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CHATHAM, ONT. TUESDAY, JUNE 5, 1900

## AMONG THE LARGE NUMBER OF CARPET "RECRUITS"

which enlisted in the "army" of our Spring stock was a "regiment" of Tapestries for variety, beauty and quality we have never seen their superior, but the "brunt" of our spring trade has fallen on other lines and outside of some "skirmishing" the tapestries have not seen active selling. The Commander in chief has ordered them to the "front" and the low-price position which they will occupy for the next few days means that every piece will receive many scissor scars.

LISTEN TO THE ROLL CALL:

No. 1 Company, 112 yards—design, floral and lace, colors rose, cream, green and grey.

109 yards—design, floral scroll, colors forest green, blue and cream.

156 yards—design, "Empire," colors pink, green and cream

168 yards—design, floral, colors bronze white and green.

57 yards—design, scroll, grey, rose and brown.

No. 2 Company, 145 yards—design, floral scroll, colors white, green, crimson and rose.

162 yards—design, floral, colors fawn, rose, bronze and green.

102 yards—design, floral, colors bronze, rose, cream and green.

No. 3 Company, 166 yards—design, foilage, colors bronze greens.

115 yards—design, floral, colors forest green, white and pink.

42 yards—design, floral, colors cream, salmon pink and blue.

Regular 65c goods, your choice for......55c per yard

No. 4 Company, 108 yards—design, floral, colors crimson, bronze and blue.

116 yards—design, floral, colors bronze, white and bronze green
140 yards—design, floral, colors gray, blue and pink.
80 yards—design, scroll, colors green and gold.
30 yards—design, floral, colors wood shades.
20 yards—design, floral, colors dark greens.
61 yards—design, scroll, colors light cream and salmon pink.

Regular 60c goods, your choice for......49c per yard

All made and laid without extra charge

Thomas Stone & Son Direct Importers

# IT WON'T LAST

The weather man says this cool spell of the last few days will soon be over and that seasonable weather will follow Then we'll all be hunting cool comforts again while the thermometer is registering up near 80. So the following topics. are for timely buying.

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JOHN NORTHWAY & CO.

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Black Venetian Cloth, smooth covert finish, fine heavy quality, 48 in. wide, extra value at ..... Extra Quality Venetian Finish Broad-cloth, rich raven black, worth \$1.25 yd., special at.....\$1.00

Amazon Suitings, in jet blacks, suitable for mourning wear, find all-wool quality, 44 in. to 50 in. wide, very special at per yd. 50c, 75c and .... \$1.00 Superfine Broadcloth, 52 in. wide, extra quality, medium weight, will make

handsome tailored suit, at per

nch Poplins, rich firm cords, best black, smooth finish, warranted in wear, great values at per yd. 40c, 50c, 75c and .....\$1.00

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# Lord Roberts Announces His Entry Into Profit

The City Taken Without Firing a Shot-President Kruger a Fuestive-The War Virtually Over Transvaal's Foreign Troops Turned Adrift Without Pay.

the Transvaal Capital.



G. N. W. Bulletin. London, June 5 -It is of. ficially announced that the

British have occupied Pre-

BEFORE THE CAPTURE. London, Tuesday, June 5, 3.20 a. m.-Of official intelligence regarding what is transpiring outside Pretoria, there is little or nothing known. Lord

cipher. President Kruger commands the telegraph eastward from Pretoria, and the telegraphic news from Pretoria to Lorenzo Marquez has ceased; but the messages of newspaper correspondents continue to pass to and fro on the railway. The latest to arrive at Lorenzo Marquez bring events at the capital down to a late hour Friday night. At that time, according to the sources of information, the military leaders had quite recovered from the panic, and had determined to defend the town. One message, which is dated June 1, says:-"Pretoria is full of strange burghers, but most of the commandoes are laagered outside. A great war council of generals has just concluded its deliberations. The decision as to the future military course has not been made known. Louis Botha and Delarey sat

in the council." Another despatch brought to Lo renzo Marquez by messengers, and dated at Pretoria, Friday, at midnight, says:-"The war council assumes the powers of the Government. Its members declare that the capital may still be successfully defended. One commando declared :- With the help of God the hour will still come when Great Britain will acknowledge JAS, AND EDWARD CHINNICK, the independence of the two Repub-

lics. A tremendous change will yet come over the situation.' Gen. De larey, said that Pretoria would be defended to the utmost, adding: There is every chance that we will yet beat the enemy out of the country."

WHERE IS KRUGER. WHERE IS KRUGER.

President Kruger is somewhere to the eastward, but is in constant wire communication with the leaders. There is, however, a deep feeling of anger against him on account of what is now called his unnecessary flight, and because he and the officials took all the gold and left their subondinates unpaid. The latest phase of public opinion is a marvellous revival of courage.

of courage.

The Lorenzo Marquez correspondent of the Times telegraphing June 4, eags.: "Lorenzo Marquez is swarming with foreigners who have been assisting the Boers up to a few days ago.



Vivat Victoria, We have Pretoria, God Save the Queen

Roberts is silent. Nevertheless, by piecing together items from various correspondents it would seem that Lord Roberts' immediate army is all employed north of Johannesburg, except one brigade, which is at Johannesburg, and that six columns are converging on Pretoria. An undated news agency message from Pretoria, via Lorenzo Marquez, June 4, says:

"Pretoria is now invested by the British, No resistance will be offered. The city will be surrendered by the burgomaster as soon as a formal demand is made."

This message purports to come in cipher. President Kruger commands

Gerhard Heintzman

for Catalogues and Prices.

B. J. WALKER 62 Ouellette Ave., WINDSOR

### TENDERS.

Separate and bulk tenders will be Separate and bulk tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned architects, up to 7 p. m., Monday, June 11, addressed to James and Edward Chinnick, Chatham township, for all trades, with or without materials required in the erection of a two-storey brick veneered residence. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted:

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## The Planet

DAILY AND WEEKLY Chatham. Ont.

EXPOSURE OF THE GOVERN-MENT'S BINDER TWINE POLICY.

In the house of commons last Tues day, Mr. Taylor, of Leeds, the opposition whip, brought up the question of binder twine. This is a matter of practical interest to the farmers of Ontario and the west, and the common taxpayers generally. Mr. Taylor proposed the following resolution:

"That the system adopted by the government in disposing of the output of the binder twine manufactured at Kingston penitentiary through their political friends, has imposed a monopoly on the farmers of Canada and has forced them to pay from 100 to 200 per cent more than the cost of manufacture. That the proposal of the government to sell the binder twine manufactured this year up to the first of May, to farmers in small the first of May, to farmers in small quantities, at 14 cents per lb. for man-ila, 11 for mixed and 10 for New Zealand, while the cost of production did-not exceed 6 cents, is unjust to the farmers, and that the price should not exceed seven cents for the best qual-

This resolution of want of confidence was supported by Mr. Clancy, Mr. Roche and Mr. Davin, and opposed by the Solicitor-General and by Mr. Frost and Mr. Rogers. The Patron member expressed his disapproval of the governemnt's course previous to this year, but voted with the ministers, Mr. Fitzpatrick is the representative of the department which is accused of wrong. Mr. Frost is a dealer, whom Mr. Davin describes as one of the criminals concerned.

One purposes of the establishment of the binder twine industry in the Dominion and Provincial prisons was the protection of the farmers from oppression at the hands of the combines. The two prisons produced some three million pounds of twine each year, which could be used to break down any combine to unduly increase prices. The record goes to show that the government at Ottawa as well as the one at Toronto, instead of taking the part of the farmers against the combines, joined the combine against the farmers To begin with, the whole product of Kingston, found on hand at the change of government, was sold nominally to Coll Bros., of St. John, but really to Mr. Hobbs, of London, to whom the contract was transferred. In 1897, 1898 and 1899, the whole product was sold to the combine, It went year and year about to the Hobbs Hardware Company, and H. A. Bates & Co., the former a Liberal member of the Ontario Legislature, the latter a leading member of the party at Ottawa. There has never been any real competition for the purchase of the prison product. In the first and second years tenders were received from two firms, and the one who got the contract sold out to the other. In the third year, private circulars were sent out to persons not in the trade, after a private offer had been received from Mr. Bate. There was no call for tenders, and Bate got and his cowardly practices should be the contract at his own price. In 1899 restrained wherever found. Hobbs got the contract on a tender put in by his firm in the name of another person, after a lower tender had been submitted in his own name. Mr. Bate or Mr. Hobbs were also the purchasers of the Central prison, and Hobbs has been the Canadian agent of the United States companies, whose

goods are imported. The result of this system of sale was such that the product of a million pounds or more each year has been sold by the government at very little over the cost of production and sometimes below it. The product of 1896 was sold to the combine at \$4.25 per hundred pounds, though it cost \$4.41 to buy the material and manufacture it. The product of 1897 cost the government \$4.18, and was sold to the bine at \$4.64. In 1898 the cost of production was \$4.47, and the combine bought it for \$4.60. In 1899 the cost was \$6 and it was sold for \$6.51. The government therefore made no money out of the twine works, while the factories at Brantford divided 60 per cent profit one year and 100 per cent

profit the next. Unfortunately the farmers got no benefit from the low price at which the penitentiary product was sold to the favorites. It was shown in Tuesday's debate that the twine sold to Coll Bros. for Hobbs in the autumn of 1896 at four and a quarter cents per pound, and in 1897 at four and two-third cents per pound, was bought by the farmers at ten to thirteen cents per pound, or more than double the price received by the government. The product sold in 1898 to Bate at less than four and a half cents per pound, cost the farmers when it reached them eleven to fourteen cents per pound, or nearly three times the price paid to the government by the combine, In 1899 the combine paid the government six and a half cents per pound, while the farmers were compelled to pay thirteen to fifteen cents per pound. It will be seen that the combine worked with great success in two ways. In buying from the government it forced down the price to the cost of production. In selling to the people it forced up the price so as to give 100 to 200 per cent profit and thus compell the farmers to pay

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two prices for their twine. In the year 1900 the price obtained by the government from contractors is not known, for the government re-

fuses to give it. This year the government has taken new departure, and for a limited time sold some twine to the farmers direct. But instead of making such prices as had been accepted from the combine, the government makes the price for small lots the same as the selling price of the combine, and double that which Bate and Hobbs were required to pay last year. Such is the state of affairs. The solicitor gener-al did not contradict the statement that the purchasers of the product always worked with the combine. admitted that the prison work brought in no profit. He could not deny that the farmers paid the prices stated. The cost of production is taken from the official figures and the statement of the minister of justice. The profits of the combine and the middle men can be ascertained by a simple calculation. The profits of the Brantford company, which got the benefit of combine prices is given in the annual statement. But the main the house voted down Mr.

Taylor's resolution. Pretoria is ours!

Old Krug, might as well call this war off.

Oom Paul is now ex-president of the late Transvaal Republic.

Instead of Lord Roberts of Kandahar i will soon in all probability be the Duke of

The fate of Kruger should be a terrible lesson to promise-breakers. Sir Wilfrid Laurier should take warning by it.

Our American friends will please no tice that their war, which commenced a year before ours against an inferior enemy, is still in progress.

The humane officer is doing a work A man who treats animals cruelly would commit other crimes were it not for fear of the law. He is a blot, on civilization, deserving of no sympathy

The Montreal Witness, speaking of the Methodist departure from the itineracy of ministers says: It is not for us to say anything on the merits of this change as an act of internal economy, but it is of significant interest as a step towards the ssimilation which cannot cease to go on between great religious bodies liv-ing together among similar peoples and with absolutely similar ends in view. The differences, whether of keep the existing denominations apart must continue to diminish until they cease to be able to maintain the schisms based on them. Then, and not till then, will it be desirable for the separate bodies to unite. the consummation is nearer than

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Is successfully used monthly by over 10,000 Ladies. Safe, effectual. Ladies ask your druggist for Cook's Cottoe Root Committations are dangerous. Price, No. 1, \$1 per box. No. 2, 10 degrees stronger, \$8 per box. No. 1 or 2, mailed on receipt of price and two 3-cent stamps. The Cook Company Windsor, Ont. 127 Nos. 1 and 2 sold and recommended by all responsible Druggists in Canada.

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We are prepared to supply fruit growers with all kinds of Berry Boxes, Crates and Baskets at Lowest

J. A. Wilson

If Roberts had followed the Buller-Methuen tactics of going through the Boer defences instead of round them he would probably have been scrapping with Cronje near the Modder river

DO CATS SUCK BREATH?

Reputable Man Gives His Personal Experience.

Will cats squat upon the breasts, of sleeping babies and kill them by sucking their breath? Old colored women, nurses of the old school and some persons from the country will answer this question in the affirmative. Physicians and wise men will say it is a vain superstition, like that of Friday being unlucky. Yet the Philadelphia Record gives the experience of a chemist of Wissahickon, a Harvard man, whose word is above reproach: "I slept one night recently with my door open. It is usually closed. In the middle of the night I awoke. There, in the dim light, I saw our fat tabby cat sitting on my breast, and her moist, cool nose was against my lips. I drew back my head, and the cat, without moving, looked calmly in my eyes. 'Sent, you beast!' I said, and she leaped softly off the bed and vanished in the blackness of the hall. In the morning I thought this ghastly thing must have been a dream, and to verify it if possible I left my room door open the next night. Well, what I remember first is a kind of nightmare. I was in a closed room, and an enemy was pumping all the air from it. seemed to awake. I opened my eyes. The cat's warm, soft body was press close upon my breast and neck, and this felt comfortable, like a muff. But the mouth of the cat was glued upon my mouth in a loathsome kiss. My life, my very life, if you can understand me. ned to be flowing fast out of my lips, I felt so weak and through my weakness so calm and indifferent. I debated whether it was worth while to push the cat away. Finally with an effort-my arms were heavy as lead-I got rid of that squatting incubus. It scratched me be-fore it would go, and I have the scratch yet as witness of my story.

A Transformation. "For heaven's sake, tell that new serv-

ant of yours to get a new dress before she comes here tomorrow! She is positively too slovenly to come into the dining room.' This "heavy" was dealt out by a suburbanite to his wife the other morning. She informed the negress of the desire of the master of the house, but that gentleman had no idea his instructions would be so

well carried out. When the breakfast was brought in the following morning, what was his surprise to behold the negress togged out in a magnificent evening dress, with sparkles in her hair and other adornments on her

bare arms and neck, "What's all this?" he cried. "Have you fired that other girl and got an Egyptian princess in her place?" "No, boss," said the girl, speaking for herself. "I'se de same nigger, but I jes' put on muh ragtime clo'es, as you wuz so partic'ler 'bout muh personal 'pear-

Macaulay the Wit. During the time when Lord Disraeli was startling sober Englishmen by his eccentricities of dress Lord Macaulay, that was to be, was electrifying his dull witted constituents by his witty sallies and repartee. Having been defeated in he ran again for parliament in 1852. For a change he was the popular candidate.

One day while standing on the husti side by side with his opponent he was violently struck by a dead cat. The man who threw it immediately apologized saying he had meant the cat for his op-"Indeed?" said Macaulay. "Then I wish you had meant it for me and struck

him."-Collier's Weekly.

"I didn't know you intended to move." "We don't." "But your wife told me she was out looking at houses all day yesterday.' "Well, that's true enough, but don't you know there is a vast difference between looking 'at' houses and looking 'for' houses?"—Chicago Times-Herald.

THE BEAUTIFUL LAKE DISTRICTS.

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ear, fox and other game.
Thousands of tourists hie away to these cool and charming resorts and many pretty and comfortable homes are noticeable on the islands, in which families from the large centres in Canada and the United States pass the summer months. The hotel as-commodation is good, and a capital and commodious steamer service op-erates over the northern waters.

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Handsome, descriptive literature is issued by the Passenger Department of the Grand Trunk Railway System and the keen interest taken by Mr. W. E. Davis, Passenger Traffic Manager, and Mr. George T. Beil, G. P. & T. A., Montreal, has led to a larger and interesting traffic to these summer. increasing traffic to these summer

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### GRANOLITHIC AND PLANK SIDEWALKS.

Notice is hereby given, that the Municipal Council of the City of Chat-ham, will proceed under Section 669, of the Municipal Act, and under the General Local Improvement By-law, No. 377, of 1899, to construct granolith-No. 371, of 1899, to construct granolita-ic and plank sidewalks upon the fol-lowing streets within the limits men-tioned, after the expiry of one month after the last publication of this no-tice, for two weeks in the Chatham Even-ing Runner and the assessment of the ing Banner, and the assessment of the ing Banner, and the assessment of the costs of such works made upon the real properties to be benefitted thereby, unless the majority of the owners of such real properties, according to last revised assessment roll, representing at least one-half in value thereof, estimate the carried against the same petition the council against the same within one month after the last publication of this notice.

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GRANOLITHIC SIDEWALKS.

Ward 1. Adelaide street, east side, Park treet to south end of Biight's walk. McLean street, south side, Queen to William street. Park street, north side, Prince street to G. T. R. except in front of Weaver's s 1-2 166, (inside of trees.)
William street, east side, Park street, south 130 feet to Mrs. Kings-

William street, east side, Charteris street to Park's foundry.
William street, east side, Witherwade street, south side, Williams street, to easterly end of street. Wellington street; William to Ade-

aide street. Ward 2. Grey street, south side, Queen to-Lacroix street, west side, Richmond Lorne avenue, south side, Queen to Raleigh street.
Raleigh street, east side, Harvey to

Ward 3. Fifth street, west side, King to Welington street. Weilington street, north side, Wilam street to Sixth street; except Hadley's entry. King street, north side, Williamstreet to west side of Jos. Oldershaw's

roperty. King street, south side, Prince to-Princess street. King street, north side, William to

Prince street. Ward 5. Barthe street, south side, Kent street to Victoria avenue. Emma street, south side, St. Clair Louise street. Forest street, south side, Victoria avenue to Van Allen avenue.
Forest street, north side, Victoria

avenue to Delaware avenue.

Head street, south side, St. Clair street to Ursuline avenue, Head street, north side, Van Allen avenue, east to city limits. Kent street, east side, Barthe street Dover street. Pitt street, east side. Barthe street.

Dover street.
Pitt street, west side, Barthe street PLANK SIDEWALKS.

Ward 1. St. George street, east side, St. Patrick street, north to the property of Wm. Emerson. (Lot 4). Ward 4.

King street, north side, Princess street, east to city limits. Ward 5. St. Clair street, east side, alley at

heading factory, north to the city Lowe street, north side, St. Clair Forest street, north side, St. Clair street to Ursuline avenue.
Forest street, north side, Delaware avenue to Bedford street.
Forest street, south side, Van Allen venue east to city limits. Wilson avenue, south side, St. Clair street to Sheldon avenue. Ursuline avenue, east side, Emma street to Head street. Ursuline avenue, west side, Emma street to Head street. W. G. MERRITT,

May 31-j7.

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question of a reporter who had scraped

run who ride with me as regularly as the clock, and it's no uncommon thing for

one of them to get on without any mor

ey. In such a case I put up the nicke

myself as a matter of course and collect

it next day. But there are plenty of

others where I have to take chances of else seem brutal, and sometimes it's pret-

"It seems queer, but most of the folks who suddenly discover they haven't the

price appear to be people of means, and a good many of them tell me they make

it a rule never to carry any money except

a little small change, which they are apt

to spend without being aware of it. Gen-

erally they give me their cards, take my

number and send around a servant with

the fare as soon as they got home. I'm

sorry to say, however, that some of them are far from being that considerate. "Last fall a very elegantly dressed lady got on the car and found she had nothing

in her purse, 'Oh, well,' she said, 'I'll

just give you a check,' and in spite of my protests she pulled out a book of blanks and a gold fountain pen and wrote

me a check for 5 cents. Just for the fun

of the thing I presented it for collection,

but the teller insisted on my being prop-

erly identified, and the result was that I

missed my afternoon detail and lost half

a day's pay.
"Another lady, who is very wealthy,

gave me her address and made me promise to call next day. Her house is away out in the suburbs, and after allowing me to wait for half an hour in the hall

money paying passengers' fares. It wouldn't amount to half a dollar in the

certainly made good for several hundred

A Troopship's Water Supply.

The ship's ordinary supply would be to

good condensing apparatus. From the

tanks into which the water is condensed

(about 225 tons and upward a day) extra iron pipes are run to suitable positions on the different decks, and draw off cocks

the horses tubs are placed into which the

taken from spring cocks, the amount al-

lowed being usually six pints a head a

day, except when the vessel is in the tropics, when one gallon a head is al-

the condenser portable iron tanks holding about 400 gallons each are placed in the lower holds and filled. Lift pumps are then fixed fore and aft on the main deck,

and the suction pipe from the pumps is taken down close to these tanks and fin-

ished with a union, on to which a rubber suction hose is screwed, and led to each

tank as required. A rising main taken from pump is turned down and run paral-

lel with the main supply and finished at the same points.—Building World.

Where Rain Is a Novelty.

The Chilean provinces of Atacama, Tarapaca and Tocna are in the rainless re-

gion, or desert country west of the An-des, and are entirely devoid of vegeta-

vated perpetual snows of the Andes are stripped of their moisture and arrive on

the coast perfectly dry.

The last rain, a slight shower which

fell in Antofagasta, in Atacama province, was the first rain which had faffen in 16 years. The last rain which fell in Iquique, in Taracama province, was the first in 24 years. With both of these showers a notable phenomenon occurred. The bare

hills back of these cities assumed a green tint from a little plant which sprang up

The query is, From where did this plant

come? The whole of the coast presents a

most dismal and discouraging appearance

from the sea, but the climate is healthy, being especially adapted to pulmonary and throat troubles from its extreme dry-

ness and freedom from germs. The heat

is modified by a local sea breeze, and the

sea bathing is most invigorating, as the

A Singing Frog.

A traveler recently returned from Ja-

pan tells that in that quaint country

trained insects are kept in cages as sing-

ing "birds."

Fireflies and crickets are often found,

but an especial favorite is the singing frog. A rare one belongs to a lady of the

Japanese court. It is highly accomplished, as it has been in training for seven

years. It sings beautifully and will do so

even in the presence of strangers. In the

winter it hibernates. During its long sleep its bed is a jar full of tiny stones.

Over the jar is fitted a covering of straw

Growth of Pity.

tion. Men were broken on the wheel were burned at the stake, were racked

were purhed at the state, were factor, were cut up alive. No one seems to have felt any pity for their agonies. Men were put into noisome prisons, where, with bad air and insufficient food, they died un-

noticed and unpitied. It is very different now. Human hearts are more tender.— Chicago News.

The first postoffice was opened in Paris in 1642, in England in 1581, in America

It is believed that in China there is 20

No one formerly looked on with any pity or even horror at punishments which are now found too dreadful for descrip

those who treat them kindly.

almost in a night.

water is cold.

The winds in all of this region are from the east and in passing over the ele-

To provide against any break

ty hard to know what to do.

equaintance through frequent trips over

"Well, I should say we do. have a lot of steady customers on this

spark.

The white that we would purify we set

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Miss Ada Reynolds is spending few days with her sister, Mrs. J. F

The white that we would purify we set
Our grimy print upon, and we forget
Thy ways and thoughts are not as ours and hark
Toward what we take to be some heavenly mark
And find we serve the devli to abet.
Then do thou blind us that we may not see
The measure of our own futility,
Lest, seeing, we should cease to work and die.
Or give us sight, that we may know thereby
How through our labor, whatso end it meet,
We reach toward thee who knowest no defeat.
—Katharine Warren in Atlantic. D. R. Harrison, of Ridgetown, spent Sinday with his friends here.
Mr. and Mrs. Mallory have returned after spending three weeks with

Miss Bertha Bentley, of Ridgetown, is visiting friends in this vicinty.

Miss Ruth Goldworthy has return-Miss Bee Hall intends going to De-

troit for a month's visit.

Miss Lily Patterson is visiting at Rushton's Corners.

Wm. Carns, of Toledo, Ohio, is over on a visit for a few weeks.

DOVER CENTRE.

What! Why the Presbyterian pic-ic. When? On Wednesday, June 13th. Where? In Hugh Porter's grove Don't miss it. Attractions for all. Speakers will be present and a good program rendered. You know this is the picnic of the season. Norman Wemp returned home las

week much improved, after spending the past month at Mt. Clemens minback to continue the treatment.

Dover roads are in a fine condition for wheeling at present and our bi-cyclists seem to be taking advantage of them.

Farmers are pretty well through with planting their corn and are preparing for beans.

Ed. Fleming, our blacksmith, has been unusually busy this spring.

We are glad to say that Mrs. Hugh Porter has recovered from her late.

Porter has recovered from her late We hear that R. W. Stokes has rented his farm to John Glover, Mitchell's

Bay, one of our most progressive young Doverites.

After being shut down for some time Frank Rankin has started his saw-mill again.

8TH CON., RALRIGH.

Messrs. Richmond and Rhodes are again taking subscriptions for the building of a new church here.

Oscar Horne spent the 24th at a picnic in Dover. He says that, although she sent down a servant with four copers and a postage stamp. All in all, though, I have actually lost very little the crowd was not large, a fine pro-gram was given and all enjoyed them-

Richard Ball is ploughing up his Richard Ball is ploughing up his wheat crop, which is a failure, and is preparing to plant beans in its stead. Arthur George, of Dover spent Sunday with friends on the 8th and 9th. He speaks very highly of Dover and says the wheat crop there is far ahead of that in this district.

Miss Maud Soutar, of the plains, is the guest of Miss Belle Brown. last two years, and during that time I've tally inadequate for the requirements of, say, 1,000 troops besides horses, but the difficulty is overcome with the aid of a

he guest of Miss Belle Brown. This promises to be a happy district, As the Wesley school intend picnicking at Pardo's grove, Thursday 14th, as well as taking an excursion to Belle Isle on July 17th. To the former place they will be accompanied by the Charthey will be accompanied by the Charare fixed. Under the cocks for supplying ing Cross Sunday school pupils and to the latter they will go in company with those of Victoria Ave, Methodist water is run. In the soldiers' quarters small pipes are fixed, and the supply is

Miss Jean Auldis led' the League last Wednesday evening, her subject being "Sabbath observance." A good program was given and Miss Abbie Cameron's recitation proved to be a

literary treat.
Misses Noack and Clark, teachers of Dover, spent May 24 with friends and relatives here, and left on the following day to attend the teachers' convention at Dresden.

Miss McColl, of Chatham, is spend

ng a few days with the Auldis family Mrs. Perper, formerly of the 10th, has lately taken unto herself a help-mate in the person of Mr. Bloomfield,

Miss Annie Park, of Chatham, at-tended the League Wednesday evning.

## Township Councils.

RALEIGH COUNCIL.

The council of Raleigh met as a court of revision on the assessment rolls, on the 28th day of May. Present, N. H. Shepley, in the chair, P. J. Doyle, Jas. Irving, Jas. Clayton and A. J. Crowe.

The statutory oaths were subscribed to and filed with the clerk, The appellants who appeared were heard in evidence and on motion the following changes were made, viz.:

R. P. Dolsen, lot 20 River road, assessed for 1073-4 acres, reduced to 1013-4 acres.

Lots 8 to 13, s West St., Buxton, and five acres south of survey assessed to Jas: Dillon for \$315, transferred to Andrew Kay, present owner, and reduced to \$250. reduced to \$250.

Walter Piggott owner of lots 9 and 10, Erie Beach, assessed for \$500 reduced \$100,

The n 5 acres of sw 15a, of lot 7, con. A, assessed to Jas. Harris, as owner, was changed to Mrs. Catherine Webb as owner and Harris as temant. Lot 31, Dealtown changed from Jas.
Taylor to T. L. Pardo.
The dogs belonging to the following

persons were struck off, viz.:

Hector Smith. Alex. Johnston, Peter
Hughson, and Thomas Hackett.
R. J. Morrison forwarded a written statement that he was assessed for a dog and that it died last March. The said statement was referred back to

be sworn to.
T. L. Pardo informed the court that

T. L. Pardo informed the court that he had two dogs but was not assessed for any. The clerk was instructed to enter the same on the roll.

H. F. Lambert submitted an appeal that the n hf e hf 162. T. R., was assessed too high compared with lots 3, 6 and 8, in the 14th con., which were assessed too low.

Moved by Doyle and Crow, that H. F. Lambert's appeal be entertained and the clerk instructed to notify the parties appealed against to appear before the court at its next meeting.

The court of revision then adjourned.

The council then resumed with all members present.
Accounts passed—N. H. Shepley, com. fees, Scott ditch, \$4; E. A. Dillon, assessor, salary, \$90, postage \$1.35; W. G. McGeorge report, plans, etc., Simpsen drain bridge, \$29.50; Mrs. Sheff \$18.75;, Robert Vinson, repairing of bridge, Kersey drain, \$3.75; James



"I am the mother of four children," writes Mrs. Euphemia Falconer, of Trent, Muskegon Co., Mich. "My first two babies were still-born, and I suffered every thing but death. My friends all thought I could never recover. I was reduced to foo pounds. When I was three months along for my third child I was taken with hemorrhage or flooding and came near having a miscarriage from female weakness. For two months I was under the care of our doctor, but was getting weaker all the time until one day I happened to come across one of your little books and I read it through, and the next day I sent and got three bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and one bottle of 'Pellets.' I improved so fast I continued to take your medicine until baby was born, and he is healthy and all right. My health has been good ever since. I now weigh 165 pounds."

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Irving, com. fees, bridge, Kersey drain

The reeve submitted a written opin ion from M. Wilson, Q. C., in reference to the minor repairs on drainage works

to the minor repairs on drainage works constructed or repaired since 1894, which was read and filed.

W. G. McGeorge, O. L. S., submitted his report on the Simpson drain bridge in which he recommends the removal of the present wooden bridge and a 4-foot cast irong pipe, 138 feet long being placed in the drain and making a roadway of 40 feet in width and fenced on both sides. The estimated cost of the whole work, being \$2,702.50. The reeve reported that the township's part of the Scott ditch was completed at a cost of \$44.20. Adopted. County councillors Marshall and County councillors Marshall Hickey waited on the council in refer-

ence to the building of a lock-up in Merlin, and stated that the county council had granted \$400 for that purpose, and with the co-operation of the councils of Raleigh and Tilbury East a suitable lock-up could be built with very little expense to either township.

Moved by Clayton and Doyle, that whereas the municipal council of the

corporation of the county of Kent has granted \$400 for the building of a po-lice station in the village of Merlin, and the ratepayers of Raleigh and Tilbury East, and Merlin (represented by County Councillors Marshall and Hick-ey) have solicited the co-operation of of the townships of Raleigh and Tilbury East and that the matter is worthy of our consideration, ther thy of our consideration, therefore be it resolved, that this council be and is hereby appointed a committee to meet a committee from Tibury East and consider the said matter and report to this council as to the probable cost of the site and building, and to the advisability of building the same.

Moved by Doyle and Clayton, that that this council does hereafter be guided by the solicitor's written advice in regard to charging up the revice in regard to charging up the re-pairs of bridges and sheet pilings to the respective drains when the maintenance of the same is specified in an engineer's report, and the cost thereof the last assessment on the drain.

Moved by Doyle and Clayton, that
the commissioner of Div. No. 1 be allowed to overdraw his account \$200,
and the treasurer notified of the same.

Moved by Irving and Doyle, that
whereas certain ratespayers on the on the

whereas certain ratepayers on the Dolsen Gov. Drain have appealed from the decision of the court of revision on the said drain to the county judge, the reeve and Mr. Clayton are herein instructed to look after the township's interests with full powers.

Moved by Clayton and Doyle that whereas certain ratepayers Moved by Clayton and Doyle, that he clerk be instructed to notify all parties interested in the Simpson drain bridge that the engineer's re-port on the same will be considered at

the next meeting. A. E. ROBINSON, Clerk.

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ALEX. GREGORY, See

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Miss Annie Smith, daughter of John Smith, River Road, is seriously ill with appendicitis at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Bedford, Colborne

Miss O'Neill, the sister of C. J. O'Neill, who has been engaged on the Separate school staff, for several years, has resigned her position. Miss O'Neill is one of the most efficient and popular members of the teaching staff and her resignation was received with much regret.

BASEBALL TO-MORROW. The game of baseball that was to have been played in Port Huron to-morrow—will be played here, in the Association grounds at 4.30.

DEATH OF MISS STRINGER. There died at her father's residence, King St. west, one of Chatham's early settlers' children in the person of Miss Jennie String-er, eldest child of Captain and Mrs. George er, eldest enid of Captain and Mrs. George Stringer, in h r fifty-sixth year. In life she was a friend in sickness and distress. For the last six months she endured great suf-fering of body but died trusting in her Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ The funeral will leave the family residence at 2.30 on Thursday for Maple Leaf Cemetery. The brothers and cisters of the deceased are: J. B., Nelson, Co k and Harry Stringer and Mrs. G. G. Martin, Chatham; Mrs. Alfred Legaliais, Louisville station; Mrs. Wm. Cameron, Toronto; Mrs. Allan McNealege, Chatham Township; and Miss Sophronia at

GOT RECRUITS HERE

This morning, shortly after 12 o'clock, the Lake Eric train come into the C. P. R. Station. It had on board the Kingsville Cavalry and the Leamthe Kingsville Cavairy and the Leanington company of the Essex Fusiliers. The cavairy were joined here by Donald Douglas, Geoffrey O'Hara and Norval Baxter. Shortly after 12.30, a C. P. R. special came in from the west with the rest of the Essex Fusiliers. The contingent that came via Lake Erie were picked up and the soldier representatives from this district set out on their way to camp in London The Essex Fusiliers were joined by the following recruits from Chatham, secured by Charles Ryall: John Mil-ler, Msaac O'Neil. Dan Faubert, I. Faubert, Alex. Moffat, Len. Faubert, Louis Stringer, and Alfred Alexander. Wm. Bowers, and Roy, Guy and Alie Philo also went down to play in the 26th Battalion Band. -----

> What's a table Richly Spread --Without a Loaf Of Richards' Bread? It's incomplete, That's what.

FALL OF PRETORIA. All loyal brothers of Thames Lodge, 101, Sons of England, are requested to meet in lodge room to-morrow, Wed-nesday, June 6, at 1.45 to form in procession in honor of our Queen and country. God Save the Queen. C. R.

THE GOOD NEWS ARRIVES.

The news of the British occupation of Pretoria reached the Maple City shortly after nine o'clock this morning via the G. N. W. The Planet bulletin issued a few seconds later was the first announcement of the glad news to the city at large. The ontents of the despatch were telephoned from The Planet to the wagon works and the belching of the factory whistle there spread the tidings throughout the city at The youngest son of Thos. Scullard large. Flags were then quickly hoisted and sangerously ill with pneumonia in bunting thrown to the breeze

The Mayor hustled down town and issued his proclamation for a halfholiday here to-morrow. Ex-Mayor John Carpenter undertook to superintend the firing off of the cannon on the Park. Arrange-ments are being made for the turnout of the band, and speakers are being invited to deliver addresses by the Mayor.

AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

Mrs. Pennefather has instructed Andrew Thomson, Jr., to sell her household furniture on Tuesday, June 2, at one o'clock sharp, Residence, Victoria ave.

INFORMATION WANTED!

A personal item was handed into The Planet yesterday about "Dr. and Mrs. Bruce Richardson." As Mr. Richardson is not married it was, of course, a fake. Any information concerning the author or anyone concerned with this matter will be thankfully ed with this matter will be thankfully received at The Planet. These parties are guilty of a grave offence under the criminal code and liable to very severe punishment, and if any information concerning them can be obtained the case will be placed in the hands of the chief of police.

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# Was All in Vain.

wild enthusiasm. Throughout the length and breath of the country the news spread

like wildfire.

Hats hoisted from thousands of

heads were waved in exultant hands and shimmered like a coal bed in the

sun. Old men on top of the omni-buses and and aldermen from the win-dows of the Mansion house encouraged

crowds to still further efforts. The

premature report of the fall of the Boer stronghold did not seem to have taken the edge off to-day's celebration. Roberts' Six-Mile Spruit despatch was hardly printed before the union jack of the war office was hauled up

the flagstaff, and the brief message was passed from mouth to mouth: "Pretoria is occupied." Those who had had a chance to read Roberts'

account of the resistance encountered were commenting on the probability of a fierce fight before the city was occupied, and were wondering at the

Boers capabilities to make such a de-termined stand when Pretoria was hemmed in on all sides. Judging from Robert's phraseology the occupa-tion of Pretoria was not accompanied

by any loss of life. What has hap-

insistently opposed the British advance at Six-Mile Spruit can only be

surmised. But presumably they have got away for the present at any rate

The Chatham Loan & Savings

COMPANY.

37th -- Half Yearly Dividend -- 37th

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend a

the rate of six per cent per annum upon the paid up capital stock of this Company has been declared for the current half year end-

pany's Office, on and after July 3rd, 1900. The transfer books will be closed from the 20th to 30th June, inclusive.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed separate or bulk tenders will

be received by the undersigned until moon June 4th, marked tender for the additions and alterations of two small

houses, including mason work, carpenter work, plumbing, etc. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of T. J. Rutley, architect. The

lowest nor any tender not necessarily

The June Session Opens-Ward

en's Review of County Affairs.

The county council met in Harrison

Hall this afternoon. There were pres-

ent, Warden Davidson, and Commis-sioners McCoy, Stewart, Campbell, Gosnell, Leverton, Marshall, Rankin, Caughill, VonGunten, Hickey, Robin-

son, (Surgis) Warden Davidson addressed the

council and his concise remarks covered much ground. He said that the Moravian bridge was the best struct

ture in the west and it would be ready

in three weeks for use. Nothing was being done in regard to the Florence bridge and the Warden recommend-ed the council to compel the company

to fix it at once or else that the work be taken out of the company's hands

and given to some other contractors.

The improvements on the jail were nearing completion. The officers were accepting their salaries under protest.

The Warden had stood by the by-law and the instructions he had received

from the council. He had received a letter from Dr. Chamberlin, In-

spector of Jails, which left the mat-ter with the council and the officers

The lawsuit in regard to the school section in Chatham Township was still unsettled. It would be better for the treasurer's bonds to be secured by a guarantee company instead of private

sureties as at present.

The House of Refuge committee had done a lot of work and had planted a

to settle among themselves.

B; K. HARPER.

S. F. GARDINER,

ing June 30th, 1900, payable at

By order of the Board

London, June 5.—Pretoria has fall-en. The War Office has given out the the following from Roberts. en. The War Office has given out the

the following from Roberts: "Pretoria, June 5,-11:40 a. m.-We are now in possession of Pretoria. The official entry will be made this afternoon at 2 o'clock."

It was announced verbally at the War Office that Roberts entered Pretoria at 2 o'clock, South African

Earlier the War Office gave out the following, showing that there was preliminary fighting with Botha's

"Six-Mile Spruit, 8.30 p. m., June 4.

-We started this morning at daybreak and marched about 10 miles to Six-Mile Spruit, both banks of which were occupied by the enemy. Henry's and Ross' mounted infantry, with the and Ross mounted infantry, with the West Somerset, Dorset, Bedford and Sissex companies of yeomanry, quick-ly dislodged them from the south bank and pursued them nearly a mile when they found themselves under a heavy fire from guns which the Boers had placed in a well-concealed, commanding position.

BOERS DISLODGED.

"Our heavy guns of the naval and royal artillery, which had purposely-been placed in the front part of the column, were hurried to the assistance of the mounted infantry as fast as of the mounted infantry as fast as oxen and mules could travel over the great, rolling hills surrounding Pretoria. The guns were supported by Stevenson's brigade of Pole-Carew, and, after a few rounds, drove the enemy from their positions.

Stephen Crane, the author, died in London, Eng., this morning.

"The Boers then attempted to turn our flank, in which they were again

The Boers then attempted to thin our flank, in which they were again foiled by the mounted infantry and yeomanry, supported by Maxwell's brigade of Tucker's division. As, however, they still kept pressing on our left rear, I sent word to Ian Hamiltom, who was advancing three miles o our left, to incline toward us and fill up the gap between the two columns. This finally checked the en-emy, who were driven back towards Pretoria. I hoped we would have been able to follow them up, but the days are now very short in this part # of the world, and, after nearly two hours marching and fighting, we had to bivouse on the ground gained during

the day. the day.

"The Guards brigade is quite near
the southernmost fort by which Pretoria is defended and less than four
miles from the town.

"French, with the Third and Fourth cavalry brigades and Hutton's New South Wales Mounted Rifles, is north of Pretoria. Broadwood's brigade is be-tween and French's and Hamilton's columns, and Gordon is watching the right flank of the main force, not far from the railway bridge at Irene station, which was destroyed by the enemy. Our casualties, I hope, are

ARE FREE ONCE MORE. London, June 5. - The war office has inrmation that one of the first things done by Koberts after the occupation of Pretoria was to direct Gen. French to relieve the itish prisoners confined at Waterval. BRITAIN GOES WILD.

London, June 5.-Almost eight months after the declaration of war, Roberts has entered Pretoria. While the commander-in-chief of the greatest army Britain ever put in the field was fulfilling the promise he

## HALF-PRICE **PAPER**

The unprecedented demand for Wal Paper this s-ason has left us with a number of loss siffi ient for one room and in some cases two and three rooms. They are all good designs, but to clean up the stock we are going to clear them out at about half the reg-

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To get your cloths made by a tailor who doesn't know his business thoroughly. We are wide awake enough to know just what the very latest fashion is and just how far we can use it in your case and meet your peculiar wants. When you come to us we cater to your taste in clothing. We don't try to give you something you don't want.

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# A Bargain

A Special Remnant Sale

A busy season in Dress Goods has left us with a lot of short lengths in both black and colored goods and at all prices We have taken advantage of the rainy days to measure up and ticket every short piece in the stock and today we place them on our counters marked at special prices for a speedy clearance. If you want an cdd skirt or waist or chi d's dress this is your opportunity to secure it, a big reduction in many cases less than the original price to import. WE WANT EVERY REMNANT CLEARED OUT DURING THIS WEEK, SO COME EARLY.

### TAKE HALF A MINUTE

Of your time and read of our recent purchase which enables us to place on our counters, Saturday Morning the following lines of underwear at remarkably low prices:— Ladies' Unbleached Vests, with short sleeves, good full sizes and shaped and tied at the neck with ribbon, special at.....

One special line of Fine Ribbed Vests, full fashioned, bleached with short sleeves Ladies' Fine Swiss Ribbed Vests, Egyptian cotton or bleached, sleeveless or short

Fine Ribbed Outside Size Vests, bleached, short sleeves, at..... Unbleached Vests, outside size, with short sleeves and buttoned or closed front, at 25 Ladies Summer Weight Union Vests. white with short sleeves, trimmed neck and 

Summer Weight Union Vests, in white or natural, short sleeves and buttoned

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GENTLEMEN—The Great Sale of Summer Underwear now in full swing, qualities and sizes to suit and fit everybody. SEE WINDOW.

### MEN'S THIN SUMMER ODD COATS

In nice plain linen effect and dark gray pin checks, all sizes, special values at 75c

### MEN'S LUSTRE ODD COATS,

In plain black and plain gray shades, sizes 34 to 46, prices range at \$1.25, \$1.50

### MEN'S NEAT HAIR STRIPE LUSTRE COATS,

### MEN'S IMPORTED SUMMER SEEGE ODD COATS,

In plain navy blue and black serge, all wool goods, handsomely cut, unlined, suitable to wear any place, in single and double breast styles, sizes 34 to 44, very dressy, special .....

### MEN'S TENNIS FLANNEL ODD COATS.

In light stripes, very pretty, nicely made, sizes 36 to 40, special at ......\$1.50

### MEN'S SUMMER ODD VESTS,

### MEN'S AND BOYS' STRAW HAT VALUES,

In all the leading styles shown this season, big assortment to choose from, prices

### MEN'S AND BOYS' NEGLIGER AND OUTING SHIRTS

The right thing for the hot days, in all the new things, English cambrics, Scotch 

### MEN'S SOLID COMFORT SOX,

In plain black and tans, seamless, fast colors, best value in the trade, prices run

done a lot of work and had planted a lot of trees and otherwise added to the value of the property.

The old bridge at Moraviantown had been swept away by the flood. 'Money had been retained to pay for this, and it was the duty of the council to see that this money was retained.

He, the Warden, recommended that a county magistrate be appointed and He, the Warden, recommended that a county magistrate be appointed and paid either by salary or fees.

In concluding, the Warden referred to the excellent photograph of the Queen and the British flags that had been furnished by the chairman of the Harrison Hall committee. The committee deserved great credit for its thoughtfulness. MEN'S AND BOYS' LEATER BELTS

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Solid leather belts for men's and boys, nice tan shades, 20c, 25c and ...... 50c

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Sliced Dried Beef, 30c a lb.

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## GENERAL SPORTS.

What is Going on in Baseball and Other Athletic Games.

News, Local and Telegraphic, Cather ed Prom Reliable Sources.

A very interesting baseball match was played last night on the Star diamond, of St. George St., The sides were Charles Kenny's team and the Stars. The score stood 11 to 4 in favor of the Stars. Batteries, Kenney and Custance; Bowers and Campbell. Umited C. Bowers. pire, C. Bowers.

BALL DIRECTORS MEET. The directors of the Baseball Asso-The directors of the Baseball Association held a short meeting this morning and adjourned till to-night. "Shorty" Jack Sanders, the popular little catcher, severely sprained his ankle in sliding to third at Port Huron yesterday and returned home with Financial Manager Smith hast evening. Sanders expects, however, to be in the Financial Manager Smith fast evening. Sinders expects, however, to be in the game again by the end of the week. At the conclusion of the meeting of the directorate. Financial Manager Thos. Smith gave out the following statement to the press:—
"This has been a most successful trip financially notwithstanding a four-day lay off on account of rain, which cost us \$150, and you can give an emphatic denial to the rumor that

which cost us \$150, and you can give an emphatic denial to the rumor that there is any discord among the mem-bers of the Chatham team. The best of feeling prevails all round and the players are certainly playing gentle-manly ball. Johnson, the new pitch-er, will twirl the opening game at home on Thursday and I hink you-sen look for an increase in our rait. home on Thursday and I think you can look for an increase in our gait. There is one change upon the team. Donovan has been released and Hudson, a fast infielder, signed. Donovan was a good player, but he neglected to carry with him his W. C. T. U. credentials. Hudson is a fast little fielder and should give satisfaction."

Port Huron 8, Chatham 7. Port Huron, June 4 .- Port Huron won the opening game with Chatham to-day, in a grand-stand finish. it taking an extra inning to decide the contest. Both teams put up an excellent game, and the score created lively excitement. The Port Huron team has been reorganized, several leading business men taking the organization n hand, and the playing out of the chedule is an assured fact. The

Port Huron.2 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 3 1— 8 7 2 Chatham ...0 1 0 0 1 0 3 2 0 0 — 7 10 5 Batteries - Barry and Lohbeck; Habel and Klock. Umpire, Penne-

LONDON WON THIS ONE. Grand Rapids, June 4.—Grand Rapids fell down before London here to-day, this constituting the third lose on the home grounds in the last four games played. Lindesley started to pitch for Grand Rapids, but was wild and lacked speed. In the sixth he gave place to King, who did little better. Cooper pitched a good game for London 'the feature of the game was the good all-round work of Hart at first for London. The score:—

London .....1 2 0 0 0 3 1 0 4—11 10 14 Grand Rapids 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—2 7 5 Batteries—Cooper and Pickard; Lin-desley, King and Holmes. Umpire Pop-

SAGINAW 12, HAMILTON 7.

Siginaw, June 4. — Both pitchers were batted freely to-day, Bradford getting the worst of it, including three home runs off his delivery. Tibald, Norcuin and Martin achieved the homers for Siginaw, and at no stage of the game were the Hamiltons dangerous, though they had a batting rally in the ninth. Siore:—

Saginaw.....0 5 0 2 0 0 0 5 \*-12 10 Hamilton,....1 0 0 2 1 0 0 0 3-7 8 Batteries-Wayne and Kleinow; Bradford and Conwell.

Eastern League. At Hartford—Hartford 8, Springfield At Worcester—Worcester 8, Providence EASTERN LEAGUE.

i	Club +	Won.	Lost.	
П	Rochester	19	11	.63
ı	Montreal	18	11	.62
П	Providence	16	14	.53
ı	Springfield	14	13	.51
ı	Worcester	14	15	;48
ı	Syracuse	13 -	14	.48
١	Hartford	12	20	.37
١	Toronto	10	18	.33
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National League.

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Clubs.		Won.	Lost.	Cen
Philadelphia.		23	12	.6
Brooklyn		19	15	.5
Pittsburg		21	18	.5
Chicago		19 ;	17	.5
St. Louis		18	17	.5
Boston	**** *****	14	18	.4
New York		13	20	.3
Cincinnati		12	22 .	.3

American League.

Milwaukee.... Chicago ..... Buffalo.....

You do not want to buy hose because it is called hose, -you want to buy hose that will give you good service. We have it in several different brands, but all are fully guaranteed. Poor hose is dear at any price. See our hose reels and lawn sprinklers. N. B - Sheep Shears, and Hedge Shears for trimming around nooks and corners.

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At Philadelphia-Pittsburg... 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 1 1— 5 10 Philadelphia3 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 — 4 7 Batteries—Phillippi, Waddell and Zimmer; Platt and McFarland. At Brooklyn-

Chicago. . . . . 0 1 1 1 2 0 0 0 1 - 6 18 Brooklyn. . . 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 1 1 - 4 7 Batteries-Griffith and Donohue; Kennedy, Kitson and Farrell. At Boston -

St. Louis.....1 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0- 3 9 Batteries-Dineen and Clark; Hughey

At New York-New York ... 0 2 1 1 0 0 3 0 \*- 7 11' 5 Cincinnati... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 0- 4 6 3 Batteries-Hawley and Grady; Scott,

American League. At Milwaukee - Milwaukee 9, Cleveland 8. At Kansas City - Kansas City 3, Indian-

At Chicago—Buffalo 3, Chicago 2.
At Minneapolis—Minneapolis 6, Detroi SAMPLE OF WHAT SATISFAC-TION A GAS RANGE GIVES.

P. S. Coate, Esq., Mgr. Chatham Gas. Co. Dear Sir. the past two years, I am in a position to state that for economy, and cleanliness, it exceeds all other means of cooking. Anyone desiring either one, or the whole of the above very essential features of housekeeping; should not hesitate in the ase of one without delay.

Yours. (Sgd.) WILLIAM BLIGHT.

## TILBURY.

June 5.-A number of our young this evening.

Master Harry Powell entertained his little friends at a birthday party last

evening.

Miss Kahlar returns to-day, after a visit at her home in Fletcher.

J. S. Richardson has moved his late establishment, now vacant since he has occupied his new store, to another site nearer the centre of the town. The upper part will be divided into offices.

The annual Christian Endeavor con-

The annual Christian Endeavor con vention of the local union will be held in the Presbyterian Church here next Friday. The Daily Planet is on sale at Johnson's Drug Store.

Wear The 2 T's \$10 New Method

### DRESDEN.

June 5.-Mr. Gatzke and family Brock street, are removing to Wyan-dotte , Mich., where Mr. Gatzke has secured a good position.

Miss Beattie, of Forest, is the guest
of Mrs. James A. Taylor.

John Gough and family are removng from town. 7 Miss Jean McGloghlon leaves to-mornorrow for a short vacation. Rev. James Galloway and family are

## CASTORIA

now comfortably ensconsed in the new

For Infants and Children.

Children Cry for CASTORIA

Bicycle repairs at Brisco's. John Piggott has gone north on purchasing trip. Breakfast may be cooked in fifteen minutes on a Gas Range. tf

Master Wentworth Grover has cone to visit his sister, Mrs. L. H. Rose, Pontiac,

Master John McLaren returned last evening from San Antonio, Texas, where he spent the winter.

Misses Emily and Estella Bedford spent Sunday the guest of Miss Rhoda Kendall, Merlin. Joseph Foy, of Glencoe, is offering seventy-five acres of the best land in Dover East for sale. Good music, dainty refreshments and an enjoyable time on the Moonlight

Excursion. The firemen claim the honor of hoisting the first flag in Chatham in honor of the relief of Pretoria.

The Ladies' Aid of the First Presby-terian Church will give an afternoon excursion to Lake S. Clair on Friday, Gas Ranges are being installed in all parts of the city. People realize that gas is the cheapest and most con-

venient fuel.

Mrs. J. C. McLaren has returned after spending the past month with her daughter, Mrs. Jas Glover, Pontiac, Mich.

A couple of local runners raced for su-premacy and a small side bet in Victoria Park last Surday morning. A number of their sporty friends witnessed the event. Come to the moonlight excursion in aid of the Hospital, June 8th, only

At a meeting of the directors of the Chatham Loan and Savings Co. to-day a dividend was declared at the rate of six per cent per annum for the current half year ending June 30, 1900..

The quarterly meeting of the Women's Society of Park St. Methodist Church will be held at the home of Mrs. T. F Gardiner Wednesday afternoon, June 6th, 3.30 o'clock. A most cordial invitation is extended to all

Keep June the 8th for the Moonlight Excursion.

tended to all.

The funeral of the late Samuel Sloan The funeral of the late Samuel Sloan, of Harwich, took place Saturday, and was largely attended. The Rev. Dr. Jamieson, of Blenheim, conducted the obsequies. The pall bearers were six nephews of Mr. Sloan. They were Sam Smith, John Smith, Wm. Stewart, Sam Stewart and Chas. Stewart.

R. P. Burt, of the State of Kansas, U. S., has sent his brother, R. C. Burt, half a dozen heads of ripe wheat. The grain is plump and looks nice. Last year Mr. Burt had 3,000 bushels of wheat and he has already began to harvest this year's crop. He has 100 harvest this year's crop. He has 100 acres in wheat, and expects a good

A certain individual with a certain glass A certain individual with a certain glass and a certain mose may run, jump, ride, sneeze, stoop, laugh—still his glasses cling as though a part of his physiognomy; while another with the same identical glass cannot move without them slipping In eye glass fitting the many different noses require as a great variety of guards as well as a faud of practical noseological knowledge. I have both. Pleased to convince you.—E J. MacIntyre, leading optician, opposite Grand Opera House, Chatham

Supt. Jones, of the waterworks, has a tomahawk, which he claims Tecum-seh carried in the battle of the Thames seh carried in the battle of the Thames in 1813. He secured the head of the tomahawk from an old Indian at Moraviantown, and he is Mr. Jones' authority. The handle is of more recent date having been put in by Mr. Jones himself, so there is no chance of claiming that Tecumseh used the handle and put it in the tomahawk handle and put it in the tomahawk.

Mr. Jonesi aughs at the claims made
by others to having this tomahawk
and he says that he has the own and
only original scalp axe of the great
chieftain.

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India Linens in Black and White, regular at 37½c and 30c, to clear at 31c and 25c

Piques—White Piques, in fine medium and heavy cord welts, regular 15c, 18c, 20c, 22c, 27c and 30c, to clear at

Fancy White Wash Goods, in spots and mercerized stripes and checks, regular 18c, 25c, 30c, 374c, 45c, to clear at

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## Wednesday - June - 6th

## SUPPLEMENTARY SUMMER SALE

AT THE GORDON STORE

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### Ladies' Drawers

### Ladies' Night Gowns

14 only, Ladies' beautiful Night Gowns, trimmed with embroidery and inser-

### Ladies' White Underskirts

18 only Ladies' White Tucked Skirts, regular value 49c.....sale price 25c 25c only Umbrella Frilled White Skirts, beautifully trimmed with embroidery, 24 only Umbrella Frilled White Skirts, beautifully trimmed with embroidery, ale price 89c 

### Corset Covers

Embroidery Trimmed Corset Covers, high or low necks, (Wednesday only) sale price 19c special. sale price 39c 24 only, 'Ladies' Corset Covers, assorted styles, sizes 32, 34, 38 and 40, a great sale price 39c sale price 39c

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This spring we have gathered for your delectation an assortment of suits that lacks nothing of being perfect. Perfect in infinite variety. Perfect in its qualities. Perfect in its tailor-made styfishness.

\$3.50 to \$15.00

But we can give you no adequate idea of the value represented until you to your own judgment.

BIG SOX SALE-200 pair Men's Tan Sox at 5 cents. SEE

Yesterday efternoon Rev. J. J. Ross united in matrimony Charles W. Danzizer and Clara Swerft, both of Tilbury. Large, well furnished rooms to

Fabrics for Wednesday at moderate price; new, comfortable and well located. Cor. of Murray St. and Lansdowne avenue. A young truant was the only offender at the police court this morning. The lad, however, promised to go faithfully to school in future, preferring this infliction to three

years in the reformatory. Tennent & Burke will begin removing the hay left by the recent fire to-morrow. The odors beginning to arise from the refuse are by no means pleasant.

A small, dark purse was lost on Siturday afternoon, containing a one dollar bill, some silver and coppers. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at this office.

Fireman Thos. Taylor was standing on King St. about 8.30 Saturday evening when two colored women met. One was pushing one of the old-fashioned baby buggies with wooden spoked wheels. "Say, Saah, what youse got in dat ice wagon?" queried the first. "I'se got a warm baby," replied the other. You can save the cost of a Gas

Range, almost, this season by putting one in NOW.

Band have arrived and the musicians will don them on their next engagement. They present an exceedingly nobby appearance.

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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tab-lets: All druggists refund the money, if it fails to cure. 25c. E. W. Groves signature in each box.

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## Lawn Hose

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India Dimities—In stripes and checks, regular at 15c and 20c, to clear at 13c and 15c

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One in NOW.

The funeral of little Beatrice Cuyler took place Sunday afternoon. The services were conducted by the Rev. Dr. Battisby. Six of the boys from the Central school—John Smith, Wilfrid Smith, Chrence Terry, Roy Besant, Bruce Mazaulay and Fred Tichborne—were the pall-bearers. There was an abundance of floral offerings, including tributes from the schoolmates in Miss Birch's room, the class in S. Andrew's Sunday school, Flora McGeorge, Beatrice VonGunten and Gladys Barfoot.

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stars, so brilliant was the lustre they shed upon the clear cold air, and in

an ecstacy of adoration she stood there gazing up at them, at them whither her eyes had been directed from earliest recollection, shining in their mysterious splandor, and be neath the perplexing secret of existence subtry conveying the assurance that

In how many moods had she turned

from earth to them? In the hour o

fervor, when love in its first purious and when

was arst born to her heart, and when passion and temptation had shaker

her soul! Up to them sae had cast an imploring look in the hour of ha-

miliation and affliction. But to-night, when the varied emotions of those

moments were blended, individuality was lost in contemplation of the gainst

purposes of God accomplishing their giorious ends despite man's interfer-

ence and perverting influence.

With tenderness she recalled the

many days she had spent beneath this roof, the sweet solace its retirement

had offered to her aching heart. Had

she appreciated it now that it was to be removed? For the place would be changed; new associations would re-

place the old; Arthur and Juliet would

commence their experiments and soon commence their experiments and soon obliterate the sweet conservation she loved. But the influence of that home, and the presence of the departed spirit who had consecrated it would go with

her, she knew, undying, and the same neavens would be ever overhead. She thought of the old, quiet life she was

leaving and of the untried existence

that lay before her; and her heart turned for refuge once more to him

with whom she was to enter that un-

known to-morrow. Yes, with him she

And here we leave her, allowing our

reader to imagine the surprise and joy

with which the intelligence of the en gagement was received by the whole

household; the parental gratification of Mr. and Mrs. White in the happi

ness of their favorite: Arthur's sincer and hearty congratulations, and Juliet

fond whisper that the romance she had planned for her cousin in her girlish

days had really been accomplished. Yes, we leave Edith in her chas

tened happiness, and will not attempt to analyze why ner lot had been so

checkered by crosses and disappoint-ments ere this preordained consumma-

tion was attained. She did not ques-tion, neither will we, for the answer

We dare not pretend to solve that

helm of this world's affairs and guid

ing us, by devious paths indeed, but

To be Continued.

The archbishop of Canterbury, replying

to protests against the petition for the dead in his "Form of Prayer," asserts

that "it has been decided at law that prayers for the dead are not forbidden by the Church of England"

annual introduction of persons of distin-

THE BEEKEEPER.

laying queens are raised as a general thing in worker cells.

The bees in the grub state, from the

time of the hatching of the eggs until the

Propolis is a resinous substance usual-

ly gathered from the buds of certain trees

by bees and used in covering rough

If old combs are straight and in good

condition, but dirty, put them in or over a strong colony of bees, and they will

Bees do not as a rule swarm until they

have got their hive pretty well filled up

and have multitudes of young bees hatch-ing out daily.

Loans and debts make worries and

Cures

**Weak Men** 

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found for sexual weakness, such as impotency, varicoccie, shrunken or-gans, nervous debility, lost manhood, night emissions, premature discharge and ali other results of self-abuse or

excesses. It cures any case of the dif-ficulty, never fails to restore the or-gans to full natural strength and vig-

or. The Doctor who made this won-derful discovery wants to let every man know about it. He will therefore send the receipt giving the various in-gredients to be used so that all men

capping of the cell, are called larvæ,

Drones from fertile workers or drones

ward gaze to heaven,

the bishop of London.

all was well.

"That terrible day of the funeral," and she put her hand to her eyes to shut out the thought. Steele saw that she needed no further testimony to the truth of that conviction, and said wretched subject,



"Could You Learn to Love me Dear?"

keeping to himself the manner in the intelligence had reached him, how he had been summoned to the hospital in a large town in Kentucky, where a man, disabled for life by a street accident, lay reaping the retributive punishment of his evil deeds, to discover that the unknown, poverty-stricken wretch was no other than the once fastidious David, reduced to misery, the victim of re-morse, haunted forever by memory of the man whose existence he had tor-tured, the final tragedy of whose life lay at his door. From this living wreck Steele had received the agonized confession of his falsehood. Stifling this recent memory of hopeless remorse in his bosom, he strove to divert Edith's mind from asking him any questions by speaking cheerfully, hopefully, of the new life that lay before them, of his rapture in being able to do something for her at last.

could go anywhere, and tears of rap-turous gratitude dimmed her eyes, and her soul passed into prayer that she might become what he believed her, and make some return for his devoted "You don't know all you have been to me, darling," he said. "Just the sight of your contented life of devotion and self-denial has sent me often back to my work with a sense of shame and a determination to do my duty better, and I tried to regard you as some blessed angel sent to guide and in-spire, to whom I could never prove ny gratitude. I feel now as if I were sking a sacrifice of you."

She let her head sink once more on his breast at this generous considertion of her welfare, saying in a dis-

"Oh, I have so little to give you in return for all you offer me. I am not worthy of your love. I have always given you trouble an i worry always receiving something from you and repaying it with ingratitude." "You cause me trouble, darling?" he would involve the whole mystery why ejaculated. "I don't know when it life exists at all. was. Come, you must not talk that way, or I shall think you will fear

than trust me, and I want the fire confidence of my own little little plaintive ges-"Mr. Steele?"

"What is it, my child?" he asked quickly, alarmed by the bewildered, troubled look on her face. "Only that," she said, letting it sink its resting place once more. "I only wanted the old word. It felt strange for a moment, and I don't ow how it was, but I could not bear It was not natural.

Something rose in Steele's throat, at that movement which prevented at-terance, as he recognized the physical weakness reacting upon the mental; but when he did speak again he pref-nced the sentence with the old term of endearment, only in a gentler tone than even she had heard him use be-

"My child, you are tired," he said "exhausted. For r. sake will you not go in and try to r t?" and he made; a slight movement 'o rise.
"I am resting now." she said simply.

"Not while your pillow suggests such bad dreams of your own unworthiness, or that things ever could be otherwise than natural between you and me;" and though her choice to rest in his embrace was the sweetest rest in his embrace was the sweetest gift he could enjoy, he rose with reso lute self-denial and led her to the house, saying quietly: "I want you to be ready to accompany me to Virginia before the end of the week."

"Must you go back so soon, Mr. Steele?" she said, offering the first remonstrance to the various plans for

monstrance to the various plans for their future which he had laid before her. She had given up all responsibility into his hands, like a burden of which she was glad to be eased, letting him make his own arrangements. "Are you obliged to return so soon?"

she repeated. "Yes, love; my duties require me to be back before Sunday."

"It seems hard to leave them now," she said. "Juliet may think it cruel."

"How can she?" he responded warmly. "You have given all your strength, till you need some one to take care of you and force you to your own good. You are not your own to sacrifice now, my Edith, and I shall begin to exert my authority and control this exert my authority and control this self-willed little girl, at once." "Yes, I always was self-willed," she

said, tears rising to her eyes at his playful reproof.
"But I won't want my way any longer. I'll do anything you wish."
"That's right," he responded, smiling; and with his kiss yet warm upon her line the respondent.

her lips she went up to her room and sank down on the bed.

sank down on the bed.

Not utterly alone! That was the sweetest reflection. In the time of saddest trial God's greatest gift had been bestowed upon her, a true friend, a noble, loving man, to guide, to protect, to comfort! A blessed peace fell upon her, and she slept, the first sound sleep in many months.

When she woke the chamber was dark, and groping her way to the window she threw open the blind upon a sight that thrilled and awed her by its vivid contrast with the gloom with-

RECKLESS AARON BURR

resting and Dramatic Story of His Marriage In Old Age.

In an article on historic homes of New York Truth tells the following interest-ing story of Aaron Burr's marriage in his old age to the widow of Stephen Jumel, who was well known in the early history of the city:

"Conceive, if you will, the picture of Burr, gifted adventurer that he was, broken in health, branded in the popular mind as the murderer of Alexander Hame ilton and returning from a long exile to find himself an outcast in the city where he had once been the political monarch of all he surveyed and a distinguished figure in society and at the bar. Conceive, if you can, this lamentable old man, smirking through his wrinkles, bowing and prancing rather stiffly because of his mouth his mouth. rheumatic joints and with his mouth full of pretty platitudes, paying court to the widow of Stephen Jumel, herself in the prime of years and health. Remove from the picture its surface incongruities, and you have a bit of pure pathos une qualed in the annals of foolish great

"But something of his old time power to charm the gentler sex must have stood by him in his years of mental and physical misery, for in his suit for the widow Jumel's hand and fortune he ously, dramatically. Rebuffed repeatedly, Burr finally declared in passionate rage that on a given day he would arrive at the Jumel mansion accompanied by a clergyman, who should marry them on the spot. He would give his prospective bride no quarter, no chance of escape

from the inevitable. "She was amused at the threat and dismissed the old man with more than her usual coldness of demeanor. Burr stuck to his avowal and one July day rolled up in a carriage, and with him a minister— the same who 50 years before performed the marriage ceremony for Burr and the mother of his daughter, the beautiful Theodosia. There was something of a scene in the old house on this day. There were tears of anger on the part of Burr. Relatives remonstrated; Burr remained immovable. All feared a scandal. The minister, book in hand, stood unobtru-sively in the background. There were more tears, more declarations of undying love, and the widow Jumel became Mrs.

Aaron Burr. "They were married in the great drawing room of the Jumel mansion. Burr squandered with reckless hand the wealth acquired by Stephen Jumel and left for the enjoyment of his marital partner. There were many bitter quarrels between the ill mated pair, and they were soon divorced. Burr died in 1836, but madame lived until 1865, dying a recluse and a miser, the money received from the Jumel estate hoarded in an unused chamber.'

MONOTONY INDUCES INSANITY

It Leads to Depression, Which Finally Develops Into Madness.

One would be pardoned for thinking that a man who earned his livelihood by working in the fresh air of the country, surrounded by sights delightful to the eye and refreshing to the mind, would be far less liable to brain diseases than the man sitting on a stool over a ledger in the stuffy atmosphere of a smoke dyed city. But if statistics prove anything they prove the worthlessness of that possible supposition. More agricultural laborers go mad per cent for per cent than any other workers. It is monotony which excites disinterestedness, which leads to depression, which develops into melancholia, which ends perhaps in a cure, possibly in a suicidal act, probably in an asylum. It may safely be said that Sunday saves thousands upon thousands from the madhouse. It is the one break from week to week which thousands of

natures demand. The agricultural laborer, the artisan and other similar classes of workers live in monotony broken here and there by a small incident which in time becomes itself monotonous. A man perhaps drives rivets. He drives them every day of the prayers for the dead are not forbidden by the Church of England."

Or Adler, the chief rabbi of London, has been elected a member of the Athenæum club of that city in accordance with the special rule allowing the ance with the special rule allowing the the less he does everything else. Consequently the brain becomes weak for want guished eminence in literature. It is of more general use and weakens until it significant that Dr. Adler's proposer was

snaps.

A fine thing is a healthy hobby, but a finer, especially for indoor workers, is a sport. Healthy recreation keeps more people out of the madhouse than any-thing the doctors could do. Nature demands a certain amount of balance, and she will have it or be revenged .- Exchange.

Philadelphia Children.

"I don't believe there is a city in the country, and I get around a great deal, where there are so many children on the streets after dark, presumably making a living, as in Philadelphia," remarked a traveling salesman. "And the majority of them are little girls who, while preending to sell papers, matches or withered flowers, are really little more than in fantile beggars. I suppose you are so used to seeing them that you scarcely give the matter a thought, but a stranger in town, such as myself, cannot help be ing struck by a condition of affairs which seems radically wrong. They don't in spire any pity, for they are such insistent little beggars. They will follow you for half a block with their whining appeals, and when you lose patience they open up on you with a flood of impudence and even profanity. This is not very pleasant, especially if you happen to be accom-panied by a lady. Of course I'm only a rank outsider, but it seems to me that something should be done."—Philadelphia

Daudet's Ideas of Death. Alphonse Daudet constantly suffered severe physical pain and was unable to sleep without the aid of chloral. He was sleep without the aid of chloral. He was always speaking about death and espe-cially rejoiced in the theory propounded by an English doctor that death was in itself a delightful sensation, voluptuous, resembling the action of anæsthetics.

Daudet on one occasion dreamed of dying surrounded by his friends and con-versing of the hereafter. He once told Goncourt, who relates the incident, that whenever he entered a new apartment for the first time his eye in stinctively searched for the spot where his coffin would be placed.—Lippincott's Magazine.

He Sticks.

Meeks-Now, I like of listen to a minis ter who sticks to his text when he Weeks-Then you ought to attend our church. The minister sticks to his text about two hours and a half as a rule .-Chicago News.

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### THE MARKETS VERY SURPRIS-ING REPORTS.

CHATHAM GRAIN MARKET .;

Douglas Stevens, of the Kent Mills gives The Planet the following.: Wheat-Market steady; very little moving, The mills are paying 65c. The rain for the past few days has improved crops wonderfully and there will be a good average yield. Kan-sas expects to harvest 85 million bushels of wheat. As a result the pros-pects are that the price of wheat, although it may strengthen for a few weeks, will ultimately go lower. Corn-Market weaker. Dealers are

paying from 36 to 38c a bushel.
Oats—Market gradualy going lowr. The demand has dropped off. Beans—These are holding just about the same. The Detroit market holds Barley—The bottom has dropped clean out of the market. There is no demand for it.

Wheat, 65c. Mixed oats, 25 to 26c. White dats, 26c.

Corn, shelled, 35c.

Pease, (seed, imported) 80 to 90

Beans, \$1.30 to \$1.40. Buckwheat, (seed) 65 to 75c. Barley, 70c Alsike, \$5 to \$6.50.

Red clover, \$5.25 to \$6.

Timothy, \$1.25 to \$1.50. HAY AND HOGS. Hay, timothy, per ton, \$7 to \$7.50. Hay, clover, \$5.50 to \$7. Hay, baled, \$8.50 to \$10. Live hogs, \$5.50 to \$5.75 for hogs from 170 lbs to 200 lb., \$5 for lights

LOCAL WOOL AND HIDES. Woo', washed 15c cash; 16 trade. Wool, unwashed, 10c trade; 8 to 9c

Calf skins, No. 1, 8c, No. 2, 7c. Sheep skins, 30c to \$1. Spring lamb skins, 15c. to 20c. Cow hides No. 1, 6c; No. 2, 5c. Horse hides, \$1, to \$2.

HOUSEKEEPERS' PRICES. Some of the good results of the re-ent rain were shown on the market this morning in the abundance of all grain stuffs and products of the garden. The offerings in fall lines were exceedingly choice. Asparagus sold at 4c. a bunch, onions 3 to 5c. a ounch, and lettuce 2 heads for 5c. In the shed both butter and eggs were scarce. Eggs sold at 11c. a dozen and butter at from 15 to 16 cents a pound. A few loads of potatoes offered on the est side of the market at 50c, a bag but sales were slow. Butter 15c to 16c.

Eggs, 11c. Potatoes, 50c to 60c. a bag, Unions, yellow, 20c., white, 30c. Parsnips, 10 to 15c. a peck. Carrots, 10c. a peck. Rhubarb, 2c. a bunch. Asparagus 4c. a bunch. Green onions, 2 bunches for 5c. Radishes, three bunches for 5c. Lettuce 20c. a pound. Tomatoe plants, 15c. a box. Cabbage plants, 15c. a box. Chickens, 25 to 35 cents. Spring chickens, 30c Ducks, 25 to 30c. Turkeys, 75 to \$1.25. Lamb, 6 to 7c. Mutton, 5 to 6c. Pork, 7c to 8c.

FISH MARKET. Mullet and care, 10 to 40c, aplece. Herring, 25 to 30c. a doz. White fish, 7c. a lb.

TORONTO BEAN MARKET. Toronto June 2. Choice, handpicked beans are worth from \$1.70 to \$1.70 delivered here; and resell at \$1.85. TORONTO GRAIN MARKET.

Toronto, June 2 .- Wheat .- Outside markets continued almost at a dead level. Local business was light, and the prices were unchanged. Quothe prices were unchanged. Quotations are as follows: - Ontario, red and white is worth 641-2 to 65c, north and west; 651-2 to 66c, east; goose wheat, Tic; east; and 70c. west; spring east, 66c; Manitoba No. 1, hard, 76 1-2c, Toronto and west; 78c, g. i. t., lake and rail, and 73 to 73 1-2c, Owen Soural. Flour-Dull. Straight roller in buyer's bags, middle freights, \$2.50 per bbl., bid.; and \$2.60 asked. Special

brand, in wood, \$2.90 to \$3.

Millfeed—Dull, Demand diminishing. Bran \$13 to \$13.50 asked; and shorts \$14 to \$14.50, asked, west.

Corn-Quiet. No. 2 American yellow at 441-2c. on track here; and mixed at

Pease-Quiet and easy. Holders show some disposition to clean up for the season. Car lots, north and west 7c. and east, 58c. Barley - No 2, 39 cents, west, and

Rye-Firm. Car lots 51c west and Oats—Easy. White oats, north and west, 261-2c.; and east, 271-2c.

Buckwheat—Quoted at 50c west, and 51c east.

TORONTO DRESSED HOGS. Toronto, June 2 .- Dressed hogs unchanged. At farmers' wagons choice bring from \$7.50 to \$7.75.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK. Toronto, June 2-Only 60 car loads of live stock came into the western of live stock came into the western cattle yards this morning. The supply was made up of 1,600 hogs, 950 cattle, 200 sheep and lambs, 50 calves, and a few milkers.

We had a brisk market and everything was sold out by the early after-

Shipping cattle was not quite so firm to-day, and 5c. was the best price paid The range was from \$4.25 to \$4.75 and \$4.90, with \$5 per cwt, for picked lots.

We had a moderate supply of stock-ers, which sold at steady unchanged

A few export bulls came in and sold at steady prices; the range was from 31-3 to 4 1-2c. per lb. Feeders were only in light supply at changed figures.

pains toothache, 25c, PAINS! RHEUMATIC, SCIATIC, OR changed rightes.

Good mileh cows were wanted, and only a few came in, most of the supply being decidedly second class.

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sheep and yearlings, but trade was easy with a weaker tendency.

There was a light enquiry for spring lambs, and prices were lower.

Far too many thin hogs are coming in, but generally the market is a good one and prices are firm.

For prime hogs scaling from 160 to 200 lbs. the top price is 65-8c; heavy hogs, 6c.; and light hogs, 53-4 per lb.

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 unconsidered 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 quit as indigestible as brass nails and with no more food value than so many mar-bles. And yet we wonder that the stomach "gives out." When the sto-mach breaks down under the strain of careless esting and irregular meals it can be perfectly and permanently restored to health and strength by the use of Doctor Pierce's Golden Med ical Discovery. The action of this medicine on the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition is so marked, that relief from disease i at once experienced, and the head-aches, liver "troubles," kidney disor-ders, skin eruptions and other symptoms of a diseased stomach are quick-ly cared. Whenever the use of a laxaive 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.

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detailed report of the star course series of the past season, enclosing financial report. The principal concluded his report as fol-"I had a bad cough for seventeen

years," writes Mrs. Sam'l Hamilton, of Lawnville, Tenn. "No doctor or "The large and ready sale of season ticmedicine could cure it until one year ago I began to use Dr. King's New kets, the liberal patronage given, the warm interest manifested and the educative and recreative character of the entertainments ago I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which did me more good than all other medicines I ever used. It is truly a grand cure for stubborn Coughs, Colds and Throat and Lung troubles." Positively cures Consumption, Pneumonia, Grip, Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever and Croup. Price 50c. and \$1. Guaranteed. Trial bottles free at the Drug Store of A. I. McCall & Co. in general, warrant me in saying that these course are meeting a felt want in the com-numity, and are proving to be a valuable auxiliary to the ordinary work of the school. In the light of past experience even better results may be obtained in the future - I respectfully ask the board to ap-point one or more of its members to act on the lecture committee of the next season." The report was referred to the committee Some people who don't claim to know very much, make better use of

SALARIES INCREASED. Chairman Bell reported :- Your com mittee on internal management having con-sidered the question of re-engagement of teachers for the ensuing year beg to report

as follows:

The committe recommend that all the teachers be offered a re-engagement at their present salaries respectively except that the following members of the staff should have an increase in their yearly salary as follows:

Mr. Lane \$100, Mr. Jewett \$50, Mr. Black \$50, Mr. Mowbray \$50.—Report adopted as follows: \$50, Mr. Mowbray \$50.—Report adopted
The report of the comparative examination record of the educational department
was submitted It says,—In the same year
(1899) Chatham C. I. pupils won fifteen
first-class honors at the university matriculation examination—a record surpassing
that of all other schools in the province but
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## BOARD OF HEALTH STATEMENT

The City is Free From all Cor tagious Diseases

Except Measles-Trouble Over a Ditch on Sheldon Avenue.

'The board of health met yesterday nfternoon. There were present — Chairman Dunlop, Dr. Baker, O. B. Hulin, Bishop Wilmore, Medical-Health Officer Hall and Inspector

Guttridge.
The medical health officer reported as follows: Since your last meeting a few cases of measles have been re-ported, but no other cases of contagious disease. The shipping of hogs at the G. T. R. is still the subject of numerous complaints and the board should leave nothing undone to rem-

edy the nuisance, which will be a growing one, probably, with the heat of summer.

An open drain has been constructed on Shedon Ave. extending from a point near Cornhill street to Poplar treet. street. It is quite deep for an open ditch and is so constructed that the drainage from an adjacent cow byre spreads itself out stagnant in front of adjacent dwellings, much to their of adjacent dwellings much to their disgust, breeding flies and by foul emanations jeopardizing their health. I would recommend that the board order a six-inch-or eight-inch tile drain there in place of the open ditch.

Received.

A petition, signed by Wm. L. Fife, Mrs. Sarah Bishop, Mrs. D. Sylvester, N. B. Ebere, W. Fulierton, Charles Brooks and G. A. Thompson, was presented to the board. The peti-tion was from the ratepayers on the west side of Sheldon Ave, and was a protest against the culvert put in across Sheldon Ave. to drain on the north side of Wilson Ave. Received. R. S. Dunlop reported for the committee appointed to meet the water commission in re river pollution. Mr. Dunlop said that the committee had looked into the matter and found every care taken at the waterwarks, the committee had not thought it necessary to meet the commissioners. On motion of O. B. Hulin, seconded y Bishop Wilmore, the report of Mr.

Dunlop was accepted, Dr. Hall's report was taken up.

O. B. Hulin wanted to know how much pipe it would take to put in the sewer recommended by Dr. Hall. Dr. Hall said the distance was about block and a half. City Clerk Merritt-I might explain

that the ratepayers first notified the council and they referred the matter or the board of works.

Dr. Hall said the ditch complained

of was 31-2 feet deep but it had been poorly constructed and had no fall. The barn yard had been undrained for long time and the drainage spread out in the ditch. If the board of works takes action, the parties benefit-ted will have to pay for it. The en-gineer says there will be sufficient

Dr. Baker moved that the recom mendation of Dr. Hall be complied with. The motion carried and the board adjourned.

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There were present at the meeting of the C. C. I Loard yesterday afternoon Chairman J. E. Thomas and J. C. Fleming, Thos. Scullard, Rev. Dr. Battisby, C. J O'Neill, Edwin Bell and J. W. White. Accounts were passed from the T. H. Taylor Co., \$5; W. J. Kenny, \$15.25; R. Burt, \$11.13; Remington Typewriter Co. The C.C.I attendance for May reported by the principal as follows:

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The first class honors won were three in English, three in mathemat three in English, three in mathematics, two in classics, four in history, two in French and one in German. Besides, Chatham had 22 candidates at the Junior Leaving and second class teachers' examinations, ranking fourth in this respect among the 37 collegiate institutes in the province. This may fairly be called "a maximum of results and a minimum of expenditure."

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LADIES' WEAR COME TO

LEAMINGTON.

June 5.-The town council held a three

hour session last night at which a deal of oratory was supplied frequently affording considerable amusement for the spectators.

Councillor Prosser spoke very antagonistically about the public librar, saying he would like to see that institution abolished and the money now given for its support,

spent on the road. He also took occasion to

depreciate the value of the high school maintaining that the town educates pupils there from Mersea who do not spend forty

The Mayor concurred with him regarding

the library and termed it "a white

Later in the evening, Mr. Prosser,

who had objected to granting the library a small sum to purchase

books, supported a motion to buy at \$1,500 the English church property on

their assessments raised by the court of revision, as the court had proceed-

ed unlawfully.

Accounts were ordered paid as follows: Jas. Cullen, \$15.05; W. C. Coul-

son \$2.56; B. West, \$19.05; Electric Light Co., \$96.33; Post Printing Co.,

\$15.; Bell Telephone, 30c.

The public library board requested a

grant of \$280, and were given \$225, Councillor Craig being the only one in

requesting the passing of an early closing by-law, as described in Satur-day's Planet, was presented Messrs."

Manning, McKay and Wright spoke in favor of it, and Barrister Boles said

was legal and the council's duty was

enalty be not less than \$25 nor more han \$50 for each infraction. It was

referred to the committee on petitions who are to have the by-law prepared

for the next regular meeting.
An account of A. T. Boles' for \$57.52

or legal work on the house of indus-

ry, was passed, the county council baring half the expense.

After a lengthy discussion a motion by raig and Coultiss to buy the Angican

Church property was lost on the casting vote of the mayor. The yeas were:—Craig,

Coultis, Posser. Nays:—Chamberlain, Pulferd, Curtis. This council have wished

to buy this property for the school board, who do not think it is suitable for school purposes. It developed that there is considerable feeling between the board and the council. It was stated that a member of

the school board gave as his reason for not attending the last meeting: "I won't go be-

cause the council is trying to run the d-

A motion was passed refusing the reques

A committee, consisting of the May-or, Coultiss and Chamberlain, was ap-pointed to meet the school board and

discuss the question of a new school. Chief of Police Irwin asked for a

Chief of Police Irwin asked for a pair of handcuffs, and Councillor Prosser generously offered his, "to save the town \$4."

Captain Mosey, in command of No. 2 Company, 21st Regiment, left for London this morning. He had 41 men. B. Jones accompanied them as cook. F. C. Manning will umpire a lacrosse game between Kingsville and Harrow

game between Kingsville and Harrow on the Mattawas grounds at 5 p. m

on the Mattawas grounds at 5 p. m. next Friday.

The Kingsville cavalry passed passed through here this morning on the L. E. & D. R. R. on their way to London. No. 2 Company travel in a special C. P. R. coach.

FOOTBALL TO-MORROW

Captain F. D. Laurie, of Chatham's

ampion football team, is negotiat,

exhibition game to be played here on the occasion of the half holiday cele-bration to-morrow. If arrangements

are completed the game will be played on Tecumseh Park at 5.30, and the con-test will be a unique one for the spec-tators. Captain Laurie proposes to test the all-round fitness of the cham-

pions during the game and will ma-terially change the positioning of the team with that end in view. The de-fence men will have an opportunity to

"show up" their colleagues on the forward line, while the former are convinced of their ability to demonstrate successful defence work. The proposed line-up is as follows:—

Goal—Jahnke.

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of the board for \$9,000, for a new school.

up the necessary by-law and The merchants asked that the

favor of the former sum.

A petition from the business men re

peculation. It was decided to re-uce the assessments of those who had

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other spectators.

The tragic incident occurred at the foot of Beale street. Phillips, after the final benediction, had gone aboard the steamer Wiehita to put on dry clothing. He had scarcely stepped aboard the steamer when he was overcome with religious fervor and fell backward over the side of the boat. He came up several times as he was swept as if in prayer. Before assistance could be given the body went down the last time and was carried beneath a tow of coal

More Canadian Wounded ported-Private Barr's Death.

Ottawa, June 5 .- Coli Otter cables from Johannesburg on 4th June, reporting the following wounded on 29th May:

Pte. Davis, Royal Canadian Dragoons. Pte. Robinson, 21st Essex Regiment Pte. Gordon, 2nd Queen's Own Rifles. Pte. Hill, 9th Voltiguers, Quebec. Pte. Haydon, 62nd St. John Fusillers. Pre. Richardson, No. 5 militia distric

(no corps).

Lieut. Col. Otter reports Evans wounded, but the department cannot iden Col. Otter also says that effective strengt of battalion at the front is only 450 of all

PTE. BARR'S DEATH

Windsor, June 5.—Official announce ment of Pte. Harry Barr's death from Enteric fever in South Africa has been made. The death took place over four months ago The boy's mother lives in Windsor. She sastil the report was confirmed.

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### BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

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STRINGER-On Monday, June 4th, Jennie, eldest daughter of Captain George Stringer; aged 55 years. The funeral will take place on Wednesday et 230 p. m., from her father's residence, King S. West, to Maple Lenf Cemetery.

Friends will please accept this intimation.

Mrs. H. A. Patteson is in the city. All ladies bringing a friend, calling on Mile, Laurriene Mattilla, may have their hands read at half-price this evening.

Three rinks of the Chatham bowlers go to Blenheim this afternoon to try conclusions with the members of the

Court Hope, No 6,244. Court Unity, No. 6,900 and Juvenile Branch, No. 9, will attend divine service in St. Andrew's church, next Sunday evening, when Rev. Dr. Battisby will deliver their annual sermon. Deputations are expected from Court Pride of Dover and Court Northwood. The Excelior Band will lead the parade.

Frances Ferguson, a Windsor wo-man, was before Squire Kerr yesterday on the charge of abduction of two little girls from their grandparent, Mrs. Woods. The defence claim that the ac cused is taking care of the little folks at the dying request of their mother, and waived examination, consenting to committed for trial, bail being grant-

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STILL ON THE WARPATH Humane Officer Henry Dagneau found this morning in the outskirts of the city two very bad cases of cruelty to animals. The parties will likely be summoned to appear before the magistrate. On Sunday, Mr. Dagneau noticed a double carriage on the Grav-el Road. There were six persons in the carriage which was going at the rate of ten miles an hour. Not content with the natural trot of the horses, the driver compelled them to run. Mr. Dagneau has many complaints from people living on the Gravel Road to the effect that people going to and coming from the lake frequently run their horses and yell. Humane Officer Dagneau intends to keep a sharp lookout for those who run their horses.

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### HUNTING ATTRACTIONS.

ogram committee in conne the Dominion Day celebration held a sixtisfactory meeting at the Merrill House last evening. A very attractive program, with the military feature the strong one, has been mapped out. It also includes a calithumpian procession, athletic sports and a football match. These features will be submitted to the citizens' meeting in the Old Town Hall to-morrow night. A number of novelties have been suggested and, if the plans at present under consideration can be followed out, there will be amusement of all sorts for all kinds of people. There's much work to be done and there should be a big turn-out of citizens on Wednesday evening,

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Hence Hastings' Evidence Cannot be Secured in the

West Elgin Investigation-The Commission in a Hurry to Wind Up.

Toronto, June 5.-The West Elgin commissioners yesterday heard further evidence from Mr. Cartwright and other officials at Osgoode Hall respecting the custody of the ballot boxes during the scruting, and other court proceedings while they were out of the custody of Col. Clark, Clerk of the Legislature. At first it was thought that the ballots had been spirited away for a week somewhere during the court proceedings, but this during the court proceedings, but this morning it was brought out in evidence that although the wrong box, that of East Elgin, had been delivered at Osgoode Hall, and had lain there unopened for a week in the belief that it was the West Elgin one, there was nothing to indicate that the West Elgin box, had, been tampered with Elgin box had been tampered with vault at the buildings till the mistake was discovered. If, therefore, the ballots were tampered with before the recount, and good ballots for MacNish substituted for the switched ones, the change must have been made at a date prior to the receipt of the boxes by Col.

Clarke .. The commissioners yesterday afternoon decided to close the case, and unless further evidence of the importance is offered before the stenographer's notes are extended, no more hearings will be taken. Before closing the commissioners received a report from the Sheriff of London that he had had a constable for two days trying to effect service of a summons on Mr. Hastings, but he could not be found in London, notwithstanding Mrs, Prichett's statement that she had seen him there two weeks. him there two weeks ago. The com-mission received also a telegram from the proprietor of the hotel in Detroit at which it had been sworn that Prit-chett and Lewis were. The proprietor contradicted this, and says, that he and his staff will testify that no such

interviews ever took place in his hotel Now is the time to have algas stove Gas Company sells them at cost. dotf

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