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WHITE WEAR
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Our February

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CARPET SALE COMMENCES TOMORROW

This February Carpet Sale of ours is now looked forward to by many housekeepers in Chatham and vicinity. It has become an annual event in our store life and has grown in size and importance very rapidly since its inception some five years ago.

Our carpet stock is unusually large this year so that we have an unusually large selection of reduced prices to offer you. If you are buying new carpets this season you cannot well afford to miss this opportunity. In addition to the reductions in the prices we make and lay free of extra charge all carpets purchased during this sale at 50c a yard and over. Here are some of the particulars:

CARPETS

English Velvet Carpets in two excellent designs of brown and green floral effects, borders to match, regular price \$1.15 a yd., on sale for... **85c**

One excellent design of Crossley's well known Velvet Carpet, now worth \$1.35 a yd., border to match, on sale for... **\$1.15**

Crossley's best 5 frame Brussels Carpets in very new and effective designs, regular price \$1.40 a yd., on sale for... **\$1.25**

Crossley's extra 5 frame Brussels, borders to match, in excellent drawing room and bed room designs, regular price \$1.25 a yd., on sale very special at... **\$1.15**

Extra English 4 frame Brussels Carpets, as shown in West window, borders to match, regular value \$1.00 a yd., on sale for... **85c**

Crossley's extra 4 frame Brussels Carpets in very handsome designs with borders to match, regular value \$1.15 a yd., on sale for... **\$1.00**

CARPETS

English Balmoral Tapestry Carpets, with borders to match, in three excellent designs, highly recommended for wear, regular price 85c a yd., on sale for... **75c**

Three excellent designs of English 8 wire Tapestry Carpet, regular price 68c a yd., on sale for... **58c**

English 8 wire Tapestry Carpet in good range of designs and colors, regular price 58c a yd., on sale for... **49c**

3 good designs of very best quality Canadian two ply all wool Carpet, regular price 85c a yd., on sale for... **75c**

3 excellent patterns of extra all wool filled Carpet, yard wide, recommended for wear, regular price 65c a yd., on sale for... **58c**

50c Union Carpets for... **44c**
45c Union Carpets for... **39c**
40c Union Carpets for... **36c**
10% reductions during the sale on Wool, Union, Tapestry and Brussels squares.

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THERE'S GREAT VALUE
in every garment we make, but it is especially noticeable in our

Winter Overcoats

made to order. The material is just right, and the garments have a "set" which particular men like. Come in and look at the cloth.

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PUBLIC NOTICE!

Genuine Gas Coke

From actual tests is found to contain as many heat units per ton, as the best quality of Anthracite Coal. At the reduced price now in effect, Gas Coke costs about two-thirds as much.

Moral: Use Genuine Gas Coke for furnace, range, grate or stove, and save money.

Chatham Gas Company, Limited.

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We make a specialty of Evening Dress Suits, and carry in stock a full line of Rich and Elegant Materials, suitable for this Formal Evening Attire.

We invite your inspection and comparison of prices with other first-class houses.

ALBERT SHELDRICK

TAILOR and WOOLEN MERCHANT
King St. near Garner House

CAPT. SALMON'S CASE

Mr. Ames Moves For All Documents Relating to Dismissal.

Shows in the House That Capt. Salmon Made the Direct Charge That He Had Been Tampered With and Restrained in the Execution of His Duties By Minister of Marine and Fisheries—Militia Estimates.

Ottawa, Feb. 2.—H. B. Ames, member for St. Antoine division, Montreal, made his maiden speech in the House yesterday, dealing logically and forcefully with the dismissal of Capt. R. Salmon, former Wreck Commissioner in the Department of Marine and Fisheries. He moved for copies of all correspondence, telegrams, etc., which passed between the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, or any other official of the department and Capt. Salmon. In the matter of the Canada-Cape Breton investigation, and the resignation of Capt. Salmon from his position as Wreck Commissioner.

Capt. Salmon's Story.

Mr. Ames told of Capt. Salmon being ordered to investigate the accident, and of that officer's duty opening of a court of enquiry under order from the Department of Marine and Fisheries. Counsel for the Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Company declined the invitation to submit evidence to Capt. Salmon's court. Capt. Salmon went ahead with the examination of the crews of the two boats. On Sept. 26 he announced that he would shortly render a decision.

On Oct. 5 he gave judgment placing the responsibility where he thought it belonged, and at the same time tendered his resignation and gave his reasons therefor. His resignation was the result of certain things which took place between Sept. 26, the day of the announcement that a decision would be shortly rendered, and Oct. 5, the date of the decision and resignation.

Had Been Tampered With.

Capt. Salmon made the direct charge that he had been tampered with and restrained in the execution of his duty by the Department of Marine and Fisheries. On Sept. 26 the Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Company asked for the re-opening of the case. Capt. Salmon acceded to the request and granted a delay of seven days before rendering his decision.

On Sept. 29 he received a communication from Mr. Archer, one of the counsel for the Richelieu & Ontario, and forming one of Mr. Prefontaine's law partners, requesting him to accept a typewritten statement of evidence taken before the Admiralty Court at Quebec. Capt. Salmon refused it. Then followed pressure from the Department of Marine and Fisheries. Capt. Salmon was ordered not to give his decision until he heard from the department. According to the statement that accompanied his resignation, he was asked by the Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries what his probable verdict would be, and was further told that it might be advisable to consult counsel for the R. & O. before rendering his decision.

He criticized strongly the action of the Department in interfering with an officer who was acting in the capacity of a judge. The effect of the Department's interference would be to weaken confidence in the administration of Canada's water routes, and prevent any reduction in marine insurance rates. Canada's marine courts are degraded in the sight of the world, declared Ald. Ames.

Mr. Prefontaine's Defence.

Mr. Prefontaine took the ground that Capt. Salmon was not holding a court, and that he was merely conducting a preliminary investigation as an officer of the Department. He read from the Shipping and Casualties Act to prove that such was the status of Capt. Salmon in the enquiry.

Asked for a copy of the instructions under which Capt. Salmon conducted the enquiry, Mr. Prefontaine replied that they would be brought down later. He contended that Capt. Salmon was prejudiced against the Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Co., and quoted from the latter's decision in proof of this theory. When the Admiralty Court at Quebec rendered judgment in the case of the Canada and the Cape Breton, Mr. Prefontaine said he felt justified in ordering Capt. Salmon to suspend the investigation. Mr. Prefontaine declared that all the trouble was due to Capt. Salmon's ignorance of the statute under which he was acting.

Importance of a Document.

Mr. Monk echoed the feeling of the Opposition side of the House when he emphasized the importance of the document which authorized Capt. Salmon to proceed with the investigation. He reminded the House that two or three years ago, Mr. Prefontaine had praised Capt. Salmon to the skies.

"I didn't know him then," said Mr. Prefontaine.

"Then you shouldn't have gone so far in praising him," was Mr. Monk's response.

He regarded it as significant that Mr. Prefontaine, in defending himself some weeks ago against Capt. Salmon's charges, did not suggest that the investigation was a "preliminary" one. Why, he asked, did the Deputy Minister try to dissuade Capt. Salmon from rendering a decision, and why did he ask that official to see counsel for the R. & O.?

Mr. Monk claimed that Capt. Salmon was acting under a much wider statute than that quoted by the Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

Rodolphe Forget, Conservative member for Charlevoix, supported Mr. Prefontaine's contention. The four counsels employed by the R. & O. were recognized as the best marine lawyers in Canada.

Warlike Minister Was Careful.

Mr. Haggart pointed out that the Minister had been careful not to produce the instructions to Capt. Salmon, which would show whether the investigation was preliminary or formal. The question before the House, he said, was not the merits of the case but the interference of the Minister of Marine with an officer authorized by law to conduct an enquiry into a casualty. Why, he asked, should the Minister suggest that other evidence be heard, or that the judgment be delayed? It was plainly a case of tampering with an official enquiry on the part of the Minister and his Deputy. Mr. Prefontaine also attacked his own judge on being unfitted for his position, but the evidence he offered on that point was letters furnished after he had dismissed Capt. Salmon, and then, continued Mr. Haggart, there was the mean insinuation of the Minister that this honest officer was to-day in a state of vagrancy in New York. Such was the result of a man exercising his independent judgment. The warning was plain to all other officers. Don't dare to exercise your independent judgment because the Minister of Marine may think differently, and you may become a wanderer in the streets of New York.

Mr. Ames closed the debate. He wanted to know how the Minister being aware that a judgment was going to be given which would prejudice one of the parties of the case, unless he had interfered during the enquiry. He also quoted from eulogistic references to Capt. Salmon, made by the Minister of Marine himself, in the House last year, when he referred to Capt. Salmon as a very efficient officer whose services had been secured after prolonged search and careful enquiry.

Make Explosives Here.

Militia estimates were under discussion in the House last night. Col. Fowler asked if it was the intention of the Government to establish another arsenal.

Sir Frederick Borden replied that such was the intention, and he hoped before the end of the session to supply further information and perhaps a contract. It was desirable that ammunition should be manufactured at more than one place, and that one place should be in the city of Ottawa. All explosives, he said, should be manufactured in Canada.

Col. Fowler suggested that the Government should manufacture all ammunition, which would ensure a first-class article.

The Minister thought this a good time to encourage private capital, especially in the manufacture of explosives. The railway building that is going on in Canada would provide a good market.

In reply to a question from Col. Fowler, Sir Frederick stated that the Government had not been advised of any change regarding the garrison at Halifax.

Mr. Osler protested against the desecration of the Plains of Abraham and their historic environment by the tower of the Ross Rifle Company's works being erected on top of one of the old martello towers.

Sir Frederick Borden regretted the offence to Mr. Osler's aesthetic taste and promised to see if the matter could not be remedied.

Significant Figures.

The Minister of Customs, at the request of Hon. G. E. Foster, supplied these figures: The total importation of merchandise for home consumption into Canada for the current fiscal year, up to Dec. 31, 1904, was \$128,048,650; importations from Great Britain during the same period, \$28,920,464; from the United States, \$74,239,937; Canada's total exports were \$118,438,346; exports of home products, 113,229,216; exports of home products to Great Britain, \$63,072,738.

THE BANK MUST PAY.

Justice Anglin Decides in Favor of the Dominion Government.

Toronto, Feb. 2.—Justice Anglin yesterday decided that the Bank of Montreal must pay to the Dominion Government, \$75,705, less \$12,450, recovered from A. Martineau, the clerk in the Militia Department, who went into forgery on a large scale. The bank will appeal.

The Quebec, Royal and Sovereign Banks, through which the forged cheques were cashed, are released of liability, Justice Anglin holding that the acceptance of the cheques when they came through the clearing house by the Bank of Montreal led others to believe that the cheques were good.

Fireman Will Die.

Niagara Falls, Feb. 2.—At 7:30 last evening Fireman F. Neustadt of Sarnia, while under engine 761 on train No. 85 in the Grand Trunk yards, taking out the ash-pan, yard engine 76 placed the conductors' van on the opposite end of the train, and in doing so moved the train that engine 761 was on and crushed both legs of the fireman. He was taken to St. Catharines Hospital on the 8:10 p.m. train, but is not expected to live. He has a young wife and two young children residing at Sarnia.

OFFICERS ARE NOW LEGAL

Public Library Board at Last Re-organize According to the Statutes

Dr. Charteris thinks Obedience to the Law is "a Petty Thing to Kiek up a Row About."

The Public Library Board has at last got its officers properly and legally elected and is fairly launched on the business of the year.

As was announced in The Planet a couple of days after the last meeting the chairman and officers were improperly and illegally elected. According to the statute the officers should be elected at the meeting in February.

J. W. Humphrey, the supposed chairman-elect, keenly felt the awkwardness of his position so he wrote about the matter to the Minister of Education and received the reply that he was not legally the chairman of the Chatham Public Library Board. Mr. Humphrey brought the matter up before the Board himself.

Mr. Sheldrick, Mr. Stone and Mr. Twohey were of the opinion that the officers had been illegally elected but Dr. Charteris thought that the Board had acted properly at its last meeting.

Mr. Humphrey (the supposed chairman-elect)—Couldn't some one make a motion to the effect that the officers elected at the last meeting be elected at this meeting?

Mr. Stone moved that the action taken at the last meeting be confirmed. This was seconded by S. M. Smith and carried.

Dr. Charteris—it is a petty thing to kick up a row about.

It was also discovered that the Separate School Board had re-appointed Mr. Twohey instead of Mr. Thibodeau. Mr. Twohey's term does not end until next year, while Mr. Thibodeau's term is up this year. This mistake, however, will be rectified at the next meeting of the Separate School Board.

There were present at the meeting Messrs. Humphrey, Sheldrick, Stone, Twohey, Charteris and Smith.

A communication was read from the Book Supply Company asking for a settlement of their account.

This company's factory was burned some time ago and all of the books of the company destroyed. They wrote to the Chatham Board asking for copies of their accounts with them.

Mr. Twohey—We owe the Book Supply Company nothing—especially when the accounts are burned," he smilingly added.

The following accounts were passed:

R. Cooper, 40c.
Electric Light Co., \$16.52.
Waterworks, \$6.35.

The following was the report of the Librarian as received and adopted:

New borrowers, 44.

Books given out, 1,745.

The books for Central school were not taken out until the middle of the month and consequently have not been returned.

Cash received—For fines \$1.09, for Scotch \$2.30, for County fee 50c, for Scotch American 50c.

Books asked for by the public—Memoirs of Murray the Detective, A Wise Woman, Burnham; Merely Mary Ann No Name, Wilkie Collins; Sea Wolf, London; Prodigal Son, Caine; Over the Border, Barr.

EDITH M. BARASSIN,
Librarian.

The City Treasurer notified the Treasurer of the Board that their account for this year was overdrawn. The City Treasurer included the amount of debentures drawn for the site of the present library. The matter was referred to the Finance committee to investigate.

It was decided to change the name of the Library committee to Book committee.

Mr. Humphrey reported that he had changed the location of one of the radiators in the library building. The action was endorsed.

The salaries were ordered paid.

Mr. Sheldrick thought that Mayor Cowan should have been present at this meeting as it is the custom for Mayors to attend the first meeting of all public bodies.

The chairman of the Finance committee of the City Council will be invited to be present at the next meeting of the Library Board, when the estimates will be struck.

Just before the Board adjourned some suggested that the newly elected chairman should treat to an oyster supper, but as Mr. Humphrey had treated his fellow members of the Board after last month's meeting the hint was not pressed.

AT THE GRAND

Marks Bros. gave their farewell performance last night to a crowded house. The play was in "Convict Stripes" and was well put on. The specialties were the feature. It is surprising the crowds that always attend Marks Bros. show. Harry Salisbury won the top of coal given to the luckiest person in the house. The Marks Bros. Co. left this morning for Port Huron. To-night the Master Singers, to-morrow night Uncle Tom's Cabin.

Orkney Shetland
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7c per Skeln

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KING and SIXTH ST.

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Men's
Shoes \$3.00
and
\$3.50

Shoes

FOR

\$2.00

AT

Turrill's
BIG SHOE SALE

Here are the sizes
that are left:—

1/5 1/2, 4/6, 1/6 1/2, 1/7
1/8 1/2, 11/9, 7/9 1/2, 4/10

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CHARGES WERE PROVEN.

The independent Toronto News endeavors to correct a mis-statement which has been used by Liberal journals of all classes, in their endeavor to account for the wholesale hammering of the Ross government. The News says:

Those Liberals who say that the government "went down before a campaign of slander" are needlessly adding humiliation to defeat. The charges that were laid before the people were not trumped up stories, but were based upon judgments of the courts and admitted facts. They were not personal slanders. The responsibility that was placed upon the ministers was a political responsibility, and it was upon public grounds that they were condemned. It was quite legitimate for their friends to try to minimize their responsibility, but upon public grounds it was better that the largest and strictest views of responsibility should be held, so that a salutary precedent should be recorded. On reflection, Liberals may conclude that it was worth while suffering defeat for the purpose of asserting the principle of freedom of elections, which is surely a Liberal principle. The thousands of Liberals who voted against the government must have been habitual readers of Liberal papers, and have had before them every possible answer and defense to the charges. They were not new charges or roachbacks, but charges that had been thoroughly discussed for weeks and months before the election. Nothing is further from the truth to say that the people were carried off their feet by slander.

Lots of people these days are busy figuring up a Cabinet for Whitney, but he's the kind of man to boss the job himself.

It's a thousand pities that Jackson doesn't hold an Ontario appointment. If he did he would be fired with a suddenness which would make wireless telegraphy seem like a slow going affair.

The folly of intemperate language is well illustrated in this election. If Mr. Ross had not spoken disparagingly of his opponent his defeat would not look so bad. There would have been some satisfaction in being bowled over by a man of ability, but there is positive humiliation in being set aside in favor of "a lobster!"—Mail and Empire.

INFIDELITY POSTPONED,
London Advertiser.
"We Will Whack Whitney"—but not just now.

SCOTS WHA HAE,
Hamilton Spectator.
Scots will be delighted to know that Mr. Whitney has the Forty-Two behind him.

DOMESTIC APPREHENSION.
Toronto Telegram.
Every minute the poor Czarina must be afraid the populace will butt right into the palace and upset her rubber plant.

IN DARKEST RUSSIA.
Belleville Intelligencer.
The question of the day seems to be "Has Russia a Mirabeau?" Who knows the Russian for "Search Me?"

GRIT CONSOLATION.
Brooklyn Recorder.
As the late Hon. C. S. Fraser on one occasion remarked, "For every office filled there is made one friend who very often forgets, and a score of enemies who seldom forget."

AND SURPRISING AS REVELATIONS.
Toronto Telegram.
The Book of Lamentations strikes the Globe as being just about as funny as the Ontario election returns.

GOT HIS LIKES.
Pembroke Observer.
If Hon. G. W. Ross, ex-premier, has allowed the barnacles to so run his government and the once popular Reform principles that were handed up to him, into disrepute, as shown by the vote of yesterday, he deserves all he got. It was his procrastination in bringing on the election in this county that was the cause for losing it and the dirty, contemptible way that the people who worked were deprived of their hard-earned pay in this riding is a sample that things in general were not conducted as they should have been. We know of many letters that have been written to Hon. G. W. Ross from this riding complaining of this kind of work, and he was not the man to answer one of these letters. There is always an end to such work.

HAD TO HIDE IT

A MOTHER wrote us recently that she had to keep Scott's Emulsion under lock and key—her children used to drink it whenever her back was turned. Strange that children should like something that is so good for them. It's usually the other way.

Scott's Emulsion

makes children comfortable, makes them fat and rosy-checked. Perhaps that's why they like it so much—they know it makes them feel good.



This picture, in the form of a trade-mark label, is on the wrapper of every bottle of the genuine Scott's Emulsion.

Older people, too, who are thin or delicate will find Scott's Emulsion a wonderful strength-giver and flesh-builder.

SCOTT & BOWNE

122 Wellington Street, West
TORONTO, ONTARIO

BATHER BRITISH LOVE OF LIBERTY.

Toronto Mail and Empire.

It would appear that the esprit du corps of unionism is stronger even than patriotic sentiment. The striking picture of British miners contributing \$10,000 a week to the striking Westphalian miners is surely significant of this. No one had supposed that British labor owed anything to its most formidable European rival.

A REFRESHING CONTRAST.

Toronto News.

Mr. P. D. Ross, of Ottawa, declares that he desires to have nothing to do with the distribution of patronage, which usually goes to the defeated government candidate. This is consistent with his attitude of independence, and it will be hailed with satisfaction. In the political history of Canada there has been nothing more disgusting than the eagerness of men to identify themselves with a winning cause. Mr. Ross' action stands out in refreshing contrast.

THE LESSON FOR WHITNEY.

St. John, N. B., Telegraph.

To Mr. Whitney's shoulders is suddenly transferred a great and clear responsibility. He sees Premier Ross, a man of high personal reputation and magnificent public talents, hurled from power because he was unable or unwilling to cut loose from lieutenants and heelers who should have been in the penitentiary. He sees a once powerful and honored administration go down to disgraceful defeat because in its day of power public deficiency and public welfare alike had been ignored by agents from whose acts it reaped temporary profit.

TREATMENT OF PILES

Permanence of Cure The True Test.

Many so-called pile remedies will afford the user slight temporary relief and the majority of those afflicted do not expect more than this. The average sufferer, after having tried every preparation recommended for the cure of piles, comes to the conclusion that there is no cure except by an operation and rather than undergo this "last resort" he suffers on, resigned to the situation, so far as may be. The attention of those interested is invited to the following experience.

"After ten years of suffering from blind, bleeding and protruding piles and after using every remedy I could hear of without any benefit, I finally bought a fifty cent box of Pyramid Pile Cure and used it with such good results I bought next a dollar box, which finished up the job. That was nearly six years ago and as far as piles is concerned I am cured, and have never felt a symptom of them since."

"Many others have used this remedy by my advice with the same results and I always recommend it to sufferers with piles." C. E. Potts, Burlington, Kans.

Testimony like this should convince the most skeptical that Pyramid Pile Cure not only cures, but cures to stay cured. It is in the form of a suppository, can be applied in the privacy of the home, directly to the parts affected and does its work quickly and painlessly.

Druggists generally sell this famous remedy for fifty cents a package and sufferers are urged to buy a package now and give it a trial to-night. Accept no substitutes.

A little book describing the causes and cure of piles is published by the Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich., and same will be sent free to any address for the asking.

It is not always evidence of cowardice when a man runs away from a conflict.

PRAISE FROM THE INSPECTOR

C. C. I. Complimented on Effective Organization and Work—New Teacher Needed

Other Changes Recommended—Suggestions From Mr. Seath—Patterson's Reading Class Praised.

The over-crowded condition of the C. C. I. was brought forcibly to the attention of the Board at their annual meeting yesterday, when Inspector Seath's report was read. The need of another teacher was also pointed out. At present there are two classes with a total of about 90 pupils. According to regulations three teachers should be provided for such a number.

Peter Robert, the new representative of the Separate School Board, was present and was introduced to the other members.

Dr. Battisby moved, seconded by Peter Robert, that S. B. Arnold be chairman.

Dr. Bell moved, seconded by Colonel Rankin, that W. G. Richards be chairman.

W. G. Richards moved, seconded by Colonel Rankin, that Dr. Thornton be chairman.

Mr. Richards was elected and, on taking the chair, expressed appreciation of the honor.

The following committees were nominated, the first named in each case being chairman:

Finance—S. B. Arnold, Dr. Thornton and Dr. Bell.
Property—Messrs. McVean, Thornton, Arnold, Harrington and Rankin.
Supply—Dr. Battisby, ex-Ald. Liddy, Robert Smith and Peter Robert.
Internal Management—Messrs. Col. Rankin, Smith, Liddy, Harrington, Dr. Bell and Peter Robert.

Harry Collins, writing, asking a grant for a commercial library—Deferred.
Inspector Seath's report was then taken up. The inspector said that the attendance required still another teacher if results were to be satisfactory and that the present arrangements for teaching subjects was as good as it possibly could be under the crowded condition of the school. Mr. Patterson was complimented on his reading classes.

The following is the Inspector's summary:
"So far as the staff is concerned, the condition of this Institute is better than it was when I inspected it last year. The principal has the school under good control, and his organization is, generally speaking, as effective as it can be, considering the crowded condition of the school. Mr. Patterson was complimented on his reading classes."

The change recently made in the accommodation can be regarded only as a temporary expedient to tide over a serious difficulty. The people of Chatham are face to face with the urgent need of remodeling the present building and providing for a largely increased attendance. I recommend that the Board take up the consideration of the question as soon as its present difficulty with the County Council is settled. This High School, like the other High Schools of the Province, is not a class school. It is for both rich and poor, and the obligation to support it properly rests upon all classes of the community. It is as much the school of the people as is the Public School."

The principal's report showed a total attendance of 326, with an average of 302.

Chairman Richards urged all members to be prompt in attending meetings.

Little is gained from the respect that is secured through fear.

The Big Linen Sale

At Northway's Begins Friday at 9 a.m. sharp

If you require a Linen Covering for your table be on hand when the sale opens. There's advantage in first choice of these goods.

46 only Fine Pure Linen Table Cloths, rich heavy double damask, pure grass bleach, satin finish, in range of elegant patterns, size 2 yards by 2½ yards, regular \$2.50 to \$3.00 each, on sale at **\$1.89**

40 only Choice Pattern Cloths, pure linen, grass bleached, satin finish, size 2 yds. square, regular \$2.00 to \$2.25 each on sale at **\$1.48**

Mill Ends of Table Linen—about 800 yards Bleached and Unbleached Table Linen in lengths of 1 yard, 1¼, 1½, 1¾, 2¼, 2½, 2¾, 3, 3½, 3¾ and 3¾ yards each, in all grades from the 25c. a yard quality up to the fine Damasks at \$1.50 a yard, on sale at fully **One-Third Off Regular Prices.**

It will pay you to lay in a stock of Table Linens for future use at these unusually low prices. We would say again come early. Nine o'clock is none too soon

The Northway Co., Limited

City Carpet Ball Bowling League Standing.

The following is the standing of the City Carpet Ball Bowling League—

	WON.	LOST.	PER CENT.
A. O. F. (Court House).....	9	3	.750
A. O. U. W.....	7	4	.636
S. O. E.....	8	6	.571
A. O. F. (Court Union).....	5	5	.500
R. A.....	5	5	.500
K. O. T. M.....	5	6	.455
S. O. S.....	3	7	.300
L. O. F.....	2	7	.222

TERRIBLY DISTRESSING

Nothing can cause more pain and more distress than Piles. No wonder many Pile sufferers say their lives are burdens to them. Operations and local treatments may relieve but cannot cure.

Dr. Leonard's Hem-Roid is guaranteed to cure any case of Piles. If Hem-Roid doesn't cure you, you get your money back.

Hem-Roid is a tablet taken internally, thus removing the cause. \$1,000.00 guarantee goes with every sale.

A month's treatment for \$1.00, at all Druggists or The Wilson-Eyle Co., Limited, Niagara Falls, Ont.

A Process Reversed.

"You regard campaign calculations as a distinct branch of mathematics?"

"Yes," answered the erudite personage. "The method differs from all others. You start with the answer and then work backward and evolve a problem to demonstrate it."

A BILIOUS HEADACHE.

Is one of the meanest things in the world. To prevent biliousness use Dr. Hamilton's Pills, which keep the system clean and pure, regulate the bowels, give tone to kidneys and liver. You'll never have a headache, you'll never have a sour stomach, but you will have vigorous, bracing health by taking Dr. Hamilton's Pills, 25c. per box or five boxes for one dollar.

Men like to believe their word has a convincing effect in a family argument.

The egotist is always the other fellow.

When a boy turns his bulging pocket inside out, we marvel at the quantity and variety of articles he has stowed away. Odd lengths of string, marbles, a horse-chestnut, a top, brass nails, hickory-nuts, an apple, and many more articles are garnered by this "snapper-up-of-unconscious trifles." We think the collection must be hard on a boy's pocket. And it is. But do we ever think of the variety and miscellany of the substances we put into the pocket of our stomach? There's the apple and the nuts, and things besides quite as indigestible as brass nails and with no more food value than so many marbles. And yet we wonder that the stomach "gives out." When the stomach breaks down under the strain of careless eating and irregular meals it can be perfectly and permanently restored to health and strength by the use of Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. The action of this medicine on the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition is so marked, that relief from disease is at once experienced, and the headaches, liver "troubles," kidney disorders, skin eruptions and other symptoms of a diseased stomach are quickly cured. Whenever the use of a laxative medicine is indicated, use Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They act in harmony with the "Discovery" and assist its action by purging the bowels of foul accumulations.

He reverts on thorns that sleep on beds of roses.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

Corrected July 2nd, 1904.

GOING EAST	GOING WEST
2.55 a.m. Express.....	1.03 a.m.
8.55 a.m. ".....	1.11 a.m.
3.32 p.m. ".....	9.42 p.m.
7 a.m. daily, except Sunday	

GRAND TRUNK WEST.

GOING EAST	GOING WEST
8.23 a.m. for Windsor, Detroit and intermediate stations except Sunday	
12.42 p.m. for Windsor and Detroit	
2.30 p.m. for Windsor and intermediate stations	
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OATS—40,000,000 Bushels.
BARLEY—10,000,000 Bushels.
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TILBURY

Feb. 1.—The funeral of the late Wm. J. Gardiner, of Valetta, takes place to-day at Tilbury East Cemetery. Deceased was in his 41st year. A hockey match between Tilbury and Windsor takes place here to-night.

The annual financial statement of the local Presbyterian Church, up to the 17th ult., shows the congregation to be in a most successful position. The subscriptions and offerings total \$753.15, while the ladies of the church increased this by the magnificent sum of \$308.44, making a total of \$1,061.29 from these two sources alone. The Sunday school realized \$56.21; Young People's Society, \$29.60; W. F. M. S., \$36.22, and church and manse repairs, \$85.00.

TILBURY

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Reid, of Tilbury East, will celebrate their golden wedding to-morrow.

Mrs. Young and two daughters, of Sarnia, were last week the guests of the former's daughter, Miss Helen Young, of the public school.

Miss Ellen Campbell, daughter of Reeve Campbell, and Mr. Sloan, of the Northwest, were married to-day at the home of the bride's parents, by Rev. Mr. McQuarrie, of Valetta.

ARE YOU LOOKING
FOR A HAPPY MAN?

If So Find One Who Has Used Dodd's
Dyspepsia Tablets and Can Now
Eat and Enjoy Three Square Meals
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Thrice happy is the man who can take three square meals a day and enjoy every one of them. But in these days of bad teeth and quick lunches, how many people can do this? Can you? If you can't it's your own fault.

Modern science has overcome the handicaps of bad teeth, quick eating and scanty saliva. It has provided Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets, the greatest help to the Stomach ever discovered. They contain the necessary ingredients for digestion; to put it in brief they digest the food while the Stomach rests and recuperates. That they are an easy and natural cure for all Stomach ailments anybody who has used them will tell you. Louis M. Bourdeau, of St. Louise, N. B., says:

"I recommend anyone who suffers from Dyspepsia to use Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. I had it badly, and the doctors I consulted did me no good. Three boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me completely."

McKAY'S CORNERS

The local Rossites have not yet recovered from the shock of the 25th. It seems difficult to locate many supporters of the late government.

James Clark is expected home from the west about the 1st of February.

James Baker, of Dresden, is in this vicinity at present.

It is reported that Dr. McRitchie had some of the wavering voters under close guard until the proper party appeared on the scene.

Many of the well read and liberal minded Reformers helped us roll up the big vote for Bowyer at McCully's Schoolhouse. We are grateful for

Isaac McDonald and family are moving to their farm, lately purchased, east of Ridgetown. The Misses Hutchinson entertained a large load of young friends from Kent Bridge Tuesday evening. A large load of friends from Beechwood spent a pleasant evening with

The Young People's Society in connection with St. James Church was again organized on Friday evening. Mrs. Jas. Brydson president. The annual report of the congregation was very satisfactory.

It is hard to make some men understand the meaning of the word "no."

Men are prone to speak of ambition as though it meant only the possession of money.

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never cakes, and

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The East India kind put up in cans. Ordinary canned pineapples we know are not very inviting. These we speak of are canned where they are grown, and you get all the flavor.

We have them put up whole, in chunks and sliced.

20c and 25c a can

DELICIOUS PEACHES, 30c a can

FINE STRAWBERRIES, 20c a can

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AT REDUCED PRICES

We shall sell the balance of our Chamois Vests and Chest Protectors at a discount of 20%.

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TO-NIGHT.

Skating at the rink to-night.

Meister Singers, at the Grand, at 8.15.

Court Chatham, No. 6, C. O. F., in their rooms at 8.

Chatham Encampment, No. 10, I. O. O. F., Temple, at 8.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per C. N. W.

Toronto, Feb. 2—11 a. m.—Strong northwesterly and westerly winds, fair and very cold to-day and Friday; temperature much below zero in nearly all districts.

The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:

THERMOMETER.

Highest yesterday, 14.

Lowest during night, 3 below zero.

This morning, 1 below zero.

Barometer, 29.75.

Direction of wind, west.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Carnival to-morrow night!

Bargain in Shoes—Wm. Somerville & Son.

Mrs. W. H. Baxter, Detroit, is the guest of Mrs. N. J. Bogart, Adelaide street.

Wanted to Exchange, lumber for boxes. Apply to Scott Bros., lumber dealers, Chatham.

Miss Mary Taylor, Hamilton, sister of the late Mrs. Robinson, Stanley avenue, is in the city.

Northway's Sale of Fine Table Linens and Cloths begins at 9 o'clock Friday morning. Don't miss it!

Going to the manufacturers of tobacco to advance the price the local dealers will have to sell all kinds of tobacco at 10c straight.

Important!—Special matinee to-morrow for Uncle Tom's Cabin Co., at 3.45 p. m. School children, 10c; adults, 25c.

Everything looks most promising for the big Masquerade Carnival at the Rink to-morrow night. Band in attendance. Skating for everyone right after the judging. Admission 25c or season tickets and 10c.

Stoves

19 Baseburners too many. You can get them at your own price. Have you \$40 or part of it?

Fur Coats

We give \$5.00 away with each coat.

Fur Robes

Far to many on hand. We will slaughter these.

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YOU WANT A GOOD DRESS SUIT

Evening clothes are so much in evidence at this time of the year—for evening weddings, receptions, dinner and theatre parties. Well, we can outfit you in a way that will please you and rejoice your friends. With us you are sure to get the latest in mode and material—perfect fit always.

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GORDON'S STOCK-TAKING SALE CONTINUES!

The balance of our January offers in Furs, Ladies Coats and Skirts, Men's Fur Coats, Whitewear and Embroideries, and other lines partially sold are yet on sale at our remarkably low prices until Saturday February 4th.

20 Misses Jackets, values \$5 to \$7, until February 4th, Each, **\$3.00**

20 Ladies Jackets, \$5 to \$8, until Feb 4th, Each, **3.50**

30 Ladies Tweed Skirts, values 3.00, 3.50, \$4, until Feb. 4th, Each, **2.00**

16 Long Tweed Tourist Coats, new this year, \$12 value, until Feb 4th, Each, **8.00**

Embroideries, best 5c. and 7c. values in the city, until Feb 4th, for per yard, **3c**

12 Fur Capelines, some with long fronts, assorted furs, regular value \$5 and \$6, until Feb. 4th, Each, **\$3.50**

4 only Plain Electric Seal Coats, sizes 34 and 36 reg. price \$35, until Feb. 4th, for **\$25.00**

WITH PRICES TO MATCH IN MANY OTHER LINES

WILLIAM GORDON

WAS THERE WRONG DOING?

There is the usual talk of a protest in West Kent, but it is not known yet whether it will materialize or not. If any of the friends of the member elect were enthusiastic and foolish enough to spend money illegally, they were wrong in doing so, and the Government side will be perfectly justified in prosecuting them. —Wallaceburg Herald, Liberal.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

After the routine business was concluded in Court House, A. G. F., last evening, in the absence of the District Chief, Ranger, Bro. Benjamin Dwyer, Wm. H. Benson, Past District Chief, Ranger, assisted by P. D. C. R. Bro. Edward Cape and P. C. R. Bro. A. E. Lenfestey, installed the officers for 1906, as follows:—

C. R.—Buxville Oldershaw.
S. C. R.—Wm. Palmer.
Secretary—John Robertson.
Treas.—Edward Cape.
S. W.—Robt. McPaul.
J. W.—John Conibear.
S. B.—J. Martin.
J. B.—Wm. Wood.
Organist—John Robertson.
P. C. R.—James Dyer.

East District Ranger Wm. H. Benson, on behalf of the Court, presented the retiring Chief Ranger with a Past Chief Ranger's jewel. In a few appropriate words Mr. Benson presented the jewel to the retiring officer, Mr. Dyer replying in suitable terms. Court Hope is to be congratulated on the choice of its officers for 1906, and good results are confidently expected.

(Skating to-night at the Rink!)

Wanted! Good, sober man, to take care of horses and deliver hardware. Apply at once to A. H. Patterson.

MECHANICS' TOOLS

You couldn't choose a better time to get your tools in order for the summer work than now. You have more time and besides you get the best assortment.

We have our stock at the high water mark. Every tool that is good is in our stock and you will be surprised what a large number you can get for a few dollars.

Carpenters' Tools
Masons' Tools
Machinists' Tools, &c.

J. C. Wanless
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LICENSE CHANGES

Hugh Clark Says there will be No Other General Removals on the Advent of New Government.

Major Hugh Clark, M. P. P. for Centre Bruce, whose name has more than once been connected with the portfolio of Education, was in Toronto Tuesday in consultation with Premier-elect J. P. Whitney. A short interview with him on the much discussed question of the officialdom appears in the Toronto News as follows:—

"Will any change be made necessary in the officials?" Major Clark was asked.
"There will probably be no changes in the officials except those of the License Department, who can hardly be acceptable to a new Government, responsible for the enforcement of the law. The smaller officials were, as usual, active in the elections, but important officials, like the sheriff and registrar, took no part. There ought also to be a revision of the Commission of the Peace, as many J. P.'s now are either not qualified to hold that office or they avoid performing its duties."

SAD CASE

Demented Man With Wife and Family Causes Trouble—Generous Act of Mr. Drader and Employees at Court.

The case of Rex vs. Chas. Christie was ventilated before his honor Judge Dwyer this morning. There were two charges against the accused, viz., of insanity and dangerous to be at large, with a tendency to commit indictable offenses; and theft.

The prisoner was a tenant of W. M. Drader and for a time was in Mr. Drader's employ. While working he got rather peculiar and although he changed from one foreman to another, he could not get along with them, and quit. He was then out of work and couldn't pay his rent, and was also taking wood on the premises which he had leased from Mr. Drader.

He eventually began to show symptoms of insanity. He claimed King Edward gave him the property and he had owned it for 16 years. He forbade other tenants paying their rent except to him and claimed he owned the wood, heading and other lumber on the premises, ordering Mr. Drader's employees off.

Upon enquiry it was found that Christie had been in the asylum twice before, and that he might develop further tendencies at any time and that it was dangerous to allow him to remain on the premises so long as he imagined that he owned them. Out of consideration for the unfortunate wife and family Mr. Drader generously arranged to get him another house, paid a month's rent in advance for it and relinquished his claim for overdue rent and said nothing about the wood taken if Christie would move out.

Christie, however, who was not responsible, positively declined to do anything of the kind, and in his own interests and the interests of the community Mr. Drader was forced to take action. The case came up this morning before Judge Dwyer, and after hearing the evidence, Christie was committed to jail for three weeks to see if he will not get in a better state of health, mentally.

In the meantime the family are being well looked after by charitable people in the city. A feature of this morning's case was the generous action of Mr. Drader and his wife, in turning over their witness fees to the unfortunate wife.

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Guaranteed Free from Rott, and to Cook White and Mealy.

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We can satisfy you in quality and prices. The business we are doing is a proof of this. New Cooking Figs, 5c. per lb.

1 lb. Tins Sunlight Baking Powder 10c.

2 15c. Packages Uno Breakfast Food, 25c.

25c. Bars of Dish Cloth Soap for 20c.

3 Cans Blueberries for 25c.

Spice, 5c. per lb.

1 lb. Fresh Ground Coffee, 15c.

3 Pounds Picked Beans for 10c.

Maple Syrup, 25c. per Quart

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Frame House and Small Lot, \$400

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Frame Cottage, Large Lot and Stable, \$900.

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Burdock Blood Bitters is the best blood medicine on the market to-day, and is composed entirely of roots, herbs, bark and berries.

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sicians.

YOUR VOICE.

Learn to Pitch, Moderate and Man-
age It Properly.

Harper's Bazar, referring to the
voices of Americans, makes these per-
tinent remarks: "In spite of the vast
amount of perhaps kindly meant crit-
icism which has been made in all quar-
ters of late years regarding the Amer-
ican voice it certainly does not im-
prove. It is the exception to find, es-
pecially in the middle west, an agree-
able voice, and women are more faulty
than men in this respect. It is urged
that the rattle of the cars and the
noises of all descriptions make it im-
practicable to use a smooth, pleasant
intonation. One has to force a nasal
tone, we are told, in order to be heard
in the tumult which 'civilization' has
raised around us. When one considers
the charm which a sweet voice gives to
its possessor one wonders at the gen-
eral neglect of measures to obtain it.
Complexions fade, dentists ruin beauti-
ful mouths, the eyes lose their glow,
the chin and the neck crease and bulge
—but the speaking voice shares with
the nose the distinction of earthly im-
mortality. It may weaken or crack
somewhat with advanced age, but a
thrilling speaking voice never wholly
loses its power. Every one should de-
termine that she will learn to pitch
and modulate and manage her voice
properly. Nearly every one has it in
her power if she only chooses to at-
tend to it."

COOKING OLD FOWLS.

Dishes For Which They Are Better
Adapted Than Young Birds.

Almost every housekeeper has been
mortified and annoyed by a fine, plump
fowl turning out so tough that the
carver has found it next to impossible
to serve it in the usual way, but not
so many of them have discovered
that if properly cooked an old bird is
much better in some dishes than a
young one. For soup, croquettes, tim-
bales, rissoles, fricassees, pie or pates
an old fowl, having more flavor and
substance, is much better than a chick-
en. For curried fowl, too, the bird no
longer in its tender days is to be pre-
ferred, but the meat should be very
slowly stewed until tender before us-
ing it in any of these dishes. Occa-
sionally one prefers to serve the fowl
whole, and even in this way it is
quite possible to make a toothsome
dish of it if it is cooked with judg-
ment. Have it trussed as for roasting,
put it into a saucpan and cover with
cold water, let it come slowly to the
boiling point, skim well and let it cook
very slowly for an hour and a quarter
or an hour and a half. Take it out of
the water, and let it cool a little, and
then stuff it in the crop with any pre-
ferred forcement. — Boston Cooking
Magazine.

KITCHEN HELPS.

Coarse salt and vinegar will clean
enameled ware that has been burned or
discolored.

Do not drop dirty, greasy dish tow-
els in hot soapuds. It only sets the
grease. Wash them first in lukewarm
water.

An old housewife set on the kitchen
table, back to the wall, makes a very
respectable imitation of a kitchen cabi-
net and saves many steps.

The range should be so located as to
escape a draft sweeping over it. A
gas range should always have a firm
connection. A hood placed over the
range is a great ventilator.

When tins are hard to wash, where
food has burned on, like baked fish or
oatmeal, put the dish on the stove,
filled with cold water and half a tea-
spoonful of baking soda, and let it boil,
and your dish will wash, and the odor
of fish will be gone.

The Uses of Responsibility.

Every mother should remember that
the making of her daughter is of far
greater importance than the adminis-
tration of things in her house, and ev-
ery daughter should realize that she
can learn to avoid mistakes only when
she sees them. She enjoys most seeing
her mother's mistakes and resolving
that when she has a house she will
"never do so." A beginning may be
made with a small and comparatively
unimportant responsibility, suggests
Woman's Life, and it is to be remem-
bered that responsibility and not mere
work is the great thing. The very lit-
tle girl may have the care of one plant,
a hardy one, to begin with, but system
and neatness may be practiced in its
care to great advantage. If the plant
should be a blooming one a small vase
for the breakfast table would give an
additional bit of care and pleasure to
both child and parents.

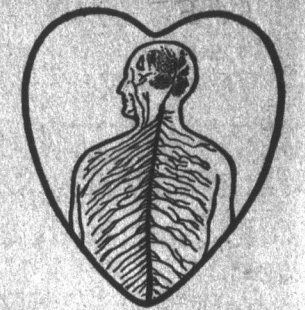
Coffee, Chinese Style.

The Chinese method of infusing cof-
fee in cold water is said to eliminate
the tannic element. This method may
be tried as a culinary experiment. The
coffee will be found very strong and of
a rich flavor. Put the usual amount
of coffee, ground very fine, into cold
water in a glass fruit jar. Cover tight-
ly and let stand overnight. In the
morning loosen the cover and set the
jar in a vessel of hot water. Let the
water boil until the coffee is piping
hot, when strain into a hot coffeepot,
and send to the table. If wanted for
after dinner coffee make the infusion
early in the morning.

The Kitchen Table.

A nice covered table is a convenience
in the kitchen, as hot things can be set
directly on it, and it is easy to keep
clean. Pine top tables look spick and
span when they are scrubbed carefully,
but that means a constant expenditure
of strength and time. Tables with
hardwood tops covered with kitchen
oilcloth save a great deal of time and
labor.

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sents received by King Edward were
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pears that the King on a recent oc-
casion was unable to inform Eddie of
the leopard gets its spots, and in this
book was a puzzle which ex-
plained all about it.

The Prince of Wales' second son
presented his grandfather with a per-
fect mechanical torpedo-boat. Con-
suelo, Duchess of Marlborough, gave
him a beautiful cigar casket formed
of alternative lines of pink and green
enamel, separated by rows of bril-
liants, with the royal crown and
cipher in the centre in high relief,
and full of the King's favorite cigars.
Mrs. George Cornwallis West, who
was one of the Sandringham house
party, gave him a diamond and ruby
bell-push for his writing table. But
Mrs. George Knapell's present was
probably the most novel of all. It
was a beautiful little gold box stud-
ded with jewels, and containing a
clock of marvelous workmanship, out
of which every hour springs a dainty
humming bird which for one minute
pours forth a flood of melody. It is
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JUPITER'S NEW MOON.

Satellite Just Discovered Is Thought to
Have a Period of Revolution of
Six or Eight Months.

This interesting account of the dis-
covery of the sixth satellite of
Jupiter by Professor Perrine has
been prepared by W. W. Campbell,
director of the Lick Observatory on
Mount Hamilton.

"Professor Perrine's program of
work for three years has contemplated
a thorough search of the regions
surrounding the planets of the solar
system with a view to the discovery
of any unknown satellites. This
work, however, has been delayed
pending the replacing of a defective



SYSTEM OF JUPITER AND ITS MOONS, INCLUD-
ING SIXTH SATELLITE RECENTLY DIS-
COVERED.

Crossley reflector mounting with a
suitable modern structure. This has
been under way the last two years
and was substantially completed
about six weeks ago.

"Photographic observations of the
region immediately west of Jupiter
were obtained by Professor Perrine
on December 8, 8, 9 and 10. A com-
parison of the plates made on suc-
cessive nights showed the presence of
an unknown body, which changed its
position. The probabilities were
strongly in favor of its being a
satellite of Jupiter, but it was not
impossible that one of the numerous
asteroids in our system might be
moving in the manner observed. The
lunar character of the object was
finally established by Professor Per-
rine by means of photographs obtain-
ed on January 2, 3 and 4.

"The first, second, third and fourth
satellites of Jupiter, discovered by
Galileo in 1610, are very bright,
being 2,100 to 3,500 miles in di-
ameter. The fifth or inner satellite
was discovered by Professor Barnard
with the Lick telescope in September,
1892. It is approximately of the
thirteenth magnitude, is perhaps 100
miles in diameter and revolves around
the planet in a period of 11 hours
57.4 minutes. The outer Galilean
satellite requires 16 days 17 hours to
complete one revolution.

"The distance of the sixth satellite
is not yet definitely known, inasmuch
as the form and the positions of its
orbit cannot be determined until ob-
servations covering two or three
months are at hand. However, its
diameter is probably of the order of
100 miles, and the period of one re-
volution may be as long as six or
eight months.

"The direction of the motion of the
new satellite appears to be opposite
to that of the others, but it is not
impossible that a difference of a few
degrees in the position of its orbit
may explain the anomaly."

DISRAELI.

Favorite Prime Minister of Her Late Ma-
jesty Queen Victoria.

A conspicuous example of the
changes in opinion concerning men
and races of men was recently fur-
nished when all Britain united to do
honor to Benjamin Disraeli, Earl of
Beaconsfield, on the one hundredth
anniversary of his birth.

For many centuries the race from
which sprang this splendid exponent
of its abilities and capacities was
proscribed in England. Secretly ad-
mitted in the time of Cornwall, the
Jews were, almost until times within
the memory of living men, despised
and alien outcasts even in the only
land that offered them toleration.
From this "peculiar people" came
Disraeli, who with no other aid than
that of education and native ability
against the well high overwhelming
prejudices of family, caste and wealth
fought his way step by step from the
position of a pamphleteer and hus-
tling orator to that of the highest
statesman of the realm. When, after
manifold struggles, Disraeli won a
seat in the House of Commons, that
body jeered at him, at his clothes, at
his mannerisms. "They shall yet
hear me!" said the young politician.
His claim was modest, for before the
close of his long and active political
career Parliament and the British
public were not only glad to hear
him, but to hearken to him with
eager, respectful attention.

It is said that Disraeli—the title of
Earl of Beaconsfield—was accepted
only to please his wife—was the fa-
vorite Prime Minister of Queen Vic-
toria. It is certain that none of the
many other Premiers of her long reign
is more highly honored to-day by
Britons, and Primrose day, April 19,
the anniversary of Beaconsfield's
death, is a holiday devoted to the
eulogy of his memory.

Although Disraeli was a member of
the Church of England and was mar-
ried to a Christian, he prided himself
on his Jewish ancestry and origin.
That he—a descendant of a race, the
newly domiciled in Great Britain, the
victims of unthinking popular pre-
judice—rose to the very summit of
fame and popularity was ever to him
a source of the most intense gratifi-
cation.

Everybody Happy.

"So she is happily married at
last," remarked the old friend of the
family.

"Yes, happily, she's married at
last," sighed her overworked father,
thinking of the bills he would no
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CURE WAS QUICK AND PERMANENT

Dodd's Kidney Pills Soon Drove Away Rheumatism and Dropsy

Case of a Windsor Man Who Suffered Two Years Before He Discovered the Right Remedy.

Windsor, Ont., Jan. 30.—(Special)—How quickly Rheumatism and Dropsy can be cured when the right medicine is used is shown in the case of Mr. John McDonald, a retired farmer living at 130 Langlois Avenue here. Mr. McDonald says:

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing this work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Archbishop's Suggestion.
The late Archbishop Corrigan was one of the gentlest of men, but when it was necessary to reprove any one under his charge, whether priest or layman, he never hesitated to do so. At one time there was a vacancy in the rectorship of one of the large churches in New York city, and several clergymen were talked about for the position. Two prominent women who were members of the church called upon the archbishop and urged the selection of one of their clerical friends. As they were leaving one woman turned to the other and said impressively: "When you get home pray that the Holy Ghost may give the archbishop the grace to appoint the right man." Like a flash the archbishop turned around and said in joy tones: "While you are at it ask the Holy Ghost to give women the grace to attend to their own business."

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Ninety per cent. of the "lungers" contract consumption by allowing power of resistance to fall so low that a favorable condition for the development of the bacilli is provided. In a healthy system consumption can't take root. But where there is weakness and debility, there you find tuberculosis. For developing strength and building up the weak, nothing equals Ferrazone. It makes the blood nutritious and the nerves enduring. The way it converts food into nutriment, the appetite it gives is surprising. Just what the man verging on consumption needs—that's Ferrazone. If tired and weak don't put off. Fifty cents buys a box of fifty tablets—at all dealers.

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FACTS IN A FEW LINES

PARAGRAPHS ILLUMINATIVE OF LIFE ALL OVER THE PLANET.

Will of the Late Sir George Dillibee Shows That There Is Not Much "Grat" in Australia.—Novel Monument to Bear Witness Erected in York Cathedral—Lancashire's Public-Spirited Fellow.

An Englishman has been sent to an insane asylum through too much study of newspaper puzzles. In the French army soldiers are allowed to have gardens in any spare barracks ground and grow vegetables which help out their rations. Statistics show that the birth rate in the largest German towns is steadily decreasing, notably in Berlin, Charlottenburg, Hamburg and Orenfeld.

A "Book of Songs For Motor Cyclists" is being compiled by the German Motor Cycle Club. Prizes are offered for the best six songs submitted. The Paris correspondent of The London Mail says that mules' brains make very good eating and are frequently used instead of calves' brains in Parisian restaurants.

The number of cigarettes manufactured and sold in Canada, increased from 34,000,000 in 1890 to 83,000,000 in 1895. In 1900 128,000,000 were manufactured, while in 1904 the output was 216,000,000.

Some of the old guns purchased by the British Government and placed in the local park as "war trophies" had never been used on foreign service at all, it has been discovered.

There does not seem to be much "grat" in Australia. All its public men who have died in recent years died poor. The late Sir George Dillibee, whose will was probated recently, left only about \$10,000.

An inspector a few days ago found that a weighing machine used by the Great Western Railway Company



POSITION OF PORT ARTHUR'S INNER PORTS.
Of England was sixty-six pounds short in every ton. The company paid a ten dollar fine and costs.

French naval officers are beginning to complain strongly of the state of the coast defenses at Cherbourg. The complaints resolve themselves mainly into this—that the guns are largely obsolete and the gunners too few. The foreign countries, which send goods to Ecuador to the amount of \$100,000 or more each year are the United States, England, Germany, France, Belgium, Australia, Spain, Italy, Chile, Peru and China.

A monument erected in York Cathedral to the officers and men of the York and Lancaster Regiment who fell in South Africa was unveiled the other day. Besides the names of the fallen it bears only the word "Remember."

The police of Lancashire have presented to the townships over which they have jurisdiction forty-six hand-made cushions, many of them costing \$500. The money was raised by means of football matches and other athletic sports.

A short time ago Chile solemnly opened a permanent industrial exhibition. The President presided, surrounded by the leading people of Chile and the entire foreign diplomatic corps. The day is referred to as one marking a new era in the development of the country.

The Bishop of Worcester in a triangular address to his clergy recently said that the clergy and fallen under the despotism of choir and with regard to monotonizing on a high note he complained that they seemed to think there was "something sacred about the note G."

As early as 1875 the first commercial school was established in Tokyo. Since that time similar schools have been established in various parts of the Japanese Empire. In 1884 the commercial schools were regulated by Ministerial decree, and in 1899 a general law was passed concerning commercial educational institutions.

One of the most remarkable places of worship in the world is the miners' chapel in Myndd Menigdd colliery, Swansea, Wales. It is close to the bottom of the shaft. The only light is that obtained from a solitary safety lamp hung over the pulpit from the ceiling, and the oldest miner in the colliery is generally chosen to officiate.

Recently in a paper read before a technical society at Odessa Mr. Lukazewski described a way of killing the young of insects in fields by electricity. A dynamo is carried on a wagon (horse or automobile), and the current excites an induction coil, giving a high tension discharge. One pole of the coil is to the metal tires and the other to metal brushes passing over the ground. The discharge kills the grubs, etc., in the soil.

Hearing one of his officers say at dinner that "half a dozen Russians could drive the English out of Tibet," a soldier in Manchuria, who had been serving as a waiter at the table, asked some people where Tibet was and, learning that it was somewhere southwest, persuaded seven comrades to join him in an expedition. They had not gone far when they were attacked and seized by Chinese bandits, from whom they were afterward rescued.

Pay of World's Soldiers.

If the little Jap soldier can whip five Russians, he is only earning his pay, which is 60 cents a month, against 12 cents a month paid to the Czar's fighting men. The German soldier is paid \$2.50 a month, the French soldier \$1.74, and England pays her soldiers \$7.14. In peace time the United States soldier is paid \$13 a month, with 20 per cent. increase for war service.

Few People Realize

The Danger in That Common Disease, Catarrh.

Because catarrhal diseases are so common and because catarrh is not rapidly fatal, people too often overlook and neglect it until some incurable ailment develops as a result of the neglect.

The inflamed condition of the membrane of the nose and throat makes a fertile soil for the germs of Pneumonia and Consumption, in fact catarrhal pneumonia and catarrhal consumption are the most common forms of these dreaded diseases which annually cause more than one quarter of the deaths in this country.

Remedies for catarrh are almost as numerous as catarrh sufferers, but very few have any actual merit as a cure, the only good derived being simply a temporary relief.

There is, however, a very effective remedy recently discovered which is rapidly becoming famous for its great value in relieving and permanently curing all forms of catarrhal diseases, whether located in the head, throat, lungs or stomach.

This new catarrh cure is principally composed of a gum derived from the Eucalyptus tree, and this gum possesses extraordinary healing and antiseptic properties. It is taken internally in the form of a lozenge or tablet, pleasant to the taste and so harmless that little children take them with safety and benefit.

Eucalyptus gum and the bark are sometimes used but are not so convenient nor so palatable as the gum. Undoubtedly the best quality is found in Stuart's Catarrh Tablets which may be found in any drug store and any catarrh sufferer who has tried douches, inhalers and liquid medicines, will be surprised at the rapid improvement after a few days' use of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets which are composed of the gum of the Eucalyptus tree, combined with other antiseptics which destroy the germs of catarrh in the blood and expel the catarrhal poison from the system.

Dr. Ramsdell in speaking of Catarrh and its cure says: "After many experiments I have given up the idea of curing catarrh by the use of inhalers, washes, salves or liquid medicines. I have always had the best results from Stuart's Catarrh Tablets; the red gum and other valuable antiseptics contained in these tablets make them, in my opinion, in no respect to any of the numerous catarrh remedies so extensively advertised. The fact that Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are sold in drug stores, under protection of a trademark, is evidence against them because the undoubted merit and harmless character make them a remedy which every catarrh sufferer may use with perfect safety and the prospect of a permanent cure."

For colds to the head, for coughs, catarrhal deafness and catarrh of the stomach and liver, people who have tried them say that Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are a household necessity.

Native Dress in Tibet.

The native dress of Tibet consists essentially of a very wide gown five and a half feet long, with long sleeves, tightened in at the waist and gathered up so as not to fall below the ankles of the men of quality, or the townspeople, nor below the knees of the common people, who have much walking and work to do. Thus gathered up, the gown puffs out at the breast, forming a huge pocket. At night the wearer lets it fall and is thus wrapped up from his ears to his feet, as in a bed. Tibetan women wear the same gown—it is called a "chuba"—letting it hang down to the ankle. Their dress varies according to the locality to which they belong.

SIR JAMES WATSON'S OPINION.

He says that the commonest of all disorders, and one from which few escape is Catarrh. Sir James firmly believes in local treatment, which is best supplied by "Catarrhazone."

No case of Catarrh can exist where Catarrhazone is used; it is a miracle worker, relieves almost instantly and cures after other remedies fail. Other treatments can't reach the diseased parts like Catarrhazone because it goes to the source of the trouble along with the air you breathe. Catarrhazone is free from cocaine, it leaves no bad after-effects, it is simply nature's own cure. Accept no substitute for Catarrhazone which alone can cure Catarrh.

Accustomed to It.

Ada—And weren't you a bit nervous when he proposed? Clara—Oh, no! A proposal doesn't make me nervous any more.

Much bending breaks the bow; much unbending, the mind.

HAVE YOU HEARTBURN?

It's quite common with people whose digestion is poor. Immediate relief follows the use of Nerviline. Stomach is strengthened, digestion is made perfect, lasting cure results in every case. Use Nerviline one and you'll never be without it because every type of stomach disorder is conquered by a few doses. One 25c. bottle of Nerviline always convinces. Sold everywhere for the past fifty years.

The self-made man has a profound contempt for pedigree.

Lifebuoy Soap—disinfectant—is strongly recommended by the medical profession as safeguard against infectious diseases.

So long as one is satisfied with one's self life has a rosate hue.

Coughs, colds, soreness and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Greenleaf's Lozenges, ten cents per box of twelve.

Her Turn Next.

Aunt Florence: You don't seem to be sorry that your sister has been married and left you.

Ethel (aged fifteen): No; it makes me envious now.

FOOTPRINTS IN THE SNOW.

How Our Small Game May Be Studied in Winter—Their Little Excursions Leave Interesting Records.

The first covering of snow makes a clear page for the varied imprints of diminutive activity, says The Globe. The little row of twin footprints left by the field mouse looks hopelessly feeble in the open and extensive area of white. The easy leaps of the black squirrel are imprinted so regularly that one sees in fancy the easy undulations of his supple, graceful form, making a moving pattern of black on a ground of pure white.

The smaller footprints of the red squirrel show a more nervous temperament, and a tendency to change abruptly and without apparent reason from one direction to another. The little excursions of the muskrats are almost pathetic, for these trails tell of brief glances at the stars before the long imprisonment in winter's dungeons. Where their feet have rested quietly in the snow they have left impressions sufficiently clear to tempt a palmer into speculating on their personal characteristics.

Not only the toes and nails, but the markings and lines are distinctly imprinted. Where the sudden haste of the stream leaves a little open piece of shallow, noisy water coursing over rounded pebbles, a muskrat has found a means of exit. Whatever marks he may have left on the bottom in crowding under the low edges of the ice have been effaced by the busy water. The ice crowds down so low that he must have burrowed deeply to pass under. His trail in the open is quite distinct. The clear marks of his feet in the snow show how leisurely he moved, and the straight groove made by his muskrat tail gives his tracks a characteristic finish.

He moved a few feet to another little gurgling aperture, where he sat long enough to melt the snow and smooth off the edges of the ice. Then he returned to the larger opening, where the water, dripping from his wet fur, had formed many globules of ice in the snow. His next journey was to the bank, where he scratched some roots from a ledge of earth which the snow had failed to cover up. But this did not quite satisfy his curiosity to know the outside world. He trailed up over the white, rounded bank, and sat in the small open space close to the cedars. It is easy to picture him there, in the moonlight, glossy, wet, and black, hunched and rounded, keenly alert, to catch the faintest sound that would betray the approach of an enemy. His innocent nocturnal excursion went undisturbed. The trail ends where he sat and took a farewell look at the outside world, and in returning he leisurely obliterated the marks he made when ascending the bank. He came back on his trail to the little strip of open water, and there the record of his little excursion ended. In the banks of the shallow stream his aquatic habits are almost entirely abandoned. He does not build houses of aquatic vegetation to serve as resting and breathing places. He does not make long excursions under the ice, with succulent green herbage trailing from his mouth. The banks become his habitation, and there he tunnels, and excavates above the water level, making a labyrinth of communal dwelling-places. These communicate with the water wherever it can be found, but the enterprising little swimmer descends to the level of a burrowing animal, subsisting on roots during his long and dreary winter incarceration.

AN AWFUL JOURNEY.

New Corporal Field Reported a Madman From Yukon to Edmonton.

Corporal Field of the Royal Mounted Police, recently arrived at Edmonton, the most northern railroad station in the Northwest Territory, bringing with him a madman missionary. Corporal Field was stationed at Fort Chipewyan. He was directed to proceed to another station in the Arctic circle and escort a mad man to Edmonton. He traveled by dog sled, using seven dogs, and traveled light. He was fourteen days reaching the station, where he was to meet his charge.

Here he found a missionary named Buckman, who had become raving mad in the lonely solitude. Then began his long journey with his deranged charge. He had not proceeded far when the missionary became violent, and it was necessary to strap him to the sleds.

Then the man refused to eat, scratching and biting Field whenever the latter sought to force food down his throat.

For fifty-three days this journey continued, through blinding snowstorms and wind swept prairies. Field finally arrived at Edmonton with the madman, whose attendants took him 2,400 miles to the asylum at Brandon. Field was exhausted and is now slowly recovering from his lost strength under medical care.

He says it was the most discouraging, lonely and difficult trip he ever made, and the authorities say it has never been equalled.

The True Masterpiece.

Bliss Carmen said in a recent article: "There is a sort of greatness about a true masterpiece that makes itself felt we hardly know how, that moves us we do not know why; just as there is a sort of greatness about some men, which compels an unreserved enthusiasm and loyalty toward them: it is the quality which endears people to us. This man may be brave and unapproachable; that one may be clever to bewilderment, yet, if they are not lovable, we meet them and part without regret. They convince us, and charm, and even win; yet a moment later we are left as cold as before."

Her Turn Next.
Aunt Florence: You don't seem to be sorry that your sister has been married and left you.

Ethel (aged fifteen): No; it makes me envious now.

NEW MEAT MARKET

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FARM FOR SALE—Lot No. 25, Concession 10, on Grand River, Balgait Township, 113 acres; brick two-story house; frame barn, stable and sheds. Apply to J. A. Walker, Barrister, King St., Chatham, Ont.

FARM FOR SALE—North east half of Lot 16, Front Concession Township of Harwich, 133 acres. All cleared, clay loam, two good sized frame houses. Large frame barn and cattle shed; stable and drive-barn combined; granary and implement house. Buildings all in good repair; about five acres orchard; artesian well, windmill and pump; three other wells. Price \$8,000.00. Apply on the premises to Mrs. John J. Walrath, or to W. F. Smith, barrister and solicitor, Chatham, Ont.

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To Come to the Emperor of All the Russias As a Rebellious Mob He Declares to Be a Crime—Admonishes Them to Have Patience—Concludes His Address With the Words: "May God Assist You."

St. Petersburg, Feb. 2.—Emperor Nicholas yesterday afternoon received at Tsarskoe-Selo a deputation of 84 workmen, representing the employees of the factories and workshops of St. Petersburg. The deputation was accompanied by Minister of Finance Kokovtsov and Governor-General Troopoff, and proceeded by the Imperial road to Tsarskoe-Selo, where carriages were waiting them at a point near the Imperial Pavilion. On arriving there, the workmen were admitted to one of the halls of the palace. The Emperor entered the hall, accompanied by Grand Duke George, Michaelovitch, General Hosen, the Minister of the Imperial Court, and the commandant of the palace. The workmen bowed to His Majesty, who said:

"Good day, my children."
The workmen replied:
"We wish Your Majesty good health."

The Emperor then said:
"Have Been Deceived."
"I have summoned you in order that you may hear my words from myself and communicate them to your companions. The recent lamentable events with such sad, but inevitable results, have occurred because you allowed yourself to be led astray by traitors and enemies to our country. When they induced you to address a petition to me on your needs they desired to see you revolt against me and my Government at a period when all Russian workmen should be laboring unceasingly in order that we might vanquish our obstinate enemy. Strikes and disgraceful demonstrations led the crowds to disorders which obliged, and always will oblige, the authorities to call out troops. As a result innocent people were victims. I know that the lot of the workmen is not easy. Many things require improvement, but have patience."

"You will understand that it is necessary to be just towards your employers and to consider the condition of our industries. But to come to me as a rebellious mob in order to declare your wants is a crime. In my solicitude for the working class, I will take measures which will assure that everything possible will be done to improve their lot and secure an investigation of their demands through legal channels. I am convinced of the honesty of the workmen and their devotion to myself, and I pardon their transgressions. Return to your work with your comrades, and carry out the tasks allotted to you."

"May God assist you."
Drank Emperor's Health.
At the conclusion of his speech, the Emperor told the members of the deputation to communicate his words to their comrades, and said he would supply them with printed copies of his address.

After leaving the palace, the deputation proceeded to a neighboring church, where they prayed, and after kissing icons placed lighted candles before the shrines. Subsequently, they were given dinner in a building which formerly was the high school of Tsarskoe-Selo.

One of the members of the deputation proposed the health of the Emperor, which was drunk with cheers.

At 4.30 p.m. the delegates drove to the Imperial Palace, whence they took the train for St. Petersburg.

Police Mirsky Retires.
St. Petersburg, Feb. 2.—The retirement of Interior Minister Sviatopolk-Mirsky was officially announced yesterday, ill-health being assigned as the reason.

Chief of Police Shot.
Odessa, Feb. 2.—Chief of Police Golovine was shot close to the police station in the centre of the city yesterday morning and was wounded in the right shoulder. The wound is not dangerous.

THE WENTWORTH PROTEST.
Judges Hear Argument at Hamilton and Reserve Judgment.

Hamilton, Feb. 2.—Should the ballots that were numbered on the back by Deputy Returning Officer Vallens be counted or not is the problem on which Chief Justice Meredith and Justice Teetzel will sleep for an indefinite period. They came to Hamilton yesterday and heard argument in the Sealey-Smith election protest, and after they had heard it they reserved judgment.

W. O. Sealey was elected for the House of Commons for Wentworth by the recent Federal elections by majority of 15. E. D. Smith, his Conservative opponent, applied for a re-count which was conducted by Judge Snider. The judge found that in one of the Beverley divisions, where Sealey had a majority of 25, the deputy returning officer had numbered the ballots on the back, and his honor threw all the ballots for that division out, and Sealey's majority of 15 melted into a minority of ten.

Judge Snider then declared Smith elected. Mr. Sealey entered a protest, and by agreement it was arranged that only the question of the numbered ballots was to be submitted to the court.

Winnipeg's Population 97,401.
Winnipeg, Feb. 2.—Henderson's city directory for 1905 gives Winnipeg a population of 97,401, an increase of 30,096 over last year.

STILL MAKING APPOINTMENTS.

Deputed Ministry May Cling to Office For Days Yet.

Toronto, Feb. 2.—Another meeting of the Provincial Cabinet was held yesterday afternoon, and at the close it was announced that the question of resignation had not been discussed. The opinion prevails at the Parliament buildings that Premier Ross and his colleagues will not step out until the last of the week or the beginning of next.

The Ontario Government has appointed E. T. Cockrill of Kingston, a graduate of the School of Mines of Queen's University, secretary of the bureau of mines, to succeed W. E. H. Carter, who resigned. The salary is \$1,800.

Hon. G. P. Graham, Provincial Secretary, refused to say anything yesterday about the appointment of George Bush as jailer for Lincoln County Jail, in succession to the late T. B. Blain. The appointment has not been sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor, who, it is said, has intimated to the Premier that the outgoing Cabinet should leave all important appointments for the new administration.

The following appointments have, however, been duly ratified:

Edward Chester of Coldwater, to be clerk of the Tenth Division Court of the County of Simcoe.

E. M. York of Verona, formerly bailiff of the Fourth Division Court of the County of Prescott, to be clerk of the court, and his place as bailiff filled by J. A. Wells of the same town.

A. A. Balzanne of St. Eugene, has been appointed clerk of the Third Division Court of the combined counties of Prescott and Russell, to succeed L. J. Labrosse, who resigned to enter the political field against Mr. Ewart.

Protest in Kingston.
Kingston, Feb. 2.—The Conservative executive unanimously decided to protest the election of E. J. B. Pense on the ground of bribery. They claim to have ample evidence already in regard to this action and state that some of the leading local Liberals will be involved in the charges. The recount will begin on Saturday morning, but it is generally expected that while this will decrease it will not wipe out the majority of 17 for Mr. Pense.

Mr. Ewart's Recount.
The majority of Labrosse (Lib.) over Hon. F. E. A. Ewart was only four. The first return gave Ewart four, but a deputy returning officer made an affidavit that he had made a mistake of eight in his poll-book, and the sheriff accepted the explanation and declared Labrosse elected. Ewart objected to this proceeding and has applied for a recount, which will take place on Monday next.

Recount in West Huron.
A re-count of the West Huron ballots will take place on Friday at Goderich. The Conservative candidate was declared elected through an error of a deputy, but has applied for a recount in order that his right to the seat may be established.

SIR WILFRID MADE OFFER.
So Declares Mr. Chamberlain in His Most Recent Speech.

London, Feb. 2.—(C. A. P.)—Mr. Chamberlain, speaking at Gainsborough, urged upon his audience the desirability of thinking imperially without reference to antiquated conditions of themselves and their country.

Referring to the colonial support in the late war, he said for the first time it made possible an organized union of all the different parts of the British Empire for the common objects gain. He quoted the remarks of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Premier of Canada, and the late Cecil Rhodes, dealing with the colonial offer, he said: "We offer to you by which you shall treat us and we will treat you a little better than we both treat foreigners." I do not know any name in the English language except an offer. This offer Sir Wilfrid made has been repeated in different words and in different forms, but always to the same effect, not only by the statesmen of Canada, which ever side of politics they are on, but also by the statesmen of the other self-governing colonies. He told his audience they were not bound to open their mouths and shut their eyes and take whatever the colonies gave them, and relations in a friendly meeting and see whether the Empire cannot be more closely united on a basis of preferential policy.

He told his audience they had been asked to meet the overtures of Canadians by a fat and insulting refusal to a proposition which would readily be entertained in the case of a foreign country. He ventured to say the colonies being high-spirited nations, if treated in such a way would seek elsewhere the sympathy they asked.

Only Permanent Benefit.
London, Feb. 2.—(C. A. P.)—At a meeting held at his house, Lord Brassey emphasized the opinion that emigration is the only permanent benefit for the unemployed. He appealed for subscriptions for that purpose.

Passed Restless Night.
London, Feb. 2.—The bulletin issued yesterday morning by the physicians attending the Princess Victoria, who was operated on for appendicitis at Buckingham Tuesday, says she passed a restless night, but otherwise is as well as can be expected.

Engine Kills Party.
Hornellsville, N.Y., Feb. 2.—A sleighing party from the Universalist Church of Hornellsville was struck by a Pittsburgh, Shawmut and Northern engine near Airport last evening. Six were killed and many injured.

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I reckon H. S. Clements jarred the House of Commons with that maiden effort of his.

Keeping his promises! Well, I guess Farmer Clements is making good at Ottawa.

I knew we'd hear from H. S. Clements. The Grits in Parliament heard something drop.

The Russian Bear could see his shadow to-day all right if he could only get out far enough.

Uncle Tom, Eva, Topsy who just grew, and Marks the lawyer are still with the show, I see.

The B. Mistake is in a great hurry to get the new market building up. What have they got to sell!

I expect to be real busy till I get that cabinet formed for J. P. Whitney, so don't bother me.

The whole credit for the Public Library Board having a legal chairman lies with this G. H. J. Salasmas accepted.

It would be just as well for Conservatives to avoid the appearance of anxiety when asking a Grit officer-holder about his health.

After this G. H. J. had quietly smoothed over everything, the B. Mistake comes out and tries to create trouble for the office-holders.

I am glad to see that the Public Library Board saw the error of their ways, as pointed out by The Planet, and have elected a chairman for 1905.

I see that after H. S. Clements attacked the Honorable Sydney Fisher's bill so strenuously, the government was afraid to submit it and laid it over.

Our purpose is only to serve the city, and when any civic board gets off the track we will firmly but kindly return them to the straight and narrow path.

I've got a bigger job now than running Library Boards, the affairs of this city and such. I've got the government of the finest province in the world to look after.

I guess they weren't expecting to get roasted so badly when H. S. Clements rose to make his maiden speech. That member for West Kent is a ripper when he gets started.

The popularity of Uncle Tom is something wonderful. It is as attractive to-day as it was when we were children, and the only change is that the presentation is more elaborate. The story is the same.

I guess I've discovered the reason for the popularity of the play, Uncle Tom's Cabin. Wives take their husbands to show them Eva going to heaven, and thus prove that some girls really do go to the land of celestial bliss.

Farmer H. S. Clements is looking after the interests of his constituents away down at that big government building at Ottawa. I saw yesterday where he made his maiden effort and ripped those Grits who wanted to establish a monopoly against the farmers.

J. W. Humphrey wrote to the Minister of Education to find out if this G. H. J. was right. The Minister replied that of course we were right. While it is pleasing to be endorsed by a minister, even if he is a Grit, still we would have saved Mr. Humphrey.

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A very marked improvement has been brought about in the Pere Marquette, Buffalo Division, train service during the past few weeks, the local service being particularly benefited thereby. Passenger trains are kept sharp on time and an excellent local freight service is being provided. In addition to this we understand that more through freight is being moved than has ever been handled over the division before. This condition of affairs certainly speaks volumes for the present management and we believe that in a very short time there will be no better operated piece of road in the Province.

We are also informed that in the course of two or three months a through passenger service is contemplated, thoroughly equipped with finest day coaches, cafe, parlor, sleeping cars that can be made, a new feature will no doubt be fully appreciated by the travelling public.

A large sum of money will be spent by the company for new engines, adequate terminal facilities, water service, and 10,000 tons new 55-lb. steel rails will be laid on main line during the coming summer, which will further facilitate the movement of the immense business that the Pere Marquette is now handling in Canada.

CARPET BOWLS

Three games in the trophy series of carpet ball were played last evening, the following teams taking part: Court Hope, A. O. F., vs. the I. O. F. at Hope's Hall, the A. O. F. winning out by one point; the Sons of Scotland vs. the Royal Arcanum at the R. A. Hall, the Royal Arcanum winning the game easily; the Sons of England vs. Foresters, Unity, in the latter's hall, the Foresters winning out. It was a battle royal between Court Hope and the Independent Order of Foresters, the latter winning by one point. The I. O. F. are the "tail-enders" and Court Hope, A. O. F., are the "top-notchers." There are just a few games to play in the league series, and the indications are that Court Hope will land the trophy, and that the Workmen and Sons of England will play for second position, while Court Unity, A. O. F., the Royal Arcanum and the Maccoches will contest for third place, and the Sons of Scotland and the Independent Order of Foresters will battle for fourth position.

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