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| Maduson Square Root Garden, and had showed the memoranda to his counsel and to Mr. Garvan. They both said it was good. Mr. Smith was excused and Abraham Hummel once more took the stand.

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INNOCENT?

Very Startling Evidence

DAMAGING TESTIMONY

Smith, Stanford White's brother-in-law, was called again as a witness in the Thaw trial yesterday morning. Mr. Smith was tardy in arriving and Mr. Jerome summoned Abraham Hum-mel to the stand. Hummel had scarcely taken his seat when Smith put in his appearance. Therefore Hum-mel was temporarily excused and Smith took his place. Hummel had answered two ques-tions put to him by the district attor-ney. He said he knew Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, and saw her in the office on Oct. 27, 1903, following her return from Europe. Mr. Smith was ques-tioned by Mr. Delmas for the de-fence, having been recalled to testify as to the cablegram he received from District Attorney Jerome early in Feb-ruary; summoning him to return to this country.

ruary; summoning him to return to this country.

Mr. Smith said he did not have either the original of the cablegram or a copy. Mr. Jerome offered a letter-press copy, but Mr. Delmas refused to accept this. "As I remember the message." said Mr. Smith, "it read, "Your evidence most important. Your attendance desired."

Mr. Smith said he returned on Feb. 17 last, and met Assistant District Attorney Garvan on the 19th, Mr. Smith said he had reduced to writing his conversation with Thaw on the Madison Square Roof Garden, and had showed the memoranda to his counsel

Mrs. Thaw's Statements.

"Did Mrs. Thaw tell you that Thaw wanted to injure White and put him in the penitentiary, and that Thaw had begged her time and time again to swear to documents he had prepared, involving White, and charging that he had drugged and ruined her; and that Thaw had beaten her because she would not sign the papers?" asked Mr. Jerome.

Mr. Delmas interposed to ask Hummel, if at the time of the conversation with Miss. Nesbit, he was acting as her legal adviser and attorney.

"I was acting only for Stanford White," replied the witness.

Evidence Vastly Important.

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"The material issue here," argued Mr. Jerome, "is whether Evelyn Nesbit Thaw told Thaw the story in Paris that she told on the witness stand. If I can show that the woman under solemnity of an oath absolutely denied that she told Thaw any such story; that she repelled his demands that she should sign papers making such false charges against White; that Thaw was so angered at her refusal he beat her; stripped her naked and beat her; these are the things which must have weight with the jury and beat her; these are the things which must have weight with the jury as to whether she told Thaw the story which is said to have driven him insane and which has been the basis of the theory of experts that this defendant is insane."

"Stanford White did not drug me," she said, "Stanford White did not touch me." She withstood Thaw's lashings and beatings because the story which Thaw wanted her to swear to was not true. Stanford White never harmed her.

strongly on the truth of her statement that she told this story to Thaw in Paris, and that it unbalanced his mind."

mind."

The court adjourned at the close of the morning session until to-day in order to allow counsel time to look up the authorities in reference to the hypothetical question it is proposed to put to the scientists. It is expected that the case will reach the jury on March 37.

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HON. DR. REAUME HEARS **DEPUTATION FROM CHATHAM**

Abe Hummel Gives Some It Is Expected That Some Action Will Follow Relative P. H. Bowyer Brings In A To Some Means For Preventing The Annual Spring Freshet-Clements Persistent

Some of the members of the Kent lowed, the latter presenting photo-

Some of the members of the Kent Thames cut-off deputation, which made representations before the Minister of Public Works at Toronto yesterday, Afrived home last hight, and the balance are expected to arrive in the city at noon to-day. Ald Charles Austin, Warden Somers, Clerk Gosnell and Reeve Irving came home on the 9.55 last night.

Hon. Dr. Reaume, Minister of Public Works, was quite a busy man yesterday. When the deputation from Chatham arrived they found that he was busy listening to representations, being made by a deputation from Sturgeon Falls. It was eleven o'clock before the Kent deputation gained an audience. The local deputation was twenty-six strong all told.

All the representatives from the city and county were present with the exception of John Piggott and Reeve Crawford, who at the last moment got word to attend the W. E. & L. S. R. R. suit which is being tried in Windsor.

The deputation was introduced to the Minister of Public Works by Philip H. Bowyer, M. P. P. for East Kent. Ald. J. G. Kerr was first called upon to read the joint petition coming from the city of Chatham, the county, and the various local towns, villages and municipalities affected by the yearly spring freshets. Ald. Kerr also presented the Minister with a printed statement of the damage done by these floods. Warden Somers and Reeve Griffith, of Thamesville, fol-

THE LOCAL OIL FIELD'A WHIRLWIND OF ACTIVITY

Demand For Casing Exceeds Supply-Romney's Ten New Wells-Tremblay Well Said To Be Making Good Showing

ply companies have sprung up and are doing a successful business in Chatham and vicinity, and though trainloads of supplies are arriving daily, it has been found almost an impossibility to meet the ever-inimpossibility to meet the ever-in-creasing demand for casing, piping, etc., from the Romney and Tilbury oil fields.

bills to give a fixed assessment to a new Ottawa hotel and to validate a debenture bylaw of the Ottawa separations and yet 'tis said on good authority that the local fields pressur hundreds of possibilities for enterprising men. There are a few Canadians taking advantage of the opportunities offered, but American capital and enterprise predominates in the veritable whirlwind of activity which has suddenly evidenced itself in the local fields.

Almost every day the names of some new American capitalists may be seen on the local hotel registrars, and some of the representatives of Uncle Sam's oil kings have lately found that they have more business to look after than they can very well handle.

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F. E. Schaffer, of this city, has farm, concession 3, Tilbury. Drilling operations were commenced yesterday.

Brobert Robertson expected that the would come in yesterday, but on account of the delay in getting casing found that they have more business to look after than they can very well handle.

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in the city this morning, declared that he has never before seen any-thing like the activity which is so much in evidence in Romney and Tilbury.

"There are oil men everywhere apparently," he said, "and you hear nothing but oil talk, leases and contracts. I tell you there is going to be a bigger boom there this summer than anyone at present imag-

It has been pointed out by local men interested in the field that Chatham is not as alive as she ought The Maple City Oil and Gas Company's No. 4 well is now pumping at the rate of fifty barrels a day.

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A new well has been started on the searing a map of the surrounding district should be gotten out and supplied to business men for correspondence purposes. Some short phrases might also be used on these envelopes to draw attention to the great local oil industry.

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A new well has been started on the fetrault farm, Con. 7, lot 4, Dover Township. This is the second well that has been started in Dover: At the depth of 150 feet enough gas well.

NOTES FROM THE FIELDS. The Tremblay well was drilled in yesterday, and is reported to be proving itself a good well, although no definite information has yet been

There are now ten wells in the process of drilling in Romney. The Schuler and Partridge No. 3 well will be in to-day.

learned as to the showing it made

L .W. Hott intends starting a well Hott will commence operations im-

LIQUOR SALE TO MINORS

Very Important Amendment

BILLS IN LEGISLATURE

Toronto, March 14 .- At the opening of the Legislature yesterday Mr. W. H. Hoyle (North Ontario), chairman of the Standing Orders Committee, took occasion to make the significant announcement that gross irregulari ties were being found day by day in petitions and private bills presented to his committee. "Promoters," declared Mr. Hoyle. "systematically disregard the regulations of the House regarding time of fyling and publicity of private bills." This should, in Mr. Hoyle's opinion, be penalized by the Government Mr. Hoyle added that the irregularities were usually those of the legal fraternity. At the morning session five important bills

those of the legal fraternity. At the morning session five important bills had to be laid aside because they did not fulfill the requirements.

"I am thankful the chairman has called attention to this matter," observed the Prime Minister, Hon. J. P. Whitney. "It is well known that great laxity has long existed among those who promote private legislation. Some country lawyer, like I was, comes along and appeals to his member. He is told he has failed to comply with the regulations. 'Oh, well,' he declares 'get it through any old way,' and so it goes along. The greatest possible publicity should be given to all private bills that every imaginable interest affected may be assured of due consideration. It may as well be distinctly understood that this wholesome rule cannot be set aside."

Mr. Preston Takes His Seat.

Mr. Preston Takes His Seat. Hon. J. P. Whitney and Dr. Smellie (Fort William) amid enthusiastic Government applause introduced Mr. W. A. Preston, to whom the courts recently awarded the Port Arthur seat. Mr. Preston sits on the end seat of the rear row to the right of the speaker.

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Mr. P. H. Bowyer (East Kent) introduced a bill amending the Liquor License Act. At present only a license holder or his employes are liable to penalty for selling, giving or supplying liquor to minors. The amendment is designed to cover all persons, excepting parent, guardian or physician.

Another clause is amended by Mr.

Another clause is amended by Mr. Bowyer's bill, making it necessary for any clubs under a Dominion charter desiring a license to obtain the same from the Provincial Secretary, instead of from the local license com-

missioners as at present.

Mr. McDougal (Ottawa) introduced bills to give a fixed assessment to a new Ottawa hotel and to validate a debenture bylaw of the Ottawa separate school board, which is slightly irregular.

measure.

Hon. Mr. Whitney did not concur in the referendum idea in the measure. It was a question that should be treated in a manly and virile fashion, because, after all, it was a mere mat-

Schaffer Bros. are again drilling
No. 2 in Raleigh township.

Hugh McDonald has start d a well
in Tilbury for the Central Oil and
Gas Company, and he is also cleaning
out the Murphy gas well.

because, after all, it was a mere may
ter of administration.

Hon. Col. Matheson said that the
thief objection was in the fact that,
under the altered conditions, the representatives of the people would not
be responsible to the people from the
list of December until the end of the

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was in 1891. Prolonged droughts were

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What it wants is the soothing attention of Putnam's Corn Extractor, which lifts out the very root and branch in short order. No pain and no after effect, just clean, wholesome oure — that's Putnam's. We must be sure to give due weight to the good side of every event that has two sides.

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selves many times over every year.

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New York, March 13.—Kidnappers written to a New York detective

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TELEPHONES
53- Editorial Room 102. THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 1907.

FLOODS IN THAMES VALLEY.

Chatham, and other points west of London have a representative deputation in Toronto to-day, whose purpose it is to enlist the sympathy of Premier Whitney in a scheme that is important to every district along the Thames River subject to floods.

The plan which the deputation will lay before the Premier is briefly the creation of a second channel for the river at a point from Thamesville, diverting a portion of the stream to Lake Erie. This, it is contended, would cause a more rapid current over the whole length of the river, and thus would permit the rushing waters to escape with a freedom that would annually save the country thousands of dollars.

The Government would do well to earnestly consider the matter. Whether it is within the province of the Ontario Government, or more properly belongs to the Public Works De partment of the Dominion, may be a question, but it is plainly the duty of one Government or the other to adopt any practical measure to end

the vexatious and costly floods in the Thames valley.—London Free Press.

LAURIER'S ABJECT BREAK—DOWN.

For months the Government press has been gloating over the prospect of the drubbing which Foster, Fowler, Bennett and Lefurgey were going to get when the insurance report came up for discussion in the House. They were going to be shown up, their wings would be clipped, all their future criticisms

TRENGTHY

Once you were robust, bright and happy. To-day you are dull, worried, failing in vitality and appearance. Just when you should be at your best you're played out and need a cleansing, fracing tonic. Your blood will soon redden, your vivacious spirit will soon return, you'll be systems with Dr. Hamilton's Pills. A truly wonderful medicine. It search truly wonderful medicine. Search truly wonderful medicine. It search truly wonderful medicine. It search truly wonderful medicine. It search truly wonderful medicine. Search truly wonde clipped, all their future criticisms discounted; they would be placed before the country as thoroughly discredited men. But-oh, most lame and impotent conclusion l—the premier meekly annonuces that really for the meat. Australia now ranks there is nothing in the report which reflects upon any member of parliament so seriously as to call for action by the House. Fowler's threat has proved sufficient to silence the Government and its supporters. One can imagine the suppressed rage of these shackled politicians. Their prey is just before them—and they cannot attack. Willing to wound, they dare not strike. After preparing fiery orations in denunciation of the wisk-days of those Conservative the wisk-days of those Conservative these sheep were first introduced in 1797, being of the Spanish the wickedness of those Conservative members, they suddenly find themselves muzzled. This episode will probably do more to lower the reputation of the Dominion Parliament than has anything that has happened since confederation. It is the first time that a Government and its supporters have been cowed and silenced by a threat that if they dare to do their duty the private vices of some of them will be exposed.-Hamilton Herald, Independent Liberal.

Premier Whitney has a poor opinion of such public libraries as have "fifteen trashy novels to any one standard work." He cannot understand why the people's taxes are spent in supplying fiction and other light reading to the idge class in prosperous communities. His mystification on this point is shared by a large number.-London Free Press.

licitous to see that the patron does not overlook the cutting machine. They Premier Whitney's sentiments are characteristic of his sound judgment and wholesome common sense. There is great room for improvement in the selection of the literature in Ontario library is public libraries. essentially educative. There books and magazines in our public libraries which could well be dispensed with. If the people's money is to be spent upon free reading, that reading should at least be of the best quality. Its selection should be based not upon price but upon merit.— Brockville Times.

JUST A LITTLE BIT OFF THE TOP

It is a question as to whether this is really an open winter or a premature attempt on the part of spring to make good.

However, Arch. McCoig could hard-ly expect his small-pox bill to be looked upon as much else but a rash measure.

written to a New York detective agency, apparently from some points in Canada, threatening to kill 4-year-old Horace N. Marvin, jr., of Kitte Hammock, Deleware, if \$1,000 in gold is not paid to them at once.

This is the second letter from the alleged kidnappers, the first, which was received yesterday, demanding the payment at some obscure point in Canada. There is only one woman who is getting her pictures more in the papers than Evelyn Thaw, and that is Lydia Pinkham. TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY,
Take LAXATIVE BROMO-QUININE
TABLETS. All druggists refund the
money if it fails to cure.
E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each

pr. Dana says that in one hundred years from now, women will have no arms. As he did not mention anything about the loss of tongues, we presume afternoon teas will not lose any of their present popularity.

McCoigism appears to be growing more and more synonomous with cheap blare and bombast. --

Break a thread in the border of virtue and you know not how much OUT-CLASSED. Lawyer-So you want a divorce you may unravel.

A MYSTERIOUS CARD.

Mark Twain's Odd Request and How Mrs. Cleveland Received It. When I was leaving Hartford for Washington upon one occasion my wife said: "I have written a small warning and put it in a pocket of your dress vest. When you are dressing to go to the authors' reception at the White House you will naturally put your fingers in your vest pocket, ac-cording to your custom, and you will find that little note there. Read it carefully and do as it tells you. I cannot be with you, and so I does It

the sympathetic, the fascinating. Sure enough, just as I had finished dressing to go to the White House, I found that little note, which I had long ago forgotten. It was a grave little note, a serious little note, like its writer, but it made me laugh. Livy's gentle gravities often produced from your husband, eh? On what ground? that effect upon me where the expert humorist's best joke would have fail-

ed, for I do not laugh easily.

When we reached the White House ground?
Fair Client—He's a prize-fighter.
Lawyer—Does he beat you?
Fair Client—Oh, no; but he insists
on doing all the talking. and I was shaking hands with the president he started to say something, but I interrupted him and said:

"If your excellency will excuse me I will come back in a moment, but now I have a very important matter to attend to, and it must be attended to at once.

I turned to Mrs. Cleveland, the young, the beautiful, the fascinating, and gave her my card, on the back of which I had written "He didn't," and I asked her to sign her name below She said: "He didn't? He didn't

"oh," I said, "never mind! We cannot stop to discuss that now. This is urgent. Won't you please sign your I handed her a fountain pen. "Why," she said, "I cannot commit myself in that way. Who is it that

didn't? And what is it that he didn't?" "Oh," I said, "time is flying, flying, flying! Won't you take me out of my and sign your name to It's all right. I give you my word it's

She looked nonplused, but hesitatingly and mechanically she took the pen and said:

"I will sign it. I will take the risk. But you must tell me all about it right afterward, so that you can be arrested before you get out of the house in case there should be anything criminal about this."

Then she signed, and I handed her Mrs. Clemens' note, which was very brief, very simple and to the point. It said, "Don't wear your arctics in the White House." It made her shout, and at my request she summoned a mes senger, and we sent that card at once to the mail on its way to Mrs. Clemens in Hartford.—Mark Twain's Autobiography in North American Review.

Water In Old London. London's original water supply, say the Chicago Daily News, was the river Thames, and every apprentice was supplied with a water tankard for trans porting liquid to the house. As early as 1479 there were "water thieves," "for in this yere a wex chandler in Fleet street had bi craft perced a pipe of the condit withynne the ground, and so conveied the water into his selar; wherefore he was jugid to ride thrugh the citee with a condit upon his hedde."
The first official water supply for Lonwas made in Germany. In 1582 Peter Maurice, a German, made an en-gine at London bridge by which water was conveyed in lead pipes to the citi-zens' houses, and he and his descend-

ants became rich on the proceeds. Christmas Island. "I spent last Christmas on Christmas island," said a globe trotter. "In the moraing I bathed in the sea and in the afternoon, dressed in white fiannel, aved tennis. Christma in the Indian ocean. It is always summer there. The thermometer never falls below 70 and never rises above or falls below to and never insections 200 in the shade. There's always a cool, pure wind from the southeast. Fresh fruit and flowers and vegetables are as plentiful in January as in July. the stomach. The disease is in the throat, nose and bronchial tubes. Inhale Catarrhozone to the spot where the disease really is—it clears This little paradise is nine miles long where the disasse tearly away foul secretions, stops discharges at once, purifies and heals the passages, literally annihilates every trace of catarrh. Nothing else is so direct and certain as Catarrhozone. Results guaranteed. Two sizes, 25c. and ten miles wide."

Treating the Insane. In 1796 William Puke, a Quaker, opened the first national asylum for opened the first national asylum for the insane in York, England. A few years earlier a Frenchman named Piyears earner a steman relation of the mentally deficient to the rank of human beings. Pinel's plan was that of nonrestraint, a system then unheard the defended of the system than the unheard that are the religiously as a of and, of course, to be ridiculed as a preposterous heresy. It is now being

He—Do you believe in long engagements? She—It all depends. He—I don't understand. She—If he has plenty of money and is inclined to be liberal a long engagement is the thing, but if he cannot afford boxes at the opera and such things I always make his regime very short.

Countering a Touch. "Don't you think you're wasting your time talking the value of econ omy to Blank? He hasn't any "I know, but I have."

There are stars so distant that a fly-ing machine moving at the rate of 500 miles an hour would require 500,000,-000 years to reach them.

THE STAGE

ANNOUNCEMENTS. (Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)

At the Brisco Theatre-Moving Pictures-Friday and Saturday.
Dora Thorne-March 18.

I should give you the warning by word of mouth now it would pass from your head and be forgotten in a few minutes."

It was President Cleveland's first term. I had never seen his wife, the young, the beautiful, the good hearted, the sympathetic, the fascinating. Sure enough, just as I had for the property of the sympathetic, the fascinating. Special Comic and Instructive Mov-

Bertha M. Clay's novel, "Dora Thorne," has been dramatized and Rowland & Clifford will present it here. The trace of the hand of a genuine artist is seen back of "Dora Thorne." Its distance, its splendid perspective, its rare colors, the careful working of the details of its various pictures give at first hand an artistic atmosphere to its production, which before has been often attempted, but rarely accomplished. In none of these scenes is there a blast of garishness, strong lights are never employed, forward the stage never employed, forward the stage is kept particularly free from set-ting, and the effective colors, ad-mirably chosen and perfectly blended, are the background tones. The ed, are the background tones. The artist who designed these pictures is not a stranger to the art galleries, for technique of the painter is herein imitatively employed to splendid advantage. The position of the players, the way in which Miss Sadie Marion plays Dora Thorne, works into the pictures with unusual fidelity of artistic standard. This beautiful and superior production of Bertha M. Clay's famous novel dramatized will appear at the Brisdramatized will appear at the Brisco Opera House on Monday, March 18th.

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FOR SALE-Moderate sized house with modern improvements, for sale, on Victoria Ave., at a bar-gain. Apply to Thos. Scullard or Planet Office.

HOUSES TO RENT-Two houses to rent on Grant street. Houses have just been rebuilt and are being papered throughout. Apply to Thomas Scullard, Victoria Block. FOR SALE-Desirable lot on Victoria

avenue, for sale, next to the resi-dence of W. R. Landon. Apply to Thos. Scullard or The Planet Of-

TO RENT-House containing seven rooms and bath; hot water heat-ing, electric lighting, good basement kitchen. For particulars apply next door, at Mrs. N. J. Bogart's, Ade-alide street north. RESILENCE AND LOTS FOR SALE

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Chatham P. O. FARM FOR SALE-Good 115 acre farm, Chatham Township, two and one-half miles from Chatham; or-chard, dwelling, barn and stable, granary and outbuildings, in good condition. Fleming & Harper,

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TO RENT—That new house, corner Gray and Lacroix streets, at pressure of the content of the conten

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Liverpool Wheat Futures Closed Low--Chicago Higher-Live Stock Markets-Latest Quotations.

Tuesday Evening, March 12.
Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day
d to %d lower than yesterday, and corn tres unchanged.

t Cbleago: May wheat closed le higher a yesterday. May corn 1/2e higher and outs 1/4c lower.

Leading Wheat Markets. May. July.
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81 81 % Toronto Grain Markets.

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Rye, bush ... 0 65
Liverpool Grain and Produce.
Liverpool, March 12.—Wheat, spot firm;
No. 2 red western witter, 6s 3d; No. 1 California, 6s 6d; futures, quiet; March, isomiral; May, 6s 3%d; July, 6s 2%d. Core, ispot, firm; American mixed new, se 6%d. American mixed, old, 4s 8½d; futures, esteady; March, 4s 4%d; May, 4s 5%d. Shoulders, square, dull, 42s. Lards, prime-western in tierces, easy, 47s 9d; American reduced in pails, dwil, 48s 3d. Peas, Cassadian, 6s 9d.

New York Dairy Market. New York, March 12.—Butter steady, the clanaged; receipts 10,676. Cheese farm unactually and the second to the control of the second to the se

CATTLE MARKETS.

Unchanged—Cattle Stendy, Rasier in U. S. Markets, Toronto Live Stock.

Toronto Live Stock.

Toronto, March 12.—Receipts of live istock at the city market since Tuesday, as reported by the railways, were 80 car loads composed of 925 cattle, 501 hogs, 346 sheep and 154 calves.

The quality of fat cattle was much the same as has been coming for some time, a few good ba, choice lots and many untageted.

Exporters, v. A few light exporters were offered and absught for butchers' purposes at \$5.25 per cwt. Bulls for export soid at \$5.25 fer cwt. Bulls for export soid at \$5.25 fer \$4.50 per cwt. Butchers was a sood demand for butchers

Mere was a sood demand for butchers cattle.

Laybee & McDonell sold 2 light experien, 1250 lise each, for butchers' perby 41 5525, and Maybee, Wilson & Hall
and 12 picked butchers', 1140 lise sach, at the list was the top for cattle of the sold picked butchers', 1140 lise sach at the list was the top for cattle of the sold picked butchers' sad good cows and at 13.75 to \$4.20; that to good cows and \$1.50 to \$3.00; cannares and common rough butchers' at \$1.50 to \$3 for cattle of \$5 per cwt. 1

Recelers and Stockers.

There were mone offered, at least there were none reported as being on sale as such, atthe there were many soid as fast that ought to have gone back to the farmers to finish.

Milich Cown.

About 40 milkers and springers soid at \$30 to \$55 each, and one was reported as being soid at \$50.

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East Buffale Cattle Market Bast Buffalo, March 12. Cattle scive and firm; prices uncharged. Vesis recepts, 100 head; active and 25c lower; \$4.25 te \$9.25. Hogs, recepts, 1400 head; fairly active; plgs, steady; others 5c to 10c lower; heavy and mixed; \$7.35; yorkers, \$7.35 to \$7.40. Sheep and lambs, recepts, 1000 head; active; lambs, \$5 to \$8.20, a few \$8.25.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago Live Stock, 48-12.
Chicago, March 12.—Cattle-Receipts, about 4000; market steady; plath to best steers, 44.25 to \$0.25; hefters, \$2.25 to \$5.25; cows, \$3.25 to \$5.25; bulls, \$3.25 to \$4.60; calves, \$2.50 to \$7.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.90 to \$7.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.90 to \$5.25.

Hogs—Receipts, about 21,000; market 5e tower; choice, heavy, abipping, \$6.95 to \$6.97½; light butchers, \$6.96 to \$6.97½; light putchers, \$6.96 to \$6.97½; light, aixed, \$5.90 to \$6.96; choice, light, \$6.96 to \$6.90; bulk of sales, \$6.00 to \$6.95; sheep and Lamba—Receipts, about 15.000; market steady to strong; sheep, \$5.25 to \$6.25; yearlings, \$6 to \$6.25; yearlings, \$6 to \$6.25; learning \$7 to \$6.25; yearlings, \$6 to \$6.75; lambs, \$7

Ex-President Dead. Paris, March 13.—M. Casimir-Perier, ex-President of France, died suddenly st II o'clock Monday night of embolism of the heart, at his residence on the Rue Nitet here. The ex-President had not been well for two or three days, but it was supposed he was suffering from influenza.—At about 5 o'clock Monday, an abrapt prostration occurred, the ex-President was taken to bed, Dr. Landousey was called in and the patient was given morphine injections. He did not respond to treatment and his death followed.

The Cabinet yesterday decided on a national funeral, but the family of the dead statesman declined the honor, in deference to his expressed wishes.

General Worried Odessa. General Worried Odessa.

Odessa, March 13.—It developed yeaterday that the recent transfer of Gen.
Meplucal, commander of the fortress
at Sevastopol, was due to the inhabitants of that city, who sent a petition, as their nerves were becoming
shattered through the danger which
they incurred whenever the commandant failed, but many citizens were
killed and wounded. Whenever he appeared in public there was a public
scurry for shelter.

Elgin Claims to Be Canadian. London, March 13.—(C. A. P.)—
Lond Eigh, addressing the Liverpool
Chamber of Commerce, referring to
his visit to Liverpool in 1854, said he
came seemtially as a colonial product, for he was then a Canadian boy
coming home. He opened the Colonial
Produces Exhibition at Liverpool yesterday.

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SALT RIVER.

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Salt river, sacred to defeated candi-dates, is a real stream. While not navigable, it is used every winter as an ice harbor by the towboats which go out of Pittsburg for the south.

Salt river empties into the Ohio above twenty-five miles south of Louisville. It is a small stream, which flows from the Kentucky hills to the great water, and is as tortuous, as crooked water, and is as tortuous, as crooked and as unpleasant to navigate as the mind can imagine. Yet it is navigated for a short distance from its fnouth by steamers of light draft. Flatboats and rafts are foated down upon its bosom. Before the civil war it was an important stream in the matter of bringing Kentucky whisky down in the flatboats to a point where they could be unloaded to a river steamer. Refactory slaves were generally assigned to tory slaves were generally assigned to the task of bringing these boats down,

as the work was arduous.

Salt river became a bugaboo among the negroes, and it was from the unpleasant character of the work on this river that "a trip up Salt river" came to be used in politics to express the destination of a defeated candidate.

There is not a river captain or pilot in Pittsburg who does not know Salt river, and there are few who have not sought shelter within its mouth when the ice was running out of the Ohio.

The salt name is supposed to have come from the salt springs which flow into it at its source. It is also said the name grew out of the fact that great quantities of salt produced in the Kentucky country are floated down this stream.—Fuel.

The Queer Little Ermine. The ermine is a queer animal. It is one thing in winter and another thing in summer. In winter its fur is as white as snow, and it is called the mine. In summer it turns a reddish brown on the upper part of the body and a light yellow on the lower part, and it is then called the stoat. This change is familiar to naturalists, but not to ordinary people, and the ermine and the stoat are therefore generally regarded as distinct animals. The fur of the ermine is much valued. At one time it was a mark of royalty, and the state robes of judges and magistrates were lined with it as an emblem of purity. The ermine is so cunning in its ways that it is almost as difficult to catch it as it is to "catch a weasel asleep." In fact, about the only way to capture it is to mark its course from to its home and then strew mud in its pathway. When the dainty, fastidious little animal reaches the point where the mud is strewn it will lie down and subject itself to risk of capture rather than smirch one of its snow white heirs,

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DROPS INSANITY PLEA. New Witnesses For Prosecution Will Prove Thaw Was Sane.

Prove Thaw Was Sane.

New York, March 13.—District Attorney Jerome has burned behind him all bridges leading to a lunacy commission, and has irresistably pointed his course towards proving that Harry K. Thaw was sane the night he shot and killed Stanford White, and that, being sane, his crime constituted murder in the first degree.

Within ten days or two weeks the case should be in the jury's hands.

Mr. Jerome yesterday played probably the strongest card he holds, evidence which came to his knowledge but a few days ago, and undoubtedly influenced him to abandon the idea of trying to send White's slayer to an asylum, and to seek a conviction under the criminal statutes.

The evidence came from Mrs. Stanford White's brother James Clinch Smith, who told a remarkably clear and succinct story of the events in Madison Square Garden the night White was killed, and of a long conversation he had with Thaw just prior to the shooting.

Acted as Though Sane.

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Acted as Though Sane.

It appears that Thaw sat for some time with Smith during the fateful first performance of "Mamselle Champagne," and discussed the play, Wall street common acquaintances, plans for the summer and many other things.

nings.

Thaw said he and his wife were go-Thaw sain he and his whe were going abroad later in the summer. There was no hint anywhere of Thaw's intent to inflict bodily harm upon any one. Mr. Smith did say, however, that Thaw, not having a reserved seat, roamed about the garden and continually looked in the direction of spot where he subsequently

and continually looked in the direction of spot where he subsequently killed White.

Mr. Delmas bitterly fought the introduction of this testimony for nearly two hours. He declared Mr. Smith was properly a witness-in-chief and should not be allowed to testify in rebuttal. Mr. Jerome replied that he had only known for a few days the real value of Mr. Smith's testimony and he appealed to the direction of the court to allow the testimony to go in.

New Evidence Admitted.

Justice Fitzgerald held that, in the interest of justice, the jury was entitled to all the facts. It was one of the most serious blows the judge has dealt the defence since the trial be-

gan.
Mr. Jerome said he would introduce as witnesses to day Abraham Hummer and his stenographer. Then, if his plans carried, he would conclude the state's case with the testimony of three experts, Drs. Austin Flint, Carlos MacDonald and William

It was agreed that after the defence had presented its sur-rebuttal, each side shall have one clear day for the summing up. The charge of the court will follow, and the consideration of the evidence by the jury.

The experts' evidence will not be reached before Thursday, and figuring upon the disposal of one a day, the last of the tro will not be examined until Monday next.

The defence will probably occupy the remainder of next week with surrebuttal and the summing up will probably begin Monday, March 25.

That would bring the charge to the jury on Wednesday, March 27.

SLIPS FROM COUNTY JAIL.

Tilisonburg Man Changes His Clothes and Escapes in Woodstock.

Woodstock, March 13.—Frederick Forbes of Tilisonburg, under sentence to serve one year in the Central Prison for larceny, escaped from the county jail here yesterday.

Spring housecleaning has been in progress at the jail for the last few days. Yesterday morning, while Governor Cameron was opening the rear fron door to take a ladder out, he noticed Forbes coming downstairs, and instructed him to go to the kitchen to get some water and start scrubbing.

The governor's attention was called elsewhere for a few minutes and, up-on returning, he noticed a door lead-ing out into one of the smaller yards

ing out into one of the smaller yaccures was open.

Looking out he saw a pile of jail clothes in the corner. A search was immediately commenced and Forbes was found to be missing.

Apparently he had on a suit of civilian clothes under his prison clothes and, upon reaching the smaller yard, had pulled his prison clothes off and run out into the outer ward and through the gates, which also were open.

open.

He is young and has quite a police record. He is of medium height, fair complexion and weighs about 150 lbs.

AIDING YANKEE INDUSTRY.

Scotch Criticism of the Iron and Steel Bounties. London, March 13.—Commenting on the revision of the Canadian tariff The Glasgow Herald refers to the "highly tavored" iron and steel in-

"highly favored" iron and steel industry, and says:

"We see American capital and enterprise being applied to the production of commodities in Canada, and with the aid of bounties the Dominion Government pitting those commodities against the products of British capital and enterprise." Americans are not deterred, but stimulated to renewed efforts by the new directions of the anti-dumping clause of 1904, which The Herald hints is likely to be canceled.

Holds Up Canada As Warning. London, March 13.—(C. A. P.)—Opposing the motion against Sunday
trading in the House of Lords, Lord
Lanadowne objected to any haste, remarking they had object lessons in
attempts made by France and Canada
to deal with the question.

Beigians and Dutch in Pact.
Brussels, March 13.—The Beigian
and Dutch commissioners are drawing
the terms of a cordial understanding amounting practically to an abtice between the two comparies. iance, between the two cou

Two Members III At Ottawa.
Ottawa, March 13.—Dr. Stockton
M.P., St. John, and George Gran
M.P., Horth Ontario, are El.

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BIRD AND BEE.

Chase Almost as Rapid as Flashes

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In short, the bird and the hee con trolled the movements of their bodies more quickly and more accurately than he could control the movements of his eyes. The chase was all over in half the time that it takes to tell it, but the excitement of a pack of hounds after a fox was no greater. The bee escaped, the bird giving up the chase and alighting on a twig. It couldn't have been chasing the bee for food, and there is no possible explanation of its attack except that it wanted all the honey itself.

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It goes without gainsaying that the British consular system enjpys respec and confidence not only in the British Empire, but all over the world. The energetic and constant protection of British interests in the most remote parts of the world as well as the tremendous extent of British comm are chiefly due to the ability and de votion to duty of the British consular corps, Reports of British gonsuls, which are not hidden in obsolete collections of official publications, but are immediately after receipt published at mediately after receipt published at a nominal charge—unless diplomatic neasons intervene—enjoy in business circles as well as among national economists the world over a large degree of popular favor.

The admission to the paid British consular service is not dependent upon octificates of higher schools or universities, but depends upon personal ex-

sities, but depends upon personal ex-amination. Hence the members of the consular corps are recruited from various callings. Some were originally pursulans. merchants, journalists. Former army officers are numerous. Former army officers are numerous, and still more numerous are file who started in life as clerks in some consulate or mission and subsequently passed the consular examination.

Conditions for admission vary conditions for admission vary according to the preference of the applicant for the East Asia or Oriental service or for service in other countries. To the examination for the consular service in the Orient and East Asia on ly Englishmen of the age of 18 to 29 years are admitted. They must be phyyears are admitted. They must be physically sound and unmarried. Conditions for the Oriental service (Turkey, Persia, Greece and Morocco) are: Penmanship, orthography, arithmetic, English diction, Latin, French and French correspondence, besides which the ap-plicant is examined at his option in plicant is examined at its opening the either Greek, Italian, German or Spanish. For the examination for service in China, Japan and Siam the following is required: Penmanship, orthography arithmetic, English diction. The applierithmetic, English diction. The appli-cant must also pass in geography, Lat-in, French and German, and in the prin-ciples of criminal, commercial and ad-miralty law. To the examination for consular service in other countries men from 25 to 50 years are admitted. They are required to be fluent in English and Trench speaking and writing, and are required to be little in English and French, speaking and writing, and must besides be perfect in a third Eu-ropean language, either German, Span-ish, Pontuguese or Italian. The appli-cant must also pass in admiralty and

commercial law and in mathematics.

The German Colonial Society, which has been agitating a reform in the German consular service, publishes as an example of British consular exam-inations the following task for applicants for the general consular service

made in 1894: made in 1894:
English diotion (time, two hours)—
"The Portuguese and Their Position in
Modern Europe," or as alternative, "In
Politics the Unexpected is the Rule."
Dieter in English

Dictate in English. French (time, three hours)-Transladictation.

Italian or Portuguese, or Spanish, Russian, Turkish, same as in French. Arthmetic (two hours and thirty minutes)—Twenty-six examples. Commercial law (three hours)—Then

Commercial law (three hours)—Then propositions, among them duties and authorities of the commander of a vessel, responsibilities of a chip owner in case of loss or damage to freight or passengers, what is to be done in the case of a protracted voyage when the claims against a vessel exceed her

After the examination is success passed the applicant for the East Asia service is at once sent to China, Japan or Slam to gain first of all knowledge of or slam to gain first of all knowledge of the language of the country and of the details of the service. He is given the title of student interpreter, and re-

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Our Mr. R. V. Carter will visit Chatham frequently in our interest and will be pleased to furuish you with any information you may desire, Correspondence addressed to him in care of the Garner House will receive careful attention.

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Read The G. H. J.

Minard's Liniment sures Distemper All men are born ignorant and some never outgrow it.

Coughs

Ask your doctor about these throat coughs. He will tell you how deceptive they are. A tickling in the throat often means serious trouble ahead. Better throat often means serious thook ancourage explain your case carefully to your doctor, and ask him about your taking Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Then do as he says. Get the best medicine, always. We have no secretal We publish the formulas of all our preparations.

Lowell, Mass.

he is attached as well as of the Turkish

Empire in general.
Successful applicants for consular Successful applicants for consular service in other countries are, as far as possible, first employed for some time in the foreign office in London to learn the details of diplomatic service. Subsequently they are given a trial as vice-consul, and after a service of at least two years in this position they may be promoted to consul, consul-general and even higher. Officials in this service are frequently transferred from one country to another, unlike the officials in the consular service of the Orient and East Asia. The practice shows that transfers are usually made to countries with the same language or approximately the same language or approximately the same conomic conditions. To equalize the difference between unhealthy or othsame economic conditions. To equalize the difference between unhealthy or otherwise disagreeable and the better positions, the officials of the former are not only promoted more quickly than the latter, but in the case of a number of countries two years' service are counted as three in regard to the right to a pension.

A law of May 6, 1896, provides that promotions must be strictly made ac-cording to merit. The age limit for actual consular service is now 65, formerly 70. If the age limit is reached merly 70. If the age limit is reached the retirement with pension is ordered unless the Secretary of State demands the retention in service. The consul is entitled, ay a rule, to one menth's vacation in each year; if he desires a longer vacation he receives half pay for the time lost. Only in very unhealthy posts two months' vacation in a year are sllowed.

allowed.

Whoever enters the British consular with £4,548,775 in 1892. It is estimated that on Dec. 31, 1906, the sliver coin with his whole soul to the task chosen. It is estimated that on Dec. 31, 1906, the sliver coin in circulation amounted to £24,000,000. He must be determined to place his life which is also Ep. per head, compared the disposal of the service, and how with 11s, 1d. in 1891. must expect to live until old age far away from the mother country. After twenty years of service he is entitled to retire on half pay, and if he has served forty-five years he receives eleven-twelfths of his salary as pen-

A Woman's Back

Has many aches and pains caused by weaknesses and falling, or other displacement, of the pelvic organs. Other sympment, of the pelvic organs. Other symptoms of female weakness are frequent headache, dizziness, imaginary specks or dark spots floating before the eyes, gnawing sensation in stomach, dragging or bearing down in lower abdominal or pelvic region, disagreeable drains from pelvic organs, faint spells with general weakness.

If any considerable number of the above symptoms are present there is no remedy

If any considerable number of the above symptoms are present there is no remedy that which we quicker relief or a more permajent case than Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescribes to the sa record of over forty years of cured. It is the most potent invigorating tonic and strengthening nervine known to medical science. It is made of the glyceric extracts of native medicinal roots found in our forests and contains not a dron of alcohol or harmful. or tains not a drop of alcohol or harmful, or

tains not a drop of alcohol or harmful, or habit-forming drugs. Its ingredients are all printed on the bottle-wrapper and at-tested under oath as correct. Every ingredient entering into "Fa-vorite-Prescription" has the written en-dorsement of the most eminent medical writers of all the several schools of prac-tice—more valuable than any amount of non-professional testimonials—though the non-professional testimonials-though the latter are not lacking, having been con-tributed voluntarily by grateful patients in numbers to exceed the endorsements given to any other medicine extant for the cure of woman's ills.

You cannot afford to accept any medicine

of unknown composition as a substitute of unknown composition as a substitute for this well proven remedy of known composition, even though the dealer may make a little more profit thereby. Your interest in regaining health is paramount to any selfish interest of his and it is an insult to your intelligence for him to try to palm off upon you a substitute. You know what you want and it is his business to supply the article called for. ness to supply the article called for.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original "Little Liver Pills" first put up by old Dr. Pierce over forty years ago, much imitated but never equaled. Little sugar-coated granules—easy to take candy. SECRETS OF MINT.

Profits on English Pennies, But There Are None on Pounds.

No wonder people are complaining that there is less money about; last year, according to the report of the Mint just issued, the amount of money coined in 1904. The figures for the two years are: 1904, £11,725,696; 1905, £7,-110,816.

The biggest falling off was in gold coin, the quantity minted last ye ing of the value of £6,500,000, con with £11,042,000 in 1904. Nevertheless

with £11,042,000 in 1904. Nevertheless, the total number of pieces struck last year was greater than in 1904, the figures being 95,787,730, compared with 55,137,437.

The gold coin issued during the year was of the value of £6,500,000, of which £5,000,000 was in sovereigns Against this, light coin of the value of £2,700,000 was withdrawn from circulation. The loss of £1,20d, per sovereign on this money was the lowest yet reached. Te money was the lowest yet reached. To make good the loss on these light coins there was an adjustment in March, and sufficient consols standing to the ore-dit of the colnage fund to realize £32,-677 9s. 1d., which was the amount of the deficiency, were sold.

The demand for silver, it is pleasing to the deficiency of the demand for silver, it is pleasing to the desired likely.

An interesting experiment was made to see how the summer holidays affected the transfer of silver coin from one locality to another. It was discovered that English banks loss £660,000, Welsh banks £21,000, while 2660,000, Welsh banks £21,000, while Scotland gained £26,000, and poor Ireland neither gained nor lost. Of the £680,000 or so withdrawn from the banks in England and Wales, nearly £300,000 was taken from the London district. The eleven coast counties from Bristol to Lancashire gained £45.000.

£ 45,000. £45,000,

The profit of the Mint in the year was £8,192, compared with a loss of £19,580 in 1904. This was partly brought about by an increased profit on the bronze coinage. Curious that it should pay better to make pennies

Story of a Lion.

That the lion is not always the roaring, tearing beast of legendary descrip-tion may be seen in the following extrant from the diary of a young Eng-lishman who is at present, says The Field, serving his country in Northern Nigerla: "I had just topped a long in-cline, and was walking my pony, when, on coming round a corner of the road, hidden hy some trees. I saw I hidden by some trees, I saw, 70 yards in front of me, basking in the sun on an open patch of burnt grass, a mag-nificent full-grown lion. The sun was not strong, and he was very, very lez-ily flicking his tall from side to side. He had a short mane, and his eyes were a lovely amber red in the weak sun-light. My first sensation was one of hight. My first sensation was one of astonishment, profound amazement and delight at seeing such a fine beast. He was a beauty, and it seemed impossible to realize that he was really wild as he lay on his side, looking at me with his head raised as a dog does when he hears his master's footstep. He was set to shutten clear courts and her as fat as butter, sleek-coated and glos-sy. It was not until I was actually passing him, which I did within 20 yards, that I realized that if the lion ook it into his head to fancy a bit of white man I should be unable to dispute him right. After I had proceeded so

150 yards the lion got up leisurely and followed along the road behind me, but after going about 100 yards he turned into the bush at the side of the road.

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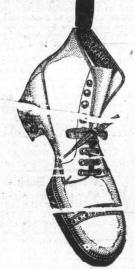
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Come While Last They

G. H. Redpath is in Wallaceburg to-day.

Charles Riddell left yesterday fo

Mr. Grant, of Windsor, is in the city to-day.

Geo. Stover, of Ridgetown, is a city

W. D. O'Leary, of Wallaceburg, is

S. C. Murray, of Wallaceburg, was a city visitor yesterday.

H. J. Terry, of Toronto, is in the city to-day on business.

Geo. McBeth, of Strathroy, city to-day.

Sudbury. W. Shea, of city yesterday.

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Special per G. N. W. Toronto, March 14.—11 a.m.—Northerly to westerly winds, clearing, and a little lower temperature. Friday,

LOCAL

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We, carry all the leading kinds of Trusses—Honest John, Welinore, English, Elastic, Etc.

OUR PRICES ARE REASONABLE; AND WE GUARANTEE A FIT.

H. Macaulay is in London on busi-

Miss Marian Fleming is visiting riends in Merlin.

There was a clean sheet at the Police Court this morning. James B. Baxter of Dresden, in the city on business yesterday.

Mrs. George R. Matthews, of Lon-lou, is the guest of Mrs. R. A. Hughes, Lacroix street.

Mrs. G. A. Gray, Lorne avenue, returns home to-day after spending a month visiting friends in Hamilton.

Miss Kidd, of Prince Albert, Sask., i who has been visiting friends in Til-bury, is the guest of Magistrate and Mrs. M. Houston.

Mrs. M. Houston.

A sacred concert will be given in Holy Trinity Church on Good Friday evening. It will be put on by the church choir.

The third and last number of the Lyceum Course will be given in the Brisco Opera House to-night, when Ernest Wray O'Neill will lecture on "Popular Fallacies."

Nellie Brown was taken to Kingston to-day. She will spend two years in the penitentiary. She left Chatham in charge of Sheriff Gemmill.

Mrs. John Foy, of Dover South, is visiting friends in the city, was in the city yesterday on business.

Miss Hattle Mount, of the post of-lice staff, is confined to her home through illness.

The Y. M. L. S. of St. Joseph's church held a monthly meeting in their hall last evening.

Chatham in charge of Sheriff Gemmill.

So far there has been no maple syrup offered for sale on the local market. Last year this produce was in evidence on the market in February. John Donovan, Baxter St., is confined to his home with pleurisy.

Dr. Smith, of Ottawa, is spending the day with his brother, H. D. Smith, William St.

Rev. F. E. Malott will lecture to the members of the league on Friday evening on the "Man in the Moon."

Miss Carmen Melntyre, daughter of E. J. MacIntyre, played last night in Long Island, N. Y., and plays tonight in New York city.

Chatham in charge of Sheriff Gemmill.

So far there has been no maple syrup offered for sale on the local market. Last year this produce was in evidence on the market in February. A number of farmers claim that they already have broods of spring chickens hatched out.

John Cartier, who has been identified with the Austin Store as mannager of the carpet department, and who is leasying for Victoria, B. C. where he has secured a similar position, was last night presented with a gold watch by the members of the staff. The presentation was made by this morning, said that some of the country thoroughfares are almost impassable on account of water and mud.

This evening, the address will be delivered by the pastor, Rev. A. H.

Austin & Company Store, of Dresden, was in the city last night. Two well known young men of the city were at Charing Cross overlook-to deat that place. They have decided to buy it.

The firemen were called out to Gray's carriage works at 5.30 this morning. The fire was caused by the decided to buy it.

The firemen were called out to Gray's carriage works at 5.30 this morning. The fire was caused by the covering on two electric wires. No damage resulted.

The country roads are said to be in very bad shape. Ex-Councillor Ross, of Tilbury, who was in the city last night.

The firemen were called out.

The fireme were called out to Gray's carriage works at 5.30 this morning. The fire was caused by the other wires. No damage resulted.

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, F. PARK & CO., Props.,

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EXPORT OF NIAGARA POWER

No Limit Placed On Companies By Federal Government

MR. HAGGART'S QUESTION

Ottawa, March 14.—The House spent three hours out of four yesterday afternoon in committee upon Mr. Aylesworth's bill to regulate the export of Niagara power. Almost the entire discussion was carried on by the Conservative members from Ontario, and there was a general desire to know what expression of opinion had been secured from the Provincial Government. Mr. Aylesworth seemed reluctant to produce the correspondence, but in reply to a request from R. L. Borden, read to the House this delphic utterance from Ontario's Premier.

omitting address and signature, the

Omitting address and signature, the letter read as follows:

"My colleagues and I find it very difficult to say anything definite with reference to your bill regulating the exportation of electric power.

"Under agreements with three companies we are entitled to have utilized in Canada when called for one-half the power developed by them.

"Should any agreement be made with the United States, affording the quantity of power to be developed on the Canadian side of the Niagara River, or should one or more of a number of other contingencies occur, our posttion would be a very complicated one indeed.

"Some arrangements with reference

complicated one indeed.
"Some arrangements with reference
to the quantities to be exported, and
the regulations and conditions of exportation under the approval of the
Provincial Government would be
necessary and might be the means of
avoiding some of the possible complications.

"No doubt great care would be necessary in working out any pro-

vision of this kind."

To Limit Expenditure.

The first Government business taken up was Mr. Aylesworth's bill respecting the exportation of electric power. Section four was amended so as to transfer the licensing power from the Minister of Customs to the Goy-

Hon. John Haggart asked what authority the Federal Government would have to permit exportation of Niagara power if the same was forbidden by the Ontario Government, who owned the land upon which the power was generated.

Mr. Aylesworth said that he had given the matter no thought. He presumed any land-owner could resist a trespass.

trespass.

Mr. Lancaster (Lincoln and Niagara) proposed an amendment limiting the quantity to be exported by
any licensee to the amount which he
is actually using in Canada, and requiring that there should always be
reteined in Canada a surplus of 25,000
horse-nower.

Mr. Aylesworth opposed this. Mr. Aylesworth opposed this. At Niagara the power companies would generate 400,000 horse-power. The Canadian market, in his opinion, amounted to only 40,000. But double that estimate, and why let the remaining 320,000 horse-power go to waste? That surely would not benefit Canada. It would be sheer, criminal waste. These vast power componies had made their great investments having in view the American market.

Good handy carpenter wanted at once, man who has enough experience to undertake making Dump Boxes. Apply to The Chatham Wagon Company, Limited.

REVIVAL SERVICES

Another large audience listened to the evangelistic sermon delivered by Mr. Arnold in First Church last evening. These meetings are proving very successful and helpful. Mr. Arnold's address was on "What does it mean to become a Christian."

fice Fifth street, Chatham.

ORENT—The roller skating privileges of the Chatham skating rink. Large, well lighted, centrally located. An excellent opportunity. Tenders will be received by J. G. Kerr. Secretary, Chatham.

The superb tailored appears to the control of the cont very successful and helpful. Mr. Arnold's address was on "What does it mean to become a Christian."

This evening, the address will be delivered by the pastor, Rev. A. H. MacGillivray, and the usual song service will be given. Mrs. MacGillivray will also sing a solo, the theme of which will have a dirrect bearing on the subject of the evening.

LADIES TOOK CHARGE

A prayer meeting was held at the William street Baptist church last evening and was wholly taken charge of by the ladies.

Several very interesting papers were read by the following ladies:
Mrs. R. Hanna, Mrs. M. Houston, Mrs. Merritt, Mrs. Oliver and Mrs. Hoig. The paper by Mrs. Hanna was on missions and was decidedly a master piece. Mr. Houston in a short address moved a vote of thanks to the ladies and made very favorable comments on the paper by Mrs. Hanna was on the paper by Mrs. Hanna Mrs. J. E. Oldershaw sang two very touching songs with much expression, which were well received by the audience. The meeting was presided over by Mrs. McDonald.

Think of your own faults and you will talk less about the faults of gthers. While down in Toronto yesterday

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Men's and Men's Hats latest Spring style in Stiff or Fedora Shape, ranging in price from \$1.50 to \$3.00-

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CAMPBELL'S OLD STAND NEAR BIG CLOCK.

REAUME RECEIVES THE

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promises with regard to the matter.
But, Mr. Clements added, that he had
very favorable assurances from the
Government at Ottawa, that if the
Ontario Government would undertake
the work, the Dominion Government
would assist.

Hen. Dr. Reaume said that he was
greatly impressed by the facts laid
before him by the deputation, as well
as by his own wersonal observation

condition of affairs which prevail at the present time.

This was as much as the deputation could expect from the Minister at the present time, and they retired highly pleased with the courteous hearing they had been given, and delighted with the intelligent grasp the Minister proved himself to have of the subject. They hope that the matter will now be speedily brought to a definite conclusion.

GRAND OPENING

Wonderland, Saturday March 16; efined entertainment for ladies, entlemen and children. Admission

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED-Two or three first class mechanics at the Chatham Motor Car Company. WANTED-Capable young man, with good education, to learn telephone business. Apply Frank D. Laurie. WANTED - Experienced saleslady been much favored. with some knowledge of bookkeeping. Apply Box 576.

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raised weite stripe full 32 inches wide, at 25c per yard. Fancy Check Zephyrs in all colors, good wash material, 30 inc. wide, at 15c per yd.

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One Piece Mercerized Table Damask, 66 in. wide, reg. 60c cloth for 45c per yd.

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In placing our import order for 1907 early last season for Long Gloves we were fortunate to procure a very special line in a Suede Lisle. This glove has the appearance of a kid, and is a glove to wear also. Good fitting. We will make a special of this line, in all colors, tan, grey, white, brown and black.

All Sizes, 69c Pair.

Ladies' Garments

before him by the deputation, as well as by his own personal observation, and the representations made by Messrs. Clements, Sulman and Me-Coig. He promised to give it his earnest consideration, with a view to taking steps in arranging for a survey, preparing plans and specifications, and ascertaining what the requirements would be to alleviate the condition of affairs which prevail at the present time.

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The practical features of this costume will commend it for general wear.

The Jacket which is double fitted fronts and a tight fitting collar are trimmed to match. Tipped seams provide

neat tailor finish The Skirt is a perfect hang- \$10.00ing flare model.

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and short sleeves are prettily \$10.00on farm: one married and one untrimmed with braid. The married. Apply to A. J. Dunn, Office Fifth street, Chatham.

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silk is single breasted. Braid is applied down the front and breasted, displays half loosly back. The elbow, cuffs and

This Jacket is of fawn novelty covert cloth, narrow straps of the material trim the front and back and epaulettes are Jacket is smoothly fitted and applied to give the fashionable

This Jacket of handsome black broadcloth is tight fitting and double breasted, narrow straps of the material cover each seam. Cuffs are also

A Tourist model in light forms the trimming. The grey novelty cloth, double Skirt shows 13 gores and the breasted, collar and cuffs are alternate gores are pleated and finished with narrow silk braid.

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Nice Wash Belts with several styles of embroidery, removable steel buckle, all sizes, 15c each. Wash belts of Linen, handsomely embroidered in islet or satin stitch with gold plated buckle, 50c each.

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TO-NIGHT

Lyceum Course, Brisco Theatre ,at o'clock. Daughters of Rebekah, in their hall, Oddfellows' Temple, at 8.

Court McGregor, No. 6, I. O. F., in their hall, at 8.

Evangelistic services will be con-lucted in Park St. Methodist S. S. Special service in First Presbyterian Church, commencing with a song service at 7.45.

Local Branch, No. 21, Association of Steam Engineers, Eberts' Block,

at 8 o'clock.

Regular meeting of Wellington
Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, in
Masonic Temple, Scane's Block, at 8.

LOCAL

Mrs. Bruce Hill, King street, is in known contractor, was in the city Ridgetown visiting her mother-in-cord.

First class dress and mantle making over Cooper's stationery store; prices reasonable.

Mrs. Wm. Fairbanks has returned

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over this morning, remarked that he did not think they were heavy enough

J. M. Thompson has disposed of his ruit store to Zakoor Bros.

Wm. Singer, of Chatham, was in the city Monday.—Windsor Record.

Rev. Rural Dean Robert McCosh has been called to Ottawa on business.

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Miss Heien Martin, Elizabeth street, was given a surprise party by a numnumber of her school friends on Monday evening. A source of the school friends on Monday evening. A source of the school friends on Monday evening. A source of the school friends on Monday evening. A source of the school friends on Monday evening. A source of the school friends on Monday evening. A source of the school friends on Monday evening. A source of the school friends on Monday evening. A source of the school friends on Monday evening. A source of the school from the sate of the school friends on Monday evening. A source of the school friends on Monday evening. A source of the school friends on Monday evening. A source of the school friends on Monday evening. A source of the school friends on Monday evening. A source of the school friends on Monday evening. A source of the school friends on the late W. C. Monday evening the wild be the street of the school friends on the late went the street of the school friends on the late went the submart of the school friends on the late went the street of a source of the school friends on the late went to compete the source felabby and weak and you have to resort to artificial help. It is the same cate in the schools, if not the flood you was that it soon becomes able to care for all the food that is.

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Lobbying Story In Connection With Power Bill Is Denied-Oil Exempt From Taxation-Natural Gas Used For Domestic Purposes Gets Rebate of Ninety Per Cent.-Prime Minister Assures Fair Dealing.

Toronto, March 13.-The reiterated Toronto, March 13.—The reiterated rumors, which seem to have grown, rather than diminished, regarding alleged "lobbying" in connection with the consideration of the power clauses of the Ottawa bill in the Private Bills committee last week, called for further statements from Messrs. Ferguson (Grenville), McGarry (Renfrew) and McDougal (Ottawa), three of the members concerned, at the opening of the Legislature yesterday afternoon. They also elicited from Mr. Lucas, the chairman of the committee, who gave the casting vote against the members in question, a statement

who gave the casting vote against the members in question, a statement that, while he did not agree with the position they assumed, he was satisfied that the vote was the result of an honest difference of opinion.

Mr. Ferguson, who spoke first, regretted that the feeling seemed to be extending that there was something improper about the vote. This, he believed, was the fault of the newspapers in Toronto which in both their news and editorial columns took a position which was unfair and incorrect in reference to the matter. He rect in reference to the matter. He gave the House his word that he had been in no way approached by any corporate interests nor had there been any attempt at lobbying so far as he was aware. There was no one keen for the people's rights as against er for the people's rights as against private corporations than he.

Mr. McGarry thought it was unfair that his explanation made to the Honse previously, had not been ac-cepted. He repeated his statement that he had acted of his own accord in what he deemed the best interests

that he had acted of his own accord in what he deemed the best interests of all concerned.

Opinion Was Honest.

Mr. Lucas, the chairman of the committee, said he district from the position assumed by the members in question, but he felt sure it was all honest difference of opinion.

Mr. McDougal read an interview with the Mayor of Ottawa in which he stated he was convinced that there was nothing improper in the vote, nor did it have any effect on the bill. Mr. McDougal also quoted Mr. P. D. Ross, the Conservative candidate at the last election as having declared that all disputes between the city of Ottawa and the Ottawa Electric Light Co. were finally settled, and there was no struggle now between the two.

Mining Taxation Bill.

Mining Taxation Bill

The House then went into committee on the mining taxation bill, Mr. McDougal maintaining that the tax should not be imposed on properties now paying royalties or percentages. Hon Mr. Cochrane said the opinion of the Attorney General, was that the measure was not a breach of faith an the part of the Legislature with those who had invested under the provisions of prior acts and amendments. Mr. Cochrane declared there was not a shipping mine in Cobalt

ments. Mr. Cochrane declared there was not a shipping mine in Cobalt that had not repaid actual money invested in developing and mining from the ore taken out of the mine.

Not in People's Interest.
To Mr. McDougal, who raised the question as to the taxation of oil, Hon. Mr. Cochrane reiterated his contention that the Government considered it would not be in the interests of the people to tax a commodity so

tertion that the Government considered it would not be in the interests of
the people to tax a commodity so
generally in use.

Hon. Mr. Graham could not quite
see why oil should be exempt if natural gas were taxed. The latter was,
in many sections of the country an
every day necessity to the people.

The Prime Minister said that oil
was exempted because it was a necessity in every rural home in the Province. On that proposition they were
prepared to stand. The bill proposed
to grant a rebate on the domestic use
of natural gas, which did away largely
with the objection.

Question of Royatties.

Mr. McDougal saked what was being dome in respect to mines which
were paying royalties. The Right of
"Way Mining Co. were, for instance,

were paying royalties. The Right of Way Mining Co. were, for instance, paying 25 per cent. on its output, were they to pay an addition of three per cent?

How. Mr. Cochrane said the percent-ages on output in such access are con-

Hon. Mr. Cochrane said the percentages on output in such cases were simply part of the purchase price. They had nothing to do with the tax one way or the other.

The profits above \$10,000 will be subject to a three per cent. tax, while the acreage tax will be two cents per leave or \$2 per 100 acres.

The evening session was devoted to a continuance of the discussion of the mining bill in committee. The tax on natural gas, which the Minister named at two cents per thousand feet, was taken into consideration.

Ninety Per Cent. Robate.

In response to a question from Mr. Preston (Brant), the Minister said the subste on the gas used for domestic purposes would be ninety per cent. of the tax. This would be equivalent in its operation to an export duty.

The Prime Minister pointed out that the tax meditated an imposition on the gas exported and would thus serve to keep the gas for the people of Ontario.

Mr. Preston argued that the tax

ed and four were captured.

Thos. Martin, M. P., Dead.

Ottawa, March 13.—Thomas Martin,

Liberal member of Parliament for North Wellington, is dead at the General Hospital, following an operation. He was ill only a week.

Mr. Auld instanced the cases of Kingsville and Learnington, which had made preparation at heavy cost for a supply of natural gas for municipal purposes. He claimed special consideration for such cases.

Hon. Mr. Cochrane pointed out that the cases instanced were those of ordinary commercial character. The plants were installed on a similar basis to those of an electric lighting that the cases of an electric lighting that the cases instanced were those of ordinary commercial character. The plants were installed on a similar basis to those of an electric lighting that the case of an electric lighting that the case of an electric lighting that the case of the conference.

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or other municipal plant, to which Mr. Auld retorted that it was against the spirit of municipal ownership.

Prime Minister's Retort.

Mr. Graham opined that the taxing of natural gas for municipalities was unfair and was a form of direct taxation.

"It is no use trying to work up any artificial indignation." quoth the a tificial indignation," quoth the Prime Minister. "Special cases call-ed to the attention of the Government

ed to the attention of the Government will be dealt with equitably."

Hon. Adam Beck characterized the Opposition as inconsistent. When in office they placed a heavy tax on every horse-power of electrical energy generated at Niagara Falls. The consumer was called on to pay it. Would the Opposition oppose a rebate of that tax if the Government should see fit to propose it?

"The question is whether an export tax is favored or opposed," declared Col. Matheson.

Mr. Harcourt argued that as there was no virtue in the 90 per cent. rebate, why not go further and place a higher percentage, to which Mr. Whitney retorted that if injustice threatened the Government would

threatened the Government protect those in danger.

THE TANNER'S COMBINE.

Mr. Fielding Denies That They Were Favored In the Tariff.

Ottawa, March 13.—Upon motion yesterday to go into Committee of Ways and Means, Armand Lavergne asked the Minister of the Interior if it was true that a bonus of 10 shillings was to be paid to booking agents for immigrants from Europe. Being answered in the affirmative he gave

it was true that a bonus of 10 shillings was to be paid to booking agents for immigrants from Europe. Being answered in the affirmative, he gave notice that he would bring up the matter for discussion on Thursday.

Dr. Thompson (Yukon) called attention of the House to the gratifying reports of the geological survey. It was estimated that the gold-bearing gravel in Yukon district would yield at least \$75,000,000. Dr. Thompson complained of the present form of Government, whereby six of the twelve members of the Legislative Council are appointed by the Dominion Government. He pleaded for full autonomy.

R. L. Borden discussed the curious anomaly that the funds of estates and other trust funds in Great Britain might be invested in bonds issued by Trinidad, Barbados, Ceylon and other British dependencies, but could not be invested in bonds issued by Ontario and Quebec and other provinces. He thought this due to the fact that the Imperial Government had no veto powe. Over provincial legislation Could not this difficulty be bridged by arranging the all provincial legislation respecting provincial legislation. Could not the ferred by it for diallowance to the Imperial authorities.

Mr. Fielding doubted if this would prove a remedy. The Imperial Government was very conservative, and there was a feeling in England that the trustee list should not be broadened. To do so would still further drive down the price for British compole.

The House then went into committee of Ways and Means.

A Soo Tragedy.
In committee Mr. Boyce (W. Algona) called attention to the fate of the Canadian Electrical Chemical Co. of Sault Ste. Marie, organized to manufacture bleacking powder and caustic soda for the manufacture of pulp and paper at the Soo. Three hundred thousand dollars had been invested and the company had a payroll of \$40,000. They desired a duty of \$5 per cent., and the Laurier Government had tolled them along until after the general election of 1904. The company was finally forced into liquicompany was finally forced into liqui-

company was finally forced into liquidation.

The item respecting boots, shoes, slippers, etc., was taken up. Mr. Fielding explained that the general tariff on finer shoes was increased from 25 to 30 per cent. Cheaper boots and shoes remain at 25 per cent. The boot and shoe industry in Canada paid in wages \$3,700,000 annually. The American competition is quite severe, about 25 per cent. of the fine grade boots and shoes sold in Canada being manufactured in the United States.

Hyman Didn't Help.

Hyman Didn't Help.

Mr Fielding said that Mr. Hyman had not sought to influence the Tariff Commission or the Government. He denied the existing of a tanners' com-

commission or the Government. He denied the existing of a tanners' combine.

Mr. Roche (Halifax) said that there was a combine, but that as he understood it the tanners had combined to reduce prices and not to raise them.

R. L. Borden showed by evidence under his hand that there was a tanners' combine, and that they had been generously treated in the tariff.

Mr. Fielding said the statement had been off repeated that the small tanners had brought the fact of a combine to the attention of the Government, but the fact was that no relief would have been afforded the complainant by recourse to the anti-combines clause of the tariff.

"This Government had knowledge of this tanners combine," said Mr. Borden, "but they did not exercise their power on account of some interest existing among the small tanners, because the small tanners did not ask them to go on."

The boot and shoe item went through, thus finishing up the tariff.

Moscow Reds Fight Police. Moseow, March 13.—In a fight be-tween police and a body of revolution-ists yesterday, in which revolvers were freety used, one policeman was killed, two revolutionists were wound-ed and four were captured.

Boys and Girls Grow Strong and Sturdy

when raised on pure, nutritious Bread. You'll have wholesome Bread the children will "eat without

FLOUR

Made entirely from the finest Western Canada Hard Wheat by latest improved methods in the most modern mills in the world

That's why Purity Flour Makes Bread that Builds Bone and Muscle Retailed everywhere throughout the Great Dominion

WESTERN CANADA FLOUR MILLS CO., Limited Mills at Winnipeg, Coderich and Brandon

HOUSE FURNISHING.

Young Wives of Limited Means Should Start Slowly.

"One of the most frequent mistakes nade by young wives," said a matron known for her sensible advice on top-ics of the household, "is that of filling the house with furniture at the outset of their married life.

'They like to feel that their friends

find nothing wanting, and they forget that, starting out with too full an equipment, they must necessarily keep that unchanged for several years. There is no room to add new things, and to dis-pose of old furniture that is not worn out is a serious loss. The proper thing to do is to start out with just enough to be comfortable.

"From time to time little things may be added as they are found necessary. In that way one pever feels like a back number. At the same time one does not have to turn everything topsy turvy in order to be up to date. Another important thing in this connection is to resist the temptation, frequent when a young woman has everything she needs in furniture, to spend on entertainment money and time she can ill afford. Many young matrons have become broken in health from that



F. A. Robert, Agent, Chatham,

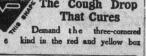
THE HOME DOCTOR. Before applying a poultice cover the

skin lightly with glycerin to prevent any particles from adhering. If troubled with pleurisy, apply flancloths wrung out of hot water, to which a small quantity of mustard has been added. Change the cloth often.

Two ounces of boric acid crystals must have been repeated 5,000 times upon the page in the smallest type. dropped in a glass quart jar and the jar filled with water makes a saturated solution. It is useful in cases of burns

The old time formula for sulphur and . molasses blood tonic is: Two ounces of sulphur, an ounce of cream of tartar, a pint of molasses. Take a spoonful three mornings, skip three, then take

PATERSON'S





appears anxious to anticipate others are going to say.

ferent from his fellows that we are able to endure one another's company. It is the greatest of all mistakes to do nothing, because you can only do a little. Do what you can.

BREAKFAST.

Having the Morning Meal Served In

The china for a morning meal, when served in the bedroom, according to Dress, should be dainty in every particular. Coffee sipped from a delicate cup seems improved in flavor, and daintiness in all the breakfast appointments adds a charm to the delicacies that they contain and give an added delight to a comfortable breakfast.

The matter of the proper tray to use in the bedroom is an important item that should not be neglected in the consideration of this subject. Favor leans toward the one made of papier mache. When painted white with a gold band, it supplies a neutrally tinted background, which harmonizes with a he fears when the fit is upon him the setting of almost any style of china. It has the added advantage of lightness also, weighing less than a pound. China trays of the same proportions

ful consideration. It is the means of serving the breakfast—the table or other receptacle that is used to hold the tray. Many women are adopting the hospital system, as it is distinctly the most convenient and expeditious way. The table is so made as to swing out over the bed when in use and to fold down against the metal standard when it has served its purpose. By this means of adjustment it may be put away when not in service, a fea-ture that recommends it strongly, for it cannot be considered a sightly article of furniture. For this special purpose, however, there is nothing more strictly suitable, even though it be not beautiful, for it is compact, easily tak en care of, and, on account of the little appliances that are used to adjust it, it forms the most comfortable sort of

Salt-life in every grain-delicate,

piquant - perfect crystals -

WINDSOR SALT.

Unique Advertising. tale is told of Robert Bonner and

of his belief in advertising. One day

per and repeated a two line advertise

"Why do you waste your money, Robert?" asked a friend. "I noticed

that same line so often. Would not haif a page have answered your pur-

pose?"
"Half a page would never have

caused you to ask the question," replied Mr. Bonner. "At least five peo-

ple will ask that to every line was the

Opening His Hand.

William Penn was once urging a man he knew to stop drinking to excess when the man suddenly asked.

"Can you tell me of an easy way to do it?" "Yes," Penn repiled readily; "it is just as easy as to one, thy hend

if? "Yes," Penn repiled readily; "it is just as easy as to open thy hand, friend." "Convince me of that," the man explained, "and I wil promise upon my honor to do as you tell me." "Well, my friend," Penn answered, "whenever thee finds a glass of liquor in thy hand onen that head before the

in thy hand open that hand before the glass touches thy lips, and thee will never drink to excess again."

No Surplus Wealth.

absolutely pure-

Hot milk sipped slowly is efficacion for relieving the throat irritation that

frequently follows a severe cold, or is an accompaniment of a

and is an effectual antiseptic.

The Cough Drop



The man of much talk always uppears anxious to anticipate what there are going to say.

No Surplus Wealth.

"What are you going to do with your surplus wealth?"

"My friend," answered Mr. Dustin Stax, "surplus wealth is a myth, a supperstition. There is no such thing in

Minard's Liniment cures Burns, etc the personal experience of any individ-Silence may become oppressive when carried to an expreme.

do a little. Do what you can.

With everything we gain, something we also lose, and the comment of the comment

HAPPINESS.

The Difference Between the Seves Is This Important State.

One source of women's happiness is detail. They enjoy every detail of so, cial life. They love the minutiae of their work. They do not love it as a man loves his, for the sake of an end. They look close at what they are doing, and they do not look forward. They take pleasure in their love for the sake of an end. and they do not look forward. They take pleasure in their children as they are. A defect, even though it be a serious one, destroys their pleasure in them far less than it destroys. that defect will mean in the lattre. If a woman is by nature apprehensive her fears apply for the most part to little things. If a man is apprehensive debacle of heaven and earth. For women time goes a little slower. They take pleasure in each jewel of that China trays of the same proportions are heavy and cumbersome, sometimes weighing several pounds.

There is still another factor of this dainty service that demands thought.

There is still another factor of this dainty service that demands thought. mosaic which makes up happiness and tendency to frivolity. They are apt to fritter away their lives and minds on little things. They become engrossed with the details of play as well as the details of work. Men no doubt have more opportunities of keen pleasure than women have, but these opportunities are short lived. The happiness of the moment they are less fitted to take. The difference between the sexes in this particular might, we believe, be thus suffered up: A man is happy whenever he has anything to make him happy, but a woman is happy whenshe has nothing to make her un happy.-London Spectator.

SHELLS THAT SWIM.

These Peculiar Fish Are Mostly Confined to Tropical Seas. The idea of shells being found any

where else except upon the seabeach or in river beds is a little startling. Yet the naturalist who pursues his work from a ship in midocean can and does collect shells by the thousand at every dip of his net or bucket. Swimming shellfish are mostly con-

fined to tropical seas. The most fa-miliar is the nautilus, which is, however, not a shellfish at all, but a near relation of the cuttlefish; also it is only seen on the surface at a certain wspa- fish are mostly very small. In the indian ocean they may be seen by mil-lions. One which bears the appalling name of Cavolinia trispinosa has the odd peculiarity of coming to the surface at 6 sharp every evening. Another, the Cleodora tridentata, rises at 7.

Frail as these tiny shellfish are, no storm ever injures them. They all possess the peculiar power of being able at will to sink a few feet below the surface of the sea, and there they remain when gales blow, perfectly safe, and rise again when the weather

improves.

The largest of these ocean swimmers is about three inches in length. Almost all are most brilliant in color and their shells far frailer and more glossy than those found upon the sea-beach.

Puzzling Measures.

Wheat is sold in Great Britain in twenty different ways—by the quarter, comb, load, boll, bushel, barrel, hundredweight, cental, windle and bobbet. Further confusion is also caused by the fact that the bushel of wheat varies from sixty-two pounds at Birmingham, Gloucester and Taunton, to eighty pounds at Monmouth and Abergavenny, while at Aberystwyth it is sixty-five pounds. Similiarly, the boil weighs three imperial bushels at Newcastle, four throughout Scotland, six at Berwick, 264 pounds at Glasgow and 240 pounds at Hamilton. A quarter measures 496 pounds in country districts and 504 pounds in London—London Molling.

A man seldom makes his mark until he has learned to toe it.

Among other things the burglar takes chances.

They also serve who only standand wait,

JOHN SMITH HONORED

BUST PRESENTED BY BADEN-POWELL TO HIS NATIVE TOWN.

Founded Jamestown 300 Years Agoventure as a Boy.

King Edward VI. Grammar school at Louth, the school where Capt. John Smith wrestled with the "three Rs." has been made the proud possessor of a bust of its most illustrious alumnus. The fact that the gift is from Major-General Baden-Powell, who chaims to be a "direct lineal descendant of the doughty colonizer" and was made by the general himself, makes the presentation decidedly appropriate aside from the fact that America is about to celebrate the founding of Jamestown, 300 years ago, by a great exposition.

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Major-General Baden-Powell, known Major-General Baden-Powell, known to every Englishman as "B. P." since his heroic defence of Mafeking in the Boer war, is a many sided man, and not the least of his talents is sculpture. Some time ago "B. P." discovered that there were no busts of his illustrious "ancestor," and in order that his features might be preserved to posterity he set about to use a few minutes before breakfast every morning in modeling a bust of Capt. John Smith. One replica of this work, it may be remembered, the amateur sculptor courteously presented to the state of Virginia, and a second copy of the same was given to the Royal school at Louth last week. While Baedeker cites a church steeple as the only attraction for the sightseer at Louth, this ancient school peacefully ensconced in the valley of the register the sightseer at the contract of the state of the results of the results and the state of the state of virginia and a second copy of the same was given to the Royal school at Louth last week.



WRERE JOHN SMITH ATTENDED SCHOOL The town is in Lincolnshire, not far from the eastern coast of England, and while a majority of the 10,000 inhabi-

from the eastern coast of England, and while a majority of the 10,000 inhabitants are busy in the iron foundries breweries, carriage shops, and carpet factories of the place, a few old schoolmasters are trying to uphold the reputation of the grammar school, which for six centuries back has been turning out famous "old boys."

Among the laurel wreathed escutcheons on the walls of the old school are names of distinguished alumni, including Lord Alfred Tennyson and Sir John Franklin, the Arctic explorer—names that are as well known in America as homely "John Smith."

The school was founded as a royal school in 1551, but it had existed for many years before that date as a "guild" school. The only relic of the buildings in which Johnny Smith spent his school hours is a bust of Edward VI.—and when gazing at the plaster features of his sovereign, it may be guessed that Johnny little thought that a bust of himself would some day grace the school as it now does.

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some day grace the school as it now does.

The "Smith boy's" connection with the school is covered vaguely in the school records of 300 years ago—about as vaguely as a "Smith boy's" record would be chronicled to-day. After a few terms at a school in Alford, near his home, Johnny is known to have become restless, and his father decided to send him to Louth, where he might live with a relative and attend the royal school.

The period was a tempting one for Johnny, for it was shortly after the annihilation of the Spanish armada, and the tales of adventure and glories of war which filled his ears fanned the flames of adventure in his young heart. He was on his way to school in jerkin, and doublet, and high ruff collar one day, when he met a peddler, to whom he sold his books, and planned to go to sea on the proceeds. At this juncture he was called home by the death of his father, and his aged mether also soon passed away, leaving the would-be adventurer an orphan. The rest of his life story is known to the world.

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In presenting the bust to the school the other day. Gen. Baden-Powell made reference, as he had often done before, of his "coming direct from the doughty captain." He traces the descent on his mother's side. He says "Capt. John Smith married while in America, and his grandson, Benjamin Smith, lived in New Jersey and died in 1769. Benjamin's son, Joseph, Smith, lived in New Jersey and died in 1769. Benjamin's son, Joseph, came to England as a loyalist, married, and was father, of my grand-father. Admiral W. H. Smith, whose daughter was my mother. This branch of the Smith (or Smyth) family is entitled at the heralds' college to bear the arms of John Smith—viz.: Three Turks' heads, etc."

OHN SMITH HONORED

fight to save the great enterprise in the face of appalling difficulties and dangers without and cowardly treachery within.

"Had he ever married we should surely have heard of it from the narratives of Lookill and Bangall or Masters Pots and Phettiplace. No man, as I have said, had more bitter enemies, and had Capt. John Smith sailed away from Virginia abandoning his wife and child we should just as surely have heard of it from Wingfield or Master Archer. Indeed, after Smith, owing to his dreadful accident, sailed for England, the chief of all the stories trumped up against him was that he designed. stories trumped up against him was that he designed to marry Pocahon-

Mr. McCabe cites an English historian who speaks of Smith as spending his last days in London as a "lonely bachelor," and further goes to prove that his brother Francis left no lawful issue, and that Capt. Smith made no mention in his will of any offspring whatever.

It seems to be, in American language, "up to" the heralds' college and "B. P." to answer this flat denial from Virginia.

THE BUILDING OF ROADS.

Advice About How Not to Make Repairs on Them-Birmingham U. S. Consul Makes a Report.

Consul Makes a Heport.

Consul Halstead of Birmingham,
England, reports to the Department
of Commerce and Labor results of
unintelligent, unscientific road repairing. He quotes some excellent advice about how not to make or repair
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"When in London recently I noticed that the great road along the Thames, one of the most important thoroughfares in London, known as the Thames embankment, was very rouch, and in a recent article in The London Mail, entitled 'How Not to Make a Road,' some observant person tells of the methods used when the embankment was last torn up and remetaled and reironed, which confirms in many respects the despatch I recently published in Daily Consular and Trade Reports, Sept. 9, entitled 'Dust and Motor Cars.' This writer had thought that a sound knowledge would surely be displayed in repairing such a thoroughfare as the Thames embankment. After the scarifier had been at work and the road torn up, loads of 'blue metal,' he said, were dumped down, but this stone was of a very uneven nature, both as to size and shape, many of the pieces being long and narrow, while others were small and approximately cubical, and there was additionally a large proportion of irregularly shaped stones. The loads were roughly spread across the roadway, and in many cases 'the

there was additionally a large proportion of irregularly shaped stones. The loads were roughly spread across the roadway, and in many cases the wheel ruts of the carts were not even raked out." Continuing his description of what was done as roadmaking for the great thoroughfare, he says:

"Over this chaotic heap was strewn—shade of Macadam! — pulverized clay. Water was then copiously flooded on to this interesting mess to induce the clay to get in between the crevices or chasms in the roadway. This it speedily did, although naturally much remained as mud on the surface. Then the steam roller got to work, and soon the roadway looked quite smooth and nice, and he who knew no better would have passed by and said, "That is a fine hit of work.' He who knew, however, and saw it done, said "Give it a few weeks and it will be as bad as ever.'"

EIGHT-DAY REVOLUTION.

Gen. Paredes and Most of His "Army Put to Death in Venezuela.

The much advertised "revolution" of Gen. Antonio Paredes is over and its leader and most if not all of his

'army" are dead.

Just eight days was the length of he "revolution" one of the shortest in history.

Gen. Paredes and 18 men were cap

Gen. Paredes and 18 men were cap-tured by Government forces and sent from Bolivar and Maturin and by boat from La Guayra.

After the collapse of their expedi-tion they were imprisoned at Barran-



GEN. PAREDES

cas under a strong guard. All have since been shot.

Gen. Paredes landed with about 20 men at Pedernales, at the mouth of the Orinoco River, Feb. 5. In his "army," of which Gen. Baldillo was chief of staff, were several men who are well known in Venezuela.

Choosing the name "Legalista" for his organization, and with the war cry "Free Industries and Popular Sovereignty!" Gen. Paredes, under the tricolor of Venezuela, started full of confidency for Ciudad, Bolivaz, expecting the country would rise and flock to him as he marched.

The result of this revolution has naturally left the Government stronger than ever.

the arms of John Smith—viz.: Three Turks' heads, etc."

This claim has elicited a long letter from William Gordon McCabe, one of the commissioners of the Jamestown exposition, which appeared last week in The Saturday Review, a prominent London journal. Mr. McCabe says, in part: "It is a distinct shock to a humble student of Virginian history to learn that the stout old soldier, who died at the comparatively early age of 51, had a grandean living in—in all places of the earth!—New Jersey, 160 years atter his grandfather had sailed away forever from Virginia!

"And it is as sure as anything can be sure that John Smith never was married and consequently could be no lineal ancester of Gen. Baden-Powell. The greastion is almost too platin for discussion. Smith was in the colony less than two years and a half, was easily the foremost figure in it. and we can account for well nigh every action of his during that time. He stanuchest of triends, and between the marrieves of the two we can follow him short every day in his splendid

MEN RULE BY FORCE, WOMEN BY CHARM.

BY CHARM.

And yet, because they live less strenuously, women neglect the early evidences of failing vigor. The wise woman will not permit her charms to be robbed by ill-health. When she feels appetite failing, nerves getting on edge, color fading, nerves getting on edge, color fading, she takes Ferrozone. How it sharpens the appetite! How quickly rich blood is available to restore color to the cheeks, buoyancy to the step. Better try Ferrozone. You'll feel like a new being, with new vigor and ability to confront life's difficulties. You are sure to bless the day you commenced Ferrozone. Sold everywhere in 50c. boxes.

Pay for Immigrants.

Ottawa, March II.—Following the termination last fall of the contract with the North Atlantic Trading Co. for the encouragement of immigration to Canada, the Government has now arranged to pay a commission of ten shillings per head on each adult and five shillings per head on each child booked for Canada by the booking agents of the continental steamship companies. The immigrants so booked must be those who have signified their intention to follow farming or railroad work in Canada, or to accept positions as domestic servants in the case of females.

DOUBLED UP WITH CRAMPS.

Stomach feels like an infernal ma-Stomach feels like an infernal machine and you want relief mighty quick. Nothing does the work half so soon as Polson's Nerviline. Why, it kills the pain instantly. If your bottle is empty get another to-day, Nerviline keeps the doctor bill small because it cures little ills before they grow big. Nothing for indigestion, heartburn and cramps like Polson's Nerviline. Large bottles for 25c.

British Aze Pensiens.

London, March 11—The Tribune on Saturday confirmed recent rumors that the forthcoming budget will provide a certain sum of money for some kind of old age pensions scheme, the Government having decided to make a start in this direction this year. This start will be only tentative, however, as it will take two or three years to carry through the completed plane

Help the Overworked Heart. Help the Overworked Heart. — Is the great engine which pumps life through your system hard pressed, overtaxed, groaning under its load because disease has clogged it? Dr. Agpew's Cure for the Heart is nature's lubricator and cleanser, and daily demonstrates to heart sufferers that it is the safest, surest, and most speedy remedy that medical science knows.

Sold by W. W. Turner.

Chinese Hotels.

The hotels are usually grouped with-in a square or two of one another. Each one seeks to attract guests by high sounding titles. For example, in Can-ton are hotels which flaunt the signs of the Fortunate Star, the Golden Profits (an unusually frank confession for a landlord to make), the Rank Conferring and the Happiness. The food is not so bad, but the traveler who goes to one of these houses to sleep will wish that he had gone to another. The hedrooms are corellated. The bedrooms are small, thin walled The bedrooms are small, thin walled boxes in which you may bear the breathing of your next neighbor or be kept awake half the night by the conversation of people at the other end of the hall or, worse still, be almost stifled by the smoke from an opium pipe which is being induled in by the man which is being indulged in by the man across the passageway.

"The blood is the life." Science has never gone beyond this simple statement of scripture. But it has illuminated that statement and givilluminated that statement and given it a meaning ever broadening with the increasing breadth of knowledge. When the blood is "bad" or impure it is not alone the body which saffers through disease. The brain is also clouded, the mind and judgment are effected, and many an avit deed or impure thought may be directly traced to the impurity

Minard's Liniment cures Burns, etc

THE LATE LORD GOSCHEN

ENGLISH STATESMAN WHO WAS IN GRAND OLD MAN'S CLASS.



LATE VISCOUNT GOSCHEN

derstanding of economic theories, with a practical grasp of affairs. More than any man in a hundred years, Goschen left his impress on the English national debt, whose conversion was undoubtedly the greatest piece of work he ever did. His reduction of interest on the debt was contemplated with alarm in financial circles, for it was felt that the task was so huge and complicated by so many problems that he would surely make some mistakes. But so skilfully was the change accomplished that there was no disturbance whatever, and the new "Goschens," as they were called, were as readily subscribed as any former issue of consols.

of consols.

Lord Goschen will also be remembered for a notable failure, as well as for a great success, for it seems inevitable that the battle he lost will for a great success, for it seems inevitable that the battle he lost will
be fought again and won some time
in the future. He felt that the strain
on the coinage of the nation was unnecessarily severe, through the absence of paper meney of less value
than five-pound notes. As the average weekly wage is much less than
£5, the paper currency was not, and
is not, used by the great proportion
of people in England. Goschen wished to create £1 and £2 Bank of Enghand notes; but, though he put forward a strong argument, he failed to
carry his point. His "Theory of Exchanges" is a standard text book on
the subject of international balances,
and indicates the general culture as
well as the deep special knewledge
of the writer.
Goschen was one of those members of the Balfour Cabinet that stepped out when Mr. Chamberkain's policy was announced. He had no sympathy with the preferential idea, and
was a pronounced free trader.
Lord Goschen had Camadian investments, and must have had a peculiar
interest in the country, as he was
for years Governor of the Hudson
Bay Co., in which position he preceded Lord Strathcona. The two men
were thus closely associated, their
common bond being an interest in
Canada. As Lord Goschen has been,

or impure it is not alone the body which saffers through disease. The brain is also cloaded, the mind and judgment are effected, and may a evil deed or impure thought may be directly traced to the impurity of the plood, No one can have a below the property of the plood. No one can have a wholesome and pure life unless the blood is jurge. Foul blide can be made gure by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. When the blood is pure, body and brain are anke healthy and life becomes a standing out in bold relief, all alone and a conspicuous example of open, frank and honest dealing with the sick and afflied, Dr. Pierce prints on the bottle wrapper in plain English a full list of the ingredients. Therefore not a "patent medicine," but a medicine of known composition.

For Cut Ffowers.

Pretty receptacles for flowers that are inexpensive are goldfish bowls. A small one costs but 10 cents and will be found most artistic. The nasturitim, rose, mignonette or any dainty flower with pretty stem, is at its best as the clear glass bowl.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.

Gantlemen,—Theodore Dorais, a cusminard's Liniment Co., Limited.

Gantlemen, by the judicious use of MINARD'S LINIMENT.

The above facts can be verified by writing to him, to the Parish priest or any of his neighbors.

Merchant.

St. Isadore, Que., 12th May, '98.

Minard's Liniment cures Burns, etc.

partners in the firm, which still fleur-ishes and from which all the family wealth is derived.

Though the Goschens have been Christians for at least three genera-tions, they are of Semitic origin, a fact to which must be ascribed the marvelous skill of Lord Goschen as a financier.

IM GRAND OLD MAN'S CLASS.

His Budgets Compared Faverably With These of Gladstone—Left His Impress Upon the British National Debt—Likewise Remembered For a Notable Failure—Work of His Declining Years.

Viscount Goschen, whose death is reported, was one of the most distinguished English statesmen of his generation. Statesman rather than politician is the word that fits him, for Goschen dealt with great matters of finance, far above the head of the average cletor, and was never tempted to demagoguery. It is as a financier that he will be remembered in the history of the nineteenth century, and it will be hard for the historian to find a contemporary who was his segual in handling financial matters of Hastostone, and as the Chancellor of Chaostone, and as the Chancellor of the Exchequer these two men were in a class by themselves.

Goschen was something of the same type as Ltagl Avebury. Both were products of a city training, and each inherited, to some extent, his capacity for business matters. Both combined general culture, and a thorough understanding the combined general culture, and

tage to their Government. At Viennas more than anywhere else diplomasio office, per se, does not carry with it the entree into the grand monde, and the envoy from any European Government who comes there without the advantages of blue blood is apt to find himself restricted to intercourse with his foreign colleagues and Austrian officials, while the only opportunities he will enjoy of meeting the cream of Austrian society will be at those court balls and ceremonies to which he is invited by reason of his mission.

mission.

Indeed, his life there is the reverse of pleasant, since he sees himself barred from the most brilliant society of Europe, to which his attaches, provided they possess the advantages of birth which he does not enjoy, are welcomed with open arms.

NATURAL PARK FOR B.C.

nerican Endeavoring to Get the Government to Set One Aside.

The Provincial Government of British Columbia is now being strongly urged by Dr. W. T. Hornaday, director of the New York Zoological Park, to set aside the fine mountain area between the Elk and the Bull Rivers, in the Fermie district of southeastern British Columbia, as a game and forest reserve. The region in question is that visited by Messrs. Philips and Hornaday in September, 1905, concerning which, and their adventures in it, they have recently published a book entitled "Camp Fires in the Camadian Bookies."

This territory is well stocked with mountain goat, moustain sheep, grizzly boar, black bear and other animals. The mule deer, which once were numerous, have been shot out until that The Provincial Government of Brit-



MAP OF PROPOSED R. G. HATURAL PARK.

MAP OF PROFESSIO R. C. MATURAL PARK. species is now rare, and of elk only a few selitary individuals remain. Martera, mink and wolverine are still fairly plentiful. The works of nature there are extremely interesting, and the country as a whole, if preserved in its present natural wildness, would make a grand resort for camping parties of nature-lovers and photographers.

Dr. Hornaday has crafted a bill and submitted a map showing the boundaries of the proposed by him would be about thirty miles in length by fifteen miles in width, and would, therefore, contain a total area of about 450 square miles. The region thus delimited contains no coal nor other valuable minerals, no agricultural lands, and no timber of commercial value, so that, commercially or industrially, the people of British Columbia would make no sacrifice in carrying out the idea proposed. The reserve is situated between two main lines of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and would be accessible from three points—Michel and Fort Steele on the south and Banff on the north. Owing to the natural conditions of the country, it would be entirely possible for two game wardens effectually to protect the reservation. Dr. Hornaday proposes that the enabling act shall designate the mountains between the Elk and the Bull Rivers as the "Great Mountains," and the reservation as "Great Mountain Park." From the encouragement and sympathy which have been received, there is good reason to hope that the scheme may be varried into effect.

GOLD MEDAL

Ale and Porter

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JOHN LABATT

AT ST. LOUIS EXHIBITION 1904.

Only medal for Ale in Canada.

Naturally Puzzled Among the interested visitors of the marine barracks at Washington on one occasion there was a party of young girls from a Maryland town, friends of one of the officers of the barracks, They proved much interested in every-thing pertaining to the life and discipline of the post

"What do you mean by 'taps?" asked one young woman. "Taps are played every night on the

bugle," answered the officer. "It means flights out.' They play it over the bodies of dead soldiers." A puzzled look came to the face of the questioner. Then she asked:
"What do you do if you haven't a

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A. I. McCall & Co. Hell Gate.

Hell Gate, at the entrance of Long Island sound, in the East river, was not so named because of its dangers and turbulance, as is generally sup-nosed, but quite the contrary. The posed, but quite the contrary. The early Dutch settlers called it "Hell early Dutch settlers called it hen Gate" because it was a pleasant, beautiful passageway, in allusion to its picturesque scenery, "heli" conveying the idea of pleasantness.

In His Own Coin. Te mark his gratitude a man who To mark his gratitude a man who was acquitted on a charge of counterfeiting coins in India added \$10 to his lawyer's fee of \$50, but the lawyer afterward found that the whole sum consisted of counterfeit rupees. - Allahabad Pioneer.

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Platinum Vanishing.

A prominent French writer deplores the vanishing stock of the world's platinum, says the London Globe. All the known deposits are becoming exhaust-ed, and the price is going up to a prohibitive extent. In 1876 the metal could be bought for \$100 the kilogram. Four years later it had doubled, in 1901 it had quadrupled, and today the price is \$1,200 per kilogram, or twice the price of gold. Even that is for crude platinum. The worked metal is twice as dear again. Considering how many industries are now absolutely dependent on platinum, the question of replacing it by some really efficient alimportance.

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THE CARE OF RUGS.

How to Sweep Large Ones and to Dust:

Some housekeepers have concluded that they prefer two or three small rugs in a room to one large one which is too heavy for a woman to handle is too heavy for a woman to handle and beat. A great single rug covering the center of the room looks well, even if of no better quality than a good. Smyrna. But smaller rugs must be of better quality to prove satisfactory. Provided there is a large rug down and no man willing or to be hired to. and no man willing or to be hired to beat it, by care it can be kept in fair tion for several weeks. Of course? trims to several weeks. Of course, it must be swept where it is. Having dusted the movable ornaments and chairs and carried them to another room and dusted and covered other things that are conveniently me sweep the rug in the direction of the warp in short strokes and take up the dirt along the edges on the floor. Now sweep the rug again in the opposite direction after scattering over it bits of dampened newspaper pressed/agdry as possible. Turn the edges up and brush out underneath for a few inches. Now sweep the bare floor with a dust brush, and after the dust bas a dust brush, and after the dust has-settled wipe the floor with a slightly-damp cheesecloth and the rug with an-other cheesecloth dampened in water to which a few drops of ammonia have-been added. In this way the rug will-look bright and be quite free from dust.

Tea leaves when used to take up dust are apt to stain delicate colors.

The above method of cleaning a rug
may seem troublesome to one who
would prefer to attack it with a broom and give it a vigorous digging, but it would be no cleaner by her treatment, and the walls and furniture would be loaded with dust, to say nothing of discomfort to the sweeper in breathing: the dust.

If small rugs are used, do not allow them to be taken out and shaken by one end or, in fact, shaken at all, for this is the way to break them into rags, along the edges at least. Hang over along the edges at least. Hang over alone and beat with a rattan, or, better yet, have the rugs laid on the grasse and beaten on the wrong side first and then turned.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

A FIREPLACE CLOSET

It Makes a Convenient Place to Keen Hats and Shoes.

A fireplace that is not in use and

that does not present as nice an appearance as the room surroundings demand may easily be improved by transforming it into a closet, as shown in the accompanying illustration. Remove



PIBRPLACE CLOSET all the interior fixtures and put in their place a set of small shelves. Then arrange a silk or tapestry curtain In front. Suspended from a brass rod it looks artistic and acts as a screen. The interior makes a very convenient shoe and hat closet.

One Sided Girl "She has pretty hair," the athletic girl admitted, "but it is never dressed evenly. The right side always looks

much better than the left." "That is because she never moves her bureau," said the wise girl. "Her rates, and also at proportionate rates to all points in Minnesota and Da-kota.

Lange around, so month in and month out she dresses with her right side to the light and the left in

"Consequently one half of her fa and hair is well groomed, while the other haif gets only a lick and a promother hair gets only a lick and a prom-ise. Any girl who would avoid looking-one sided must dress one week with her right side to the window, the next week with her left side to the light."

Get Lightweight Hats.

Never buy a heavy hat if it is possible to get a light one. Insist that hats if made for you are made with the minimum of weight. Heavy hats cause heataches, gray and falling hair by impeding the circulation. A heavy hat worn only two or three hours a day is responsible for the feeling of heaviness that attacks so many and that disappears as soon as the cause is removed; or within half an hour afterward. It is well to have hats differing in their is well to have hats differing in their paint of pressure on the head so that in changing from one chapeau to an-other the head may be rested, in sec-tions at least.

The street is fu'll of humiliations to the proud.

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LETTERS

JOHN BELL AFFAIR,

To the Editor of The Planet: EMBROIDERIES,

AND VEILINGS

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New Veilings in a big assortment, at per yd. 25e to 65c, making the content of the state of the property of the state of the content A truthful statement of the above matter is pathetic enough, goodness knows, but when it comes to false Merrift, of Chatham, representative which my atterney gave him a re-ceipt with the understanding that he ceipt with the understanding that he was to vacate and give me peaceable possession at the expiration of that time. I also gave Bell the privilege of renting the premises should he move away before his term expired, provided he got a suitable tenant, and deduct the amount for his unavoired time.

and deduct the amount for his un-expired time.

And as to the seizure, suffice it to say that Mr. Rannie's eagle eye was on to Bell's tax list long before Bill Needham dreamed of purchas-

I sympathize with Bell's family or any other family similarly situated. I've been there myself, and may be again; but I'll try to pay my debts. I told Bell last Saturday evening in my shop that I would contribute ten dollars toward helping him, and my word stands good yet. I also my word stands good yet. I also told him that if he could get any person to take the property off my hands and give him a chance to redeem it, I would deed it back to him for what it cost me. He said he did not and would not want it.

What more can I do ! It's not my desire to gain anything only in a fair and legitimate manner. So, suf-fice it to say, Mr. Editor, my concience is clear.
W. A. NEEDHAM.

NEW MOVING PICTURES

On Friday and Saturday, with 5-cent, 3 o'clock matines each day, new moving pictures and illustrated songs will be given at the Brisco Opera House, by the famous Edison Camograph Moving Picture Com-

WALLACEBURG

wm. Delf, of Chatham, was in town

Philip Bourassa and Mr. Mount, of Chatham, were visitors in the Burg on Tuesday.

Addison Terhune and Richard Good-man left yesterday for the Northwest.

TO CONTINUE BOUNTY

Toronto, March 13.—A deputation representing the Wallaceburg sugar factory asked the Government this morning that the bounty on sugar made from sugar beets be continued for two years. It is believed the Government will extend the boanty with some amendments to the act. with some amendments to the act tending to the future benefit of the farmers growing the beets. Mr. D. A. Gordon, Mr. P., headed the degu-

SPRING BLOOD TROUBLES

BILEANS CLEAR THE SKIN OF PIMPLES.

Humors and impurities in the blood force their way to the surface in the springtime and cause eruptions and unsightly sores. Nature has provided a remedy in Bileans, which are pleasant to take, not unpleasant in operation, and are purely vegetable in composition. Women with skin blotches and eruptions should prove how speedily Bileans remove them. One or two Bileans taken just before retiring for the night—that is all t Morning sick opera House, by the famous Edison Camograph Moving Picture Company. A special matinee for ladies and children will be given Saturday afternoon. The price of admission at night is 10, 20 and 30 cents.

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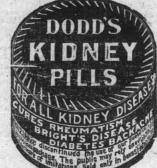
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this way matters are somewhat com-plicated, as neither of the physicians has been given authority, and it is said that they do not work in har-mong.

EXTEND PENALTY

Toronto, March 13 .- P. H. Bowyer. East Kent, in the Legislature to-day, introduced a bill to amend the Liquor License Act. At present only a license holder or his employes are liable to a penalty for selling, giving or supply-ing liquor to minors. The amendment is designed to cover all persons, ex-cepting parents, guardians or physi-

cians.

Another clause is amended, making it necessary for any club under a Dominion charter and desiring a license to obtain same from the Provincial Secretary instead of from the local License Commissioners, as at present.

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