full money's worth, and don't eat too much, and so full money's worth, and don't eat too much, and so watchful for pilfering and waste and breakages that she often sees what never happens. Now, there's other kinds that scold when they are provoked, and find fault even when they ain't vexed, and think any cuddy-hole is good enough for a girl's room. You wouldn't believe the places decent maids are put into sometimes, or the beds and covers they sleep in."

are put into sometimes, of the sleep in."

"I know," I say gravely. "I have seen many that were disgraceful to the man who built them and the woman who furnished them."

Since Bridget-Thekla took respectful leave of me I have sat at my desk staring through the windows at the weeping clouds and the dripping vines without—and thinking, thinking, thinking, over the toughest problem ever laid before me or any other lover of her kind and sex.

Will readers help me to a solution?

MARION HARLAND.

### SOME EXCELLENT RECIPES

Pate de Foie Gras Pate de Foie Gras

R OLL a call's liver until very tender in water that has been slightly salted, and in another vesset a nice call's tongue. They should be not only cold, but firm, when used. Cut the liver into smooth paste in a Wedgwood mortan moistening, as you go on, with melted butter. Work linto this paste, which should be quite soft, a quarter teaspoonful of cayenne pepper, a little cloves, a tender of the cayenne pepper, a little cloves, a tender of the cayenne pepper, a little cloves, a tender of the cayenne pepper, a little cloves, a tender of the mustard and a tablespoonful of bolling water, in which a minced onion has been steeped until the flavor is extracted. Work all thoroughly together and pack in jelly jars with air-tight covers. Butter the inside of the Jaws well and pack to paste very hard, inserting here and there square and triangular bits of the tongue, which should be cut and pared for this purpose. When the jar is packed and smooth as marble on the surface, cover with melted butter. Let this harden, put on the lid and set away in a cool place.

Cucumber Pickles

Potato Soup

Hoarhound Candy for Coughs and Colds

More Eggless Recipes

# Housemothers Assembled in Weekly Conference With Marion Harland

Is an ever-welcome visitor, made more so by your column.

There were three songs I asked for some time ago. I thought maybe some of your readers had them and would copy them for me. These are what I waded 'Under the Bamboo Tree,' 'Coon! Goon! Coon!'
"Daily! add two more to my list: 'Whist-ling Rufus,'' 'Ticklish Reuben.'
If I lived near a newstand I would not trouble you, Mrs. B. F. B. (Pennsylvania). I shall hold your address, and hope that your needs and modest request will be responded to generously.

Will those who would like to send magazines and books write to me for "Mrs. B. F. B.'s" address? Copies of the songs may be sent direct to me, with a stamp for forwarding.

my friends have used it with success. Carpets, rugs, etc., we have cleaned, and even an old sofa that was covered with what I think was brussels. It afterward where the air could strike it afterward where the air could strike it and it was just like adoors and windows a bright day of white would choose a bright day of white work it will be as bright as new. It will be carpets with my strike the carpets with my strike the carpets will be as bright as new. It will be as bright as new. It will be carpets with the carpets with a box pleat.

6. Use the legas of long black hose to make the water; last could be added to the added the additional and use the liquid as warm as you can bear your han a small space that as no would a bare floor. Do not use too much water. I use about one half of a bucketful at a time, so Take the water is always clumb or the back of a wood edge count of the back of a wood edge count of the surface.

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Our Minneapolis contingent keeps up its reputation gallantly. Long life and vigor to it! It stands always in the vanguard.

Referring to "Mrs. M.'s" inquiry and your

I would like to say for the benefit of one who asked about a soap recipe that I save as the same state of the same says that the same says that it is a save as the same says that it is a same says that is a same

You have helped, and ably, in donating the soap recipe. Every mail brings requests for instructions in this line of the consended enterprise.

# Dainty Housekeepers Must Look Carefully After Beds

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NCE a month bedsteads should be washed in every unseen part. A little carbolic acid in the water is good for the purpose or, if disliked, household ammonia is efficacious. If there are slats, each one should be lifted and wiped as well as the places where they fit in. This practice faithfully carried out will forbid the "red rover" from ever gaining a foothold in the beds. That pest is only kept away by immaculate cleanliness and strenuous care. The name usually given to that insect is so suggestive of abominable uncleanliness I object to its use in this article.

My readers will recognize the particular species of insect now under consideration, as few people reach years of discretion without becoming aware of its existence. Those who travel much make its hateful acquaintance early and learn its peculiar ways, which are dark, and its artful tricks, which are dark, and its artful tricks, which are not vain. In houses of families is most important to destroy the first invaders and prevent their localulable propagation. Some student of their obnoxious possibilities declares that they become "great-grandfathers in twenty-four hours!"

It is a safe rule never to allow those who have been in public conveyances to lay their garments on a bed. Exceptionally mile housewives observe this rule output only been walking, for with their outside wraps they also depost dust gathered while out. No ottan keep a bed nice who is indifferent in these particulars, A white bed-

spread soon shows soil and a colored one becomes dirty even if it does not show it. The best plan for all who can do so is to have pretty and delicate-looking spreads that people with eyes will instinctively respect. Day bed-spreads should be taken off in the evening. Carefully folded and laid aside before a bed is to be occupied.

Returning to our main subject, the red rover, young housewives, who have had no home training, are apt to overlook this very important feature and the seeping until they are suddenly confronted with a moss appailing and formidable as well as which proper alteration to their duties would spare with the subject of the seeping until they are suddenly confronted with a moss appailing and formidable as well as which proper alteration to their duties would spare the summer of the first planting the wise all new, and no woodwork in the house that is said to breed with a feature in the summer of the first planting to countees non-paying lodgers that occupy her beds day and night and which if not exterminated before they begin or crowd each other, will spread and walls of her home. I remeded many years ago. A young wite whose father had given her a compete went to her new home utterly ignorant of the first principles of good housekeeping. In use than two years she was competed to face the astounding fact the some of her handsome bedsteads t

Steep one tablespoonful of dried hoar-hound in one-half cupful of water. Strain, and add one int of sugar and one table-spoonful of sugar and one table-test in cole water, and pour into buttered pay when brittle. It may also be pulled white, like molassee candy.—R. F. (Balt/more, M.2.) No. 1—Water Euffir

Take one quart of flour and three teaspoonfuls of baking powder and sift together; piece of butter sign of milk, a little number of milk, a little number, one of the sign of sign of milk, a little number, one milk.

Rub the butter in the flour and powder, put in other ingredients, mix to a soft dough, add more flour if needed, roll one-half inch thick, fry in hot jard to a dell-cate brown. No. 3—Cream Griddle Cakes.

One quart of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one teaspoonful of soda, sait and flour to make a batter.

No. 4—Spice Cake.

One cup of sugar, one-half cup of butter, one-half cup of molasses and one scant teaspoonful each of clusses and one scant teaspoonful each of clusses and a little man the scant teaspoonful each of clusses; beat well together, then add one soda stirred in until it is teasing to the state of the scant of the sca No. 3—Cream Griddle Cakes.

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### The Daily Planet

A SCANDAL FROM SASKATCHE-WAN.

A most remarkable piece of busi-A most remarkable piece of business is reported in connection with the late provincial elections in Sankatchewan. According to the elections in Sankatchewan. According to the elections and were taken to prison. tion law up there, the returning oftrict into polling divisions seventytwo hours before nomination day and posts the report in a prominent place. Up to six o'clock on nomination day, however, a demand may be tion day, however, a demand may be made for additional polls, provided him, causing him severe injuries, the new polls are not to be within

The Toronto News prints a story from its Prince Albert corresponour polities for some time committed under these provisions. If the story is correct, the friends of the Government-the Scott Government -seem to have known before nomination day that three additional polls in the far north of Prince Albert district would be demanded on nomination day; for the men who were subtion day; for the men who were subsequently ordered to conduct them started north two days previously, on business with the Indians. Notification did not reach the Opposition did not reach the Opposition of the conduct them to bollers to burn dry and then turned cold water on the hot iron. Out of the cold water on the hot iron. Out of the cold water on the hot iron. Out of the cold water on the hot iron. Out of the cold water on the hot iron. Out of the cold water on the hot iron. candidate until four days after nomination. Now the distance of these

were killed and over 13 were injured.

The annual races were held at Blenheim on the 24th of May, 1864, and were most successful. There were many entries and the races were not at the plant of the News says that the journey could not be made within the week at their disposal. They really spent the election day at a point about half way to the scene of their supposed labors; and yet they turned up a week later with ballot boxes full of ballots, all marked for the Government candidate. They were subsequently arbon. A spending and caused a great deal of fun. The judges in all the events were John B. Sheldon, James G. Laird and J. C. Jackson.

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Sounded Like ft.

Jesselos ment date. They were subsequently arraigned and fined for not conductraigned and lined for her reaper and mower, a new invention ing the polls as ordered; but the which caused much interest in farm expectation of the Oppositionists that ing circles. the Crown prosecutor would proceed

supposed polls was actually in another constituency; and men who are recorded as having voted at these fictitious booths swear that they jacket and a flattering address as were hundreds of miles away on elec- a tes tion day. Some actually voted at good fellowship. other polls. A later despatch says The parties associated together for that the Liberal candidate has just been confirmed in his seat for this district, and that these ballots were counted. If this is the law, then it without delay. The candidate himmenced by the Chatham Salt and oil is commenced by the Chatham Salt and oil self, who is at present in Toronto, Association. Great results are exis a law which should be amended says that he is so heartily disgusted with the whole business that he has mailed his resignation, which was the well known Chatham resident, is an only course open to a man of honor. Still this ought not to fend off a thorough investigation. If half of the charges are true, severe punishment should be the lot of the guitty Still this ought not to fend off a parties

The healthy old man wears gray hairs like a silver crown. What if he be threescore and ten if there is still fire in his eye, firmness in his step, command in his voice and wisdom in his counsel? He commands love and reverence. Yet how few wear the mantle of age with dignity. Dim eyed, querulous of speech, halting in step, childish in mind, they had ge is a healthy middle age. The man who takes care of his stomach, who keeps his body properly nourished, will find that the body does not fail him in old age. The great value of. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery lies in the preservation of the working power of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. From this centre is distributed the nourishment of the whole body, the salt for the blood the lime for the bones, photes for the brain and nerves. Assound stomach means a sound man. A man who keeps his stomach sound by the use of "Golden Medical Discovery" will wear the crown of gray hairs as befits a monarch, with dignity and ease. in the blanch

#### \$<del>\$</del> DAYS OF **AULD LANG SYNE**

Interesting Events of Ye Olden Times Gathered from The Planet's Issues of Half a

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Taken from The Planet fyles from May 5, 1864, to June 2, 1864.

On Saturday morning a large elm tree, growing on a lot owned by Mrs. Witherspoon, William street, was struck by lightning and com-pletely splintered, nothing but the lower part of the trunk being left standing.

Two weeks' heavy rain causes much loss to farmers and others living in the country.

Since our last issue Mr. Rankin has

the new polls are not to be within twenty miles of any other one. This, it will be noted, is a country of "magnificent distances." There must also be at least ten resident electors in the new polling division.

The Toronto News prints a story

Mr. George Jacobs, a Chathamite, was killed in the Battle of the Wilderness, fought between General Lee's forant's army and General Lee's forant's army and General Lee's forant's army and resided, at one time, with his father in Raleigh.

Wm. Baxter, of Chatham, who en dent telling of what seems to be the listed in the Federal army, and was most shameless fraud uncovered in wounds and re-enlisted for another

Richard Facey was killed by a fall-ing post on Mr. Ingraham's farm, Chatham Township.

Investigation by experts prove that nearly all the fall wheat in the vicinity of Chatham has been killed by the severity of the winter,

31 passengers and the crew, seven were killed and over 13 were injured.

James Soutar advertises the "Ohio"

has not yet been realized.

The charge is, of course, that somebody stuffed the ballot boxes, and that the pretence that an election was held was fraudulent. One of the supposed pulls, were softwaller to the supposed pulls, were softwaller to the supposed pulls.

Boring for salt and oil is com

The death of Henry Bartliff, a

The Dunken Temperance Bill pass-ed its third reading in the Lower

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#### Humor and Philosophy By DUNCAN M. SMITE

IN SUMMER LAND.

In South America they sit
And work the palm leaf fan, And work the bank accumulate
A lovely coat of tan.
And when they meet upon the street
They don't say, "How d' do?"
They just look up and sort of grunt,
"Is 't hot enough for you?"

The gay thermometer hangs out
At ninety in the shade
And always puts in overtime
In working at its trade.
A snowball would to them look good,
For it is safe to bet
They do not count it having fun
To sit around and sweat.

No overcoats or sealskin sacks No overcoats or season accessory or heavy underwear Adorns their bodies you may bet What cash you have to spare. Such heavy dress would cause distress, So when abroad they walk They only wear enough so that The neighbors will not talk.

Yes, down below the isthmus Yes, down below the istimus When it is winter here They have the good old summer time, And, though it may seem queer And quite absurd, upon my word. The thing is as I state—

Go look in your geography

On page 128.



Accomplished and Clevers Accomplished and Lievers
He had an education
That was worth a mint of gold
And a lot of information
In a head of classic mold.
He had a stock of mental wares

And a perception quick;
Of half a dozen college chairs
He could have had his pick.

Now, you might think this youthful
And brilliant man a star
Whose light, serene and truthful,
Was welcome near and far,
But, oh, alas, this hero
Had one drawback immense
That made his value zero—
He'd not a lick o' sense.

Character Shown In Work.

A foolish person builds foolishly, and

a wise one sensibly, a virtuous one beautifully and a vicious one badly. If stonework is well put together it means that a thoughtful man cut it and an honest man cemented it. it has too much ornament it means that its carver was too greedy of pleasure, if teo little that he was rude or insensitive or stupid or the like. A man may hide himself from you or misrepre sent himself to you every other way, but he cannot in his work. There be sure you have him to the utmost, all that he likes, all that he sees, all that he can do-his imagination, his affection, his perserverance, his impatience, clumsiness, cleverness, everything is there. If the work is a cobweb you know it was made by a spider, if a honeycomb by a bee, a wormcast is thrown up by a worm and a nest wreathed by a bird, and a house is built by a man worthily if he is worthy and ignobly if he is ignoble. And always, from the least to the greatest,

### **Good News For** The Old Folks

as a thing made is good or bad so is

the maker of it.

Mr. Angus McMillan Tells Them Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets Will Cure Their Stomach Troubles.

Their Stomach Troubles.

Of peculiar interest to the aged is the story of Mr. Angus McMillan, of Laggan P. O., Glengarry Co., Ont. Mr. McMillan is now over 82 years of age and looks hearty enough to reach the 100 mark. He attributes a large part of his splendid health to Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. He says:

"I suffered from Dyspepsia for more than 20 years but never met with anything to cure me till I commenced taking Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. After using them for two days all the pain and restlessness left me.

"I am in one sense a new man and have great reason to be thankful for all the good Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets have done me."

Stomach troubles are one of the burdens the old folks have to bear. It is good news for them that there is a speedy and effectual cure for them in Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Mixed Feelings. The little girl who, after a drink of soda, declared that her nose felt as if her foot was asleep has evidently grown up and retained her happy power of expression, for evidently the young lady mentioned in Punch is the same person who drank bubbles when

she was small. The young woman was traveling in a coach as an elderly and somewhat sour looking man, in trying to open the window, pinched his finger nail severely.

"Oh!" exclaimed the lady sympa-netically. "How horrid! I always thetically. "How horrid! I always think anything wrong with one's nails sets one's teeth on edge all down one's back!"

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JOHN GLASSFORD, Manager for Western Ontario

### USEFUL DRESS HINTS.

to Fit a Sleeve-To Get the Beat

To fit a sleeve properly and to insure it against twisting, the curve for the elbow should be over the bend of the elbow when the hand is brought to the bust line. The inside seam should be in a line with the thumb when the arm is dropped to the side and the palm of the hand is turned to the body.

The lining of a coat must be loose in both width and length; not enough, however, to make it from plaits that would be visible from the outside in a closely fitted coat of lightweight cloth, but loose enough to prevent any possibility of the lining drawing the outside.

When cutting folds it is best to turn the material over frequently to make sure that it is keeping quite bias. The



EMPIRE GREEN WRAP.

least deviation from this rule will mean that the folds will twist when sewed to the material of the gown.

Here is a good way to mend kid gloves when they are torn or ripped; First buttonhole stitch around the rent, but not so close as in a buttonhole. Overcast, taking up the thread of the buttonhole on the edge, drawing the edges together.

The coat in the illustration is carried out in empire green cloth. The slightly turned back collar is embroidered in a delicate design in pale green and pink. Down the front is a wide band of Italian filet lace, which also forms the high empire sash and sleeve bands. JUDIC CHOLLET.

SPRING SHIRT WAISTS.

Mannish Linen Waists—Richelies Stitch Used With Good Effect. The first installment of spring shirt waists brings stiff linen affairs like a man's negligee shirt, with tucks straight up and down the back and front. With these waists are worn embroidered linen turnover collars with the tiniest of ties made in a bow of the very smallest proportions. These ties may be of silk, velvet ribbon or lingerie exquisitely embroidered.

The daintiest kind of French lin gerie blouse is of fine handkerchief lin



HEADDRESS OF 1880.

en embroidered all over the front in broderie anglaise. The slightly puffed elbow sleeves finish with a deep, tight band of the embroidery, which also makes the high straight collar.

Richelieu stitch—heavy buttonholed bars defining a motif or placed among designs of blind embroidery—is seen on the handsomest of the imported blouses. Chiffon cloth makes some charming black blouses. Many of them, being fitted over a foundation of white silk and other shades, are absolutely dark

For early spring wear there are lightweight woolens in checks being made up into shirt waist suits.

Embroidered sleeves are another ex travagance of the embroidered blouse, the design used on the fronts being broken up in tiny sprays upon the

Belting has superseded the girdle as an accompaniment to the shirt waist. This belt makes a dean little turn at the waist when worn over a jacket.

The coiffure illustrated is a preone for a headdress party. The hat, somewhat on the order of an exaggerated jockey cap, is an 1880 effect. It is made of pistache green on the outside and faced with mauve satin. The upstanding plume is of mauve.

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### Red Rose is good Tea T. H. Estabrooks

The relaxed rhythmical movements so common among animals at play, the gamboling of lambs, the play of kittens and many similar animal activities, are imitated by man in the primitive dances which form so large a part in the social and religious life of all aboriginal peoples. These motions of leaping, swinging, swaying and twisting of the body have, all of them, a most intimate and powerful influence upon the body's activities, organic and muscu-Rolling is a form of exercise which is a favorite with many animals and is especially practiced for the pur-pose of relieving fatigue. Rolling is peculiarly enjoyable and grateful to the animal because it provides not only relief for the tensed muscles, the depleted organs and the slow moving cirmlation, but because as the animal rolls the firm pressure of the ground ipon his body constitutes a most effective and agreeable massage.

When Lincoln Had Few Friends. In 1864 Lincoln was of all men the least commended by the Republicans in congress. On one occasion an editor visiting Washington asked Senator Thaddeus Stevens to introduce him to some members of congress who were favorable to Lincoln's re-election. Stevens led him to the desk of Mr. Arnold of Illinois. "There," said he, "is the only Lincoln member of congress. that I know!" Stevens himself regarded Lincoln as incompetent and weak. Henry Wilson (afterward vice president) spoke of him as politically a failure. Greeley had a low opinion of his ability. His personal friends, such as Washburn, Raymond and Thurlow Weed, believed his re-election an impossibility. Even Lincoln himself at one time doubted it .- H. T. Peck in Bookman.

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ntered according to Act of Parliament of Canada, in the year 1906, by Frederick Diver, of Toronto, at the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 18 .- It is the bld, familiar story of the wayward son, the "black sheep" of the family, which the preacher takes for his theme in this Bermon, the text chosen being Luke xv., 16, "With the husks that the swine did

What an epitome of pathos is condensed within these eight small words! Never was gaunt and hideous visaged want more dramatically depicted than in this tragic climax of the prodigal son's misery. He was in almost ex-actly the same pitiable condition as the only son of one of New York's mil-tionaires and most honored citizens was a few years ago. His father for years and years had been the compan-ten and the associate of the greatest leaders of thought, both trans and cis-Atlantic. In wealth and honor he re-tired to his palatial metropolitan home to pass his life amid refined associations. Net only was he great himself. but he had three great brothers, all of whom had made noted successes in ether lines of work than his own. Pure was the blood of that geneological family from which they sprung. But amid all his fame and wealth and brilthan family connections there was one startling weakness. The father could not see the faults of his wayward son. His love for his only boy blinded his common sense. In his old age he let his only son control his money. This son not only mortgaged his father's property, but upon his father's name borrowed right and left. Then by profligacy and dissipation and reckless wildcat speculations he squandered his father's all. A few months before the father's death came the financial crash. He awoke as from a horrible dream. He was practically a bankrupt. Then came the death and the funeral. Then this only son sank lower and lower into the quagmire of debauchery; lower and lower until he used to tramp the streets of New York city with the sign of a cheap restaurant strapped to his back. He sank lower and lower

my text chewing the husks which had been thrown to the swine this thought comes to me, "How similar is the condition of some of us in a mental and mpiritual sense who have not yet sur-rendered our hearts to Jesus Christ?" Sin has come into our lives and taken away the sweet hopes which our fa-thers and mothers had in the pardoning leve and protecting care of their Sa-In place of these sustaining hopes sin has come and given to us a lot of husks—dried, unnutritious and unpalatable husks. Then sin has said, shall never be a-hungered again.

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man has only a short time to live at minilation theory, and it is furthermore most and as there is no life beyond the grave, therefore it is the duty of every man to have just as good a time as it is possible to have. Come, friends, let us eat, drink and be merry, for to-mor-rew we die." And everywhere we see

he simply died and that was the end of endwise. This was the way it happen-ed: Death came to you, not as an un-known quantity, but in a terrible form. It came and knocked at your door and said: "Open! I want that mother. I want your sister. I want your wife. I want your child." And as Death walk-ed away with your dear one you called out, "Oh. Death, is my darling child dead forever?" And away off in the distance you could hear your dear one call back: "I am not dead. I am living again. Believe me, I am living again." Is not that statement true? Deep down in your heart do you not feel that the spirits of your loved ones are alive to day though their bedies are

one death can share the grave.

Oh, how quickly the sudden appearance of death can shatter the conclusions we have built up by years of painful theorizing! I had this fact illustrated in a remarkable way some years ago when I was visiting the crematory of Pittsburg, in which city I was living at that time. I was taken into a vaulted room where quite a number of tin cans, each about the size number of the cans, each about the size of a two-quart pail, were standing around on shelves. Each one of these tin cans contained the ashes of a human being. Some had more ashes in them than others. The older a man is the more his cartilages ossify and therefore the more incombustible material there is left in the retort of the crematory. 'Here are the ashes of George W. Ferris of the Ferris wheel of the Chicago world's fair, who died or the Chicago world's fair, who died only a few months ago," said my guide.

"Yes, yes!" I answered. "I knew of him. He had been in my church often." "And here are the ashes of Mr. So-and-so, and these belong to the child fellowmen. I sentenced them even of So-and-so," mentioning names which

are alive to-day though their bodies are

to his back. He sank lower and lower in the social scale until one day he was found digging for food in the refuse barrel before the very palace he which he and his father once lived. Ah, could any condition in life be sadder than that? And yet this son was in no lower condition, socially or morally, than was the young Hebrew of may text, caring for a herd of swine and fighting with these four legged beasts for their meals of dried, unpalatable husks.

But as we see this social outcast of my text chewing the husks which had been thrown to the swine this thought comes to me, "How similar is the considerance of the constant of the husks which had been thrown to the swine this thought comes to me, "How similar is the considerance of the constant of the social social outcast of the constant of the social social outcast of my text chewing the husks which had been thrown to the swine this thought comes to me, "How similar is the considerance of the social social outcast of the constant of the constant of the social social outcast of the constant of the social social outcast of the constant outcast of the con

A step further. When Satan cannot lure us into dissipation by the doctrine of annihilation at the grave the old fiend takes another course. He comes own repentant ones. fiend takes another course. He comes to us and says: "You are going to live. On, yes; you are going to live ages upon ages, millenniums upon millenniums upon millenniums. That, of course, means that there is a God and that this God has provided a place for your eternal existence. But Satan does not stop here. He comes to us and says: "Salvation by Christ's blood is all right for a sinner, but you are not a sinner. What is the good of a man squeezing through the dapping of despalr. Therefore I am going to try to analyze for you some of the substances and ingredients of the false hopes which sin is offering and at the same time by the help of the Holy Spirit to break unto you the shall never be a-hungered again.

Sin would blind our eyes to the salv. boy in the parable of the Prodigal Son. was a sinner." Thus says Satan to us. You will go off into the far country. And many of us have begun to argue tual blessings of the gospel by trying to circumscribe us with the hateful doctrine of human annihilation. It comes that we are drink and make merry. And after you almost moral and spiritual perfection have spent your all and had a superfine its, even as the Pharisse of old thought the company of the haven the company of the haven the company of the time of human annihilation. It comes to us as a scoffer of life beyond the grave. It says to us: "Man is an animal. We grant that he is higher form of animal, but still an animal. He has to eat and sleep and drink. He has to grow and develop and decline. He has to be bern, and he has to die. Therefore as man never existed before he was bern he is not going to exist after he is dead. When he is dead he is except the same as a turkey, which, with head chopped off, is cooked for the Thanksgiving dinner. He is dead, and

that is all there is of him. New, as a immortal souls than does even the an-

We have, in the first place, a ground for argument, and that & God. Yes, we go further than that. We have another common ground for argument's men and women worshipping at the altar of Bacchus and bowing in the temple of licentious Baal and kissing the golden shrine of evil Midas, because they do not think there is to be a hereafter, and therefore they can do with impunity as they will quite a string of logical arguments to prove that "death doth end all." We may have read many works of a Voltaire, a Hume, a Bolingbroke, a Gibons or a Paine. We may have even morter's heart and defy your authoriargued ourselves into believing that we were right and that when a man died he simply died and that was the order of the provided with the simply died and that was the order of the provided with the simply died and that was the order of the provided with the provided I expect you to honor me and do him. But some few years ago we had all our annihilation theories knocked endwise. This was the way it happened: Death came to you, not as an unyou are a true, a just parent, I can tell you what you would say. You would look your boy in the face and answer: "My son, as long as you are true to me and true to your mother and true to your sisters and true to yourself you shall be looked upon as a member of my family. All that I have then is yours. But if you persist in being untrue to us and untrue to yourself you must leave my house and leave me. You have forfeited your rights of sonship, and you cannot be looked upon ship, and you cannot be looked upon as one of my children." Has not God a right to do the same with us? I will put this truth in even a more

startling way. Let us suppose you are a judge upon the bench. Your own son, your own flesh and blood, a moral degenerate, is brought before you for trial. In your own heart you feel that has done wrong and is not repentand is not repentant of his sins and will do wrong again if he gets the chance. What would you do as a wise and just judge? Would you say, "My son, thou art free?" No. You would do just as the late Recorder Smyth of New York did scores and hundreds of times. Speak ing to me one night in New York city, he said: "They say judges have no hearts. Ah, they have hearts! But as just judges, what are they to do I have had several young men and young women come before me for trial and sentence who were sons and daughters of my intimate friends. I would have done anything that was were household words in the western part of Pennsylvania.

Yes, our beautiful theories and the Smyth did, even though the criminals you the unpalatable husk of annihilation at the grave! Let not sin again say, "Come, let us eat, drink and be merry, for to-morrow we die." We know, we intuitively know, that we shall never, never die.

If sin an absurdity? An, my orther, no longer cling to the false belief that God has sent a Saviour to deliver us only from punishment! Christ came to save us from sin. He will save the worst sinner who will renounce his sin, but he will not save

head chopped off, is cooked for the more pernicious than the first. It is the the world all the evil thoughts that have passed through our minds and all the evil deeds we have done or all of our sins of omission. The world may not suspect us of these sins. But some day we shall have to be judged for all the actions and the thoughts of our lives. Then what are we going to do if we have not received pardon through Christ? "For God shall bring every work into judgment with every secret thing, whether it be good or whether

But as a last resort Satan comes to us and says: "Ah, yes, of course, we grant that you have a bad past. But grant that you have a bad past. But don't worry. You are like a child who has had a bad attack of diphtheria, which has left the heart a little weak. The child if he takes care of himself will outgrow his physical infirmity. will outgrow his physical infirmity You will outgrow your spiritual weak-You will outgrow your spiritual weaknesses. You are spiritually getting better every day. Besides, if death does
some crawling around why then you
can repent in toto, and all will be well.
Don't worry. Everything will turn out
all right." Have not you heard Satan
speaking to you in this way? I have,
my brother. Have net you? Now,
what are the facts? You know that
while you are living away from Christ
instead of growing better you are gradually becoming spiritually worse. Your
heart is ossifying toward God's touch.
You know that you are becoming more
and more selfish. You know that instead of looking at sin with horror, as
you once did, you are beginning more
and more to fondle sin's hand as that
of a friend. You furthermore know SOLD BE W. W. TURNER AND C. H. GUNN AND CO. \_\_\_\_\_ of a friend. You furthermore know control of a friend. You further that the first first

IN AFRICAN FOREST Denseness of Vegetation Makes It Dark At Noonday.

An explorer describes a Central Africa forest:—"Ten miles west of the lake begins the only piece of real virgin forest met with. It is throughout a dense virgin forest, and almost impenetrable. It constitutes the contract of the contract a dense virgin forest, and almost impenetrable. It consists of very large trees of many varieties. The upper parts are festooned with a light grey-ish-green moss, hanging in long streamers, and giving to the forest a very fantastic appearance. When these long streamers are agitated by a storm they make the whole forest, seen from one of the hills near, look like a rough sea. Again, when the sun is vertical the whole forest appears dark, but when the sun is low the general effect on the sunny side is curiously light.

"All the trees are bound together with innumerable lianas and creeping plants. Between the stems is a dense tangled mass of lesser vegetation. The forest stands to a great extent in the

forest stands to a great extent in the water and mud of the swamp. A singular feature of it is the abruptness with which it begins and ceases on the plain. The grassy swamp or open country reaches the state of the country reaches to the mighty wall of trees, which continue in the same den-sity from one side to the other. There is no smaller wood or scrub outside, forming a transition from the open plain to the forest.

'Inside, the silence and gloom are "Inside, the silence and gloom are accentuated by the apparent absence of animal or bird life. There are some herds of buffaloes that make it a headquarters, elephants visit it occasionally, monkeys and parrots are sometimes seen, and a harnessed antelope now and then appears at the edge; but the general impression left is one of lifelessness."

DERED.

It is estimated this sum was wasted last year by people trying to find a cure for catarrh. Foolish for sufferers to experiment when it's so well known that "Catarrhozone is the only remedy that cures permanently. Other treatments only relieve, but Catarrhozone cures and

Cost of Russia's Revolution.

sinking lower and lower in the quag-mire of rebellion against Christ. What mire of receiving against Christ. What ought you to do? You ought to do as did the prodigal. You ought to get right upon your feet and start for God and for heaven. You ought to here and now say: "O God, I know that I umst Aside from the moral and politicial questions involved, a matter of much interest connected with the recent pro-letariat strike in Russia has been the problem of the cost of the resultant have thy help right away. Come, Masdisturbances in terms of money, and upon this matter most interesting light has been thrown by the publication in the London Statists of the careful ester; come to my rescue now. Do not delay your coming until next year or next month or next week or even until to-morrow, but come now, now, now. Lord Jesus, save me now." Will he do imate made by Prof. Migoulin, one of the foremost economists of Russia it? Ask your Heavenly Father and hear what he says to thee. Listen. "Let the wicked forsake his way and the unrighteous man his thoughts and who places the direct losses from mob disorder at \$175,000,000. Prof. Migoulin attributes to the disorders at Baku, the great oil producing district of the let him return unto the Lord, and he empire, which was devastated by fire, an actual loss of \$50,000,000; estates here and there through the ravaged country destroyed by the peasantry represented \$25,000,000; factories, will have merey upon him and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon." Could any promise of forgiveness of sin and divine help and rescue be more powerfully put? Oh, why will some of us stay down in the swine troughs of sugar mills, and other manufacturing plants in provincial districts burned by mobs made up a loss of \$20,000,000; the incendiary burning of the port of Odessa involved a loss of \$25,000,000; wholesale pillaging of sixty towns and munching the dried husks of de spair when God has opened wide for us the front of the old homestead of his ove as he calls: "Come, children. Come back to a divine Father's home." villages in the month of October alone led to the destruction of \$30,000,000 of property, while warships, government stores and property, and houses destroyed by cannonade involved another German farmers are trying to induce

the smaller birds to return to their old haunts about the fields and for this purpose are setting out boxes and other \$25,000,000, bringing the total from these items alone to \$175,000,000.

But, it should be noted, these are the direct losses, the first hand destruction brought about by the revolutionary forces. In the wake of this destruction and the uncertification to the state of the state artificial devices to serve the birds for homes. The farmers need the birds to destroy the insects, but the birds are disappearing not only because of their direct slaughter, but also because the old trees in the decayed hollows of which they built their nests, the old and the unsettlement following it there were collateral losses which far overtopped this total. Thus, the loss to the railway administration is put at \$20,000,000 during the first strike in October 1812. which they haunted, and both of copses which they haunted, and both of which were prolific in insects, together with the stagnant pools which yielded them food in abundance, are all discount to at least \$100,000,000 more, while beyond the many directions amount to at least \$100,000,000 more, while beyond the matters, but still arising from these matters, but still arising from the great strike disturbances, are to be set down some \$100,000,000 withdrawn from the country by Russions fleeing from their unhappy land, the enormous bankruptcies, involving some \$50,000,000 Success often means the ease with Wit that wounds is the cruel sur-000, and withdrawals of as much more by foreign bankers with Russian bran A good many poets are neither born nor made. They are perpetrated. ches or Russian correspondents. The grand total from all these sources, including the direct losses hitherto enumerated, run well above \$500,000,000.

Name Survives Use.

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One of the most remarkable in stances of the name of an article surviving its use is the penknife. We talk of it every day, but the purpose for which the penknife was originally designed exists no longer. The pen of western civilization was fabricated, as old people remember, of quills, and quill pens are still affected by old-fashloned persons, who declare that no efficient substitute has yet been found for them. The penknife of our greatgrandfather's day was, indeed, a tri-

let them try as they might. But the penknife, properly so called, is no more, and with its disappearance has vanished the expert who wielded it.—

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If nature had her way every com-

Windmill Gives Notice. In Holland, births, marriages and deaths, instead of being recorded in newspapers, are indicated by wind-mills. When a miller gets married he stops his mill with the arms of the wheel in a clerking.

stops his mill with the arms of the wheel in a slanting position and with the sails unfurled. His friends and guests frequently do likewise with their mills, in token of the ceremony. To indicate a birth the wheel is stopped with the arms in a slanting position, but at a more acute angle than for a marriage, and with the two upper sails unfurled. Should a miller die the sails of his mill are all furled, and the wheel is turned round until the arms form an upright cross, in which position they are left until after the funeral has taken place.

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Atmosphere. There is a wide difference of opinion among the learned men of the world as to what would be the effect of wholly removing the atmosphere. Some think that if it were possible to live after-ward all the stars, planets, etc., would be visible in broad daylight. Others de clare that there would be no day and that the sun itself could not be seen under such conditions.

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DRESDEN JUNIORS

TALKS TO JUNIORS.

This week we have heard from the Dresden Juniors, to whom we extend a hearty welcome. We hope it will not be long before other children will write who wish. Any boy or girl can contribute to these columns. The one rule that must be observed is sign your name, and of course if not living in Chatham the address must be added to enable us to put it under the correct heading.

post card exchanges. If the boys and girls who are making collections will send us their names and addresses we will gladly publish them. If you are collecting, one particular kind, state what it is.

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CENTRAL SCHOOL

fall and is able to return to

Harold Mounteer and Innes Davidson are having a very nice time with their "new" automobile.

Will Radley's hockey team will probably go to Thamesville to play a game when the weather gets cold.

Mr. J. Stevenson, foreman at the Dowsley Works, saw a robin on Park Ave. East last Wednesday.

Miss Florence Stevenson, Pine St., has been confined to home through illness for the past week, and was unable to attend school.

McKEOUGH

A surprise party was given Miss Edna Stanton last Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith gave a birthday party to many of their friends last Friddy night. A very enjoyable time was spent by all.

Miss Georgie Robinson entertained last evening in honor of the Misses Hallman, who are leaving the We had a visitor last week at the Dresden Public school, who was very much interested in the studies the children were taking up.

Now that the signs have been put up requesting the public to keep off the lawn at McKeeough School, it is to be hoped the grass on the winter path will have a chance to grow. The boys and girls gave a surprise party to Miss May Keeley last Wednesday evening. About twenty-five guests were present and all had an enjoyable time, the party breakning up at an early hour Thursday morning. Fred. Burnie saved a little boy's life yesterday on the river.

Our Inspector, Mr. Park, visited us on Friday afternoon. He came in the Second Book for a writing lesson. We were very glad to see him and to show him our work and hope he will come very soon again. On Monday morning, Feb. 19th, Ada Miller, of Dresden Public school, had a sick spell on account of poor ventilation in the school room.

The pupils of Miss Irwin's class are preparing for a debate on Friday, Feb. 23rd. The subject chosen is "Resolved that poverty is better than riches."

The Pickwick Club, of Dresden, held a successful meeting Feb. 14, all the members being present.

Lawyer-You say that you left home on the 10th?
Witness-Yes, sir.
Lawyer-And came back on the 25th?
Witness-Yes, sir.
Lawyer (seerely)-What were you doing in the interim?
Witness-Never was in such a place. DIDN'T KNOW THE SPOT.

It is better to be carried away by nthusiasm than by a patrol wagon, Mistress—Didn't the ladies who lied leave eards?
Bridget—They wanted to, ma'am, it I towled thim ye had plinty er r own, and better ones, too.

She-A married couple Should pull together like a team of horses.

He-Yes, and they probably would lif, like a team of horses, they had but one tongue between them.

LOYAL TO HER MISTRESS.

ulu Pritchard, Selkirk St., very
assantly entertained a number of
little friends Thursday afternoon
a Withhay tea. A most enjoytime was spent by the little tots

**JUNIOR PERSONALS** In our school work we are studying arithmetic. Sometimes when we get through our morning's work our teacher gives us some long divisions for practice. The work that we are studying; is arithmetic geography, writing, literature, reading and drawing. We have spelling for our homework. We get marks for our work. On Friday we have examinations, sometimes in spelling or other studies. I am trying to do the best. I think I will close now.

We have one black board with maple leaves all over on it and the one that is first on the honor roll gets their name on where the leaves are. We have a clock and a good stove. We are keeping our eyes open to see who can see the first birds as they come back. We have seen the black bird, blue jay, sap sucker, canary, robin, and we also have a lot of cocoons. There was a girl brought a nice big one in the other day. She found it on the bricks beside the house.

On Friday, February 16th, Miss Irwin, of Dresden Public school staff, gave her class an examination in arithmetic, on which Alice Wicks had the honor of getting eighty-five marks.

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You couldn't select anything nicer than this bracelet, said the salesman. Well, I guess I'll take it, then, said Mrs. Nuritch. Are you sure that it's made of refined gold?

Oh, yes.

Because I really do detest anything that ain't refined. SOCIETY "BUD."

If you have lost your boyhood spirits, courage and confidence of youth, we offer you new life, fresh courage and freedom from ill health in Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.

\*\*\*\*\*\* CHATHAM, ONT., SATURDAY FEBRUARY 24, 1906

I thought I would write you a few lines to tell you about the ice. We have good skating here. There are a lot of people skating. The ice is nine inches thick. We have holts of fun after four sliding down hill with our sleighs. Sometimes you fall off. Irwin, or had her her day. I reading he With letters nine I take my way, the Eut seldom found am I by day. No welcome e'er my presence greets, and none with gladness e'er me

I suppose you know that on the fourteenth of February was Saint Valentine's birthday. The pupils of the Second Book had two boxes of valentines. We did not send nasty ones to our friends as we studied about Valentine that week. We think it is much nicer in every way to show our love by just sending a pretty eard to our friends. Some of the pupils made very pretty ones, and after these were given out we had a Valentine convert. My whole is composed of fourteen letters, and is the saying of one great American, recently emphasized by another one.

Said the man from the tropics, "I always 1912814 my native 101713 11 in summer, because there seems no 452 in having 3614621235710 my strength."

My first across the country fares:
My second stands at the head;
My third the luggage often bears;
My whole through deserts is led,

O'er all we have or do the touch Of second reaches, least or much; We cannot 'scape it though we try. A changeless law for low and high On bankers' lips, a little word, My third is daily, hourly heard; In conversation's common round That little word will seldom sound. The world around, men seek my first, Nor perils fear, nor danger's worst; For it no price is e'er too great, No hour too early, none too late. II,

Wherever men shall long time dwell My whole its messages will tell Of joy and sorrow, weal or wo, 'Neath summer's sun, through winter's snow.

I am a furious power unless I am free,
And all may well be afraid of me.
Yet a child may hold me a while
on his hand,
Put I pass away if I am but fanned.
4. Dissected Word.

A pair of h's and one u;
An r, one b, and a crooked s, too;
A pair of t's, and a pair of o's,
And make what every neat person
knows
Should be used with care three times
a day, some forget when they're
out at play. used with care three times

HEROES.

To win his country's fame
For some great, unreckoned dead,
Rests 'neath an honored name—
But he to whom the hand of Fate
A bitter portion gives,
Who, daily battling fear and pain,
With smiling courage lives.
—Charlotte Becker.

NUTS TO CRACK

meets,
my 12345 you see
my 12345 you see
me hours of dark uncertainty;
6789 man's helpful friend,
fose useful days only life shall
end.

The brain of the fool who believes it inspires:
A barrel of poverty, ruin and blight;
A barrel of terrors that grow with the night;
A barrel of hunger, a barrel of groans;
A barrel of orphans' most pitiful moans;
A barrel of serpents that hiss as they pass
Trom the head of the liquor that glows in the glass.

I think the Spring is coming:
The snow's no longer orisp,
And when the wind blows from the
south
Is heard in every lisp
The happy, happy things—
And see, up in the sky,
The leaden clouds are breaking up,
Old Winter says good-bye.
I think that Spring is coming:
Last night I saw a star,
And though 'twas shining softly
mute
I read its face afar;
Fair Spring is hieing, hieing
With laughing gleams and showers

Amid the gleaming woods and fields

To write her name in flowers.

I think the Spring is coming—
I feel it in my heart
That seems to throb with fresher
beat.
And pulse with many a start.
If lifeless trees and bushes
Awake with breathings fine,
Should not the soul of man be thrill-

And pulse with many a start.

If lifeless trees and bushes
Awake with breathings fine,
Should not the soul of man be thrilled
By prescience divine?

FOR JUNIORS

A BARREL OF CONTAINS.

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The late Marshall Field, who was one of the world's greatest merchants, laid down and adhered to certain simple rules for the conduct of his business. Some of the rules were, never to borrow, never to speculate, to buy and sell for eash, to fry to sell more quickly than others, to aim to give better quality for the same price than others, and the same quality at lower price, and to hold customers to a strict meeting of their bills. Good rules, all of them.

GOOD NEWS.

Tuesday evening, April 10th by Luella Morgan Wright (Pupil of Stahlmann).

Holland Hall. Sociock.

Admission \$1.00, 50c., 25c.

"Pupil of Stahlmann." That wag where her eyes lingsved.

"Mother wouldn't think that was right, I suppose," she thought, unwillingly. "But what was I to do!

The man at the booking office said it was no use to try a concert unless you had the name of some big man like that back of you. He said it was just legitimate advertising. Anyway, I shall be a pupil of Stahlmann just as soon as I can get a little success and money. He said it was just legitimate advertising. Anyway, I shall be a pupil of Stahlmann is in America. His tremendous success in New York is sure to keep him, there. The use of his name now when every one is talking about him, means such a lot to me. Mother doesn't know—they don't any of them know, they live such little, narrow lives. You have to fight so even for a foothold when you get out into the world. It's business—the many said so. He said all business men did these things. People have to push themselves alorg. Mother doesn't understand, that's all."

She fastened her music-roll with a snap and rose to her feet, for the train was pulling into the eitr. Her face was flushed but determined.

The city sights and sounds distrate, ed her thoughts and, as always, excited and stimulated her. This was the life she understood and loved, soon she would be a part of it.

By the time she had reached the

organi, unany to countre the silence:

"It was my concert, sir. So much depends on it. They told me it was to use some big name like yours."

I thought if I once got people to come, I—I might be able to please them. Oh, you don't know what it means to me to succeed just now. I've worked so hard and there have been so many difficulties! I worked with people who didn't understand, If I should succeed with things concert I could do so many things concert I could do so many things for mother—and the children. You see we're so poor—" Her voice, although grave, was kind. "You are very fond of music?"

Out of the depths of the girl's humiliation a sudden light illumined her face. "I love it!" she cried. "Will you play something for me?"

"Yes, if you are willing."

Uncertain, hestating, almost over—powered with nestating, almost over—seat upon the stool. She realized for the first time the measure of her

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E WHISKEY

A barrel of headaches, of heartaches, of woes;
barrel of curses, a barrel of blows;
barrel of tears from a worldweary wife;
barrel of sorrow, a barrel of
strife;
barrel of all unavailing regret;
barrel of cares and a barrel of
debt;

well, admit her,"
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you seen it?"
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And keep me dumh, with pretty,
Dolly,
That I must fall upon my knees,
Or do some other act of folly. and off the thought would come to

But when I called on her to-day,
While talking of indifferent matters
I caught a glance that I may say,
Tore all my doubts and fears to
tatters.

Her dimpling smile, just touched with fun,
My few words whispered in a hurry—
And, prestol lo, the deed was done,
With no unpleasant fuss or flurry.

Tis done, and none the worse am I—
Who would have thought the
thing so simple?
Oh. Fate, whatever you deny.
I thank you for that tell-tale dimple! -Brooklyn Life.

ACCOMMODATING.

A PUPIL OF STAHLMAM :

"Good luck, Luella! Show them what you can do! We'll be there too night, George and I. Look for us in the front row. Bring us the papers when you come back, and tell us all they say about you."

The girl to whom all this was addressed leaned back comfortably in her seat as the train began to move. She was a large girl of about eighteen. Her eyes were dark. Her hair, dark also, was much curled and hung loosely about her face. She way dressed in shades of red which did not match, and her ungloved hands held a roll of music.

Perhaps her hands were the only tracted as second glance. They were long and pointed, with slender fingers, the hands of the artist. Her expression as she looked at the flying landscape was confident and self-satisfied. The ponfusion of voices and farewells rang pleasantly in her landscape was confident and self-satisfied. The confusion of voices and farewells rang pleasantly in her landscape was confident and self-satisfied. The confusion of voices and farewells rang pleasantly in her rears, and she smiled.

They had all come to see her off, friends and neighbors, boys and girls from the high school, the members of the little orchestra with which she played. Eren the editor of Town Briefs was there: he would have a sittle or the strenge of the little orchestra with which she played. Eren the editor of Town Briefs was there the wright, who was personal in the evening edition about "our distinguished townswoman, Miss Luella Morgan Wright, who perfends, her family, most of all herself, considered her a musical genius."

They believed in her, these people. They had always believed in her, these people. They believed who they fruition.

"Out of the confusion of voices still ringing in her ears, one recurred to her with strange distinctness. It was her mother's voice.

"Do your very best to-night, Luella, and make mother proud of you, but faced woman standing, on the station platform. The girl's face software limits and the statistic with the statistic with the statistic with the statistic with th

story. They all say that." retary hesitated, "She deep trouble of some y to disturb you," he said, lly, "but there is a young lly, "but there is a young who insists on seeing you, w how to turn her away." d her that I never see said Mr. Stahlmann. the says she has somell you that concerns you

AN UNROMANTIC LOVE.

Much of the worry which every mother of young children undergoes, would be spared if the mother kept Baby's Own Tablets on hand, and gave an occasional dose when the child was fretful, cross or feverish. Nearly all the ailments of childhood can be traced to the stomach, bowels or teething. For these troubles no medicine can equal Baby's Own Tablets, and the mother has the guarantee of a government analyst that this medicine is absolutely safe, Mrs. Kenneth McInnis, Lakefield, Ont., says: — "Baby's Own Tablets are a perfect medicine in every way. There will be no siekly children in the homes where they are used." Sold by all medicine dealers or by The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont. am a plain, blunt man. To be When making love, absurdly antic, s quite impossible for me.
Who am so very unromantic.

A sportsman out after partridges stopped for a drink from a woodland spring, and then decided to have a rest. In "Huuting Without a Gun" the author gives the stoey:

The soothing sound of the trickling water was luling me to drowsiness, when suddenly I heard the sound of quick lapping of water.

Springing into a sitting posture, sharp clatter of a pebble and the sound of quick lapping of water.

Springing into a sitting posture, I saw an entormous panther not more than fifty feet from me. My movement had evidently first disclosed me to him, and for a moment he regarded one with a surprise as great as my own. Then his mouth opened ory, and he crouched down, still regarding me intently.

I caught up my gun without taking my eyes from him, and cooked both barrels. They were loaded with number six shot-insignificant missiles against so formidable a beast-but they might blind him. I thought, if I could shoot straight and quick enough when he sprang.

So we remained for what seemed an interminable time. I was terribly afraid, and wondered if the punither would hold me at bay untill night-fall put me at his mercy. A partridge came hurtling by me from beyong the position of my unpleasant "vis-a-vis." Then came another in startling flight. A hare seurried by, and a panting woodchuck shuffled past me. I was wondering the cause of this alarm of the my face with the freshening into my face with the freshening hereze. The woods were on fire.

Almost at the some moment the panther realized the common danger. He rose to his feet, looked behind him, then, with a sidelong look at me, began to move slowly away, but had hardly disappeared from sight when I heard him retreating in the midst of deared fields.

WOM.

She-Well, I can now prove logically and mathematically that women are worth more than men.

He-I'd like to see you do it, my dear? le—So they say.

he—And doesn't it take a whole

of men to make a league? good as

Many men gave lavishly of gold, 'To build bridges and eastles and tower ers of old.

If you want everlasting fame, a beangive the poor and needy Recky Mountain Tea.

THE PLANET JUNIOR, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24,

1906.

hotel where, by the advice of the booking agent, she was to spend the night, she had forgotten doubt and hesitation. She entered the great lobby with assured step, meeting unabashed the stares of the office loungers. Her heart quickened its beat to keep pace with the music of the orchestra wafted from the dining-room. She belonged here; this She belongen acceptance of the desk, and used over to the desk, and pushed the register toward he dipped the pen into the restravelled over the army on the opposite wall. Yes, vas. "Fiano Recital by Luvas." Fiano Recital by Luvas."

choose instead a little nocturne by Chopin.

At first her fingers shook so that the notes were weak and uncertain, but gradually, as she played, her nerves grew calm. This quiet room, raised so far above the noise of the city outside, seemed full of a peace and refinement such as her life had never known. The deeply lined face above her spoke of things she could only picture with awe and reverence. Something within her responded deeply to this new atmosphere.

The the nocturne, with its wistful minor notes, seemed for be uttering all that her tongue would have spoken if it could. She knew that she was playing as she had never played before. There was silence in the room when she finished. She sat still upon the stool, quivering, not daring to raise her eyes to his. Suddenly her self-control gave way, and she burst into tears. In the midst of her sobs she felt a head laid on her shoulder. Mr. Stahlmann was speaking to her, and she checked her tears in amazement, for what he was saying seemed the most wonderful words simple courtesy touched her to the heart. "Don't worry about the posters. You are a pupl of Stahlmann. You have given me," he said, and his simple courtesy touched her to the heart. "Don't worry about the posters. You are a pupl of Stahlmann. You have just taken your first lesson." Then the pressure upon her shoulder grew heavier. "As for the heart. "Don't worry about the posters. You are a pupl of Stahlmann. You have just taken your first lesson." Then the pressure upon her shoulder grew heavier so great an art should try to keep ourselves pure from unworthy acts."

The girl caught his hand and pressed it to his lips, quite unable to speak.

Mr. Stahlmann led her, still speechess, to the door.

"After your concert is over," he said, "come to me in a few days for your next lesson."—Youth's Compan, on.

A mist swam before her eyes. Was she seeing correctly? She looked helplessly at the clerk.

"What is if ?" he asked, thinking that she had spoken.

"This gentleman—when did he come?"

"Half an hour ago. Came in ou the Overland."

"Half an bour ago! Then he must already have seen those posters. The letters stared at her as if printed in fire on the opposite wall. And if he had seen them what must he think of the girl who had done this

hlmann sat at the piano m on the third floor of As always when he was he was finding his rest He was worn with weeks playing and the long verland. The hills and outhern California seemed all that he needed. Even vening song of the mock-dilled him with delight. Opened and his secretary nd him.

WORRIED MOTHERS

The up-to-date woman avoids causties, drugs, and powders. They are extremely harmful to the skin, while Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tex makes it soft and beautiful. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.

Never put off till to-morrow. I ran over to borrow some flour id lemons and sugar and milk.

Certainly: shall I lend you somene to eat the pie when it is made?

n incompetence. Just for a mo-nat the thought trembled in her nd of a brilliant fantasy with hich she meant to open her concert, it the strange new doubt of her-f that was upon her led her to ose instead a little nocturne by opin.

WATER WHICH CURES

LOVESICK PEOPLE

There is a huge natural magnet in upper Burmah, India, covered with great blocks of iron ore, which travelers notice has a tremendous attraction which renders compasses and watches useless. In Spain there is a spring of water said to cure lovesick people. Another queer spring is situated in Mexico, the waters of which cure alcoholic dravings, so the legend, tuns, Hinter Mountain, near Forti Davis, Texas, produces an effect which would countrate the good work done by the Mexican spring with none of the original of the good work done by the Mexican spring with none of the original and they suddenly become conscious of a sort of anesthetic which takes possession of them and makes them and as if intoxicated. If a traveler reaches the top he staggers like an old toper, and many have been known to fall in a stupor on the rooks. This mountain has a following which returns season after season to enjoy this harmless dissipation.

FACE TO FACE WITH A PANTHER