TO GIVE ALL

by the Secretaries of

the Big Summer

Old Boys and Girls, Who are Never Old, Being Urged to Turn Wan-dering Steps Homeward

W. Aitken, assistant secretary of

the Old Boys Re-union, stopped long enough from his arduous labors this

a. m. to remark that the Old Boys

names and are busy sending circular letters to all the wanderers bidding

Mrs. Anna Hartley, of Tilbury Ont., who will get about \$9,000, left by Anna Maley, an aunt she has not seen in about fifty years, is in Buffalo for the settlement of the

TO KENT WOMAN

RECLUSE'S COIN

Re-union would be a howling success

## It's Easy! As Plain as ABC

Why we can Sell Cheaper than Anyone Else in Chatham. New You Know that a Million and a Half Dollars worth of goods can be bought cheaper than a thousand or two-the Canadian Dry Goods purchasing Syndicate buys to the extent of a Million and a Half Dollars each season-and we, as members of that Syndicate, reap the advantages gained by such tremendous purchases. Of course it gives us a great advantages over competitors, but that's our business, and it's your business to buy your goods (from us) when you get the best yalue for your money.

INDAID LINOLEUMS AT 900 SQ. TAPESTRY RUGS

YARD—

YOU always have paid \$1.10 and that wall fit your room, in designs and colorings, copied from the most and are busy sending circular names names and are busy sending circular names names and are busy sending circular names tremendous purchases. Of course it gives us a great advan-

YARD— You always have paid \$1.10 and 25 Here's a chance to save, bet-now, while the assortment

SCOTCH LINOLEUM AT 50c A SQ.

The trade discount given to mem-bers of the syndicate on these is 20 per cent. That's a trade secret, but still you might just as well know that we can save you that much. The same applies to 65 and 75c qualities. CANADIAN FLOOR OILCLOTHS-

These are sold at the same price all over Canada, 25c, 35c and 40c, but we'll give you the very best quality

styles. Call and see them.

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and colorings, copied from the most expensive carpets, they're pretty, serviceable and at small prices, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$9.00, \$10.00 and \$12.00. LACE CURTAINS

Just bear in mind that we bought one thousand pairs, more than usual and must sell some of them to YOU but that is easy when you see the curtains, and if you don't come and see them you'll be money out of poc-

200 pairs at \$1.00 per yard. 150 pairs at \$2.50 per yard.

Just received a shipment of Corsets, in all the latest

WELDON'S

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New Babies Should Have a Nice

Go-Cart or Carriage

westman Bros.

Have a lot of Beauties.

The Latest American Style,

Come and see our stock.

Westman Bros.

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A. SHELDRICK, Tailor and Woolen Mer-chant, King Street, near Garner House....

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100 pairs at \$4.00 per yard.

and many others at different prices

## Miss Maley, who was about 75 years of age, long lived as a recluse in a Washington St. house. E. B. McIntyre, the administrator of the estate, was instructed to take \$500 Thos. Stone & Son Members Canadian Dry Goods Purchasing Syndicate, we save you Dollars.

them to come home for the Re-union. We have now approached the schools and have asked the teachers to request the oublis to bring in the names of all the old Chathamites resident in other parts that they can. We will sevise the list so obtained by comparison with the one we now have. This scheme was worked very successfully in London!

e Old Boys Re-union is hurrying along to a successful issue and everybody is expecting a good time. The following letter has been sent to all the old boys whose addresses have been ootained:

Dear Sir,—The sons and daughter of Chebra was sent to see the successful and the sent to see the second of the sent to see the sent to sent to see the sent to see the sent to see the sent to see the sent to sen

of Chatham are scattered over all parts of the Globe. They were good people when they lived in Chatham and are the best people now in the city or town where they live. Chatham, as you may or may not know, has gone ahead at a fively gait the last four or five years and like the good paterfamilias, when things are going right and everything is neat prosperous at home, we want the boys and old girls back for a few days' re-union to see old friends and acquaintances of their boyhood days.

and prosperous at home, we want the old boys and old girls back for a few days' re-union to see old friends and acquaintances of their boyhood days. It will do us both good.

For several years the citizens of Chatham have desired to hold an Old Boys' Re-union, but on each occasion when the scheme has been put before the public some unforseen circumstance has blocked the movement. However, this spring the time is ripe. From the 30th of May to June 4th Chatham will be at home to her children and will fiold a Grand Street Carnival and Old Boys' Re-union. There will be ample accommodation for all and a continuous entertainment for one whole week. Single fare from all points is being negotiated for. Literature and programs will be mailed to you shortly, but in the meantime make it a point to see all the Chatham Old Boys and Girls in your town; take it up and organize. Start at once to arrange your summer vacation for the week abovementioned. There will be doings in the old town of which has never occurred before.

Advise the Secretary if you will be able to come and also send him the names and addresses of any old Chatham boys or girls in your town.

Yours truly.

W. W. SCANE, Secretary.

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Yours truly.

W. W. SCANE, Secretary.

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### **MORNING WEDDING**

wich, was married this morning at ine o'clock to Miss Annie Creamer, Raieigh Township. The Rev. Father James officiated at high mass at the

### SCHEDULE FOR SUMMER SCHOOL A GOOD TIME

Splendid Work Being Done Government Appointments to the Staff Said to Include Local Teach-

> Fifteen Days will Comprise the Course -Definite Date Not Yet Set But Likely in July.

It is understood that all arrange ments for the summer school, to be held in the Maple City during the coming vacation, have been completed by the Education Department, and that on friday last the Hon. Mr. Harcourt, Minister of Education, officially approved the appointments for the teaching staff, whereon Chat-ham educationists will be well repre-

sented.

Among the local appointments are said to be the following:

Principal and Lecturer on Nature Study—J. W. Plewes, principal of

the Central School.

Lecturer in Drawing—Miss Esther Abram, principal of McKeough School.

Demonstrator in Drawing — Miss Georgia A. Morrison, of McKeough School staff.

Demonstrator of color work-Miss Ella Arnold, of the Central School

It is also understood that the three It is also understood that the three local kindergarten directors, Misses Green, Aylesworth and McTaggart, will be offered appointments to assist in the manual training work.

The summer school will be held in this city for fifteen days, probably in the month of July, although the date has not yet been definitely decided noon.

upon.

The securing of this summer school is a distinct advantage to Chatham in an educational way. Considerable credit in this connection is doubtless due our enterprising Board of Public School Trustees and Dr. Geo. T. Mc-Keough, their zealous and energetic representative to the recent Educa-tional Association gathering in Tor-

## BAD WRECK **NEAR 'BURG**

Break in a Special Pere Marquette Freight Causes Collision and Blocks Road.

Early Passenger Trains Transferred Travellers and Baggage-Now Clearing the Track.

on the Pere Marquette about la mile and a half south of Wallaceburg early this morning.

ous Students Hits Celebrated Prima Donna.

New Haven, Conn., April 26.-Mme. Calve recently bore the brunt of a hose attack intended for a band of college students, and with her garments trailing like Ophelia's in "Hamlet" she went to her dressing room. She ap-

Raicigh Township. The Rev. Father James officiated at high mass at the marriage service, which was solemnized at St. Joseph's church.

Miss Lizzie Hogan was bridesmaid and C. A. Doyle assisted the groom. The bride looked pharming in a cream wedding dress trimmed with lace and ribbons. She wore a large picture hat. The bridesmaid was attired in a dress of dinen muslin over gale blue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Doyle will reside on the 5th concession, Harwich Township.

The more trouble some people have the more they want to berrow.

### Texas, Arkansas and Indian Territory Suffer From Storm's Force.

OF A TORNADO

TERRIBLE HAVOC

A Number of People are Injured, and Many Houses Blown to Pieces.

Prior Creek, I. T., April 25 .- Six persons were killed by a itornado which swept through the country night. Reports have been received that a number of others were injured but names of only two are

Dend-John Abbott, wife and two children; Albert Dealy, aged six years; Lucy Betting, aged eight

The storm started near Chouteau. eight miles from here, and swerved to the northeast, cutting a path from one-half to a mile wide, and about twenty miles long. The Abbott home was demolished, and the four mem-

## HAS HAMILTON

GOT THE CALL ?

The proposition submitted by the Petrie Cream Separator Company to Hamilton as to the removal of the business to that city has been approved of by the Finance Com-mittee, and will come up for rati-fication at the Hamilton Council to-night. It is more than likely that the arrangement suggested will meet with the sanction of the Council. Mr. Petrie does not intend if the matter goes through to reside in Hamilton, but will continue to live in Guelph.

bers of the family instantly killed. The storm then struck the Dealy home, blowing it to pieces, killing the young son and probably fatally injuring the father, Albert Dealy.

At Grand River, eight miles farther on, the Betting home was demolished, the torpedo killing Louise fetting and breaking both the legs of her father, Leopold Betting, a farmer. The ternado then passed into the flint hills, east of the river, and tore a zero through the woods as clean a Strip through the woods as clean cut as though made by wood chop-pers. The tornado was followed by a torrental rain.

WORST EVER KNOWN.

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Fort Worth, Texas, April 25.—A special to the Record from Mount Vernon, Texas, says: The worst tornado ever known in this section struck Mount Vernon from the southwest yesterday. Eleven houses were blown down. The residence of J. H. Majors, vice-president of the First National Bank, was completely demokished. Mr. and Mrs. Majors were injured and Mrs. C. P. Harp and son and daughter were injured. The home of W. W. Arnold was shattered and strewn for hundreds of yards, and Mrs. Arnold and a young judy visiting them were painfully injured.

SEVERAL HOUSES DEMOLISHED. Houston, Texas, April 25.-A tor-nado passed within three miles of Mexia, Texas, to-day, demolishing several houses. Miss Shanks was probably fatally injured, and all of the members of the Shanks family were hurt. W. E. Bonner and his daughter were blown from a carriage and seriously hurt.

TWO CHILDREN KILLED.

Pine Bluff, Ark., April 25.—A tor-nado to-day passed over Jefferson county killing two negro children, and doing heavy property damage. At Sher: Il many buildings were blown

### INAUGURAL MEETING

The Park Street Methodist League held their regular meeting last even ing, when the reports of the different committees and officers of last year were given, and showed that the

were given, and showed that the League has had a very prosperous year's work. The committees have fully accomplished the work which was set forth for them to do and the outlook for the coming year is very bright indeed.

The new officers were then introduced and they assumed charge of their different departments. Miss Snell and Miss Borling sang a duett and Miss Brown gave an instrumental solo. The Executive Committee met after the League meeting and drafted the different committees for the year and so the League is now ready for the coming year's work.

### MEET TO-NIGHT

The Maple City Philharmonic Asociation will meet this evening in Harrison Hall to receive the report



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Prices from \$9.50 to \$20.00 Each..



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The glint of Patent Leather below the trousers of a man, or peeping out from under a woman's skirts s essential to proper dress. The ordinary patent leather is

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We guarantee our Patent Leather Shoes for ordinary wear, but, of course, not against abuse. You'll have no trouble if you

ony our kind of Patent Leather The smartest styles are always

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TUESDAY, APRIL 26.

### END OF A COSTLY SESSION

The session of the Ontario Legisla ture commenced under auspices which while characteristic of the Ross Government, would be regarded as dis creditable by any other Ministry. It is ending, after a series of crises, with the minority Administration in worse shape than ever. There was but one House, namely, the necessity of avert-ing the election trials and of providing a temporary escape from antici pated exposures of crime in these proedings. A controller in Toronto has had the decency to resign because ofnces were committed, without his knowledge, at the election in which he was returned. The Ross Govern ment has no such delicacy of feeling It promoted the wrong-doing, and called the Legislature to meet that the fraudulently elected members might sit and vote, and that the more direct offenders might be shielded from the law.

There need be no wender that machine-elected House - for through the machine the wrong is done should be as bad as the instrument which created it. As water cannot flow up-hill, so a legislative majority cannot be superior to its master. Al through the session now closing the influence of this political engine has been felt. As a result of useful legislation, outside of the amended assessment law, which Mr. Whitney and sessment law, which Mr. Whitney and his colleagues carefully supervised in the public interests, there has been none worth a special mention. The efforts of the improperly acquired majority have indeed been directed towards the obstruction of measures making for the improvement of the condition of the people and the protection of public rights. One of the crises, with its all-night session and its special train to bring in an absentee member, was produced by the determination to thwart a movement affording the public a slight return, in the way of reduced railway charges, for the great subsidies that are voted. While appeals for legislation of a reforming character have fallen upon unwilling ears, an unusually strong demand for action-3 demand promoted by Mr. Ross himself-has been resisted. When the House opened the Lieutenant-Governor was asked by his Ministry to announce that a measure dealing with the liquor question would be introduced No such bill has been brought down It is clear now that the chief adviser of the Government trifled with his Honor and placed in the speech from the throne a promise, the fulfilment of which was not intended. The deceit of which the Lieutenant-Governor was made the medium is, however, very far-reaching. For years a body of thought has been invited by Mr. G. W. Ross, who has posed as its leader, to expect legislation. It has been tricked from tome to time with plebiscites, referenda and constitutional technicalities. When the announcement was made in the speech from the throne that something wa coming it supposed that legislation was really at hand. But it turns out that the declaration was a new imposture, and, as a consequence, the Government has lost a measure of strength upon which it formerly relied. Deprived of this support

quarter. This explains the enormous grants and guarantees and the ten per cent. "rake-off" that has so aston shed and scandalized the province. There can be no doubt that under ordinary circumstances the Government would not have agreed to lend \$2,000,000 of public money to the American millionaires who are reorganizing the Sault industries. It would indeed have declared that the excellence of the butlook required these milown money on their own credit. But with two powerful members of the House financially interested in the affair as unpaid contractors, with constituency about to be wacated cause of the criminal acts by which the member was elected, and with the better elements of the party falling away, the proposition bore a different coloring, and \$2,000,000 was not regarded as too large a sum ito pay for the political results that are

hastened to make friends in another

The calling of the session to post-one election trails and to install as members men who had not been honstly returned, certainly added to the opular dislike entertained for the sons Government. During the sea-den nothing has been done to remove sion nothing has been done to remove the bad impressions thus rubbed un. Far from rehabilitating itself the When you think you have cured a cough or cold, but find a dry, hacking cough remains, there is danger. Take

### Shiloh's Consumption Cure The Lung

at once. It will strengthen the lungs and stop the cough.

Prices; S. C. WELLS & Co. 305 25c. 50c. \$1. LeRoy, N.Y., Toronto, Can.

Government has made its position worse by its capitulation to all sorts of agencies, by the new obligations it has incurred, and by the unhappy revelations, first, with regard to the Sault wages, and, secondly, with 'reference to the ten per cent. "rakeoff" on contracts. If the Ministry was distrusted before the House met it is viewed now as a public menace We have passed from the evil practices in the constituencies to a con dition even more shocking in (the Legislature itself. During the session Mr. Whitney and his colleague have conducted a splendid fight for ound principles and for reform. The leader of the Opposition has endeared himself more than ever to his followers, and has won the admiration of the whole province.-Mail and

Terrible Experience of Mrs. M. Sears of Lochaber, N. S.—Dodd's Dyspep-sia Tablets To The Resoue.

Mrs. M. Sears, of Lochaber, N. S.

Mrs. M. Sears, of Loohaber, N. S., relates an experience that should make all sufferers from Indigestion stop and think. It shows what the future may have in store for those who neglect the first slight aches and discomforts that tell of a disordered stomach,

"I was a great sufferer from Dyspepsia," says Mrs. Sears. "I had terrible pains in the pit of my stomach and fost about fifty pounds in weight. You can imagine my case as very acute. I was almost starved. I tried various medicines and on several occasions tried to get relief through the use of a stomach pump. I went to Newfoundland on a trip for my health.

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"But it was no use. I could not get relief and had almost given up hope of ever being cured when an advertisement led me to try Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. I got one box and must say I never had such relief in my life. I continued using them and gradually regained my lost weight and strength."

You can quickly cure your Indgestion and escape the terrors of Dyspepsia by using Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. They mean comfort now and security for the future.

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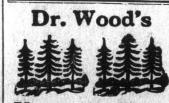
MUTED PRIDE. Toronto Telegram. ( A poor thing but our own is this once glorious Canadian climate.

A MOTTO TO FRAME. Hamilton Spectator. .

The "lesson" of the Toronto fire is the motto of the (Hamilton ffire department: "Get there quick, and kill it on the spot."

SO WAS MAGUIRE London Advertiser. Everyone knew that "Texas" was

bad character, and to crown his infamy the Free Press now discovers that he's a Grit.



## Ministers and their majority have Norway Pine Syrup

Gures Goughs, Colds, Brenchitis, Nearseness, Group, Asthma, Pain or Tightness in the Ghest, Etc.

Chest, Etc.

It stops that tickling in the throat, is pleasant to take and soothing and healing to the lungs. Mr. E. Bishop Brand, the well-known Galt gardener, writes:—I had a very severe attack of sore throat and tightness in the chest. Some times when I wanted to cough and could not I would almost choke to death. My wife got me a bottle of DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP, and to my surprise I found speedy relief. I would not be without it if it cost \$1.00 a bottle, and I can recommend it to everyons bothered with a cough or cold.

Price 25 Cents.

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Have you any work in the line of

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## MUSICAL..

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Chatham music lovers were given a treat last evening in the Foster Concert which was given at the Grand. The entertainment was one of the best that has been here this year, and, considering the lateness of the season, it was well patronized. The season, it was well patronized. The season, it was well patronized. The suddence was not a large one but it was a cultured and appreciative one and they took many an occasion to show their approval of the efforts of the different artists, who appeared on the program.

The only disappointing feature of the whole evening was the illness of Mass Foster, the celebrated English contraits, who was the star of the evening. For the last few days Miss Foster has been suffering from a severe cold and she found it impossible to attempt some of her more difficult songs. Indeed, it was with difficulty that she sang at all and singing under such conditions made her at once admired by her audience. She appeared first in two English songs, "Three Fishers" and "An Indian Ludlaby." The lastnumber was her best selection. Her second number was "The River Flows to the Sea," and on her last appearance she sang a group of three songs "If Heaven I Win," "Because My Love is a Rose" and "Happy Song." It was indeed onfortunate that Miss Foster could not attempt some of her heavier numbers as it was plainly evident from her singing that she is a contraitto of wonderful ability and training. She has a volte full of both sweetness and power and her department in the stage is that of a finished artiste. Cyr.! Dwight-Edwards, the baritone, is a very bridliant singer and won the good feeling of his audience upon his initial entrance. He has an excellent stage appearance and this added to his magnificent voice, makes him an imposing soloist. He is not a

his initial entrance. He has an excellent stage appearance and this added to his magnificent voice, makes him an imposing soloist. He is not a stranger here having sung in the auditorium once this season. Mr. Edwards is an English singer and has received his training in Paris and England. He sings remarkably well and was at his best last evening in "O Du Mein holder Abendstern," from Tamhauser, by Wagner. His other songs were "The Spring has Come," "Minon," "The Roundhead," "Mother O' Mine," "Stand to Your Horses," and "King Charles." This last numnumber was also one of his best and he sang with a free and vim that that could not but enthuse his audience.

ence. Emiliano Renaud, the talented French phanist, was by no means a secondary consideration in the artistic accomplishments of the evening. accomplishments of the evening Mons. Renaud is one of the most gift-ed planists who have visited Chat-Mons. Renaud is one of the most gifted pinnists who have visited Chatham for some time. He played an exceedingly heavy program last evening and he played well. He appeared four times on the program and each time he appeared he was greeted with hearty and well deserved applause. He was repeatedly called back and obliged to respond to encores. It would be impossible to describe his playing for it was far beyond the understanding of the average musician. He played his whole program with the ability and skill of a true artist. His last selection, a Fantasie artist. His last selection, a Fantasie on Themes from "A Midsummer Night's Dream" by Mendelssohn-List was a work of art and he played it in a manner and with a skill that is seldom seen in Chatham concerts. Remaud is a native of Montreal and has played in all of the larger cities of America and everywhere he goes he is greeted with favorable criticisms and is pronounced a general favorite.

Miss Kate Eadie was the accompaniste of the evening and performed her part of the entertainment fault-

The many people who enjoyed the program last evening, are indebted to W. W. Scane for this excellent entertainment. Chatham should have more of these high classed artistic more of these high classed artistic evenings and for securing this one Mr. Scane deserves unbounded credit and praise. The same company ap-pears in London this evening.

## DISTRICT DOINGS. TILBURY

April 26.—Mrs. James Stewart left last night to visit relatives in Leamington.
W. A. Hutton was in Chatham and

W. A. Hutton was in Chatham and Dresden yesterday. Inspector Park, of Chatham, is vis-iting the public school here to-day. Mrs. H. Johnston and daughter Myrtle visited friends in Chatham on Saturday.
'Miss N. Hagan spent yesterday in

Detroit.

Born-On Sunday, 24th inst., to the wife of Jas. Foster, a daughter.

Mrs. Murphy, of Seattle, Wash., is visiting relatives here.

Lever's Y-Z(Wise Head) Disinfectant Scap Powder is a boon to any home. It disin-fects and cleans at the same time.

### BLENHEIM

April 26.—Mr. and Mrs. Jos. St. John and son William, of Detroit, were here last week attending ithe funeral of the late Mr. Collar.

Work is in full swing at the Methodist church, the interior being thoroughly renovated and new seats will also be put in.

Messrs. Fraser and McCallum, of Wallaceburg, were Blenheim visitors over Sunday.

A new roof is being added to L. H. Edmond's house on the Front street.

O. Coburn visited relatives in Detroit last week.

Miss Susa Allison is in town.

Roy Brown is visiting relatives in Learnington.

The school was restarted yesterday morning after being closed and disinfected last week. In the after-

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# Ladies Tailored Suits, Coats, Skirts

During the balance of this week there will be an unusual stir in our Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Departments. Stylish up-to-date garments, all our own make and guaranteed in every respect, selling at one-half and one-third off regular prices. Many of them are sample garments and only one of a style—that's why the prices are made so ridicuously small. They won't be here long- so take our advice and come early.

\$12.50, \$15.00, \$20.00, and \$25.00 LADIES' TAILORED SUITS AT \$9.90 EACH .-

Your pick of 27 handsome tailored wilts in fine Broadcloths, Cheviots, Basket Cloths, French and Scotch Tweed Mixtures, Homespuns, etc., in black and colors, correct styles, beautifully trimmed and finished, some silk lined, sample suits from our own factory made to sell at \$12.50, \$15.00, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$22.50, and \$25.00, the entire lot go on sale to clear at each LADIES' SPRING COATS-

Smart uup-to-date styles, in plain cloths and fancy mixtures, prettily trimmed and finished, colors and black clearing at each \$4.90, \$5.90, \$6.90, \$7.90, \$8.90 and

\$4.00 AND \$5.00 TAILORED SKIRTS AT \$3.48-Fine quality Cheviot and Frieze, me-

navy, cut in latest styles, trimmed with fancy cording and silk ornaments stitched bottom, assorted sizes, clear-

\$1.25 AND \$1.50 BLACK UNDER-

Rich black silky finish, mercerised sateen made with deep flounce, ruffles, pleatings, briar stitching and tucks, assorted lengths, regular \$1.25 to \$1.50 each, clearing at

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noon scarletina was found on one of the pupils, who was sent home. The school will be closed the re-mainder of this week.

THEY KNOW IT.

Thousands of people throughout the country know that the ordinary remedies for piles—ointments, suppositor ies and appliances—will not cure.

The best of them only bring passing relief.
Dr. Leonhard's Hem-Roid is a tab-

Leonnards Hem-Roid is a tab-let taken internally that \*emoves the cause of Piles, hence, the cure is per-manent. Every package sold carries a guarantee with it. It is perfectly harmless to the most

delicate constitution. A month's treat ment in each package. Sold at \$1.00. Sold by C. H. Gunn & Co., Central Drug Store, Chatham.

CHILD FATALLY BURNED.

St. Catharines, April 24.— The home of Rev. Dr. Smith, pastor of Knox Church, was last night the scene of a sad occurrence and which terminated fatally this morning. His only son, who is just two years and a-half old, was put to bed last night at his usual hour, and left alone for a short time. When his mother re-turned to the room she was horrified to fine her child seated in a chair to fine her child seated in a chair wrapped in flames. The supposition is that the little fellow, not being inclined to sleep, got out of bed, and by standing on a chair, reached some matches and managed to light them. The flames were quickly extinguished, but the child received such severe burns that he died this morning at 4 o'clock. Was Smith also received as o'clock. Mrs. Smith also received ser eral burns while extinguishing the flames. Rev. Mr. Smith was formerly pastor in Thamesford, Ont.

A GOOD WORD FOR CHAMBER-LAIN'S COUGH REMEDY.

"In December, 1900, I had a severe cold and was so hoarse that I could not speak above a whisper," says Al-len Davis, of Freestone, N. Y. "I tried several remedies, but got no relief until I used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, one bottle of which cured me. I will always speak a good word for that medicine." For sale by All Druggists.

Lots of opportunities are wasted simply because the wrong people get hold of them.

The worries of a weak and sick mother are only begun with the hirth of her child. By day her work is constantly interrupted and at night her rest is broken by the wailing of the peevish, puny infant. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong and sick women well. It lightens all the burdens of maternity, giving to mothers strength and vigor, which they impart to their children. In over thirty years of practice Dr. Pierce and his associate staff of nearly a score of physicians have treated and cured more than half a million suffering women. Sick women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce by letter free of charge. All correspondence is strictly private. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y.

It's a good thing not to have tim to think about the things we shoul not think about.

I was cured of a bad case of Grip by MINARD'S LINIMENT. C. I. LAGUE. red of loss of voice by

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LARGE CONSIGNMENT OF

Herbert Spencer visited America in 1882 and on that occasion, a banquet was given in New York in his honor. Henry Ward Beecher was one of the

after dinner speakers.
"I am asked," said Mr. Beecher, "how I reconcile Spencar with theology. I

"A man who has a baldheaded deacon watching everything he does or a gold spectacled lawyer—not a fat one" (looking at Mr. Bristow), "but a long, lean, lank one" (looking at Mr. Evarts) —"can't afford to talk Spencerism from

"It is to be borne in mind that when a man is driving a team of fractious horses that are just all he can manage anyhow he is not in a state of mind to discuss questions with his wife by his side, who is undertaking to bring up delicate domestic matters

It had been said that Mr. Spencer had no sense of humor, but he joined heartly in the merriment which Mr. echer's speech provoked.

The ruin of Pitt's health was at-tributed to his physicians, who made him take port in large quantities in him take port in large quantities in his youth, so that he could not do without it later. Lord Grenville has seen him swallow a bottle of port in tumblerfuls before going to the house. His hands shook so much that when he helped himself to salt he way obliged to support the right hand with the left. Stothard, the painter, happened to be one evening at an inn on the Kept road when Pitt and Dundas put up there on when Pitt and Dundas put up there on their way to Walmer. Next morning the waiter said to Stothard: "How much wine do you suppose they drank last night? Seven bottles, sir!"—Rogers' "Table Talk."

The Way They Do In Iceland. Icelanders never think of "locking ip" at night, and yet only two cases of thieving have occurred in many One was a poor man with a broken arm, who stole several sheep to save his family from starving. The punishment meted out to him was that food was provided for his family, he was placed under medical care and work was given him when his arm had healed. The other case was of a foreigner who stole seventeen sheep. law demanded that he restore the value of the thefts and then leave the ountry or be executed. Naturally he left. COL COL

Playing a Trick on McCullough. Will McConnell and John McCullough were playing "Virginius," and McCon-nell was doing Icilius. When he had to go up to John and shake hands with him he put a hard boiled egg into his palm and left it there, and McCullough being in the center of the stage and alone, could not get rid of it. He dis charged Will, as usual, that night, but he never stayed discharged, and he was taken on again when they found him on board the train on the way to the next stand.

How She Feit.
"I hope," said Mrs. Oldcastle, "that
you didn't feel that you were de trop when you called the other day and found Mrs. Beezum present." "Oh, no," replied her hostess. "That

was just the back of my waist that I kept feeling. One of the hooks was loose, and somehow I couldn't help be in' kind of nervous about it."

An Irish Gem. An Irish journal had this gem in answer to a correspondent: "We decline to acknowledge the receipt of your post card."

Which is very much like the Corkonian who traveled into Kerry to an in-sulting enemy to "tell him to his face that he would treat him with silent

Only Two Occasions. "You always appear to be nervous,"

remarked the friend solicitously.

"But really," replied the housekeeper, "there are only two occusions when I am nervous. One is when I have a servant girl, and the other is when haven't."

Carefully Brought Up.
"Were you carefully brought up, my ad?" asked the merchant of the apolicant for a situation.

"Please, sir, yes, sir; I came up in the elevator, sir," said the respectful youth.

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prominent Southern lady, Mrs. Blanchard, of Nashville, Tenn., tells how she was cured of backache, dizziness, painful and irregular periods by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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"Six bottles brought me health, and was worth more than months under the doctor's care, which really did not benefit me at all. I am satisfied there is no medicine so good for sick women as your Vegetable Compound, and I advocate it to my lady friends in need of medical help."—Mes. B. A. Blanchard, 422 Broad St., Nashville, Tenn.—45000 farfeit! forlginal of above letter procing genulnesses cannot be produced.

### THE CELLAR.

A Place Where Perpetual Cleanlines Should Reign—Often a Death Trap.

"It isn't typhoid, malaria, grip o spring fever half se much as decayed vegetables in the cellar," said one physician to another when called in conzultation over a severe case of fever.

It is a popular notion that the cellar should be cleaned in the spring cleaning time, but by spring the seeds of disease and death may have been sown, and cleaning comes too late to save the life of some member of the

family.
Cleaning the cellar should be a weekly affair, but with the breaking up of cold weather greater attention to its condition is required.

Decayed vegetables should not be al-

lowed to remain one hour, and all specked or spotted fruits should be removed.

The cellar should receive a daily airing. This does not mean to leave the windows open long enough to freeze the vegetables and fruit, but in the severe cold weather let the windows he opened to allow a circulation of fresh air and closed quickly.

Jars, pets and barrels should be thor-eughly cleared before putting away, and untiring watchfulness should preside over this portion of the house.

In the spring the walls should be swept down, sprinkled with water and a little sulphur be burned in the cellar. Upon a pan of ashes, hot or cold, place a tablespoonful of sulphur in a little heap. Touch a lighted match to it and leave it to burn. It will slowly consume and will kill all unpleasant odors and disease germs.—Table Talk.

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## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

A Clergyman's Letter.

The following letter and editorial appeared in recent issues of the Calumet and Houghton (Mich.) Daily Mining Gazette. The letter was written from Denver by Rev. John B. Whitford, former pastor of the Lake Linden (Mich.) M. E. Church, and we understand the editorial is from the pen of Mr. Homer E. Guck, managing editor of the Gazette.

Both letter and editorial serve as way-marks in the progress of the Christian Science movement up to its present position of honor and prestige, and they reflect credit upon their broad-minded writers.

REV. MR. WHITFORD'S LETTER.

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Having incidentally made a reference in a former article to the Having incidentally made a reference in a former article to the spacious and magnificent temple of the Christian Scientists now nearing its completion, and having been told of their wealth and intelligence, I yielded to the solicitations of friends and went to their prayer meeting one Wednesday night. What I saw and heard were to me a revelation. I have seen nothing comparable to it in Denver. The size of the audience astonished me. The capacity of the building was tested to the utmost. Nor was this exceptional, but a common occurrence. Imagine a building of such dimensions as the Calumet M. E. Church filled in every part, gallery included, and you have the vision. I have not seen part, gallery included, and you have the vision. I have not seen such a the vision. I have not seen such a prayer meeting since my boyhood days h. Cornwall, when the great chapels were filled with jubilant and songful people. But what about the people? Rad, ant faced, joyous, exhilarant, optimistic, and expectant as the skylarks in the morning. They gave every evidence of culture, refinement, and wealth. It is not exfinement, and wealth. It is not ex-travagant to say that Christian Science in Denver represents some of the very best from all the churches. It is a confluence of many streams, a gathering of many forces, a concentration of diversi-fied experiences.

forces, a concentration of diversified experiences.

Promptly at 8 p. m. the service commenced. There was a hush, a profound quiet like the coming of night on a ruined city. As the strains of the organ, like soft, enchanting lays, filled the building, the atmosphere seemed laden with reverence, deality, sublimity, and God. All the conditions were favorable to the hallowed m'nisters of silence and to serene contemplation. The very the hallowed ministers of silence and to serene contemplation. The very air seemed quieting and healing, as though angels were winnowing it with their wings. Then came the opening hymn, with its choral and full-throated melodies. What a volume of song! But it was stately majestic, reverential, suggestive of other kingdoms and a diviner world. Here again I was reminded of the congregational singing across of other kingdoms and a diviner world. Here again I was reminded of the congregational singing across the sea. Following this choral outburst refreshing and uplifting song came the reading of the Holy Scriptures in a natural and impressive manner. And how the people listened. They listened as it for the first time the simple and oft-repeated words had condensed broad areas of Eght into flashes of brilliant and iridescent beauty. After a careful survey of the audience I could not discover the slightest trace of difsurvey of the audience it could not discover the slightest trace of dif-ference or irreverence. Everywhere there was order, devotion, harmony, as though the people were under the sovereignty of munificent and boundless Love.

less Love.

Readings from "Science and Health
with Key to the Scriptures" then followed. After this order of exercise
there was perfect silence. Had a there was perfect silence. Had a stranger crept into the room with no particular liking for the things of the Sprit, he would have been eaught and held in sweet captivity as Blondel's sweet song caught and charmed the ear of the Kon-hearted prince. This silence was as full of thought as space is full of ether. After a few minutes of silence, the audience broke out into the thought as space is full of ether. After a few minutes of silence, the audience broke out into the Lord's Prayer like a great chorus. The volume, the sweep, the majesty and grandeur of the prayer iseemed to melt all horizons, dissolve all hounaries, and I looked out into the illimitable vastness of worlds. The very dome of the sky seemed lifted, and amber streams of gladness went rippling along the firmament and sparkling to the edge of the remotest constellations. I have listened to the great orators and have seen thousands swayed to and Iro as they poured fourth melodies plaintive and tender, tumultuous and overwhelming, but the Lord's Prayer uttered by a thousand voices, deep, full, measured, and musical is a gare experience.

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Another hymn and a brief address and we are in that part of the meeting devoted to testimony or demonstration; and those who stood on their feet revealed in a moment that they had a message to deliver. Several of them quoted from the Bible with exquisite felicity. At the close of the testimonies another hymn was sung and the people went their several ways, a great throng like unto a Sunday audience addressed by some famous preacher. Even Mark Guy, Pearse, of London, England, with all the Methodist churches to draw from, 3.d not face a finer audience while in Denver. And yet at this mid-week meeting there is he preaching, no paid quartet of trained voices, no sensational advertising, and the edifice is not large enough to hold the people.

At this service and all the services, there is no preponderance of women over men. Both sexes seem to be equally divided. The men are intelligent, sagacious, and far-seeing business men. Many of them have large interests under their control. They represent the professions of the city. Some of them with whom I have conversed have read widely, travéled extensively, and were at one time members of the orthodox churches. Those who think Christian Scientists do not equal in intellectual measurement the other sects have only a superficial knowledge of the



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subject. I have not seen a more cultured audience in many a day than the one I saw the other night, and I have not heard saner testimonies in any meeting. As I saw this multiple tude of people, the most of them once members of orthodox and Eberal churches, I could not refrain from a sking, What is the secret of Christian Science and where is its magnet; It has been assailed, ridiculed, and branded as a heresy. Scores of writers have vehemently branded it as a heard that night hover in the van of the race, five in the proudest in the race, five in the proudest in the deepest thoughts loft the poet.

Mark Twain, h an elaborate article in a great review, hurled his keen and glittering darts of wit at fit (Christian Science); and when his wit, piercing as a two-edged sword, failed, he pounced upon it the flaming petroleum of his ridicule, and still it is unconsumed. Other leviathans of the sea of controversy, have attacked it, but it flives and grows in the very teeth of opposition. It has its being in something more substantial than poetic dreams of human perfectibility. Did it have no rootage in reality it would pass away like the mottled splendor of sthe sea



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**CASES ENTERED** 

The spring non-jury sittings of the High Court will open here (Monday May 2nd, before the Hon. Mr. Justice Street. The following cases have been en-

The following cases have been entered for trial:

McDomaid vs. Park, Rowell & Co.,
Toronto, for plaintiff.

Simington vs. Coutts, an action
against the executor to recover
money alleged to have been illegally
pa'd out. Lewis & Co. for plaintiff,
Thos. Scullard, contra.

McRobb vs. Chatham Township, a
drainage suit, Geo. Sayer for plaintiff, John S. Fraser, contra.

Stock vs. Dresden Sugar Co., J.
W. Sharp for plaintiff, Geo. S. Weir.
contra.

ontra. Lozon vs. Macheter, an action set

tling up the affairs of the French Construction Society, A. B. Carscal-

len, J. S. Fraser, contra.
Miller vs. Miller, an action for ejectment, Wilson & Co. for plaintiff, Kelly & Co., of Hamilton, contra.

A MOTHER'S RECOMMENDATION.

I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a number of years and have no hesitancy in saying that it is the best remedy for coughs, colds and croup I have ever used in my family. I have not words to express my confidence in this remedy.—Mrs. J. A. Moore, North Star, Mich. For sale by All Druggiets.

Mr. Bradley, the plaintiff, is bring-ing an action against the Township of Raleigh for \$1,000 damages. He

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## THE LOCAL BUDGE

Fred Bogart left this morning for Calgary, N. W. T.

Lot. Fields fell off a verandah Saturday and sustained serious in-

W. M. Drader's men are rafting logs down the river from as far up as Wardsville.

The work on Ed. Loney's new brick residence on Lansdowne Avenue, is progressing rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dagneau have returned from a visit with friends and relatives in Woodslee.

Mrs. Wm. Carlyle, formerly of this city, who has been staying with her sister in Windsor, is in the city for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bedore, of Montreal, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dagneau and Mr. and Mrs. D. King, of this city

Probate of the wall of the late David Robrison, of Harwich, has been granted to Robert Rorrison, Peter Mc-Kellar and Arch. McCornock, the

Judge Houston, is in Toronto to-day acting for the appellant in Mar-tin vs. Martin, which case is entered for trial in the Divisional Court to-

Probate of the will of the late J. McClellan, of Chatham township, has been granted to Alfaretta Alura Mc-

R. A. Huughes, of Windsor, Inspector of Weights and Measures, is making his weekly visit to Chatham. He is inspecting the scales made by the Manson Campbell Co.

dams Macphe man, who has been working for N.

A. McGeachy for some time, left this morning for Winnipeg. Mr. Macherson came from Paisley, Scotland, 10 months ago.

Owing to unforseen circumstances he sale of household furniture announced to take place to-morrow at Mr. Niven's residence, has been post-poned until Tuesday, May 3rd, at one o'clock. It will pay you to wait for this sale. See advertisement.

The Toronto Saturday Night of April 16th announced the marriage, on December 16th, at Cathedral, Laon December 16th, at Cathedral, Lahore, by the Rev. Spence Gray, Denys de Saumarez Bray, Indian Civil Service, son of the late Rev. T. W. Bray and Mrs. Bray, Hockliffe, Guldford, to Celestine Montgomery, eldest daughter of Lieut.-Col. H. P. P. Leigh, C. I. E., Indian Army and Punjab Commission. Mr. Bray is a cousin of Dr. J. L. Bray, chairman of the Chatham Water Commission.

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## FROM PULPIT TO GREEN CLOTH

Providence Finally Smiles on Preacher in the Gaming Saloon.

Will Now Start Life Over With a Snug Bank Deposit—Danger-ous Doctrine.

Butte, Mont., April 26.—C. E. Henderson, a Methodist minister 60 years old, lost his pulpit in Salt Lake City a year ago on account of his age and came to Butte with his wife and two children. Since then he has been unable to get a cait as pastor and has eked out a scant giving for himself and Iamily. He has worked in the streets, washed gishes at hotels but could not supply his wants. At the city employment agency, where he had for a year been a daily caller, he announced that he was going to Los Angeles. He had a prosperous appearance and said that he had suffered from want long enough; he had turned gambler and fortune had smiled on him.

"I would have committed erime to save my family from hunger, for I

"I would have committed crime to save my family from hunger, for I could get no assistance," said the old preacher. "I believe it was God that put it into my head to try my fuck at roulette. I played my last dollar on the red and won. I doubled and won again. I played them all and Providence remained with me and lifted me from the quagmire of despair. Every day for two weeks I have played and continued in juck and now I have \$1,500 in my pocket and we are going to California to start life over."

### NO SUGGESTIONS

Stratford's Mayor Could Think of Nothing Further to Complete this Metropolitan Centre

A deputation from the Stratford City Council arrived in the city to-day and were entertained by Mayor McKeough and the members of the City Council.

The Stratford delegation are out

examining pavements in the various cities of Western Ontario. Strat-ford has no pavement except macadam

and they contemplate putting down a large amount of pavement this year. Mayor Wm. Hepburn, Aldermen H. Pauli, W. J. Norfolk, Wm. Daly, Thos. Savage, M. J. Mallion, and the

Thos. Savage, M. J. Mallion, and the the city engineer, Angus Smith. composed the party.

After the visitors had been driven around the city, Mayor McKeough turned to Mayor Wm. Hepburn and asked if the latter had any suggestions to make for improving the city of Chatham.

Mayor Hepburn, of the Bard of Avon's town, thought for a few min-

the best remedy for coughs, colds and croup I have ever used in my family. I have not words to express my confidence in this remedy.—Mrs. J. A. Moore, North Star, Mich. For sale by All Druggists.

\*\*DRAIMAGE COURT\*\*

Drainage Court is being held at the Court House to-day by Drainage Referee J. B. Rankin, K. C. Court opened at ten o'clock this morning with a good attendance of spectators, all interested in the result of the case up for trial.

There is only one case to be tried at this sitting, that of Bradley vs. Raleigh Township. The Court was busy all morning Tyling exhibits bearing on the case. There were 57 exhibits fyled.

After funch the Court opened again and A. E. Robinson, Clerk of Raleigh, was the first witness examined. Engineer McGeorge came next and the matter of an electric street rail-way.

All Thomas Savage, of Shakespeares will, in progress at the time of going to press.

Mr. Bradley, the plaintiff, is bring-material the city. The Court of the case was at the city of the case was at the time of going to press.

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Ald. Homas Savage, of Shakespeater ville, is a brother of Abe Savage, of this city, and an old Chatham man, He said he noticed wonderful improvements in the city. Mr. Savage knew all the old landmarks. He is chairman of the Board of Works.

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100 acre farm in Raleigh, brick house, large barn, stable and other buildings; all cleared, about 4 miles from Chatham, \$7,500.00.

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For all classes of mechanics and laborers, shoes built to withstand the roughest usage, and as waterproof as leather can be made. We have them in a great many styles and shapes from

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We are showing this week a splendid range of Tweeds for Ladies' Suits in Plain Cloths and Flake Goods, consisting of Black Venetians, Black and Colored Broadcloths, Cheviots, Light Weight Homespuns, and Fancy Tweed Effects.

- 52 and 54 in. Black Cheviot, price, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25.
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- 58 in. Black Venetian, price, \$1,25. 54 in. Black Bradeloth, 75c. to \$2.00 per yard.
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Kirkcaldy is recognized as the centre of the floorcloth industry of Great Britain. The largest mills of that kind in the world are to be found there. The mills send their sentative twice a year to Canada to take the orders of the wholesale houses and the large retailers.

Our ability to handle quantities direct from them in this way means that we save from 71/2c to 10 per cent. smaller stores have to pay to brokers or commission agents, who by taking their order and putting it with a number of other similar stores orders are thus enabled to buy the required quantity from the mills.

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Quantity and Cash is the consideration with them. Every yard is paid for by the tenth day of the month. From the Mills it comes direct to us and we pass it on to you with only our modest profit added

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Quite as much worn to-day for Dress as for Rain.

This is largely because our Raincoats are made by the same tailors that make our fine top coats. They are smart in style with broad shoulders, and full loose stylish backs; while being rainproof when occasion demands their protection.
We show a large variety of attractive new styles.



Raincoats in Oxford Grey and Olive e full garments, \$7.50 and \$9.00. Our extra special Raincoat in Dark Oxfords and new

Olive Mixture, Italian or Golf lined, \$10.00, all sizes. Of Oxford Mixed Worsteds and Fancy Mixtures, handsome garments, \$12.00 and \$14.00 TOP COATS.

Of imported Covert Cloths, genteel Ox'ord mixtures and new Olive effects, in the smart short lengths and the medium length coats, \$10.00 and \$12.00.

Waterproof Coats—Men's Waterproof Coats in Plain Grey and Plain Fawn Shades, double breasted, Ches-terfield style, velvet collar, all sszes, speecial \$2.50.

Boye' Waterproof Ooats in Fawn and Grey Shades, all sizes, \$2.25 and \$2.50.

An extra line of Men's Waterproof Coats in nice Oxford and Olive mixtures, single breasted, Chesterfield style, velvet collar, all sizes up to 48 chest, also plain black, \$5

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Boys Norfolk Jacket Snits, in novelty Tweeds, Worstells and serges, very handsome range of patterns for boys 7 to 16 years \$2.50 to \$5.00.

Boys 3 pc. Suits for ages 9 to 17 years made from reliable all wool Twerds, Serges and Worsteds new army cut, high cut vest, ful of style and wear, very nobby effects Tweeds Chalk lines and Worsteds, Prices range 3 50 to \$6 50.

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4 pounds good starch for 25 cents.

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Carpet beaters, tack pullers, tack hammers, tacks of every kind, scrub brushes, brooms dusters, carpet sweepers, clothes lines, clothes pins, wash boards, wash tubs, New Era prepared

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PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W. Toronto, April 26.-11 a.m.-Fresh northeast and north winds, fair. Wednesday, northerly winds, fine, with about the same temperature.

Detroit, April 26.—Lower and Up-per Michigan—Fair and continued cool Tuesday and Wednesday; fresh to brisk northeast to north (winds.

The following figures were regis-tered to-day at seven s. m. at Turn-er's weather bureau; THERMOMETER.

Highest yesterday, 47. Lowest during night, 40. This morning, 42. Barometer, 29.30. Direction of wind, east.

### TO-NIGHT.

Court Kent, C. O. F., in their hall, Pedro Social, St. Joseph's Hall, at o'clock.

Philharmonic Society, in the Council Chambers, Harrison Hall, at 8.

## THE LOCAL BUDGET

Briscos' Bicycle repairs and livery! J. A. Gibson, of Petrolea, was in the city yesterday. Dick Cartier, Detroit, spent Sunday with his brother.

Court Kent, C. O. F., will hold their regular meeting to-night.

Miss Annie Robert is visiting ther sister, Mrs. Carron, of Detroit. A. M. Elliott, of Bothwell, spent yesterday with his Chatham friends. Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Snively, of Walaceburg, were guests in the city yes-

Wm. Peltier, of Lucan, is visiting his father, Theodore Peltier, 4th con-cession, Dover.

The Blonde Lumber Co. have started a house for David H. Robert, Smoke Quall on Toast, five cents, union made. Dover township.

The Blonde Lumber Co. have the contract for th new Roman Catholic Church, at Windsor.

Church, at Windsor.

Wanted, good strong boy to dook after a horse and make himself generally useful. Apply at this office. The committee request all those taking part in the "Made in Canada" to meet at St. Andrew's Sunday school room, Wednesday night at 8.30.

Fenfan Raid veterans have been chosen as pall-bearers at the funeral of the late Thomas Stanton, which takes place this afternoon.

▲ local hotel-keeper was fined \$30 and costs \$34 in all for allowing dice to be shaken in his bar-room. When you want an artistic design, call up or visit Victoria Ave. Green. Houses. 'Phone 181.

The Maple Leaf Club will meet in their rooms, Head street, to-night, commencing at eight o'clock. It is an open meeting.

Lost!-On Thursday, a Black Pocket Book, containing a sum of money and a memorandum. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office. 3

A STUNNING

OF Style Comfort Wear.

\$3.00

Messenger Boy wanted. Apply to W. E. Rispin. 2td F. A. Ogletree, of Dresden, Chatham visitor yesterday.

Wanted, good strong boy to dook after a horse and make himself generally useful. Apply at this office. Special values in Lace Curtains, from 50c. to \$10, at Thibodeau & Jacques'.

Mrs. (Dr.) McR:tchie, of McKay's Corners, is the guest of her nieces, the Misses Morrison, Joseph street. Try us for paints, coal oil, garden seeds, garden tools.—Geo. Stephens & Co.

The Blonde Co. have begun work on the new house for Hugh Garrett, Duluth St. The house when completed will cost \$3000.

Quick, energetic hardware clerk and salesman wanted by A. H. Patterson. Apply at once.

Paint Brushes, White Wash Brushes, Straping Brushes and everything for Painters and Builders' Hardware, at Patterson's Hardware.

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\$2000.00 worth of Harness on Special case at Patterson's Hardware Store. They are going fast. Get a bargain before they are all gone.

Bengough, the cartoonist, of Terronto, will appear in the city under the auspices of the First Church Sunday school next Tuesday.

Purse found on Saturday on Rajeigh street. The owner can have it by calling at the Chaplin Wheel Works and proving property and paying for this advertisement.

Frank Peltier, of Dover, who under-went surgical treatment for his leyes in Detroit, was in the city to-day, Mr. Peltier has had a remarkable cure and will return to Detroit in a couple of weeks for further treat-ment.

Owing to unforseen of coumstances the sale of household furniture announced to take place to morrow at Mr. Niven's residence, has been postponed until Tuesday, May 3rd, at one o'clock. It will pay you to wait for this sale. See advertisement.

Judge Colter, Elgin's new senior judge, expects to assume his duties here on May 1st. He has been prevented from leaving Cayuga owing to the delay in selecting his successor. Judge Douglas, of Chatham, expects to go to Cayuga on May il—St. Thomas Journal.

St. Thomas Journal.

Remember the Sale of Harry Hall's at the Skating Rink, Wednesday, April 27th, starting at 10 o'clock in the morning and continuing afternoon and evening until afl is sold, consisting of the following:—All the furniture of the Bungalow and his household effects in the city. No reserve,

hold effects in the city. No reserve.

Mr. and Mrs. Craft, VanAllen avenue, entertained about 50 young people last evening at their splendid home in honor of Misses Edna and Lottie Pake, who leave Thursday morning with their parents for their new home in the Northwest. Games and music were indulged in, after which refreshments were served. At the conclusion of the delightful evening the assembled guests bade their two young friends good-bye, and wished them every success and happiness in their new home.

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Which form our text, have the 5th

Avenue Shape, the easy, close fit,

and the year long wear, in bigger quantity than you ever saw before. They're worthy of our loudest, sweetest praise. You'll find them

# Sensational Suit Sale

## AT THE GORDON STORE.

Our stirring offerings of Tailored Suits and Skirts, the balance of a bankrupt Montreal manufacturer, we have marked below the price of the materials. They are on sale since Saturday. Our popular prices prove popular with the popular pocket-book.

In connection with our great skirt sale now in progress, we make the following remarkable reductions in price of Ladies Tallored Suits SEE OUR WINDOW.

5 Only Tailored-Made Suits, Dark Grey and Black, short jackets, mercer lined, sizes 1-32, 3-38, 1-40, 7.50 values. on sale \$2.98.

9 Only Tailored Suits, Black and Dark Grey, with capes, nicely trimmed, sizes 1-32, 1-34, 4-36, 1-38, 2-40, reg. price 10.00, on sale \$4.98.

18 Only Tailor-Made Suits, all sizes, in Black Cheviots, Navy Blue, Broadcloth, Grey and White Flaked Tweeds and Homespun, Short and Norfolk Jackets, lined throughout with Silk and Mercer Linings, and neatly trimmed with braids, value up to 16.00, on sale \$5.98.

This sale of Suits and Ladies' Skirts and Raincoats make the best 3-ply

## SFE AND PRICE OUR MILLINERY.

WILLIAM GORDON Standard Designers 10c.

# BICYCLES!

## BRISCOES Vernor's

'Tis now with hoe and spade we dig and labor like the dickens, to furnish forth the proper fare for neighbor Jones' chickens. Charles Heath has returned from Petrolea, having been successful in his examinations on which he wrote preparatory to taking up study for the ministry.

M. Houston is in Toronto to-day appearing in the Court of Appeal against the decision given out in the case of Martin, which was tried at the last fall assizes.

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Shoe Talk

Was tried at the dast tall assizes.

Primeau & Peltier are again having the Urban Store impoved. They have sold out their entire stock of shoes and are enlarging their ladies' furn'shings department.

Remember the auction sale of household furniture of Harry Hall, at the Skating Rink, Wednesday, April 27th, starting at 10 o'clock in the morning and continuing afternoon and evening until all is sold. This will be a large

man to do that. But this little shoe talk of ours will put good shoes on your feet—if you'll only

### SNEAK THIEF

Yesterday aftermoon a man pretending to be deaf and dumb called at the residence of Fred. ill. Brisco. He had a paper signed by a minister and a doctor stating that he was a worthy subject for alms. Mrs. Brisco gave him some change and he then asked for a drink of water, which the lady secured for him. Shortly after the beggar left in Mrs. Brisco noticed that her watch was gone. It had been lying on the piano. She went to the front of the house and the man was still in sight. Mrs. Brisco then telephoned the police. P. C. Groves went out but could find mo trace of the man. The fellow is described as being of medium height, sallow complexion, peculiar eyes, dark hair, prominent features, and about 24 years old.

\$50 TO CALIFORNIA AND RETURN. \$50 TO CALIFORNIA AND RETURN.
Via the Chicago, Union Pacific &
North-Western Line, from Chicago,
April 23 to May 1. Choice of routes
going and returning. Corresponding
low rates from all points. Two
trains a day from Chicago through
without change. Daily and personally conducted tour at car excursions
Write for itinerary and full particulars regarding special train leaving
Chicago, April 26. B. H. Bennett, 2
East King St. Toronto, Ont.

James Bertram, private secretary of Andrew Carnegie, was recently narried in New York to Miss Nettie twing, youngest daughter of Mrs. leonge Ewing, of Seaforth, a young anadian lady who has been a resisent of New York for some years, the marriage caused some stirmong friends of both parties. The appy couple have left for Skibo, Mr. larnegisk castle in Scotland.

Ask for Minard's and take no ather.

### AUCTION SALE -OF-

## HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS

HARRY HALL has instructed Andrew Thomson, Jr., to sell all his Household Furniture, all the furniture and fixtures of the Bungalow. He has secured the Skating Rink. over the Creek, where the sale will take place on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 1904,

commencing at 10 o'clock in the morning, and also afternoon, and evening at 7.30.

This will be a grand sale, and no reserve, as Mr Hall is leaving for Edmonton, North-west.

Remember date—10 o'clock a.m., April O'clock

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Cool and Refreshing.

It takes away that tired feeling. No other can equal this, and the only place to get

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## A TALK ABOUT WASH GOODS

Did you visit our Wash Goods Dept. this Spring? do you know of the old prices advantage we are offering.

Our Ginghams, Prints, Waistings, Sheetings, Pillow Cottons, Shirting Cottonades, etc., and all bought before the great rise in prices of Cotton goods—as we got them we pass them on to you.

See our immense range of Ginghams, nicest patterns we have ever shown 10 and 12½ cents. PRINTS-new Patterns, light and dark, 5. 8, 10,123c

Sheetings, Cottonade, Tickings, etc., at old prices. Do us the favor of examining our goods.

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ALEX. GREGORY, Sec'y.

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## Old Hagar's Secret.

By Mrs. M. J. Holmes..

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An audible groan from the depths of the satin hood, as Betsey Jane passed out and the cars passed on showed plainly that the mother and sister of George Douglas were recognized, particularly as the former wore the red and yellow calico, which, having been used as a "dress up" the summer before, now did its owner service as a garment of every the summer before, now did its owner service as a garment of every day wear. But not long did Madam Conway suffer her mind to dwell upon matters so trivial. Hillsdale was not far away, and she came each moment nearer. Two more stations were reached—the haunted swamp was passed—Chicagons Pierre swamp was passed—Chicopee River was in sight—the bridge appeared in view—the whistle sounded, and she was there.

Half an hour later, and Theo, looking from her window, started in surprise as she saw the village omnibus drive up to their door.

"The grandmother!" she c.e.d, and running to meet her, she asked why she had returned so soon.
"They are coming at noon," answered the excited woman; then, hursing its the state of the st

wered the excited woman; then, hurswered the excited woman; then, hursying into the house, and throwing off her hood, she continued, "He's found her at the Falls; they are between here and Albany now; tell everybody to hurry as fast as they can; tell Hannah to make a chicken pie—Maggie was fond of that; and turkey—tell her to kill a turkey—it's Maggie's favorite dish—and ice cream, too! I wish I had some this minute," and she wiped the perspiration from her burning face.

No more hysterics now; no more lonesome nights; no more thoughts of death—for Margaret was coming home—the best-loved of them all. Joyfully the servants told to each other the glad news, disbelieving entirely the report fast gaining circulation that the queenly Maggie was lowly born—a grandchild of old Hagar. Up and down the stairs Madam Conway ran, flitting from room to room and tarrying longest in that of Margaret, where the sunlight came in softly through the half-closed blinds and the fair summer blossoms smiled a welcome for the expected one.

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Suddenly the noontide stillness was broken by a sound, deafening and shrill on ordinary occasions, but falling now like music on Madam Conway's ear, for by that sound she knew that Margaret was near. Wearlly went the half hour by, and then, from the head of the tower stairs, Theo cried out. "She's coming!" while the grandmother buried her face in the pillows of the lounge, and asked to be alone when she took back to her bosom the child which was not hers.

Earnestly, as if to read the inmost soul, each looked into the other's

which was not hers.

Earnestly, as if to read the inmost soul, each looked into the other's eyes—Margaret and Theo—and while the voice of the latter was choked with tears, she wound her arms around the graceful neck, which bent to the carcss, and whispered low, "You are my sister still."

Against the vine-wreathed balustrade a fairy form was leaning, holding back her breath lest she should break the deep silence of that meeting. In her bosom there was no pang of fear lest Theo should be loved the best; and even had there been, it could not surely have remained, for stretching out her arm, hargaret drew her to her side, and placing her hand in that of Theo, said, "You are both my sisters now," while Arthur Carrollton, bending down, kissed the lips of the three, saying as he did so, "Thus do I acknowledge your relationship to me." I acknowledge your relationship to

## Heart Palpitated. FAINT AND DIZZY SPELLS.

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## MILBURN'S HEART and NERVE **PILLS**

od Brs. Edmond Brown, lawood, Gat, when she had simust given up hope of ever getting well again,

She writes: "I was so run down that I was not able to do my work, was short of breath, had a sour somach every night and could scarcely eat. My heart palpitated, I had faint and dizzy spells and fell weak and nervous all the time. My husband got me a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills but I told him it was no use, that I had given up hope of ever being cured. He however persuaded me to take them and before I had used had the box I began to feel better. Two boxes made a new woman of me and I have been made a new woman of me and I have been well and have been able to do my word ever since."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are go cts. box, or 3 for \$t.25, all dealers or THE T. MILBURN CO., Lim itad



I make "FORCE" the very best I know how. I don't believe you'd

want me to slight my work or stint quality, for the sake of saving you a couple of cents or so on every package.

"Why don't she come," the waiting Madam Conway sighed, just as Theo, pointing to the open door, bade Margaret "go in."

There was a blur before the lady's eyes—a buzzing in her ears—and the footfall she had listened for so long was now unheard as it came slowly to her side. But the light touch upon her arm—the well-remembered voice within her ear, calling her "Madam Conway," sent through her an electric thrill, and starting up she caught the wanderer in her arms, crying imploringly. "Not that name. Maggie darling; call me grandma, as you used to do—call me grandma still," and smoothing back the long black tresses, she looked to see if grief had left its impress upon her fair young face. It was palor now, and thinner, too, than ft was wont to be, and while her tears fell fast upon it, Madam Conway whispered, "You have suffered much, my child, and so have I. Why did you go away? Say, Margaret, why did you leave me all alone?"

"To learn how much you loved me," answered Margaret, to whom this moment brought happiness second only to that which she had felt when on the river bank she sat with Arthur Carrollton, and heard him tell how much she had been mourned—how lonesome was the house without her—and how sad were all their hearts.

But that was over now; no more

their hearts.
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But that was over now; no more sadness—no more tears, the lost one had returned: Margaret was home again—home in the hearts of all, and nothing could dislodge her—not even the story of her birth, which Arthur Carrollton, spurning at further deception; told to the listening servants, who, having always respected old Hagar for her position in the household as well as for her education, so superfor to their own, sent up a deafening shout, first for "Hagar's grandchild," and next for "Miss Margaret forever."

## CHAPTER XXV.

By Theo's request, old Hagar had been taken home the day before, yielding submissively, for her frenzied mood was over—her strength was gone—her life was nearly spent—and Hagar did not wish to live. That for which she had sinned had been accomplished, and though it had cost her days and nights of anguish, she was satisfied at last. Margaret was coming home again—would be a lady still—the bride of Arthur Carrollton, for George Douglas had told her so, and she was willing now to die, but not until she had seen her once again—had looked into the beautiful face of which she had been once again—had looked into the beautilul face of which she had been

Not to-day, however, does she expect her; and just as the sun was setting, the sun which shines on Margaret at home, she falls away to sleep. It was at this hour that Margaret was wont to visit her, and now, as the treetops grew red in the day's departing glory, a graceful form came down the woodland path, where for many weeks the grass has not been crushed beneath her feet. They saw her as she left the house, Madam Conway, Theo, all, but none asked whither she was going. They knew, and one, who loved her best of all, foilowed slowly after, waiting in the woods until that interview should end.

Hagar lay calmly sleeping. The

Hagar lay calmly sleeping. The servant was, as usual, away, and there was no eye watching Margaret servant was, as usual, away. and there was no eye watching Margaret as with burning cheeks and beating heart she crossed the threshold of the door, pausing not, until the bed was reached—the bed where Hagar lay, her crippled hands folded meekly upon her breast, her white hair shading a whiter face, and a look about her half-shut mouth, as if the thin pale lips had been much used of late to breathe the word "forgive." Maggic had never seen her thus before, and the worn-out, aged face, had something touching in its sad expression, and something startling, too, bidding her hasten, if to that woman she would speak.

"Hagar," she essayed to say, but the word died on her lips, for standing there alone, with the daylight fading from the earth, and the lifelight fading from the form before her, it seemed not meet that she should thus address the sleeper. There was a name, however, by which she called another—a name of love, and it would make the withered heart of Hagar Warren bound, and beat, and throb with untold lov.

And Maragrit said that name at 'ast, whispering it first softly to he self; then bending down so that her breath stirred the snow-white air, she repeated it aloud, starting avoluntarily as the rude walls echoed back the name "Grandmother!"

"Grandmother!" Through the s nses locked in sleep it penetrated, end the dim eyes, once so fiery and black, grew large and bright again, as Façar Warren wole.

Was it a delusion, that beauteous form which met her view, that soft hand on her brow, or was it Maggie Miller?

"Grandmother," the low voice aid again. "I am Maggie, Hester's child. Can you see me? Do you know that I am here?"

Yes, through the films of age, through the films of coming death, and through the gathering darkness, old Hagar saw and knew, and with a scream of joy, her shrunken arms wound themselves convulsively around the maiden's neck, drawing her near, and nearer still, until the shrivelled lips touched the cheek of her who did not turn away, but returned that kiss of love.

"Say it again, say that word once more," and the arms closed tighter round the form of Margaret, who breathed it yet again, while the childish woman sobbed aloud! "It is sweeter than the angels' song, to hear you call me so."

childish woman sobbed aloud! "It is sweeter than the angels' song, to hear you call me so."

She did not ask her when she came—she did not ask her where she had heen; but Maggie told her all, sitting by her side with the poor hands clasped in her own; then, as the twilight shadows deepened in the room, she struck a light, and coming near to Hagar, said, "Am I much like my mother?"

"Yes, yes, only more winsome," was the answer, and the half-blind eyes looked proudly at the beautiful girl hending over the humble pillow.

"Do you know that?" Maggie asked, holding to view the ambrotype of Hester Hamilton.

For an instant Hagar wavered,

of Hester Hamilton.

For an instant Hagar Wavered, then hugging the picture to her bosom, she laughed and cried together, whispering as she did so. "My little girl, my Hester, my baby that I used to sing to sleep, in our home away over the sea."

Hagar's mind was wandering amid the scenes of bygone years, but it

the scenes of bygone years, but it soon came back again to the present time, and she asked of Margaret soon came back and the saked of Margaret time, and she asked of Margaret whence that picture came. In a few words, Maggie told her, and then for a time there was silence, which was broken at last by Hagar's voice, than when she spoke be-

"Maggie," she said, "what of this Arthur Carrollton! Will he make you his bride?'

"He has so promised," answered "He will "He has so promised," answered Maggie. Hagar continued: "He will take you to England, and you will be a lady, sure. Margaret, listen to me. "Tis the last time we shall ever talk together, you and I, and I am glad that it is so. I have greatly sinned, but I have been forgiven, and I am willing now to die. Everything I wished for has come to pass, even the hearing you call me that hlessed name; but, Maggie, when to-morrow they say that I am dead—when you come down to look upon me lying here asleep—you meedn't call me 'Grandmother;' you may say 'poor Hagar,' with the

may say 'poor Hagar,' with the rest. And, Maggle, is it too much rest. And, Maggle, is it too much to ask that your own hands will arrange my hair, fix my cap, and straighten my poor crooked limbs for the coffin? And if I should look decent, will you, when nobody sees you do it—Madam Conway, Arthur Carrollton, nobody who is proud—will you, Maggie, kiss me once for the sake of what I've suffered that you might be what you are?"
"Yes, yes, I will," was Maggie's answer, her tears falling fast, and a fear creeping into her heart, as by the dim candle light she saw a nameless shadow settling down on Hagari's face.

The servant entered at this most

The servant entered at this moment, and glancing at old Hagar, sunk into a chair, for she knew that

sunk into a cnair, for sne knew that shadow was death.
"Maggie," and the voice was now a whisper, "I wish I could once more see this Mr. Carrollton. 'Tis the nature of his kin to be sometimes overture of his kin to be sometimes over-bearing, and though I am only old Hagar Warren, he might heed my dying words, and be more thoughtful of your happiness. Do you think that he would come?"

(To Be Continued.)

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ley? You look terribly mystified. Dum-ley—No wonder. I was talking with Jinkins just now. We were speaking of the Joneses, and he said that the elderwas the younger and the deacon the elder. I can't get at the rights of the thing to save me.

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It is well to remember that the huzz-saw won't hurt you unless you monkey with it.

## Beautiful Spring Confections For Dressy or Smart Street Wear. Pink straw, white lace and flowers compose the lovely Easter confection of the upper figure sketched by the

Delineator, while white straw, black straw and a black quill form the other very smart affair. The same authori-There is a suggestion of the pictur-

esque "baby" hat in some of the dressy models. One of rare beauty was made entirely of ruffles of lace outlined with gold. The lace was caught up at the left side, where the palest pink roses nestled and fell over on the hair. In black lace ruffles edged with gold, American Beauty roses sup-planting the pink ones, this would be a striking style for a young brunette. The lace ruffle falls over the brim and shades the face slightly in these new "baby" hats, and ofttimes a pretty touch is given by a spray of blossom caught in the ribbon bow and trailing over the brim to the back, where it falls on the hair. For street wear this pretty hat is fashioned of glace taffeta or liberty satin. It should match the

or liberty satin. It should match the gown in color.

The black picture hat trimmed with a white lyre feather is one of the essential items of a fashionable wardrobe, and it has come forth again in tulle and lace. The brim of this hat is straight and suggests the large, round sailor. It is slightly raised at the left side and in front by a bandeau. Hats of this type are becoming to aimost every woman, but they should be worn only upon dressy occasions.

There is a touch of gold in nearly all of the newest models, and it is rumored that this military suggestion

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the season progresses.

A bonnet or headdress that is espe cially appropriate for evening wear is



formed of a hoop of wire about an inch wide, over which is twisted black

or colored velvet ribbon. Flower toques and turbans are en cially attractive at this season, for the flowers that now pervade the millinery world have copied nature very closely, some of them almost defying detection as imitations. There are flowers, though, that in no way suggest nature which are nevertheless beautiful and full of delightful possibilities.

The new toques are much smaller than those that were worn during the past season. They are quite eval in shape, forming almost a point in front. At the sides they are close fitting, and in nearly every instance a long lace drapery that falls over at the back is a distinguishing feature. All sorts of materials from coarse straw to the filmiest lace will be employed to fash-

A cavalier gown composed entirely of tiny red rosebuds is the distinctive feature of a new and dressy hat. The wide, straight brim is of black chan-tilly lace, the finely scalloped edge of

the lace falling over.
So fashionable is ostrich plumage that in some cases it forms almost the entire hat. A model of rare beauty had the entire crown of pale pink ostrich feathers, with the wide, straight brim of cream lace.

The violet hat is included in almost

every spring outfit.

### Sausage Rolls,

Sausage rolls are a favorite in our family these crisp mornings, says a Good Housekeeping correspondent. Try my recipe: Make a rich biscuit dough with milk and cream, roll thin and cut with milk and cream, roll thin and cut with a large cooky cutter. Have the fried sausage, in links, hot; roll one link in each disk of dough, pinch ends to-gether and bake in a quick oven. Serve on hot platter, pouring gravy around them when sent to the table.

A Pointer on Pranes Don't order prunes of the grocer boy when he calls for orders and then cook any old thing he delivers. It is best to select them yourself the first time or two; then after awhile the gro-cer will learn what you mean when

you say, "Bring me some more of those nice prunes." The objection to brass or iron beds that drafts are noticeable is overcome by the use of dainty curtains at the herd. In hospitals squares of heavy pique tied by, tapes at the corners to the uprights of the bed are laundered weekly with the other bed lines.—Pilarim.

## SCOURGE OF THE AGE IS KIDNEY DISEASE

It Creeps Stealthily Into The Sys-

Bright's Disease, Heart Disease, Dia-betes, Dropsy and Rneumatian, are 'Among The Forms It Takes.

Dodd's Kidney Pills The One Remedy That Never Falls To Cure It,
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Found.

Of all the diseases the human body has to combat in its struggle for health, the one that is steadily growing in strength and terror is Kidney Disease. Quietly, stealthily as a serpent, it creeps on its victim till the datter is enveloped in its folds, and the greatest physician the world has ever known stand helpiess before it. As the last fold goes around the struggling victim and the doctor shakes his head and whispers "Bright's Disease," hope fades to nothing, and the sorrowing friends feel that death has marked their loved one for its own.

The alarming increase this terrible disease is making is evidenced by the columns of almost every newspaper. For hot among the lowly of the earth alone does it look ffor its victims. Statesmen, judges, eminent appears and harmore divines are

the earth alone does it look for its victims. Statesmen, judges, eminent lawyers, and honored divines are numbered among those who in recent months have gone down to their graves with the fell marks of this dread disease upon their bodies. In fact, so prevalent has the disease become that a celebrated New York specialist stated recently that not one person in a hundred was free from some taint of Kidney Disease.

WORKS IN SEGRET. WORKS IN SECRET.

It is the secrecy of Kidney Disease that makes it the more dreaded. You can fight an enemy in the open with some chance of success, but if he is lying in wait to take you at with some chance of success, but at he is lying in wait to take you at an unwary moment your chances of successfully fighting him are terribly d'minished. So it is with Kidney Disease. Its first warnings are so faint as to be hardly noticeable, a slight pain in the back that is charged up to over exertion, a slight discoloration of the urine or a burning sensation while urinating that hardly attracts attention. That is all. But that means that Kidney Disease is at work gradually eating its way into your system. The pain in the back grows more severe, the urinary trouble more complicated, swellings under the eyes and of the limbs denote the coming of Dropsy, sharp shooting pains in the joints and muscles tell that Rheumatism has 'you in its grasp, or 'perhaps a day or two's illness leads to the calling of the doctor, and suddenly the terrible truth is forced upon you. ing of the doctor, and suddenly the terrible truth is forced upon you— Bright's Disease has you in its grasp. WAY OF ESCAPE.

With this silent, relentlesss enemy slowly but surely eating its way into prominence and making that prominence by a yearly increase in the length of its death list, the demand of the day, of the hour, is "Show us the way of escape." Nature never put mankind in a critical condition without providing a way of escape—providing mankind were wise enough to take the way provided. In this case the way of escape is a simple vegetable remedy. It has been before the people of Canada for thirteen years, and like all the great relievers of nature, has been first received and first appreciated by the lowly in life, those known as the common people of Canada.

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### ON WITH HIS WORK.

ON WITH HIS WORK.

And so it is; the man who does manual labor must heal his slightest aches or they hinder him in his work. When he has backache he cures it with Dodd's Kidney Pills, and goes on with his work; when he feels a twinge of Rheumatism he drives it out of his body with Dodd's Kidney Pills—and goes on with his work. Necessity has taught him that he must cure his Kidneys to get rid of his pains, for he must work to that standpoint where a perscription to cure must be written hy a specialist at a cost of dollars to every letter. He may not even know that there never was a disease that took in all classes of the community but what nature provided a cure within the means of all classes of the community. What he does know is more fo the point than all this. He knows that Dodd's Kidney Pills and ad only taken six boxes when I was completely cured.

Of course, there were exceptions to every rule. Even among common to the Kidneys, there were exceptions to every rule. Even among common

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BRIGHT-S DISEASE CURED
Br.ght's Disease has invariable yielded to a treatment of Dodd's Didney Pills, no matter how firm a hold it had secured on its victim. Possibly the most talked of case of recent date is that of Alice MaudParker, of Shubenscadie, Hants Co., N. S. The full story of this case will be found in the current number of Dodd's Magazine, Herewith a short statement from the young lady's mother is appended;
Two doctor's pronounced my daughter's illness Bright's Disease, and gave her up to die. Her cyclids swelled till she could hardly see; her legs from her ankles to her knees swelled. Her belt in health in health was 26 inches, when she was at her worst if was 48 inches. Then also proposed in the content of the second in the content of the second in the could hardly see; her legs from her ankles to her knees swelled till she could hardly see; her legs from her ankles to her knees swelled till she could hardly see; her legs from her ankles to her knees swelled till she could hardly see; her legs from her ankles to her knees swelled till she could hardly see; her legs from her ankles to her knees swelled till she could hardly see; her legs from her ankles to her knees swelled till she could hardly see; her legs from her ankles to her knees swelled till she could hardly see; her legs from her ankles to her knees swelled till she could hardly see; her legs from her ankles to her knees swelled till she could hardly see; her legs from her ankles to her knees swelled till she could hardly see; her legs from her ankles to her knees swelled till she could hardly see; her legs from her ankles to her knees swelled till she could hardly see; her legs from her ankles to her knees swelled till she could hardly see; her legs from her swelled till she could hardly see; her legs from her swelled till she could hardly see to the swell she swelled till she swelled till she swelled till she swelled BRIGHT-S DISEASE CURED

Her belt in health in health was 26 inches, when she was at her worst if was 48 inches. Then she gave up another treatment and started to take Dodd's Kidney Pills. By the time she had taken the first box I saw a change. It took a long time to bring her back to perfect health, but Dodd's Kidney Pills did it. Tomy daughter is in perfect health.

Mrs. T. G. Parker,
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DIABETES CURED.

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Diabotes is unother of the most fearful and fatal forms of Kidney Disease that has been oured by Dodd's Kidney Pills, and by no other medicine. Idmong those cured of this terrible ailment is Mr. Charles Gilchrist, for fifteen was Chief.

Thie ailment is Mr. Charles Gilchrist, for fifteen years Chief of Police of Port Hope and afterwards for twenty-two years Fishery Overseer under the Domanion Government. He makes the following statement;

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## Chas. Gilchrist. Ex-Chief Coast and Fishery overseer Port Hope.

HEART DISEASE CURED

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Heart Disease is a reseat of Kidney
Disorder. Bad Kidneys mean impure blood, the action of impure blood
on the heart causes Heart Disease.
Dodd's Kidney Pills cure it:

I suffered for years with Heart
Disease, Bright's Disease and Rheumatism. I was so feeble I was unable
to do anything. There were three
months I abandoned all medicines,
and resolved to let myself die. Then
I was led to try Dodd's K.dney Pills,
and the good the first box did me
suprised me. I have taken twenty
boxes in all, am well of my Heart
Disease, my Bright's Disease and my
Rheulmatism. Rheulmatism.

### Dame Louis Provosts. St. Magloire, Que DROPSY CURED.

Dropsy, another disease caused by diseased Kidneys failing to do their work and remove the surplus water from the blood, is another ailment Dodd's Kidney Pills always cure. Here

is an example; I has a tways cure here is an example; I was a total wreck before I start-to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. In the mornings before I got out of bed I could hardly put my feet to the floor they were so much swollen with dropsy. My arms used to swell at times so that I could not put on my coat. I had to be tapped to be relieved from my terrible pains. On the advice of a friend I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. Before I had finished the second box I felt much better. Seven boxes cured me completely. I don't know what it is to be sick since I used Dodd's Kidney Pills.

## George Robertson, 392 St. James St.

of the community. What he does know is more to the point than all this. He knows that Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure all aches which experience has taught him come from the Kidneys. He takes Dodd's Kidney Pills, and goes on with his work. SOME EXCEPTIONS.

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## Auction Sale of Household Furniture

Andrew Thomson, Jr., auctioneer, has received instructions from Mr. T. D. Niven, who is giving up house keeping, to sell all his household effects at his residence, Victoria Ave., corner of Gladstone, on Tuesday, May 3rd, at one o'clock, consisting of drawing room parlor, dining room and kitchen furniture, the latter including new gas range, the contents of three bedrooms, a camping outfit, including a modern charcoal stove with oven; refrigerator, garden tools, etc., etc.

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### SATCHEL OF THE SATELLITE

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Those Hoo-Hoos ought to be purr"-ty lot.

Fred H. Brisco.—It's hard some-imes to find time.

This ninety-nine and nine associa-ion is an odd affair.

Question-Why are the Hoo-Hoos like pretty women? Answer - The figures cut quite a bit of ice.

is put in an asylum she is not considered dead in the eyes of the law.

Some of those Old Boys, when they come home, won't know the old town, but the old town will know them.

I guess that hotel-keeper, who was fined \$30 and costs for shaking dice in his bar, thought that the fine at least was loaded. The Hoo-Hoo's will make merry at the Hotel Garner Friday night, but you can't be a Hoo-Hoo without mon-ey to the amount of \$9.99.

The Old Boys are coming home for the celebration. The home boys will make them think, however, that they never knew what a good time was

John Dittmar—It vas somedimes be-fore I foretell onything again vat-ever und I vas thinking it vas dime some more. We vill have un snow storm again this month before next month comes. You'll see.

Ald. A. B. McCoig—No, the road-scraper wasn't out Saturday and it would have done no good had it been. Too much money has been wasted scraping the roads in the past. Pro-bably the roads will be scraped at the end of the week if they dry up.

P. C. Groves.—I was out after a time yesterday but I didn't get it. Had I caught the fellow who had the time piece, he would have done time. When the fellow left the house, time. When the relief west time but some one elses and that's how he got out of sight so soon.

The father of a Maple City lad of six, purchased his son a bicycle. The other day the boy was crossing the park bridge when the wheel came off the bicycle and the ball bearings rolled out and into the creek. The lad was quite angry about it and was telling his troubles at dinner. "That was a mice wheel you bought me," re-marked the lad. "When I was commaxicu the lad. "When I was com-ing over the park bridge to-day the front wheel came off and pall-bearers rolled into the creek." The child's statement disturbed the gravity of the household.

### NOT HIS OWN GUIDE.

Henpeck-I did think when I was married that I might have my own way once in a while.

Henpeck—Not me. I'm a Mrs.-guided man.—Philadelphia Press.

## DID HE?

When Father Adam tilled the ground,
And sowed the virgin mold—
Whilst every growing thing around a
Gave yield a thousand-fold
Did he, in springtime, always run
To Eve, with visage pale,
And hoarsely bellow, "We're undone,
The peach crop's going to fail?"
—Puck.

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## \*WORLD OF SPORT \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

### FOOTBALL

Sporting Editor Planet, Chatham:

Dear S.r,—The management of the Chatham football team say that the Darrell and Kent Bridge teams have

Chatham football team say that the Darrell and Kent Bridge teams have amalgamated for the simple reason that Chatham had put forth so strenuous an effort to scrape the province for players to give it first place. The latter portion of the prediction is not an exact reproduction of the original but, nevertheless, the exact meaning is interpreted. We have failed to see the amalgamation and are at any rate wondering what the product will be.

From the foregoing statement we are led to believe that Chatham are grieved that Darrell, instead of taking its usual stand, did not dissolve, and hand its members over to Chatham. It is perhaps too had that our inclinations are not in that direction. But we have entered the game with the full purpose of playing it honestly and as fast as kondition will allow. If two members of the Kent Bridge team elect playing with a country team, which, like other country teams, has difficulty in getting enough home men, they are doing a reputable act and show their interest in country sport.

S. G. KNIGHT.

Darrell, April 25, 1904.

FOR THE VONGUNTEN CUP. A meeting of representatives of the teams who will do battle for the the teams who will do battle for the VonGunten trophy this spring was held on Saturday in the parlors of the Canada Business College and full arrangements were made for the coming season. Mr. McNeal science master of the R. C. I., represented Ridgetown, Messrs. Causgrove and Morris represented the Business College, and Messrs. Sissoms and Oliver the Collegate Institute.

A protest and dispute committee composed of Principal Little, of the R. C. I., Mr. Galbraith, of the C. B. C., and Mr. Jewett, of the C. C. I., was appointed to decide re the

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I. was appointed to decide re the
standing of any player throughout
any of the games.

The following schedule was drawn,
the games to be played on or before
the dates mentioned:

May 7-R. C. I. at C. B. C.
May 14-C. B. C. at C. C. I.
May 20-C. C. I. at R. C. I.
May 24-C. C. I. at R. C. I.
May 28-C. B. C. at R. C. I.
June 4-R. C. I. at C. C. I.

### LAWN TENNIS

LEAGUE ORGANIZED. meeting of the delegates of the stern Ontario Tennis Clubs was ned in Chatham on Saturday atter-noon, for the purpose of forming a league and drawing up a schedule. The following were present W. J. Fjoucan, Bothwell; J. K. Dunean, Thamesville; Mr. Reycraft, Ridge-town; and M. D. Fraser, Chatham. The following officers were elected: President—John Puddicombe, Both-

well.

Sec.—M. D. Fraser, Chatham.
Executiuve—C. A. Maybew, Thamesville; G. A. Mourison, Ridgetown; W. J. Finaucan, Bothwell.

As the Chatham Club will have the strongest membership in its history this season, it is confidently expected that they will put up a big fight to land the league trophy. As Mr. W. E. Rispin has also donated a gold medal for the local club champonship, lots of rivalry may be looked for. Play will commence as soom as the grounds can be put into oon as the grounds can be put into

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The schedule:
May 24 and July 27.—Ridgetown at
Chatham, Bothwell at Thamesville at
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June 15 and Aug. 17.—Ridgetown
at Bothwell, Thamesville at Chatham.
June 22 and Aug. 24.—Chatham at
Ridgetown, Thamesville at Bothwell. July 6 and Sept. 7.—Ridgetown at Thamesville, Bothwell at Chatham. July 13 and Sept. 14.—Bothwell at Ridgetown, Chatham at Thamesville.

### BASEBALL

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### WHAT NOW?

Will the Summer of 1904 Be Like This ?-A Pessimistic Retro-

John McNabh writes to the Port Elgin Times: The winter we have just passed through has been a very severe one, although a resident of this country for the past 53 years I have never seen anything like it. However, there are instances in this country of there are instances in this country or winters that not only lasted longer, but the cold was more intense and the snow falls greater. Notably the year 1816. I will give you in detail the weather accounts during the months of that memorable year: January, very mild, fires almost needless. Twelfth month previous was very cold.

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February, not very cold.
March, cold and boisterous.
April, began warm, but grew colder as the month advanced, ending with snow and ice.

May, buds and fruits were frozen,

May, buds and fruits were frozen, ice formed half an inch thick, corn was killed and replanted again and again, until deemed too late.

June, very cold, frost, ice and snow were common. Snow fell to the depth of 10 inches in Vermont.

July, accompanied by snow and ice

ice.

August, ice formed an inch thick. In New England and Middle States, very little corn ripened.

September, two weeks of mild weather, after the middle cold and frosty. Ice formed quarter of an inch thick

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November, cold and blustry, snow fell so as to make good sleighing.

December, mild and comfortable.

The above is a brief summary of the "Cold Summer of 1816" as it was called, the year showing the remarkable record of frost and ice every month therein. The sun's rays seemed to be destitute of heat throughout the year and all nature was clad in a sable hue. The average wholesale price of flour during the year was thirteen dollars per barrel in Philadelphia.

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