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LEEDS LEAGUE HOCKEY

There was a large attendance at the meeting held at Delta on Saturday last to organize a hockey League.
The following delegates registered:
Westport—W. B. Adams, J. C.

Newboro-J. J. Gallagher, J. Mo-

Phillipsville-W. C. Stevens, A. W. Howarth.

Frankville-E, B. Judson, L. Shef Lyndhurst-H. Harvey, M. C.

Browbridge,
Athens—W. F. Dier, L. G. Earl.

fficers were elected :— Hon. Pres.—Geo. Taylor, M.P. President—Dr King.
1st Vice-Pres.—G. W. Halladay. 2nd Vice-Pres. - Dr W. W. Chipms 3rd Vice Pres .- Dr Ediott.

Secretary—Dr C B. Lillie. Treasurer—W. A. Bell. Ex. Com.-J. D. Witherell, W. J. Birch, R. C. Haskins, J. J. Gallagher, R. Whitney, J. C. McKinney, A. M. Lee, F. Stewart.

The teams composing the league were grouped as follows :-Div, 1—Westport, Newboro, Phillipsville, Delta.

Div. 2-Athens, Frankville; Lvnd. urst, Seeley's Bay. B-low we give a brief summary of

by laws adopted :-O. H. A. rules to govern, udge of play added.

Residence in home town since Nov.

lst necessary to team membership, with special provision for students, Player confined to one club during

By Dec. 15 each club must deposit an accepted cheque for \$10.00 as a guarantee of good faith, and pay a embership fee of \$3 00 Three clear days notice of intention

o default a game to be given. Rinks to be at least 150x60 feet, shioned and protected.

The League trophy is a silver cup onated by Mr Geo. Taylor, M.P. The first games are to be played on New Year's Day when Seeley's Bay comes to Athens and Lyndhurst goes to Frankville. The remainder of the schedule will be published later.

COURT OF REVISION

His Honor Judge Reynolds held court here for the revision of the voters ist of Rear Yonge and Escott on Thursday last.

The docket was not large and appar ently little interest was taken in the matter by those concerned, as only a few electors were present. The cases were mostly settled without calling

At the village court of Revision on Monday evening there was a represen tative gathering of electors. There were 49 appeals on the docket, which were in charge of Mr Beale and Mr Botsford. Many of these were noncontentions appeals, and all were dis

posed of speedily.

Appeals had been entered to have
Rev. F. A. Read and Rev. D. Anderson placed on the list, which was their un questionable right, but these appeals were abandoned, and before the signifi cance of the action was understood the court had adjourned. Many Liberals and Conservatives in the village are most emphatic in their condemnation of this action, the reason of which is now well understood.

ANOTHER SWEEPER

Editor Athens Reporter My dear sir,-I read the letter in our welcome paper signed "Justice." I think, with many others whom I have heard express themselves regardit, that it just touched the right spot.
All who travel our beautiful streets since we have our new walks compli-

ment the own on the improvement made, but, oh, the crossings and drive-ways! How they look, and how disgraceful after a snow or rain storm! I should think the council would be ashamed of them. Of course, we can not pass a by-law to force them to keep them clean, but justice demands it and I hope they will attend to it at once. A Citizen.

P. S.-I hope many others may walks, particularly after a storm.

A TEMPERANCE SUNDAY

By many in Athens World's Temper ance Sunday was right loyally observed. In the Methodist church, at the morn ing service, the pastor, Rev F. A. Read, gave a very thoughtful discourse on the subject of "License or No License." The nature of the licensed liquor business was clearly pointed out and then the fruits of the liquor traffic Owarth.

Delta—W. Jackson, W. J. Morris.
Seeley's Bay—H. F. Gilbert, H. B.
utterance, and yet through the latter part of his discourse there ran an home of personal knowledge were presented. The address was moderate in tone, unimpassioned in undertone born of personal knowledge and experience that thrilled the large congregation assembled. It was a perfectly fair presentation of the liquor business, its operation and effects, con-Mr W. B. Adams, Westport, pre-sided and E. B. Judson filled the office of secretary. The resolution to organ ize was carried, and then the following

Union S. S. MEETING

I the afternoon the Baptist, Metho dist and Presbyterian Sabbath Schools met in the Presbyterian church, filling both auditorium and gallery. Rev I. N. Beckstedt, pastor of the church, presided and welcomed the large gathering. After devotional exercises the the following programme was given, those taking part acquitting themselves most creditably:—

Recitation Miss Clare Lillie Song.....Little Miss Greenham Dialogue......by boys and girls Recitation Miss Greenham
Reading Miss Carrie Covey

Recitation Miss C. Rappell The address of the day was delivered by the Rev W. N. Scott and it was a most lucid and logical exposition of his theme-"Liberty." The views held by many as to what constitutes liberty are varied and in many cases erroneous

The address was particularly appropriate at this time when some good men are hesitating about joining the ranks of the ministers and christian people in the Local Option campaign because of their regard for the "liberties" of those engaged in selling and drinking intoxicating liquors Such a definition was necessary and timely and it was most earnestly and eloquently given.

The congregational singing was from leaflets supplied by the Union, Mrs C. C, Slack presiding at the organ. The meeting altogether was a splendid demonstration of the temperance senti ment of the three schools and showed the increasing importance that is attach ed to instructing children in relation to the eyils of strong drink.

BUSINESS COLLEGE NOTES

Misses Bolton, Stitt and Summers graduated from the stenographic department last week.

Glad to get a call from Wm. Wilson, stenographer in the employ of the C. P. R. last Wednesday. The shorthand speed-class

photographed last week, and a One of our young mon is in line for observered bank,

an appointment in a chartered bank. Ross Pennock, a last spring student writes from Lancaster, Min., saying that he recently passed a teacher'se xamination for that state.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Nov. 2, 1908.

W. T. Rogers, Esq., Brockville, Ont.

Dear Mr Rogers,—Knowing that you are always interested in your students, I take this opportunity to in-

form you of my whereabouts.

I am in New York as you will see by the heading of this letter, employed by the Elgry Register Co. I am get-ting along fine and beg to thank you for the most helpful instructions which I received while attending your Col

Kindly give the teachers my best espects, and, wishing you every success with your college, I remain, Yours very truly,

T. J. Burchell. There will be a large increase in at tendance when the new year opens, Jan. 4, '09. About 60 students are en

Medal Contest

A bright and interesting evening's ntertainment will be given by the W. C. T. U. next Monday evening in the town hall. Besides the contestants the following will assist with the musi-

cal part of the programme:
Miss E. Slack, Miss M. Wiltse, Miss O'Lachan, Mrs Kendrick, Mrs Beckthrough your valuable paper urge the stedt, Mrs McKinney, Mr McKinney. council to remedy the condition of Chair taken at 8 o'clock. Admission 10 cents.

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Hamrlik, Man., Nov. 23 .- (Special) .-Prabably there is no disease to which man is heir that causes such a general dread as Gravel, or Stone in the Bladder. The frightful pains it brings and the terrible operations it necessitates cause a shudder of apprehension whenever it is mentioned. But there is really no reason why any man or woman should fear Gravel. It is purely and simply a Kidney disease, and as such can be either cured or guarded against by the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills. Take the case of Mr. Calvin R. Snyder, well known here. He says:-

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and use Dodd's Kidney Pills for slight urinary disorders, you will never be troubled with Gravel. If you have Grav-el, Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure it.

CRIME AND ITS VAST COST. Portentous Sum Paid by American People on This Account.

The cost of crime to the Government reaches the enormous sum of \$140,000,-000. Of this sum \$80,000,000 is expended in a certain percentage of the maintenance of the Supreme and Federal Courts, United States district attorneys, United States marshals and the secret service bureau; part of it is the cost of crime to the Treasury Department to prevent smuggling, the cost of crime to the army and the navy, and to the post-office and to allied departments. The Government losses by smuggling and postal frauds, etc., add the \$60,000,

000 to make the aforesaid total. In the last statement, which is only an estimate of what the National Government pays for crime, it should be remembered that there are no reliable figures on the subject. In estimating the Government losses at \$60,000,000 a year for smuggling, fraud, etc., the writer has endeavored to keep strictly under the mark.
It is estimated that the Government

loses from \$75,000,000 to \$100,000,000 a year by smuggling alone, while the post-office frauds are believed to have cost the Government something like \$40,000. 000 a year.

The detailed cost of crime in the

United States presents some astounding figures. In 1907 the cost of crime in Greater New York was \$35,562,133.24. The state, county and city authorities outside of Greater New York spent for it \$42,605,472.75. In forty-five states (New York excluded) the expenditure was \$097,080,000. Criminal losses by fires totaled \$100,000,000. By customs frauds the National Government lost \$60,000,000.

totaled \$100,000,000. By customs frauds the National Government lost \$60,000,000. During this one year the loss in wages of 10,000 state prisoners was \$28,080,000, while the loss in wages of 150,000 prisoners in city and county jails was \$33,000,000. The grand total, therefore, of the cost of crime in the United States reaches the stupendous figures of \$1.076.327.605.99. \$1,076,327,605,99.

cost of religious work in the United States is enormous. The cost of foreign missions, comprising all denominations, is \$7,000,000; home missions expend the same sum. We spend for education \$200,000,000; for church expenses and ministers' salaries, \$150,000,000 Hospitals and dispensaries for the sick poor cost us \$100,000,000; for sani-tariums of all kinds we spend \$60,000, 000. City missions ad rescue work of all kinds demand and receive \$3,000,000: anitarian work of every kind, \$12,000,000.

Our Young Men's and Young Women's Christian Associations cost \$5,000,000; while all other moral and social work in the United States requires an expenditure of \$5,000,000. The total expenditures for humanitarian and religious work is, then, \$549,000,000. As against this the total cost of crime in the United States for the year reached the accedible total of \$1,076,327,605.99.

That is to say, we spend more than \$500,000,000 a year more on crime than we do on all spiritual, ecclesiastical, physical, humanitarian, educational healing agencies put together.—Harper's Weekly. ----

GARNERED HUMOR.

"My face is my fortune, sir," said the pretty summer girl.
"And mine is, too," said the handsome summer man. "Let us put our fortunes

"An old subscriber writes us to know what a married couple can live comfort ably on," said the stenographer.
"Tell her a thousand a year more than they have," answered the correspondence

editor wisely.-Life. He-"Are you a vegetarian?" She—"Oh, no; I love good beef."
He—"Ah! I wish I were beef."
She—"Well, I like veal also."—Pick-

She-"There is at least one woman in

the world who can thank you for rendering her happy for life."

He—"Why, I'm not married." She-"That's what I mean!"-Illustr ated Bits

He-"They tell me that Flo Hunter is going to marry young Moneybags."
She—"Does he know?"—London Opin-

Miss Gilthonds-"Papa has the gout in

both feet. Why, where are you going, Freddy?" Freddy Flittercoin-"It looks to me as if this is a good time to ask him for you."—Illustrated Bits.

"Don't you think that doctor comes oftener than he needs to?' "How should 'I know what his needs

Miss Brush-"Did the judges appreci-

ate the beautiful cloud studies you sent Miss Dauber—"They must have; they skied all of them."—Illustrated Bits.

The Big Fish (boastfully)-"Yes, sir, he was at least 10 feet long and must have weighed 500 pounds if he weighed an ounce, but the line broke and 1 got away from him."—Puck.

"Do you think Dauber's picture worth catalogue price?"
"It's still a quarter, isn't it?" Harper's Weekly.

BANK NOTES IN A DUST BIN.

How They Were Curiously Discovered

and Returned to Their Owner. Ten 1,000 franc bank notes, represen ing the savings of a woman who lived at Nanterre, near Paris, were hidden by her in an oid envelope, which was placed in a drawer. In a moment of forgetfulness the envelope found its way into a dust bin.

In the morning the ragpickers turned out the bin, but tossed aside the tatter-ed envelope without inspection. Some carters happened to pass that way. They picked up the now mud splashed piece picked up the now mud splashed piece of paper, one remarking to the other: "Perhaps there is a fortune inside!" They drew out the notes. "This is some fool's pleasantry," they said; so by way of revenging themselves on the unknown joker and not believing the notes were genuine they tore them to pieces and threw them aside.

Two market women came along shorts.

Two market women came along short ly afterward. With the shrewdness of their class they recognized the scattered pieces of paper and gathered them up and took them to the commissary of

There they were pieced together and it was found that none was missing. Two hours later the notes so curiously discovered were restored to their owner -London Chronicle.

Put This in Your Bible.

A correspondent of the Springfield Republican some time ago wrote a list of chapters of the Bible adapted to spe-If you have the blues, read the 27th

If your pocketbook is empty, read the

If people seem unkind, read the 15th chapter of John.

If you are discouraged about your work, read the 126th Psalm. If you are all out of sorts, read the 12th chapter of Hebrews.

If you are losing confidence in men, read the 13th chapter of First Corin-If you can't have your own way

everything, keep silent third chapter of James.

Repeat it:-"Shiloh's Cure will always cure my coughs and colds."

Worry. One who could rid the world of worry would render greater service to the race than all of the inventors and discoverer

to the wedding and funeral alike. It is at every reception, every banquet; it oc-cupies a seat at every table. No human intellect can estimate the

unutterable havoc and ruin wrought by worry. It has forced genius to do the work of mediocrity; it has caused more failures, more broken hearts, more blasted hopes, than any other one cause since the dawn of the world.

What have men not done under the pressure of worry! They have plunged into all sorts of vice; have become drunkards, drug fiends; have sold their very souls in their efforts to escape this monster.

Think of the homes it has broken up; the ambitions it has ruined; the hopes and prospects it has blighted! Think of the suicide victims of this demon! If there is any evil in existence, is it not worry, with all its attendant progeny of

evils? Yet, in spite of all the tragic evils that follow in its wake, a visitor from an other world would get the impression that worry is one of our dearest, most helpful friends, so closely do we hug it to ourselves and so loath are we to part from it. Orison Swett Morden, in Success.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in cows.



A REMNANT

Dicker-I hear Bones, the fullback was bady hurt in a scrimmage.

Kicker-Yes, poor Bones will never be the man he was, but the doctors say they may was, but the doctors say they ma to make him over into a fairly re quarter-back.

SIMPLE PRESCRIPTION. "You have an enormous appetite," said a thin man, enviously. "What do you take for 12?"

HIS OWN PROVIDED. "Tas," said Cle Oleson, "Ay tank Ay take that yob down to Yamestown."
"How do they pay you?" asked a friend. "Dollar a day and eats meself," explained One Rebessian Maratine.

RELIEVED BY PE-RU-NA



MRS. F. CARR.

MRS. F. Carr, Vineland, Ont., Can. "For several years I was afflicted with catarrh, which made life a bur-den. The coughing and hacking which accompanied the disease was errible

'The complaint finally extended to "I tried different remedies and the

"Finally, as a last resort, I tried Peruna upon the recormy sister in Hamilton.

could see steady improvement and after using four bottles of that precious medicine I was feeling well again, my old trouble being completely a thing of the past. 'To-day I would not take one thous and dollars for what this grand medi-

cine has done for me.' Peruna is a universally recognized catarrh remedy. It will relieve catarrh in its most obstinate form.

Teaching Birds Migration.

Some experiments by naturalists of East Prussia have shown the possibility of tracing the migrations of birds, and that such migrations may extend to distances hitherto unsuspected. Many birds captured two years ago were released after being tagged with light frot-rings hearing record numbers and foot-rings bearing record numbers and the dates. Some of these marked birds have been reported from far away, a lake fowl, with a ring dated July 26th, 1907, having been shot in Tunis, while a stork, with a ring dated July 5th, 1907, was killed far south of the Equator, near Fort Jameson, Rhodesia That a stork would travel from North Ger-many to Southern Africa was a revela-



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Mme. Melba's Beginning

During the years immediately preceding my first and, for me, my most mem-orable visit to Europe, the late Mar-quis of Normanby was governor of Vic-toria. At that time I was regarded in Melbourne as a very good amateur pi-anist, much in request for private par-ties, at which I always played, and on very rare occasions also sang. At one of these functions, given at Government house, I gave some songs between the pianoforte selections, and the Marchionpianoforte selections, and the Marchion-ess of Normandy, in thanking me, said, "Child, some day you will give up the piano for singing, and then you will be-come famous." That was the simple com-ment that set me seriously thinking of a career as a singer. I had always felt that I would become a professional in a career as a singer. I had always felt that I would become a professional in music—pianist, organist, violinist, perhaps, but something in music, at any rate; but from that moment I knew in an irresistible way that I was to be a singer.—From Nellie Melba's "The Gift of Song" in the June Century.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

What He Missed. Once at a luncheon given by the Lord Mayor of Manchester, the dean of Man-chester sat next to Beerbohm Tree. "Well, Mr. Tree, what have you been doing to day?" he asked. "I went for a long motor ride this morning, and lost a bet," replied the famous actor. "Indeed," said the dean; "and may I ask what the bet was?" "I made a bet that we would pass through 400 different we would pass through 400 different odors, and we only encountered 399." "Ah," replied Dr. Well on promptly, "you missed the odor of sanctity."—M.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

Perfectly Honest.

"I hadn't been talking with him three ninutes before he called me an ass. What sort of a person is he?" "Well, I never knew him to tell a lie."

Repeat it:- "Shiloh's Cure will always cure my coughs and colds."

THE NEW PEKING It Has Become a Modern City With Conveniences.

A correspondent of the London Times

A correspondent of the London Times draws a comparative picture of Pekin a decade ago, and the progress in the Chinese capital to-day. The following is an extract from his report:

"So it has come to pass that to-day three railways bring their traffic and broadening influences to the very gate of the city. The tinkling camel bells are gone, their old-world music replaced by the indefatigable bugling from school parade grounds and camps. No longer parade grounds and camps. No longer does the mediaeval watch patrol the midnight streets with noise of rattle and drum; the new police, with their foreign uniforms, rifles and sentry-boxes in every quarter, have consigned it to oblivion. Well-paved streets, flanked by bricked drains, now connect all of by bricked drains, now connect all of the principal gates; the paper lanterns that accentuated the darkness of former days have been replaced by electric-lights; scavenging is no longer left to the unaided efforts of pariah dogs and pigs; broughams and jinrikishas ply in the place of sedan chairs and spring-less carts, and public buildings of suit-able size and design are being provided able size and design are being provided for the various government offices. Most remarkable of all—as indicating the change in social and educational standardsis the new zoological and botanical garden, whither large crowds of both sexes resort daily; a purely Chinese enterprise, of which the citizens are justly proud. A foreign adviser to the Chinese Government is now driven in e Government is now driven in an automobile, in company with a mem-ber of the Grand Council, from the city to the summer palace, and Chinese newspapers, printed in the capital, freely discuss the necessity for constitutional government. These things, and others equally remarkable, have come to pass."

Permitted to Whistle in Church

Harry P. Bosson, of Reading, as his friends in Worcester say, whistled in church while attending divine worship in that city recently. When asked about in that city recently. When asked about it Mr. Bosson said he was not asleep and explained his action by telling the following story: "The minister said just before the contribution that anyone who put 50 cents or more into the contribu tion box was entitled and expected to whistle. As the collectors were on their way the whistling came from all parts of the room and was not far from universal. When it came to me it was up to me to dig down and content myesif with a whistle.

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Kitchen Miracles.

In Aunt Amelia's kitchen there are many wonders done, Such miracles are wrought as never seen beneath the sun:

mpkin from the garden-just a reliow th her skiliful handling ripens quick-ly into ples; ples; we into fritters, you must marcorn grows into fritters, you must mar-vel at the change; waves her hands above it, and the milk is cottage choese. merely watch her, and you see such You miracles as these. See finds it easy, quite, to make blu borries And eggs are changed to omelets above the

coals; s when she's fixing the mater-She turns clder into mance-meat right perfore your very eyes!

Sometimes she makes a currant roll—you would not think she could—
Or mekes a neach turn-over, or does something just as good;

But she says quive one hardest task that ever she has found
Is, when she has ber boys at tea, to make these things go round!

—Youth's Companion.

> Black Watch "Biggest and Best"

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According to Contract. rent last month. What are you going to do about it?

Tenant-Oh, I suppose I'll do as you Tenant—On, I suppose III do as you said when I rented it.

House Owner—What did I say?

Tenant—You said I must pay in advance or not at all.—Chicago News.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria,

Lawyer-Do I understand you to say that you are acquainted with both par-ties in this case?"

Witness—Why—er—I don't know whether you do or not. Do I hear you ask me the question?

Why Not?

Sapleigh—Queer fellahs, these poets. There's the one, for instance, who speaks of "an aching void." Now, how can there

be an aching void?

Miss Blunt—Have you never had a headache, Mr. Sapleigh?—Boston Transcript. A Knock.

Waiter-Did you order beef a la mode, sir?
Grouch (impatiently)—Yes. What's the matter; are you waiting for the styles to change?—Philad lphia Press.

You can painlessly remove any corn, either hard, soft or bleeding, by applying Putnam's Corn Extractor. It never burns, leaves no sear, contains no acids; is harmle burns, leaves no sear, contains no acids; is harmle burns, leaves no sear, contains no acids; is harmle burns, leaves no sear, contains no acids; is harmle burns, leaves no sear contains no acids; is harmle burns, leaves no sear contains no acids; is harmle burns, leaves no sear contains no acids; is harmle burns, leaves no sear leaves and leaves and leaves and leaves and leaves are leaves and CORN EXTRACTOR

The Wrong Cat.

For six years a bitter feud had existed between the Browns and the Robinsons, next door neighbors. The trouble had originated through the depredation of Brown's cat, and had grown so fixed of Brown's cat, and had grown so fixed an affair that neither party ever dreamt of making up. One day, however, Brown sent his servant next door with a peace-making note for Mr. Robinson, which read:

"Mr. Brown sends his complin to Mr. Robinson, and begs to say that his old cat died this morning."

Robinson's written reply was bitter:
"Mr. Robinson is sorry to hear of Mr.
frown's trouble, but he had not heard that Mrs. Brown was ill."

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"More than five thousand elephants year go to make our piano keys," re-marked the student boarder who had been reading the scientific notes in a patent medicine almanac.
"For the land's sake!" exclaimed the landladt "Ain't it wonderful what some animals can be trained to do?"—Chicago News.

Florida and The South

Via New York and Philadelphia are reached by through trains from Suspension Bridge via the Lehigh Valley Railroad. For full particulars address R. S. Lewis, 54 King street east, Toronto, Ont.

England's Potato Crop.

England reports that her potata crop this year is the biggest on record. A. R. Horwood, of the Leicester (England) Museum, remarks that the colors of birds' eggs can in a large num-ber of cases be traced to the necessity of "protective resemblance." White eggs are usually laid by birds nesting in holes in trees, or in dark situations, like owls, woodpeckers and some pigeons. Most birds nesting on or near the ground lay eggs of an olive green or brown ground color. The eggs of grouse, ptarmigan, and so forth, semble the heather among which they are laid. Those of the ringed plover, little tern and oyster-catcher resemble the sand and shingle of the beach. The lapwing's eggs closely simulate bare soil or dried bents. The young chicks show similar "protective" colors.

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who remain dissatisfied.

"So rare have marriages in Lindsell become that only one has taken place in the parish in the last eight years. That was on Easter Monday last."— London Chronicle.

House Owner-You failed to pay your it: - "Shiloh's Cure will always ber of a woodsman who had just returncure my coughs and colds."

> In a Calmer Frame of Mind. "Mamma, why should I buy my Christ as presents early!"

"My sherwoman," Mrs. Lapsling was saying, "used to lose ever so many of my sheets and pillowcases, but she doesn't now. I mark them all with intelligible ink." "Well, child, one reason is that you won't spend so much money for them if you do it now. You can make more judicious selections, don't you know."

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FARMS IN ONTARIO

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Papuan Medicine Men's Method. Papuan medicine men are regarded Papuan medicine men are regarded with great respect by the natives. Those I have met certainly seemed energetic and hard working. They sit close to the patient, massaging the seat of pain with much vigor, and while they are thus rubbing make a noise with their lips rather like that which a groop makes when rubbing down a horse.

when rubbing down a horse.

The process is a trying one, and the medicine man stops at intervals to drink not water in which taro has been boiled. His object is to extract some mysterious foreign substance from the sick man's body, and if he succeeds in this he receives a fee, otherwise he gets nothi "No cure, no pay," is apparently the Pap-uan's motto.—From the Wide World



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The Lesser of Two Evils. Grandfather-Hey, stop a minute, boy. want 'ee.

Tommy-Can't, 'cos mother's waiting give me a thrashing.
Grandfather—Bless me! Fancy a boy unning for it! Tommy—Well, if I don't, father'll get home before it's over.—Tit-Bits.

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Indian Woman Rebels Against Triba For the first time in the history of the Indian pueblo of Isleta, south of this city, a villager has rebelled against the ancient tribal laws and the government

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eblos have a tribal of their own, irrespective of any white man's laws, to which members of the tribe generally submit, and the rebellion of this woman brings up an interesting conflict between the Government and th Indians. — Albuquerque correspondence Denver Republican.

I was cured of Rheumatic Gout by MINARD'S LINIMENT. Halifax. ANDREW KING,

I was cured of Acute Bronchitis by MINARD'S LINIMENT. LT.-COL. C. CREWE READ. Sussex.

I was cured of Acute Rheumatism y MINARD'S LINIMENT. Markham, Ont. C. S. BILLING.

Wanted it Convenient. "In what style will you have your beard trimmed?" asked the polite bar-

ed from a lumber camp.

"Be gorra! Oi'll be afther hovin' it cut in th' shtoyle besht adapted to the ate-in' av soup," replied Mike.-Judge. Marked Improvement,

Heroism of the Crew, Many of Whom Are Missing.

Valetta, Malta, Nov. 30.-The terrible disaster, in which more than a hundred disaster, in which more than a hundred people lost their lives, occurred at the Guelph's first fireman on the old hand entrance to this port yesterday morning entrance to this port yesterday morning entrance to this port yesterday morning within sight of the whole population of the city, who were powerless to give aid. The British steamer Sardinia, of the Elerman Line, sailing from this port, and bound for Alexandria, with a crew of 44 Englishmen, 11 first and 6 second class English passengers, and nearly 200 the flow of blood. After being in the navy for five years, he entered the mercantile service, and fought against pirates for several years in many Arab pilgrims aboard, caught fire, and within a few minutes was a roaring furnace, surrounded by clouds of black smoke, through which flames burst upward to the height of 200 feet from requent explosions in the hold. So rapidly did the fire spread that the frantic efforts of the crew to operate the fire apparatus proved useless, for in seemed but a moment before the upper works and masts crashed down upon the deck, while the ship's boats were crush-ed by the falling debris or set on fire and quickly burned.

Safety lay only in the sea, for no one could save himself except by jumping overboad and taking chances of being picked up. Assistance was hurried to the burning vessel from all the warships in the harbor and from the shore, but the work of rescue tide that was running. Even the naval launches which came as fast as could be driven, were unable to go alongside. Among the Arabs there was a panic that could not be controlled. Many of them were too terrified to jump and they were burn-ed to death. Others casting themselves into the waves were drowned. The crew behaved with admirable courage, serving out life preservers to the last, and working the pumps.

When the pumps became useless

When the pumps became useless Capt. Chas. Littler, commander of the Sardinia, took the helm and directed his ship towards the shore so long as she could be navigated. He perished at his post. First Officer Frank Watson, the three engineers, Seagraves, Hislop and Neil, eighteen of the ship's company and two first-class passengers, one of them a boy named (43,000. It is interesting to note the re-When the pumps became useless Capt. Chas. Littler, commander of the passengers, one of them a boy named Grant, are missing. Fifty or more bodies have been recovered and seventy persons were rescued. It is impossible at present to say just how le at present to say just how were drowned or burned to because the list of Arab pilgrims is incomplete, but the numbe will doubtless far exceed a hundred.

After the vessel refused to obey her helm, she drifted around three times, and finally was beached broadside on the rocks at the mouth of the harbor. She was still burning this afternoon and will be a total

The British Vice-Admiral, Sir Asherton Curzon-Howe, and Admiral Fisher directed the rescuing boats, Fisher directed the rescuing boats, which did gallant work in saving those who were yet alive and in bringing the bodies of the dead ashore. Capt. Littler's body, which was so terribly mutilated, was landed this afternoon in the presence of great crowds who stood uncovered. The other bodies were also mutilated and burn-ed. Fifty-six of the injured are being ed. Fifty-six of the according to the hospitals.

but denial is made that there were explosives aboard. Unquestionably, how-ever, explosions occurred, and it was at first believed that the rapid spread of the flames was due largely to the flowing of naphtha.

The Sardinia left Liverpool on November 14. She stopped at Valetta, vember 14. She stopped at Valetta, landing a few passengers and taking on the pilgrims. Capt. Littler, who was for many years in the service of the line, lived at Birkenhead. He leaves a wife and child.

ROW PREVENTED.

Group of Italian Emigrants Boisterous at Toronto Station.

A Toronto despatch: Some boisterous Italians threatened to disturb the peace of the Union Station yesterday afterwere leaving on the 4.05 o'clock train for New York, where they were to em-bark for Italy, had congregated on the platform near the door of the baggage car, and they commenced to act in a disorderly manner. The station hands were prevented for a time from load-

the side of the car.

This was resented by the Italians, who one of the priests who came in the cathed them over the platform. The train hands then interfered, and a row was threatening when the promptly started the train. This caused a scramble to get on board. In the press one Italian was left behind.

The vident intention of the priests who came in the cathedral before going on a sick call they might have been successful. As it was, they were scared away, and when they priest went to the tabernacle he found that the door had been broken open. The evident intention of the burglars was to get the chalices, which are of

79 RESULTED FATALLY.

241 Industrial Employes Victims

Accidents During October. Ottawa, Nov. 30 .- Industrial accidents occurring to 241 individual work people in Canada during the month of October, 1908, were reported to the Department of Labor. Of these, 79 were fatal and 162 resulted in serious injuries. In addition, two fatal accidents were reported as having taken place prior to the beginning of the month, information not having been received by the department

before October, 1908. ed in October, 1908, was 23 less than in the previous month and 61 less than in October, 1907. The number and 144 less than in October, 1907.

Guelph despatch: Seaman H. Garrard day at the General Hospital. He had reached his 98th year five months ago. He came from Pittsburg to Guelph in 1840 and opened one of the first blacksmith shops, his house, still standing, being the second erected east of the river. From 1855 to 1886 he lived in Elors, and against pirates for several years in many waters.

MOVING WHEAT.

RECORD MADE BY WESTERN RAILWAYS THIS YEAR.

orty Million Four Hundred Thous and Bushels Passed Inspection at Winnipeg Up to Monday Last-How the Different Roads Rank.

Winnineg, Nov. 30.-Up to noon Nov. 23, there has passed inspection at Winnipeg 40,400,000 bushels of wheat of the crop of 1908, or nearly 9,000,000 bushels more than had been inspected up to els more than had been inspected up to the end of December last year. Putting the exportable surplus of crop at 80,000,000 bushels, more than half of that sur plus has already been inspected, and be-fore mavigation closes on the 5th of De-cember the amount will have run over 45,000,000 bushels. In spite of the kicks that continue to come from the country as to car shortage, the West has already got out more wheat, considering the dis-cance it has to travel, than any country has ever moved in the same period be

043,000. It is interesting to note the re-cord of the various roads in the move-ment of the crop. Of the 43,973 cars inspected up to the 23rd instant, the C. P. R. handled 27,845, and 2,383 went over the Great Northern to Duluth.

The Canadian Pacific holds the palm for the largest number of cars moved on such long hauls in the period of two and a half months, and evidence of the advantage of double tracking is fairly thrust in the face of every dealer of wheat. The record of the G. T. P. for a new

road is magnificent, for it must be remembered that not a car moved on that road in September. The record of nearly a thousand cars is for Octo-November alone

BRAKEMAN KILLED AT LINDSAY He Was Run Over by an Engine and Lost a Leg.

A Lindsay despatch: A bad accident occurred here to-day at the G. T. R. station, when a young brakeman, Percy Canstick had one leg completely sever

ed above the knee.

The engines were shunting, and while jumping on the front of one of them young Capstick's foot slipped, and he fell in front of the engine,

which ran over him.

He was taken immediately to the
Ross Memorial Hospital, where he died this afternoon.

GREAT RUN OF HERRING.

Fishermen of Port Stanley Embarrassed by Their Catch.

London, Ont., Nov. 30.—Mr. J. A. Wilson, of this city, who was in Port Stanley yesterday in the interests of the fish houses, said to-day that the dispo-sal of the immense quantity of fish caught this week is becoming an urgent question. On Monday the run started with 55 tons of herring taken; on Tues-day 75 tons were caught, and yesterday 100 tons were brought in. This is a record run in the history of Lake Erie.

BROKE INTO CATHEDRAL

Burglars Make Unsuccessful Attempt at St. Michael's, Toronto.

A Toronto despatch: Burglars made an unsuccessful attempt to rob St. Michthe baggage, but at last a truck unsuccessful attempt to rob St. Michwas pushed through the crowd to acl's Cathedral on Tuesday night, and had it not been for the appearance of one of the priests who came in the cawas to get the chalices, which are of solid gold and quite valuable. Nothing was missed from the church, and the police were not notified.

ONTAPIO FRUIT WON PRIZE.

Exhibit Awarded Gold Medal in Show in London, England.

Toronto, Nov. 30 .- Ontario has awarded the gold medal in the colonial competition at the Royal Horticultural Society's Exhibition now being held in London, England. A cablegram received yesterday announced the fact that the fruit sent by the Ontario Department of Agriculture had won the prize in the competition open to all British colonies. Last year British Columbia's accidents reported in October, 1908, was eight more than in the preceding month and P. P. Farmer.

OLDEST RESIDENT. BAD MARRIAGES Aged Guelph Naval Hero Passes CAUSE POVERTY

Rev. Father Minehan to Conference on Charities.

Early Marriages Among Poor Also Blamed.

Operation of Juvenile Delinquents Act Explained by W. L. Scott.

A Toronto descpatch: "If you will enforce the terms of the marriage contract, and if you insure that the contracting parties are fit to undertake that contract, you will cut the main root of poverty." This statement was made by Rev. Father Minehan in the Normal School last night, speaking before the Canadian conference on charities and correction on the subject of ties and correction on the subject of
"The Causes of Poverty: How to Prevent It and How to Reduce it." There
were many causes of poverty, he said,
including shiftlessness, want of technical education and drunkenness. "But,"
he continued, "we ignore the responsibility of parents under the nuptial contract. I have seen in this city little
children not a year old physical wrecks.
In any contract but that one on which
the whole of society rests fitness in the
contracting parties to carry out the contracting parties to carry out the agreement is required. If the law would see that only fit people were married and that they carried out their duties it would cut the main root of poverty. When a child becomes a charge upon the community the authorities should find out when I the papers is to blame. the community the authorities should find out why. If the parent is to blame, punish him or her so that the example will act as a deterrent. The questions of marriage have been neglected, because through all the ages our men of literature have cast a gramor of romance about it and about the things leading up to it. They hide the start leading up to it. They hide the stern things. We need the glow of romance, things. We need the glow of romance, but we need truth, too. It is not at all to our credit that the unclean problem play and problem novel have been bringing us face to face with some of the serious things in marriage."

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Rev. Dr. R. H. Abraham, in speaking on the same topic, pointed out the great evils arising from intemperance. He blamed the early marriages of unskilled blamed the early marriages of unskilled laborers for a great deal of poverty, and thought places of clean amusement oth-er than the saloon and the cheap theatre should be provided so that the young not be driven to marriage

Mr. W. L. Scott, K. C., of Ottawa, explained the working of the juvenile de-inquents act as applied in Ottawa. The act was not in use on compulsion, but could be applied in localities after proper proclamation. The system in Ottawa consisted of a Juvenile Court Judge, a number of probation officers, preferably ladies, and a Juvenile Court Committee. He declared that neither suspended sentence nor the Industrial School could save the children, and that environment was the great factor in environment was the great factor in child saving. Great importance lay in the personality of the workers. He urged that many persons might engage in the work as a hobby, caring for some special child by directing its interests and energies into healthy channels. His address was followed by speeches by Chief Inspector Archibald, of Toronto, and Mr. G. M. Macdoneell, K. C., Kingston.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS. In the election of officers Hon. W. Ja. Hanna was made Honorary President. The others were as follows: President, Mr. J. R. McNeillie, Lindsay; Vice-Presidents, Messrs. J. P. Downey, M. P. P.,

DISCREDITABLE. At Wednesday's meeting Sheriff Middleton, of Wentworth county, said that he believed the jail system of Ontario to be discreditable. He said that the whole system should be changed, and that one of the things that shocked him most was the opposition of free labor to prison labor. He held that the first essentials of reforming any prisoner were fresh air, prenty of work and physical training. From experience with prisoners, he thought that the best that was in them could be reached effectively and immediately by the application of

the cat and the spanker.

"I would," he said. "give the cat to every drunkard, and the cat in all cases He also recommended having places of retention for first offenders to keep them from contact with other pris-

VERY DANGEROUS OIL.

Prof. Parker Says It Is Worse Than

Dynamite. Winnipeg, Nov. 30.—"That oil pour-ed on a living fire, would be more dan-gerous than dynamite or nitro-glycerine used similarly." Such was the startling statement of Professor Parker, of Manitoba University on the completion of tests of samples of oil obtained from the same source as that which resulted in

fifteen deaths within a fortnight in the "This oil," said Professor Parker, "is extraordinary in some respects. I do not think that it was adulterated with gasoline, as has been suggested. I tried it for specific gravity, for flash point, and I distilled it fractionally. I believe that it contained a heavy percentage of naphtha, of low grade perhaps. Gasoline would distill off below 90 degrees, or even 70 degrees, and only 2 or 3 percent. of this oil distilled off below 90 degrees. The portion of 47 per cent. distilled at between 90 and 130 degrees. Therefore I think it contained, not gasoline, but naptha. The flash point was below what my machine will register. Investigation shows that the company charged with wholesaling this oil has been importing naptha largely."

CATTLE SHOW

Three Thousand Animals For Chicago-Contest For Prize.

Chicago, Nov. 30 .- Two thousand head of stock, leaving 1,000 more to arrive to-day, have been received here for the International Live Stock Exposition, which will open to-morrow. Exhibits were received during the day from the Iowa Agicultural College, the University of Nebraska, the Minnesota Agriculsty of Nebraska, the minnesots Agricul-tural College and Purdue University. Students will compete in the judging con-tests. Other colleges represented in the judging contest include the Ontario Ag-ricultural College, of Guelph, Ont. Only one farmer's son, J. G. Croutman, of Manhattan, Kansas, has entered the con-test and he will nit his practical knowmannettan, Kansas, has entered the con-test, and he will pit his practical know-ledge against the theoretical experience of the college students, for the J. Ogden Armour Agricultural Scholarship, am-ounting to \$5,000.

THE HAMONIC.

LATEST ACHIEVEMENT OF CAN-ADIAN SHIPBUILDING.

New Ship is Finest Afloat on Great Lakes-Features of the Construc tion and Equipment-Congratulatory Speeches at Luncheon.

Collingwood despatch: Amid a chorus of hammer-beats, the cheers of hundreds of spectators and the ear-piercing shrieks of ship sirens and factory whistles, the new steamer Hamonic, the latest addition to the fine fleet of the Northern Navigation Company, and the finest achievement of Canadian shipbuilding, was successfully launched from the yard of the Collingwood Shipbuilding Company yesterday. It marked the comple tion of another stage in the development of Canadian transportation, and cemented a relationship between lake navigation and railway communication which gation and railway communication whice in view of the opening of the Grand Trunk Pacific, is pregnant with great possibilities. In naming their new ship the Hamonic, 'the Northern Navigation Company paid a tribute to their revered President, which the unfortunate circumstance of his illnesss rendered peculiarly live, and if there was anything in ay's proceedings that was to be yesterday's proceedings that was to be regretted, it was that Mr. H. C. Hammond was unable to be present to wit-ness the culmination of an enterprise to which he has so largely contrib

Included in the party were Mr. George T. Bell, general passenger and ticker manager of the Grand Trunk; Mr Barlow Cumberland, Vice-President of the Niagara Navigation Company; Mr. J. D. McDonald, district passenger agent of the Grand Trunk, Toronto; Captain Nicholson, traffic manager of the North-Nicholson, traffic manager of the North-ern Navigation Company; Mr. J. E. Quick, general baggage agent of the Grand Trunk; Mr. E. W. Smith, superintendent of the diring and parlor car de-partment of the Grand Trunk; Mr. S. Hewitt, Grand Trunk transportation and freight agent; Mr. R. L. Thompson, disfreight agent; Mr. R. L. Thompson, dis-tect passenger agent of the C. P. R., To-ronto; Mayor Proctor, of Sarnia; Mr. Herbert Hammond, and Mr. H. S. Strathy, manager 65 the Traders Bank,

At the bow a platform had been erected for the accommodation of guests of the company, and here Mrs. H. H. Gildersleeve, wife of the General Manager of the Northern Navigation Company idents, Messrs. J. P. Downey, M. P. P. Guelph; John Ross Bobertson, Toronto; Colonel J. E. Farewell, Whitby; J. J. Kelso, Toronto; Dr. Helen MacMurchy, Toronto; Sheriff Middleton, Hamilton; Dr. Rosebrugh, Toronto, and C. H. Corbett, Kingston; Secretary, M. F. M. Nicholson, Toronto; Treasurer, Mr. F. J. Walsh, Toronto, I. Rae, Hamilton, was placed on the Executive Committee.

DISCREDION. supervision of Mr. James Smith, the manager, who had charge of the arrangements.

After the ceremony the company of nvited guests assembled in the shipbuilding company's office, where lunch was served and a number of congratulatory speeches were made. Mr. James Smith, the General Manager of the Collingwood Shipbuilding Company, occupied the chair, and proposed the health of Mrs. Gildersleeve, on whose behalf her husband responded. Mr. P. Patton, President of the Collingwood Board of Trade, proposed the Northern Naviga-tion Company, and Captain Nicholson, the traffic manager of the line, replied. The other toasts were the Grand Trunk Railway Company, acknowledged by Mr. George T. Bell, the general passenger and ticket agent; the Collingwood Shipbuilding Company, proposed by Mr. Bar-low Cumberland, and responded to by Captain A. McDougall, and the Press, proposed by Mayor Currie, M. P. P., Messrs. J. J. Clark and D. Williams reply-

ing.

In construction, equipment, carrying capacity and speed it is safe to say that the Hamonic when fitted out will have no equal on the great lakes. Her dimensions are: Length over all, 355 feet; length between perpendiculars, 341 feet; extreme breadth, 50 feet; moulded depth, 27 feet, and gross tonnage, 5,000 tons. The significance of these figures may be better appreciated when it is stated better appreciated when it is stated that the main dimensions are only a lit-tle less than half those of the new Cunappreciated when it is stated ard giant, the Mauretania. The cargo capacity is about 3,000 tons of package freight or 100,000 bushels of wheat beow the main desk, and there will be roomy accommodation for 400 first-class and 75 second-class passengers, as well? as for officers and crew, numbering more. There are five decks, and the in-terior arrangements will be of the most complete character that the ingenuity of naval architects has devised, many of the features being extremely novel. features being extremely novel. With lounges, spacious promenade decks, palatial saloons, cabins de luxe, handsomely appointed drawing and dining rooms, and an observation room, which will be a veritable crystal palace, a trip on the Hamonic will indeed be an experience of the most enjoyable kind.

SLEEP OF DEATH.

ed in Bed.

Three Children May Die-Hurt in Explosion.

Paterson, N. J., Nov. 30.-A leaky gas main resulted in the death by asphyxiation of two persons last night, and the serious injury of three others.

Three children also were overco the fumes and may die. The dead are Peter Cunningham and his wife. The reter Cunningham and his wife. The three who may die are Joseph, May and Thomas Kelly, children of Mrs. Mary Kelly, and the injured are Albert Eyer, George Parker, and John Werker. The leak in the gas main filled the cellars of houses on Newark avenue and Sussex street. Eyer was awakened by his dog, and upon smilling case heard Par-

dog, and upon smelling gas, he and Par ker adn Warker, who live with him, be gan a search for the leak. They struck a match in the cellar, and there was an explosion. All three were painfully burn-The explosion led to an investigation

Neighbors found Mr. and Mrs. Cunning-ham dead in bed. They had been asphy-xiated as they slept. At the Kelly home, Mrs. Kelly and her children were all unconscious from the fumes. They were removed to the hospital. Mrs. Kelly soon revived, but her children may die.

SERBS SLAIN.

THIRTY KILLED BY AUSTRIANS IN FIGHT ON THE FRONTIER.

Battleship Fleet Sent to Cruise Off Montenegro's Coast — May Naval Demonstration at Salonika as Soon as Austrian Ambassador Leaves Constantinople.

New York, Nov. 30 .- A cable desratch to The American from Berlin tells of a sanguinary conflict which took place between Austrians and Servians at Sabrencia, on the Herzegovinian frontier A patrol of Austrian soldiers and a band of thirty Servians began firing on each other, and the Austrian troops, closing in on their opponents, put them all to the sword.

put them all to the sword.

A despatch to The Herald says that
Austria has ordered her Ambassador
to leave Constinople. It is believed
that once the Ambassador has left the Turkish capital a formal demand will tion for the loss caused to Austrian trade by the boycott. In case this fails of effect it will be rapidly followed by a by the boycott, in case this rails of effect it will be rapidly followed by a naval demonstration at Salonica, where Austria's interests dominate those of other nations, and where the damage done to trade has been the greatest. Irate commercial associations at Vienna are doing their best to force the hand of Baron von Aenrenthal, the Minister of Foreign Affairs, and are overwhelming him with insistent demands that he take action in regard o the boycott, which is really hitting the dual empire's trade with Constantinople, Salonica and Smyrna very tinople, Salonica and Smyrna very hard. Owing to the pressure brought to bear by the Austrian Lloyd Steam-

three of the most modern warships, together with three cruisers and six torpedo boats, have left Pola with scaled orders. ship Company and other corporations three of the most modern warships, It is understood that they are to cruise about the Montenegrin coast, making the Bay of Cattaro, their

headquarters.
There is little doubt that the despatching of the squadron is intended as a reply to Montenegro's impudent demand that she should share in the division of Herzegovina. In addition Montenegro had openly announced that she was going to conclude a de-fensive alliance with Servia, and that unless her demand was acceded to

war would be inevitable. Austria has stated pretty plainly that she will not tolerate a Turkish alliance with any Balkan kingdom or principality for military purposes and this applies with equal force to the proposed Servian-Montenegrin alli-

NINE MEN ARRESTED

Alleged Members of Bad Gang in the Cells.

Toronto despatch: The efforts of the police to round up what is alleged to be one of the worst gangs that has descended upon the city for years resulted in six more arrests yesterday afternoon The men were caught in a room on Jarvis street by Detectives Wallace, Mackie, Tipton, Armstrong, and Archibald and taken to Court Street Station, where they are held on charges of vagrancy They gave their names as James Lee aged 22; George McDonald, aged 48; W. Scott, aged 32; James Higgins, aged 35: Ontario Swaday School Association, Charles Corley, aged 25, and James Cook, aged 40. The men gave various addressing the Province. Counting the 6,852. The various denominations es about the Province. Counting the men arrested yesterday nine members of the alleged bad gang have been taken into custody this week, and the police are looking for as many more. Several of the men held are said to have had bad criminal records, and most of them were well supplied with most of them were well supplied with money when arrested. The police are looking for the owner of a watch found on Lee. It is an open-faced Waltham, movement No. 13,387,559. The case is eighteen size and No. 741,400. With the watch is a gold-filled chain and locket.

Her Ambition. Experienced Manager—Why do you wish to go on the stage, young lady? It is a hard life for one who has been rear-

FOREMAN STABBED.

Husband and Wife Found Suffocat- Italian Laborer Thrusts Knife Into His Breast.

> Niagara Falls despatch: Following a dispute over wages, Joe Fread, an Italian laborer, committed a murderous assault on W. H. Morton at Stamford this afternoon. Morton is foreman of a gang of laborers who work on the road in Stamford township, and was paying the men off on the conclusion of the job. Fread demanded more than had been agreed upon, and Morton refused to pay him. Fread walked away, but in a few minutes came back and, without warning, stabbed Morton twice in the breast near the heart with a dirk knife and ran off into the woods. The police, after a long chase captured him to-night. Morton is in a

\$10.000 FIRE

Three Buildings Destroyed by Fire at Tavistock.

A Woodstock despatch: At three clock this morning fire broke out in Dietrich's butcher shop at Tavistock. It had gained such headway when discovered that nothing could be done to save the building, which was totally destroyed. The flames communicated themselves to two additional statements of the same statements. communicated themselves to two adjoining buildings, a blacksmith shop owned by Druspe Bros., and the residence of one of the brothers. Both these buildings were completely estroyed. The source of the fire is unknown. Loss about ten thousand dollars. Insurance small.

KILLED AT COBALT.

Piece of Steel Falls on George Thompson.

A Cobalt despatch: At the Nipissing mine, Meyer shaft, last evening George Thompson, aged 32, was instantly killed. Thompson was a machine helper with Machineman Terry. It appears the men working on the deck had been loading steel into a basket preparatory to lowering it, but the bucket was swing-ing instead of being left standing on the platform on deck, as is customary. One piece of steel, seven feet in length, fell one hundred and thirty feet, striking Thompson, who was in a stooping posi-tion, in the back of the head, killing him instantly. One man fainted at the

the body is being sent there for He leaves a wife and one child.

DUMB WIFE TALKED TOO MUCH. New Jersey Judge Grantedf Husband

a Divorce. New York, Nov. 30 .- Vice-Chan Stevens announced at Newark, N. J., yesterday that he had advised that a decree of divorce is granted to James W. Nash, of 186 Orange street, Newark, against Sarah Louise Nash. Although Nash and his wife are deaf and dumb, one of the reasons alleged by the hus-band in justification of his petition was that his wife talked too much. He alleged that she continuously scolded him in the sign language.

CONFERENCE OF PREMIERS.

Mr. McB-ide May Invite Them to

Montreal, Nov. 30.—According to private advices received from British Columbia, Premier McBride, of that Province, may invite the Premiers of the other Provinces to be the guests of the British Columbia Government some time during the coming stammer. The idea, it seems, would be for the Premiers to hold a conference similar to the inter-provincial conference which was held several years ago at Quebec at the invi-tation of Premier Gouin.

JUDGE MACCALLUM DEAD

Passed Away at Gore Bay, Manitoulin

A Gore Bay, Manitoulin, despatch: Judge Archibald MacCallum, formerly a Toronto newspaper man and a prom-inent political worker, died here to-day Judge MacCallum leaves a widow and

a family of young children. The body will probably be taken to Paisley for interment.

Judge MacCallum was born in Paisley about fifty-three years ago.

METHODISTS LEAD.

Religious Census at Barrie-Population is 6,852.

Barrie, Nov. 30 .- A religious census of the town, under the auspices of the

TWO SECTIONMEN KILLED.

Run Down by Train While Cleaning Switches at Carberry.

Carberry, Man., Nov. 30.—A snocking accident occurred here this morning, when the Brandon local, eastbound, struck and instantly killed William Mcmaster and John Gregg, two C. P. R. sectionmen, who were at work in the west yards. The men were engaged in is a hard life for one who has been rearded in luxury, as you have been, and the rewards come only to the few.

Fair Caller (with emotion)—I know it. I'll tell you why I wish to go on the stage, but you must never mention it to a living soul. It is because it will give me the opportunity to marry Nat Goodwin some day!

sectionmen, who were at work in the west yards. The men were engaged in sweeping out the frogs of the switches, and as the morning was sharp had their coat collars turned up around their proach of the train, for both were old hands, but they apparently misjudged the speed, and were caught on the track.

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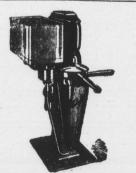
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A TREASURED RELIC

There's all sorts of fancy dishes that my wite Belinds makes, Such as dumplings, puddings. and all kinds of pies and cakes : Course I do not get the choicest of

viands every day, For she says such stuff aint and besides it doesn't pay, But when her folks come to visit

which they do once in a while, Then it is that I get even for she things on in style,
And the world seems to look brighter when I look around and spy,

There the creamy golden big fat pumpkin pie. Then the scenes of happy boyhood

which were all but forgot, Steals from out the dusk of with each old familiar spot Round the farms, away back

and the frolic and the fun In the cornfields where the pumpkins lav a-ripening in the sun, And I'm living for a moment in the

good old used to be, Mong the scenes and the surrounding which were very dear to me, But I brush away the moisture ehow flows to my eye And I'm thankful for the remnant o

those days—the pumpkin pie. In these days of sham and shoddy with their cook books bakes and stews, And their ices and their jellies all of rainbow colored hues,

To influence indigestion and a hundred other ills, Which to ward off keeps a feller poor a paying doctor's bills,-Sav. thore college girls returning

their cookbooks all by heart, When it comes right down to cooking with them its an unknown art, And I'm not afraid to gamble with

figure good and high, That to them the mixture's foreign of a toothsome pumpkin pie. Take away your fancy dishes

their rainbow colored hues, don't want no stomach trouble, don't want to have the blues. You just take a big orange pumpkin, peel and slice, then boil it down, Mix with cream, eggs, spice, and sugar

nutmeg, ginger, bake it brown, Cut in open hearted pieces, make one big pie into tour, Don't be stingy with your number there will be a call for more.

From Rimouski to Vancouver Canuck beneath the sky.

Will accept a generous portion of de lightful pumpkin pie. -Crawf C. Slack.

SHAKE IN A BOTTLE

Now is the time when the doctor gets busy, and the patent medicine nanufacturers reap the harvest, unless great care is taken to dress warmly and keep feet dry. This is the advice of an old eminent authority, who says that Rheumatism and Kidney trouble living in the Prairie province. weather is here, and also tells what to do in case of an attack.

Get from any prescription pharmacy one half ounce Fluid extract Dandelic one ounce Compound Kargon, three ounces Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla Mix by shaking well in a bottle and take a teaspoonful atter meals and at hedtime.

Just try this simple home made mix ture at first sign of Rheumatism, or if your back aches or you feel that the or, and almost certain remedy for all forms of Rhematison, which is caused by uric acid in the blood, which the kidneys fail to filter. Any one can easily prepare this at home and at

Druggists in this town and vicinity, when shown the prescription, stated that they can either supply the ingredients, or if our readers prefer, they will compound the mixture for them,

SOPERTON

Mr Wm Sheffield, Lyndhurst, spent last week visiting friends here. He is looking well after a two months visit in Western Ontario

Preparations are in progress for the Xmas entertainment Dec 23rd. Mrs R. Thompson had the mis fortune to sprain her ankle by falling

off a culvert in the road. Miss Gladys Suffel has returned to her school at Green ush after a few

days illness last week E. R. Kendrick will sell by public auction his stock and farm implements on Dec. 8. J. W. Russell, Auctioneer. Miss Gertie Best will act as sales lady for D. W. Green, Lyndhurst, during the Xmas trade.

Johnson Frye has his barn and cow stable completed. A. O'Connor instal led his patent bales last week.

Mr and Mrs Wesley Davis were Brockville visitors on Saturday last. Our cheese factory closes this week after a very successful season. Stevens, our cheese maker, will live in

Athens during the winter Miss Elma Stevens of A.H.S. spent the week end with her parents. Miss Mabel Irwin is suffering from

an attack of quinsy. Misses Eya Best and Pearl Denby spent Sunday with Lyndhurst friends, Mrs S. McConkey will remain with Gramophones, the Raymond and New Williams Sewing Machines.

Her daughter, Mrs J. M. McGill, of Waskoda, Man., during the winter.

JUNETOWN

Miss Jeanette Ferguson is visiting Mrs II. Hagerman of Athens

pending this week visiting friends unetown and Rockfield. Several from this section attended the funeral of Mr Hartley Franklin on Sunday last.

Miss Addie Paile has returned er home in Brockville.

Mr Egbert Avery spent Monday in Brockville. Mrs M. A. Chick of Lvn was the guest of Mrs T. Franklin last week.

Miss J. Washburne spent Monday evening the guest of Miss Mary Purvis. Mr Chas Baile and bride bave re turned from their wedding trip to Ren frew, and all join in wishing them a ong and happy wedded life.

PLUM HOLLOW

Mr and Mrs Cliff Wiltse are spend ing a few days here, renewing old a

We understand that Plum Hollow

is to have a rural telephone line. On Tuesday evening the Ladies Circle held a missionary meeting in the church, which was largely attended The chief feature of the evening was an address by Rev Mr Griggs, Brock ville Local talent also added to the enjoymens of the evening.

The late Mrs Layng died at the home of her son, Mr Alex Palmer, Plum Hollow, Noy. 23rd of lung trouble. Deceased was sick but a short time. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved ones.

Farmers are busy ploughing. Mr Connell of Athens was through here lately distributing enlarged photos work of the Great North Western Portrait Company. The work is ex

A large number in this vicinity have been hunting and report game plentiful A number from here attended the B.Y.P.U. rally held at Smith's Falls Nov. 23rd

GREENBUSH

Farmers are doing a large amount

oloughing this fine weather. Mrs W. G. Olds has arrived home after visiting her daughter, Mrs Fred

L B. Kerr and R. Rickett are at Toledo building gates and tences on Mrs Henry Whitings premis s.

Mayor Reed is looking after the own as usual. He can be consulted at his office eac!: day, Sundays excepted. Mrs A. Root has arrived home from the N. W. where she has been spending several months with her sister.

Mrs G. L Moore has also returned home after visiting her sons, who are

While cutting wood the other day, Abram Horton discoverd deer tracks in the snow. T. Baker is progressing favorably

with his house. George Taplin has his new barn completed. It is a beauty, the best

within a good many miles of here, a credit to its owner and the whole community. Miss Ethel Kerr has been engaged

kidneys are not acting just right. by the trustees of Jellyby school to Sask., and Mrs Will Hav of Motts This is said to be a splendid kidney continue teaching for the year 1909 Mills. Miss Suffel of Soperton is conducting

our school with good satisfaction. Mr Henry Davis will close his

actory in a few days. T. W. Smith has improved the appearance of his house by shingling it

B. W. Loverin erected a new sugar ouse, which will increase the comfort and attisfaction of making sugar.

The Best Going

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Poetical Gem Which Worth Reproducing

While walking in the vicinity of the H. S. recently our star reporter picked up the following in manuscript form, which looks very much like the work of the bard of that famous school. Evidently, the maden who received it was careless, and dropped it by the wayside. Get busy, boys, and make him tell to which one he sent it.

THE SWEETEST GIRL I KNOW

The reason why it sometimes see I always knew
The girl in blue
Who now is idyl of my dreams?

Her eyes, that shine, Looked love to mine; spoke in accents soft and low I'll not forget The one I met,

Where e'er I go,
The one I met I can't forget?
The form, the face,
Some girlish grace,
Still lingers in my memory yet.
Perhaps 'twas meant
The hours I spent
With her, were planned to slow!

With her, were planned to slowly grov A friendship, sweet; I do repeat: She is the sweetest girl I know.

Yes, the above certainly looks like the "soothing lay of love" he said he wrote If we are wrong, we'll take it all back next week.

A Beautiful Display

Christmas goods are now on display at the store of G. A. McClary, and view of them will prove an education an inspiration and delight.

Three tables present examples of the finest art china that the world produce The first is devoted to Japanese ware, nand painted, the famons Nippon brand; the second shows Three Crown China; and the third shows the popul lar Rhyn Gold dishes, priced from 10c

The shelves are resplendent with hand painted salad dishe-, travs, cake plates, jardinieres, etc. Among these, the Rose assortment will attract first

The glassware display contains new and beautiful lines, and the showing of Lamp goods is simply superb. All that art can do is shown in the produc tion of these handsome lines.

The assortment of dinner and ter sets, all reasonably priced, is also well worthy of inspection. The early shopper is the one that

best choice, and your inspection at this time is cordially invited. DEATH OF EZRA WILTSE

Ezra Wiltse, one of Addisou's most esteemed residents, died this (Wednes day) morning, aged 76 years.

Deceased had spent the whole of his long and useful life in that village and by his industry and sterling char aracter gained and held to the last the warm friendship o' a wide circle of friends. Skilled a a cabinet maker, his labors were necessary and valuable

particularly in the early days. He is survived by his wife, four sons and three daughters, namely : Ezra at Kemptville, Edward, David and John at home; Mrs Ambrose Cole of Frank ville, Mrs Archie Cole of Prairie Rose. Sask., Mrs Bert Smith Swit Current,

To the bereaved relatives the Rep ter extends sincere symp thy The funeral will take place at 1 clock on Thursday.

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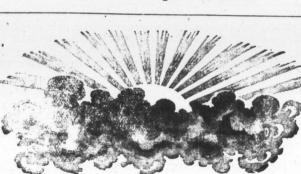
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RAILWAY TIME-TABLE

GOIN	G WES	BT		
	No.	1	No	. 8
Brockville (leave)	9.40	a.m	3.40	p.
Lyn	10.10	66	8.55	
	10.20	66	4.02	66
Forthton *1	10.83	66	4.13	66
	10.39	46	4.18	66
	10.53	66	4.25	46
	11.13	4.6	4.41	66
	11.20	66	4 47	66
	1.28	66	4.58	
	1.47	66	5 07	66
Forfar *1	1.55		5.18	66
	2.03	44	5.18	66
Newboro 1	2.12	66	5.28	66
Westport (arrive)	12.30	n.m	5 40	66

GOING EAST No. 2 No. 4 Westport (leave) 7.30 a.m. 240 p m Newboro 7.42 " 2.55 Crosby *7.52 " 8.06 Forfar *7.57 " 3 12 Elgin 8.08 " 8.22 " Delta 8.17 " 3.41 " Lyndhurst *8.23 " 3.48 " Boperton *8 29 " 3.56 " Athens 8.45 " 4.25 " Elbe *8.52 " 4.31 " Forthton *8,57 " 4.38 " Seeleys ** 9.08 " 4.49 "

Lyn 9.15 "
Brockville (arrive) 9.30 " *Stop on signal

5.05 "

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FOREST RESERVES.

Their Object to Supply Timber Conserve Water.

A forest reserve is not an area of forest land where no trees whatever are allowed to be cut. The object in setting aside the land for the reserve is not to prohibit cutting altogether, but rather to regulate the cutting and generally to treat the forest so that a continuous crop of timber may be taken off the area, instead of having it cut over once or perhaps twice and then left waste.

Experience in other lands has demonstrated that such a continuous crop of forest trees can be grown, and the setting aside of forest reserves is one of the first steps taken in the introduction of such a policy in this country. Crop after crop can be taken off the same area—of course at widely separated intervals, for half a century is a short period to allow for a crop of timber to mature.

The primary object of a forest reserve is thus to provide for a perpetual supply of timber. Another important object of the reserves is to protect the water supply, both the domestic supply for towns and cities and also the supply to be used for the generation of power. The effect of forests at the headwaters of streams is to regulate the flow so as to make it constant throughout the year—not a torrent in spring and a nearly driedup stream bed in the heat of summer. To be valuable as a source for power a stream must furnish a constant and regular supply of water. Very low water in a stream from which a town or city derives its water supply has often meant a great deal of sickness (perhaps in the form of an epidemic), for the people of that place. Where the forest is, the snow melts more gradually in spring and the rains of spring and summer soak into the ground, which acts like a sponge, and flow off more gradually than where the forest is removed.

In hilly and mountainous regions the cutting off of the forests has often led to the sliting up of the rivers in the valleys, which made necessary the expenditure of large sums in dredging them out again. Good examples of this may be seen in the neighborhood of the Apalachian Mountains in the U

THEY FIGHT FOR FUN.

lackies at Quebec Hold Done Fair Tournament.

A "battle royal" in which six stardy sailors of His Majesty's navy figured was a sporting event which waster by tickled a big crowd of speciators on the athletic club grounds at Que-

on the athletic club grounds at Que-bec during the festivities.

The rules allowed generous latitude as each bluejacket was permitted to engage any opponent or number of opponents and the affray was only to end when a single gladiator remain-ed.

This somewhat strenuous pastime which, familiar on shipboard, was a novelty to the gathering, in which was a good sprinkling of military officers of sporting proclivities. The arena was an improvised platform, and the contestant pitched into one another with a hearty good will. It was a veritable survival of the fittest and a mix-up which would have done credit to Domybrook fair. One hasky seaman with a pile driver punch disposed of three of the surviving combatants in business-like order, and was adjudged the winner.

The readiness of the sailor with his fists was exemplified in a bout between two men of the Albemarle. It was good-natured, but not gentle, and conded in a knockout in the foursh round. somewhat strenuous pastim

After Letter Writer.

Though they look upon the thing as only a practical joke, the crown Though they look upon the thing as only a practical joke, the crown authorities are leaving no stone unturned 'in their efforts to locate the suthor of the Black Hand letter which was sent to Mr. A. Sylvane, the Louth fruit-grower, threatening that if he did not hand over \$500 forthwith his buildings would be blown up with dynamite. The authorities are quite alive to the seriousness of the affair, in view of what results would follow were such a letter sent to a person easily excited.

It has developed that other people in that district have received alleged Black Hand letters, but they were probably fakes. One merchant who got a threatening letter, signed by the Black Hand, said nothing about it to anyone, but laid low. It proved that some of his friends concocted the scheme, and when he said nothing they gave themselves away by asking him about it.

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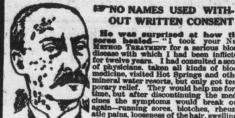
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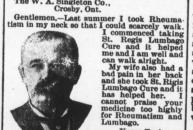


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In hilly and mountainous regions the cutting off of the forests has often head to the walleys, which made necessary the expenditure of large sums in dredging them out again. Good examples of this may be seen in the neighborhood of the Apalachian Mountains in the United States.

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Some reserves are important as well in furnishing recreation for the people, but the two essential objects of the reserves, are those of providing for a perpetual crop of timber and of protecting the water supply for power and domestic use.

THEY FIGHT FOR FUN.

ackies at Quebec Hold Done Fair Tournament.

Fair Tournament.

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This somewhat strenuous pastime
which, familiar on shipboard, was a
novelty to the gathering, in which
was a good sprinkling of military officers of sporting proclivities. The
arena was an improvised platform,
and the contestant pitched into one
another with a hearty good will. It
was a veritable survival of the fittent
and a mix-up which would have done
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was adjudged the winner.

The readiness of the sailor with his
fists was exemplified in a bout between two men of the Albemarle. It
was good-natured, but not gentle, and
ended in a knockout in the fourth
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After Letter Writer.

Though they look upon the thing as only a practical joke, the crown authorities are leaving no stone unturned in their efforts to locate the suthor of the Black Hand letter which was sent to Mr. A. Sylvane, the Louth fruit-grower, threatening that if he did not hand over \$500 forthwith his buildings would be blown up with dynamite. The authorities are quite alive to the seriousness, of the affair, in view of what results would follow were such a letter sent to a person easily excited.

It has developed that other people in that district have received alleged Black Hand letters, but they were probably fakes. One merchant who got a threatening letter, signed by the Black Hand, said nothing about it to anyone, but laid low. It proved that some of his friends concocted the scheme, and when he said nothing they gave themselves away by asking him about it.

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Solomon Chooses Wisdom.-I Kings 3: 4-15.

Commentary.-I. The festival at Gib commencary.—I. The restrict at Gibeon—The first work of Solomon was to hold a national festival at Gibeon. This was the "great high place" till the temple was built. The chronicler informs us that Solomon assembled a great congregation with him, and that the brazen altar rade in the days of Mocas by Resolution. with him, and that the brazen altar made in the days of Moses by Bezaleel and the old "tabernacle of the congregation" were still existing at that place. See 2 Chron. 1; 1-6. Great high place—The heathen worshipped on high hills and in groves, and during their earlier history the Jews did the same. A thousand burnt offerings—Only a small part of the victim was burned, and a large portion of these offerings were used for portion of these offerings were used for food. The offering of the sacrifices was attended with religious services. The object of this great gathering was to harmonize and unite the people under the new king and extend the influence of religion throughout the nation.

II. Solomon's request (vs. 5-9.) 5. The Lord appeared—At the close of this season of worship when his mind was uplifted to God. In a dream—God frequently appeared to men in dreams in Bible times. Ask, etc.—As there is no limit fixed, an absolutely unlimited range of choice is here placed before Solomon. This would reveal what it was that was really uppermost in his desires.—Green. There is nothing good for us in all his treasures of wisdom and knowledge treasures of wisdom and knowledge which he is not most ready with abound-ing fulness, to impart. The Lord is never ing tulness, to impart. The Lord is never displeased with large asking—so that it be proper asking—and his free bounty delights to surpass the largest requests and most audacious hopes of the petitioner.—Kitto. Yet the kind of answer would depend on what was really best for the young kind. "God does not give blank cheques to those whom he cannot trust to fill them up rightly." 6. Solomon said—"Solomon, before de-

ciding what to choose, carefully consider-ed his circumstances and needs, thus ed his circumstances and needs, thus showing that well-balanced mind on which it was possible to bestow the gift of wisdom." Shewed . mercy—Four considerations moved Solomon to make the choice he did. First, God had shown mercy to David, his father. He spoke honorably of his father's piety, concealing his faults, and then introduces himself as the promised great kindness that God had given to David in his family. Fruth righteousness ... uprightness ... Truth here contains all duties to God; righteousness, the duties to men, and uprightness, the right manner of per-forming both. "Such grateful humility and such high appreciation of moral excellence are qualities of heart favorable to the reception of God's best gifts. We see readily how great a debtor David was, who had received from God's kind hands royal anointment, providential guidance, wise conquests, public favors, and a settled kingdom."

and a settled kingdom."
7. Hast made thy servant king—The second consideration was because he was king. Although Solomon recognized the fact that God and not man had placed him upon the throne, yet he needed di-vine assistance in his work. It is a source of great strength and blessing to be in the position and doing the work to which we are conscious God has appointed us. This is a strong reason for ask-ing and expecting God's blessing upon us. A little child—The third consideraus. A little child—The third considera-tion was his youth and lack of experience. His exact age at this time is un-known, but he was probably nineteen or twenty. "This devout consciousness of his own weakness was really Solomon's

best qualification as a ruler. 8. In the midst of thy people—That is, Solomon is set over them as king. The fourth consideration was the greatness of the work to be done. All eyes are turned upon him, and he is expected to rule and guide the people. "They were a turbulent people, often going astray, often contending with each other, with strong wills and an impulsive temperament. Probably there was a strong very ment. Probably there was a strong party opposed to him." Which thou hast cho-sen—This was the nation chosen by God to represent Him in the world. Solomon knew this and felt the responsibility in connection with undertaking to direct the affairs of such a nation. Canect the arrairs of such a nation. Cannot be numbered—A common expression signifying a number, but from the number of fighting men given in 2 Sam. 24. 9 and 1 Chron. 21. 5. 6, it has been

estimated that the total population must have been about six million.

9. Give therefore—Because of these considerations. An understanding heart—His request according with the exhortations David had given him. His petition was that the Lord would enlarge and strengthen his intellectual powers; give him a ready discernment in spiritual things and according to the second strengthen his control of the second strength of the se tual things, and a corresponding disposi-tion, and furnish him with the peculiar talents and ability for government, that he might administer justice and judg-ment rightly for the benefit of the peo-ple, and the honor of God.—Scott. To judge—Absalom wished to be a judge; Solomon trembled at the undertaking. Solomon asked nothing merely for himself, but everything was directed to-ward the good of the people. His choice

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accepted of God who prefer spiritual blessings to temporal, and are more desirous to be found in the way of duty than preferment. Solomon's prayer was a prevailing prayer. 13. have also given, etc.—God gave his riches and honor and long life without his asking, and thus he received a double blessing. But although the Lord gave Solomon wisdom and understanding, yet he doubtless studied and toiled much like other men for his acquirements.

for his acquirements.

14. if thou wilt, etc.—"There is a moral hinge on which every blessing of God swings. Divine favors and promises release no man from the obligations of rightenurses." righteousness." Solomon never met these conditions fully. "He received much, but he would have received much more had he been faithful to the grace given." 15. came to Jerusalem—He had made his prayer at Gibeon, and there God graciously met him; but he return-God graciously met him; but he returned to the capital again where he might in holy adoration present himself before the sacred ark of covenant, which was there in the city of David. offered... offerings—Solemnly to praise God for all his mercies, and especially for giving him quiet possession of the kingdom, and for his glorious appearance to him in the dream, and for the promise made to him. IV. Solomon's wisdom (chap. 4:29-34). In chapter 4:25-28 we have an account

In chapter 4:25-28 we have an account of Solomon's wealth and worldly great-ness and in verses 29-34 of his wisdow. "His wisdom took many directions. He was wise as a judge, as an architect, as a statesman, in literature, in science. He had a comprehensive, powerful mind capable of grasping the knowledge of many and difficult subjects."

PRACTICAL APPLICATIONS. "Ask what I shall give thee" (v. 5). God is pleased when we pray. "If any of you lack wisdom, let him ask of God" (Jas. 1:5). "Be careful for nothing; but in everything...let your requests be made known unto God" (Phil. 4:6). Somebody suggests that Solomon looked backward and saw what God had done:

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outward, and saw his need; then upward to him who is "able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think" (Eph. 3:20, 21). Joseph Smith says: 'Notice the connection between the revelation of God and the invitation to make requests of him. God revealed is always God inviting. God's revelations and invitations always call to prayer." To his disciples who loved him Jesus said, 'Ask" (John 14:13,14). To his "chosen" ones Jesus promised, "Whatsoever we shall ask.... he may "Whatsoever ye shall ask... he may give it you" (John 15:16). They who "abide" may ask what they will (John 15:7). "Beloved, if our heart condemn us not, then have we confidence toward (and And whatseever we ask we re-God. And whatsoever we ask, we re-ceive of him, because we keep his com-mandments, and do those things that are pleasing in his sight" (1 John 3:21,

22).

"Thou hast shewed.....great mercy" (v. 6). We please God when we make the fact of His mercy to others a plea for the same mercy to us, thus recognizing His unchangeableness and faithful-

"Thou hast made Thy servant king" (v. 7). So then Solomon owed his eleva-tion not to David, nor to Nathan, nor to tion not to David, nor to Nathan, nor to Bath-sheba, nor to Zadok, nor to Benaliah (though they each took prominent part in events without which, humanly speaking, he could never have been madeking), but to God, who raiseth up one and putteth down another. The Scripture text above my desk is, "Not I, but Christ" (Gal. 2, 20). Every good gift is from God (Jas. 1 17), so is every good thought or action (Rom. 11, 36). It pleases God to "acknowledge Him."
"I am but a little child" (v. 7). Solomon was humble and said nothing of his greatness as the son of David and the heir to the throne. He felt himself only a mere child in a great, busy world. Solomon was a great king because he humbled himself as a little child (Matt. 18, 3, 4). It pleases our Heavenly Father

3, 4). It pleases our Heavenly Father to have us childlike. "When Israel was a child I level him" (Hos. 11, 1). "Before honer is humility" (Prov. 15, 33). When humble I am never sufficient in myself (II. Cor. 3, 5), but always strong in the Lord (Eph. 6, 10). I am nothing (II. Cor. 18). (I. Cor. 1, 28). I have nothing (Luke 7, 42). I know nothing (I. Cor. 4, 4). I can do r thing apart from Christ (I. John 15, 1, I am only a cipher. He is the numeral which, put at the head of my nothing gness, makes it of value (Rom. 11, 36).

"And tay servant is in the midst of thy people" (v. 8). Solomon recognized his duty. There are certain things that are due from a king to his subjects; from a man to his neighbor; from a friend to his friend. Duty has reference to our relation to seek other. We about a prerelation to each other. We should pay our debts and never owe "anything" but love (Itom. 13, 8). The more we love the more we see what is due. Jesus never shrank from duty. "Ought not this woman..... be loosed?" (Luke 13, 16). "He must needs go through Samaria" (John 4, 4). He worked a miraole to fulfil an apparent obligation (Matt. 17, 27).

17, 27).

"Liecause thou hast asked this thing, and hast not asked," etc. (v. 11.) "Man's destiny depends largely upon his power of personal choice. Two young men of qual talent and training may enter ctive life with the same possibilities and apportunities before them, but a divergence of aim and choice may develop in them characters startlingly in contrast, both as to their appreciation of this preence of aim and choice may develop in them characters startlingly in contrast, both as to their appreciation of this pre-sent life, and as to their expectations in the world to come. By deliberate choice one may form the strictest habits of integrity and honorable dealing, the other may resort to doubtful expedients to

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TORONTO MARKETS.

LIVE STOCK. Receipts of live stock at the city market, as reported by the railways, for Wednesday and Thursday, were 132 car loads, consisting of 1,446 cattle, 5,509 hogs, 1,892 sheep and lambs, with 35 calves.

The quality of cattle offered as fat was much the same all week, very few good to choice; in fact, the bulk were common and inferior. Exporters—None on sale; at least,

there were no loads, and, what is more, we did not hear of any cattle selling at \$5 per cwt. since Monday at the Union Stock Yards.

Butchers—The pick of the market sold at \$4.40 and \$4.50; the best loads, \$4 to \$4.25 per cwt., and there were few loads went over \$4; medium, \$3.60 to \$3.90; common, \$2.50 to \$3.50; canners and bologna bulls, \$1 to \$2. Feeders and Stockers—Best feeders, 950 to 1,100 lbs. each, at \$3.65 to \$4 per

ewt.: best feeders, 800 to 900 lbs, each at \$3.25 to \$3.75; stockers, 600 to 700 lbs. each, at \$2.90 to \$3.15; common to medium stockers, 500 to 600 lbs. each, \$1.75 to \$2.30.

Milkers and Springers—Prices ranged, as a rule, from \$40 to \$60, with two or three cows at \$65; common cows, \$25 to

Veal Calves—Receipts light, with prices unchanged at \$3 to \$6 per cwt., with \$6.25 to \$6.50 for two or thre emilk Sheen and Lambs-Export ewes sold at \$3.25 to \$3.60 per cwt; rams, \$2 to \$2.50 per cwt; lambs, \$4.25 to \$4.50, with select lots of ewes and wethers at \$4.60

to \$4.65 per cwt.

Hogs-Receipts for the two days were large-5,509 from all sources. Mr. Harris reported selects at \$6.25 fed and water the selects at \$6.25 fed and \$6.25 may resort to doubtful expenients to compass his purposes. The first may avoid forming any objectionable personal habits, the second may acquire them with acarcely a protest on his own part.

Hogs-Receipts for the two days ris reported selects at \$6.25 fed and teref., and light \$6 at the market.

FARMERS' MARKET. The offerings of grain to-day were on little larger scale. Wheat steady, ith sales of 100 bushels of fall at 92 94c, and of 100 bushels of goose at c. Barley, steady, 800 bushels selling 54 to 58c. Oats, easier, with sales of 300 bushels at 44 to 45c per bushel. Hay is unchanged, with sales of 20 ads at \$13 to \$14 for timothy, and at

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BALED HAY AND STRAW. Prices in car lots on track, Toronto Hay-No. 1 timothy, \$11 to \$11.50. Straw—Range is from \$6.50 to \$8, ac-

rding to quality. GROCERIES. Local quotations are: Montreal granu-ed sugar, per cwt. in barrels, \$4.00; llow, \$4.20; in bags prices are 5c less; adian, in barrels or bags, \$4.50; On-rio bect, in barrels or bags, \$4.50. London, Nov. 26.—Raw sugar, Muscode, 10s 3d; centrifugal, 11s 3d; beet gar, November, 10s 3d.

PROVISIONS. Pork—Short cut, \$22.50 to \$23 per bar-l; mess, \$19 to \$19.50. Lard— Tierces, 12½c; tubs, 12¾c;

ils, 13c. Smoked and Dry Salted Meats—Long ar bacon, 11¼ to 11½c, tons and ses; hame, large 12½ to 13c; small 14 14½c; backs, 17 to 17½c; shoulders, to 10¾c; rolls, 11 to 11½c; breakst bacon, 15 to 16c; green meats out pickle, lc less than smoked.

ounds in up, in separate consign c per lb.; No. 2 grade 8c per lb. 1 green inspected cow hides, 81/2c; No. 2 grade, 71/2c; No. 3 cows per lb.; No. 2 and bulls, 61/2c.

Calfskins, green, firsts and seco 12c per lb. Sheepskins, present kill, 55 to 65c. Horse Hair—Farmer or peddler stock

28 to 30c.

Toronto dealers are paying for cured country hides laid down here, according to condition, 8¼ to 8½c. The prices for stock being paid by Toronto dealers at country points, 8 to 8½c; calfskins, curer, 11 to 12c; lambskins, present take-off 45 to 55c; horse hides, No. 1, \$2.50.

Tallow—Solid, in barrels, No. 1 stock, 650 to 550 per libe, cake, No. 1 stock, 650 per libe, cake, No. 1 s

OTHER MARKETS.

51/2 to 5%c per lb.; cake, No. 1 stock, 6

CHEESE MARKETS. Belleville.—At the meeting of the Cheese Board, held here this afternoon, there were offered 381 white, 45 colored boarded; 11 1-16c bid. No sales.

Kingston.—At the final meeting today of the Frontenac Cheese Board some

314 boxes were offered, and 129 were sold at 11c. WINNIPEG WHEAT MARKET Following are the closing quotations n Winnipeg grain futures:

Wheat—November \$.02% bid, Decem-

ber 97%c bid. May \$1.02% bid, December 97%c bid. May \$1.02% bid.
Oats—November 28%c bid, December 36%c bid.

BRADSTREET'S TRADE REVIEW. Montreal—General business condition have shown little change during the pas have shown inthe change during the past week. Weather has been hardly as fav-orable for the retail trade, but the vol-ume of the wholesale business keeps up fairly well, and in some lines orders show fairly well, and in some lines orders show improvement. A canvas of the wholesale trade generally here reveals a wide-spread feeling of confidence regarding future trade conditions. The lumber trade is still quiet. Country business is moderate. Rain is still badly needed, the few showers which felt having hear too light to have done still badly needed, the rew showers which fell having been too light to have done any pronounced good. Produce comes forward fairly well and prices are

trade here with some further improvement noted in both wholesale and retail ment noted in both wholesale and retail lines. Money is coming forward more freely and the outlook for trade is bright. Spring business in dry goods is already good, and some sorting orders for heavy lines are coming in. Retailers' purchases were not heavy and stocks should require reinforcing early in the season. Grocers report a fair amount of orders for holiday goods. Seasonable orders for holiday goods. Seasonable hardware lines move well, a good business having been done in sporting goods. Met-ads are steady and in fair demand. Boot and shoe men report an improved en-quiry for winter footwear. The leather trade is quiet, with prices steady to firm.
There is little demand for hides, and prices are unchanged. Country trade shows a fair volume and colections are generally satisfactory. Produce prices are steady to firm, with fair lots coming forward here.

Hamilton—Business here continues

fairly active. Stocks of wholesale lines are moving more freely, and indications point to continued activity until well up to the holiday season. Retailers report a fair trade. Collections are generally activated and produce is coming for. satisfactory and produce is coming for ward freely, with prices holding up. The demand for holiday lines has been fairly

Vancouver and Victoria—Business all along the coast holds a steady tone.

London—General business is now move. ing fairly briskly, although the ordering ing larry briskly, although the ordering is not as heavy as might be expected. Winnipeg—The one unpleasant feature of the situation is the shortage of cars in which to move the grain. General business is active. Ottawa-Business here is steady in

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MENTAL SCIENCE

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Chicago, Nov. 30 .- A new and enthusiastic recruit is just enlisted in the ranks of the mental scientists. His name is Pingle Colburn and he is a favorite year-and-a-half-old grey cat owned by Mrs. W. E. Colburn of 7306 Bond ovenue. From his youngest kittenhood he was afflicted with the cruelest form of rheumatism. One day Mrs. Colburn of rheumatism. One day Mrs. Colburn said to her husband: "All the doctors have failed on him.

I am going to try a mental science

That afternoon the treatment began -absent ones and without the customary instructions to the patient. He proved himself the best kind of patient, thinking no evil and in no way resist-

Now he is so far restored that he can jump on a table

BACK TO INDIA.

Government May Deport Hindus Now In British Columbia.

Ottawa, Nov. 30.—As there does not seem to be any likelihood of the Hindus in British Columbia accept-ing the proposal to be transferred to British Honduras, it is said that the pickle, le less than smoked.

HIDES. TALLOW, ETC.

Toronto butchers are receiving for place as follows:
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HINTERIOR TORONTOR, It is said that the extreme step of deporting them to India. The climate of British Columbia is held to be altogether unsuitable for Hindus.



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The Board of Trade, Stock Exchange, brokers' offices and skyscrapers were scenes of greatest activity. On street corners several girls took their stations and tagged every man who passed. Railway stations and hotels and the City Hall yielded a good hafvest. The tag read: "I am tagged for children's day."

The women were surprised at day." The women were surprised at the ease with which the work was ac-

FELL INTO A WELL.

Mrs. William Bell, of Blenheim

Chatham despatch: At Blenheim this morning Mrs. William Bell, jun., lost her life in a peculiar manner. She gave her baby to her husband while she went outdoors. After waiting about twenty minutes, the husband went to see what

outdoors. After waiting about twenty minutes, the husband went to see what had become of his wife. Looking down a box-covered well, he was horrified to see a limp form lying at the bottom.

He shouted, and help was soon at hand, willing neighbors bearing the form to a nearby spot, where every possible attempt at resuscitation was made by the physician called. It is thought Mrs. Bell went to see if the water has risen in the well owing to yesterday's rain, and while looking in fell to the bottom, striking on her head. The water was only one and a half feet deep, and the well about five feet deep.

She was aged twenty-two years, and leaves two children one a babe in arms, besides her husband.

PROVISIONS FOR ENGINEERS.

Railway Commissioners Order Ade-

Ottawa, Nov. 30.-The award of the Board of Conciliation in the case of Canadian Northern engineers passes upon an interesting point. It declared by the Canadian Northern to its sup-erintendents to provide accommodation where required.

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pon his mind as soon as his eyes were penied to the light of day. He was only esterday thinking of going abroad, was ow the betrothed liusband of one of

the loveliest and wealthiest women in England, and she loved him, Ah, how she loved him. The remembrance of the joy that had flashed in her face, the sil-

ent happiness that entranced her as he poke, came vividly before him. This glorious beauty, with her wealth and salent, her genius and grace, loved him

again, "I love him so!"

Yet in some way he shrank from telling his mother the news; nor did he seem in any violent nurry to descend to the breakfast-room. When he did so,

the shy, sweet glance that half met his stirred his heart and he felt that he

had won a prize. He could not go near her, for the Countess of Strathdale and

Lady Victoria had remained for the night, and were now seated in great state at the breakfast-table. His almost

state at the breakfast-table. His almost undivided attention was given to them. Her ladyship's carriage was ordered at last, for she had promised to lunch at Bohun Court, and Philip, despite his impatience, could not leave until both ladies were seated and the coachman had received his orders. Them he 'turned to look for Inez, but she had vanished. "Mother" he said to Mrs. Lynne "will."

"Mother," he said to Mrs. Lynne, "will you walk up and down the lawn with me? I have something to say to you." "Find me a shaw!," said Mrs. Lynne, with a smile, "and then I will walk

as long as you please."

But when her son had fastened the

cashmere over her shoulders, and had placed her arm in his, he walked by

her side in perfect silence for some min-

"I thought you wanted to talk," said his mother, with some amusement. "What is it? Have you settled any-

"No," he replied, "I had forgotten it."
"No," he replied, "I had forgotten it."
"Ah, my dear boy," interrupted Mrs.
Lynne, "I wish you would renounce the
idea. I would give al! I have in the
world to see you settled and happy. Do
not be very angry with me if I ask you
one question."

one question."
"Ask what you will," he replied.
"Tell me," she said, "how it is you do not ask Agatha Lynne to be your wife?
If I know anything of the young girl's heart, I am sure she is not indifferent

Lord Lynne attempted to speak, but

the words died away upon his lips.
"I would never advise you to marry for money," continued his mother; "and I think your uncle's will both cruel and

unjust; still, Agatha is so sweet and gentle; out of all the world, she is the girl

I should have wished most to see you

at any price, he would keep his cousin'

none came; her son was thinking

Mrs. Lynne waited for a reply, but

"I cannot understand your indiffer

ence," said Mrs. Lynne. "I used to think you loved Agatha . Now with Inez the

you loved Agatha. Now with Inez the case is different—she is very beautiful; but there is something so inscrutable in her, I can never fancy one loving her."
"Hush, mother," he cried; "do not speak so. I brought you here this morning to tell you that Inez has promised to he my wife."

be my wife."

Mrs. Lynne dropped the arm she was

holding, and looked up into her son's face with astonishment almost too great

"Inez!" she cried, at last; "why, Phil-

ip, how can that be? I thought you

loved Agatha, and she cared for you.

oved Agatha, and she cared for you."
"That was a mistake, mother," he
replied, lightly; "Agatha has always
thought of me as a dear cousin and a
true friend, but nothing more."
"Of course you know best, my dear,"
said Mrs. Lynne, meekly. "I will never
pretend to any judgment again."
"But you do not say one word moth-

"But you do not say one word, mother," he replied, half impatiently. "I thought you would be so delighted to know that I was going to marry and set-

tle, as you call it, at last."
"So I am, Philip," said Mrs. Lynne,
"Do not mistake me. I forgot my happi-

ness in the greatness of my surprise But I never saw any signs of love for

Inez."
"You will welcome her as your daugh-

ter, will you not?" he asked.
"That I will," she replied, warmly.
"You know, Philip, I have always stood

a little in awe of her; she is so beautiful and stately; so reserved, and unlike our English girls. But I will go to her

at once; she shall find no want of love or welcome in your mother."

Philip watched his mother as she rentered the house. Perhaps for half

beautiful head upno her mother's shoul-der, promised that she would always be

to her a devoted and most loving child.
"I cannot see any reason for delaying your marriage, Philip," said Mrs. Lynne to her son. "We shall soon have May

to her son. "We shall soon have Man here; indeed, it is spring now. I saw cro cuses and violets this morning. You

wife.

for words.

HIS LORDSHIP'S ROMANCE

he would be gay; no one should know that he was a rejected lover—rejected by a fair-haired, gentle girl, too, who seldom said, "No.". He did not know seldom said, "No.". He did not know where he should be next year — abroad most likely. Time was passing quickly; and all hope of his uncle's legacy died with his rejection. He was a Lynne and a gentleman. It did not enter his imagination to marry lnez without leving her and so secure his without loving her, and so secure his fortune. He loved Agatha. He would have married her, even if in doing so he had lost instead of gained his heritage; but she had refused him. Love and money had failed him, and Philip began to make up his mind to the loss. He was too honorable, too noble to think of marrying without love. Not even to win a crown would he have done it; and Inez Lynne, who read him rightly, knew that if she won him it would be apart from all mercenary motives.

He was pleased to see her again. He

for her charming leters, which had cheered and amused his solitude. That very frankness and kindness were like a death-blow to her. If his face had flushed, his voice had trembled, or his hand had clasped hers more warmly as it lay in his grasp, she would have known that he loved her. That frank, open kindness, the clear eyes that looked into her own, the calm, steady voice that thanked her, all told the same story—she in terested, amused, charmed him; but he did not love her.
"I will not lose heart," she said, "not

even yet. I will succeed, or I will die."
Lord Lynne showed that he remembered her words. During all the Christmas festivities he thought of her constantly. He was resolved that she should never feel lonely or neglected again. So they resumed their old familiar intercourse. She sang to him, rode with him, and poured out the treasure of her genius at his feet. She grew to love him. Oh Heaven! save us from such love—so wild, so ido!atrous, so blind!

The grand bail at Lyndewone suggreat success. Inez was the belle. She had never looked more lovely. She wore a dross of rose-colored silk, shaded and The grand bail at Lyndewolde was a dress of rose-colored silk, shaded an softened by costly, cloud-like lace. Sh wore no jewels; a wreath of white star

There were many at Lynnewolde that evening who, in long years afterward, spoke of her as she looked them. Bertie Bohun was there, but he said no more of love to her. The bright sun did not seem further from him than this beauti seem further from him than this beauti ful girl. She was undoubtedly the belle of the ball; and those who saw her that evening never forgot her. When the guests had all departed, he went with Mrs. Lynne into her boudoir. It was a charming little room, but one that was seldom used. On this evening Mrs. Lynne had ordered fire and lights there; she liked, when a ball or party was ended, to talk it over with her son.

"Let us rest a few minutes," she said drawing an easy-chair to the fire for Inez. "I always require half an hour"s quiet talk to make me forget the glitter of lights and the sound of music. Have you enjoyed the ball, Inez?"
"Yes," she replied.

"Inez always enjoys where she reigns," interrupted Lord Lynne, with a merry laugh. "What are you going to do with Bertie, Inez?" he continued. "I never Bertie, Inez?" he continued. "I never saw a more severe case in my life. Your beaux yeaux have done mischief there. not accountable for it," she re-

"How cold you are!" he rejoined. "No amount of homage moves you. Have you no heart, Inez?"
She raised her eyes to his face. Was

he blind that he could not read what they told? Was he blind that he did not see how the beautiful face, cold and haughty to others, softened and bright-When Mrs. Lynne went away, they

were speaking of the coming spring.
"I do not say anything to my mother,"
said Lord Lynne to Inez; "but I have
serious thoughts of going abroad in the

Abroad!" she said; "for how long?" "I do not know," he replied; "for years, in all probability, Inez. I want something to fill up my life."

There was a profound silence for some minutes, and when Inez spoke again, Lord Lynne did not know her years. Lord Lynne did not know her voice,

"It is late," she said.

Thinking she wished to be alone, he rose and held out his hand to say goodnight. He saw her face perfectly white, with a startled look in her large, dark "It is late," she said.

eyes.
"You are tired, Inez," he said, gently.

"Good-night, pleasant dreams!"

He did not notice that the little jeweled hand he touched was as cold as death, he did not see the quiver of the white lips; he took the wax taper placed

lips: he took the wax taper praced ready for him and went away.

Inez sat stil land motionless for some minutes. Then she rose, intending to go to her room, but her strength failed her. She threw up her arms, and fell upon the

floor on her face.
"He is going!" she cried; "and I love him so-I love him so!"
She did not hear Lord Lynne returning, she did not hear him open the door, she did not know that he saw her pas-

DODDS

happiness upon her lips.

Perhaps no one ever felt a greater

Christmas was to be very gay. There was to be a grand ball at Lynnewolde, and another at Bohun Court. Lord Lynne determined that this year at least cd. She loved him, and he had never wolde, She loved him—that proud, beautiful,
Lord imperious girl. He was literally astoundleast ed. She loved him, and he had never even guessed it.

How much she must love him! Why was she lying there? What did these long bitter sobs mean? Did she—could any one living love him so much as that?

He had returned for his watch which he had left upon the table, and he thought she had quitted the boudoir. Slowly and gently he withdrew, and closed the door. He knew enough of her to understand that she would rather have died than he should have seen her He never stopped to think.

"She loves me," he said, "and loves

glorious beauty, with her wealth and talent, her genius and grace, loved him who had never felt anything but the calmest brotherly affection for her. The young heir of Bohun loved her; the gay and gallant Captain Marchmont had laid his heart and fortune at her feet; but she cared for none, loved none save him. A hundred resolutions of love and devotion growded into his mind. He would make her happy. She should never know that her passionate tears and sighs had moved his heart to pity; she should think he loved her above all else, even as she loved him. He would forget Agatha, whose sweet face haunted him. After all, was he not to be envied. Who was more beautiful than Inez? Who had her Southern grace, her wondrous genius, her rich voice, and her warm loving heart? He remembered her on the night he had played Romeo, how those dark eyes fell before his gaze and he wondered how he could have been blind so long. He seemed to rear again, "I love him so!"

Yet in some way he shrank from telling his mother the news, nor did he me so-He returned, but this time he took care to make noise enough over his en-trance. When he stood again in the room, Inez was leaning over the her face turned from him.

"I left my watch here," said Lord Lynne stammering in a manner very un like his own.
"Did you?" she said, in a cold, steady his first thought was one of wonder at his delay, for there next to his mother sat a fair and radiant girl whom any man would have been proud to claim. The rich flush that crimsoned her face,

voice. "You remember what Mrs. Lynne tells you sometimes about your head." head."

Instead of taking up his watch, he walked around to her.

"Inez," he said gently, "forgive me for speaking to you here, and so late—I will not detain you long."

"You must not," she replied. "I ought."

will not detain you long."
"You must not," she replied. "I ought
to have gone half an hour ago; but the
fire and my own thoughts tempted
me."

"My thoughts tempt me," he said. "Inez, listen for one moment—I am not worthy of you—you are so beautiful, so bright, so gifted. I am not worthy of you—but will you let me love you? Will you promise to be my wife?" To the day of his death Lord Lynne

never forgot the look of startled happi ess upon that lovely face.
"Do you love me?" she whispered.

"Do you love me?" she whispered. Could he help it, that love-lit face turned up to his, those wondrous eyes ooking into his own, her hair touching

his cheek?
"I love you, my darling," he said.
"Will you be my wife?"
He never forgot how for the next few
minutes she stood as one rapt in a silent ecstacy, then she turned away from "To-morrow." she said. "wait until to

morrow; we will talk about it then."
"But you will say one word, Inez," he interrupted; "say you love me."
"I love you," she replied; and the music of the words never quite died in his neart.

CHAPTER XI.

"At last-at last," murmured Inez, as she reached the quiet sanctuary of her own room. "I have won him, and I will only live to make him happy. He shall never repent the words he said this night. I will make him happier and greater than my cold, quiet sister could have done."

In that hour of triumph Inez forgot the false, cruel treachery that had led to her present happiness; she never thought of her sister, betrayed and unhappy; she remembered only her love and its success. The fatigue and weari-ness that a short time before had almost overpowered her, disappeared; it was fresh and radiant face that smiled so brightly, as busy thoughts painted the past and present in strong colors.

"It is not only that I love him," she

cried; "were he penniless and obscure I would endow him with all my wealth; but there is triumph to me in thought that my father's neglected child will be Lady Lynne, mistress of this proud home; exiled and neglected no longer; loved and revered as Lady

She would not remember the falsity that had crowned her with success. By a strong effort of her indomitable will she swept away all unpleasant thoughts. She remembered only that she loved and was loved, that the one thing she coveted was now hers—her hopes grati-fied, her wounded pride soothed, the cup she had craved for filled to the brim.

If all this could have been attained by fair and honorable means, Inez would have been better pleased. She did not like to remember the false words that had stained her lips, or the pain she had seen in her sister's face. But— and she silenced the outcries of con-science in the thought—he would be the happier for it in the end, and so would Agatha; they were not suited to each other, she said to herself over and over again. Agatha had no ambition; she would be content to dream away her she would be content to dream away her life at Lynnewolde, satisfied in seeing her husband fulfiling the duties of a wealthy landed proprietor, without car-ing for or thinking of fresh glory. But it would not be so with her. She would incite him, help him, urge him on, un-til the name of Lynne was known and til the name of Lynne was known and revered throughout the langth and the breadth of the land. He should be a statesman such as the Lynnes of old had been, and all England should ring with his name and his talent. Then he would turn to her, and bless her as the centre and source of all his success. Then to himself he should own that it was well the fair heired cousin had re-Then to himself he should be should be should have helped him on the first and grandest of positions was open to him, then he would but love her the sore for she would have helped him on the first arms around her, and, laying her arms around her, and laying her arms around her are arms around her are arms around her arms ar

In such thoughts and dreams Inez for-got less pleasant things. She never for-one moment feared detection. Agatha would not return yet; and even when she did so, both she and Lord Lynne were far too honorable, she knew, to make any reference to their past at tachment now that she was his betrothtachment now that she was his betrothed wife. There was no fear for the future. Love, triumph, ambition, all wore their finest colors; and no shade saddened the brilliant face that watched the moonlight and the first faint flush of dawn. Even when she fell asleep at last it was with a smile of child-like the brightest and fairest month in the propriess upon her line.

year. "But you know the old superstition "

shock of surprise than did Lord Lynne she added, with as mile-"May marriages when he awoke on the morning follows are proverhially unlocks." are proverbially unlucky."
"I do not believe it, he said, warmly.
"What is the origin of that superstition,"

"I do not quite remember," she replied; "but I have heard it times."

"Then, Incz, let us prove its falsity, darling. As far as human eyes can see, there is nothing to cloud our future. We have youth, love, happiness, wealth, position—everything, in fact, that could be wished for. What bad luck can come to us, even supposing the foolish legend to be a true one?"
"I cannot see any," she replied, in a

tremulous voice, unless—"
"Unless what, Inez?" he asked, seeing that she hesitated and looked at him, her beautiful eyes humid with tears.
"Unless you cease to love me," she

"The sun must cease to shine, and the flowers to bloom, my own heart must cease to beat, and grow cold, before that time comes," he cried, passionately, for the loving face turned to him touched him inexpressibly. "We will—if you ccu-sent—show how fortunate and blessed a May marriage can be," continued Lord Lynne. "Say, when the month of flow-ers comes round, Inez, may I claim your

So it was arranged that the twentieth of May should be the wedding day of Lord Lynne. It was now April. The time was short enough; for Mrs. Lynne was anxious to attend to the trousseau of her daughter-in-law-elect which was to be of unrivalled magnificence. Lord Lynne was constantly engaged; settle-ments and deeds of all kinds had to be ments and deeds of all kinds had to be prepared, and he had arranged a charming surprise for Inez. The family jewels, that had never seen light since Agatha's mother, Lady Lynne, had worn them at her last ball, twelve years ago, were sil to be reset and presented to her.

"She will be peerless," thought the young lover; "she was born to live in magnificence. Diamonds will add to her beauty, and she will wear them with the grace and dignity of a gueen."

grace and dignity of a queen."

Many were his consultations with the celebrated jewelers in Bond street before that matchless parure, admired by the whole fashionable world, was finished. And so time ran on until the first of May came round.

(To be continued.)

THE PANGS OF SCIATICA

Can be Cured by the Fair Use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Fierce darting pains. Pains like red hot needles being driven through the flesh—in the thigh, perhaps down the the ankle—that's sciatica.

It the victim can realize the f this trouble. But the suf-None but the victim can realize the torture of this trouble. But the sufferer need not grow discouraged, for there is a cure in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These Pills enrich the blood, feed the starved sciatic nerve and thus drives out the pain. Mrs. Joseph L. Brown, Wilmot, N. S., was a victim of sciatica, and found a cure in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. She says: "For a year I was laid up with sciatica from my side to my foot. What I suffered was at times awful. I could not touch was at times awful. I could not touch spread the disease in the summer. Eigens a surface of the rotten fruit little black pustules or pimples almost one-third the size of a pin head appear after a time. These pimples contain spores which when set free are carried by the wind from tree to tree and help was at times awful. I could not touch sciatica, and found a cure in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. She says: "For a year I was laid up with sciatica from my side to my foot. What I suffered was at times awful. I could not touch my foot to the floor, and had to hobble about with a cane. My right leg was drawn up, and I never expected to have the use of it again. I was attended by our family doctor, and tried several our family doctor, and tried several other remedies, but with no benefit, and I felt very much discouraged. One day I read of the cure of a similar sufferer through Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I decided to try them. I got six boxes, and by the time I had taken them I was and by the time I had taken them I was completely cured, and have not had the slightest twinge of the trouble since. I am, therefore, a very enthusiastic friend of Dr. Wilkiams' Pink Pills, and recom-mend them to all who are similarly mend them to all who are

There is no mystery about the cures Dr. Williams' Pink Pills make. They act upon the blood, enriching and purifying it, and in this way feed the nerves and reach the root of the disease. That they cure such common ailments emia, pimples and eczema, indis why they cure st as ansemia, pimpies and eczema, indi-gestion, rheumatism, neuralgia, St. Vitus' dance, paralysis, and the irregularities in health of growing girls and women. Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2,50, from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

FLOWERS IN SEALED BOXES. Scheme of the Florists Which Pre-

vents Leakage in Delivery. Florists have hit on a new wrinkle n delivering flowers. After the flowers ave been packed in boxes and the boxes are tied up in fancy style with ribbon, the ends of the ribbon are sealed to the oox with wax and the florist's private

mark stamped thereon.

This is not to add style to the package, but serves a strictly useful purpose. It was not an uncommon occur-rence for flowers to leak on the way. dozen American Beauties would shrink to one dozen. Sometimes the chance of detection was slight, as the recipient would not know how many flowers were sent in the case of a gift, and in the case of a large order few persons would take the trouble to count them, and a half dozen might well slip

So the florists seal the packages now and temptation is removed from path of those who deliver them. moment something like a sigh trembled on his lips as he thought how differently Repeat it:- "Shiloh's Cure will always cure my coughs and colds."

Never Heard of One. "What is your name?" asked the oolice justice.
"Kollok, y'r honor," answered the

seedy vagrant.

"How do you spell it?"

"K o l l o k, y'r honor."

"Why, you're a regular palindrome, aren't you?"

"A what?"

"A palindrome, the same as Gillig and—"

"Jedge," interrupted the hobo, with "Jedge," interrupted the hobo, with emotion, "I don't mind bein' called a bum, a snoozer, a guttersnipe, and an ornery skunk, but I'll be everlastingly jiggered if I'll stand fur that! If y'r honor'll come down f'm that platform, by gravy, I'll lick ye right here!"

You would discover that most men are all right if you would only trouble vourself to ask them.

5 DOCTORS

GAVE HER UP! Ulcars and Sores Cefied all Treatment.

Zam-Buk Has Worked Complete Curs.

raculous indeed is the cure which Zam

But has worked in the case of Mrs. Jane Betrs. of L'Orignal (Ont). "I began to suffor," she says, "from ulcers and skin sores. These broke out on my logs and different parts of my body, and spread to an alarming extent, causing me great pain. They defied all remedies I applied to try and heal them. and remedied suppurating open wounds. them, and remained suppurating open wounds.

One medical man after another gave my case up until I had consulted five different doctors, and they were all baffled by my case. Then I went into hospital and was their five months, and came away very little better. The sores were so extensive and I was so weakened that I had to walk with a stick and cruton This was my condition whou first I began to use Zam-Buk. I applied it to the sores, and in a few days I thought I saw an improvement. I persevered with the balm and, to cut a long story short, the wonderful balm did what all the doctors had failed to do-healed my ulcers. I have mow put away my stick and crutch, the ulcers and sores are healed, and I take this opportunity of strongly advising all who suffer from sores, ulcers, or open wounds to give Zam-Buk a proper trial." them, and remained suppurating open wounds.

It is by affecting such impressive cures at this that Zam-Buk has established its world-wide reputation. In every country to which it has been introduced it has become the leading family balm and embrocation. This surely is proof of exceptional merit!

Purely herbal in nature it supplies the housewife with a handy and affective cure for the hundred-and-one-injuries to which sho or the children or the husband are liable.

Zam-Buk is also a sure cure for eczema, ringworm, scalp-sores, cold-sores, chapped hands, sores due to blood poisoning, piles, cuts, burns, bruiese, and all skin injuries and diseases. All drugglets and stores sell at 50c a box, or post free from Zam-Buk Co.. Toronto, for price. Beware of cheap and harmful imitations sometimes offered as "iust as good."

Cankers on Apple Trees

Many Ontario apple growers have complained that an unusually large number of branches are dying on their older apple trees, and not a few of the younge trees have been killed outright. The trouble has usually been attributed to Sun-Scald and Oyster-Shell Scale. Investigations this autumn, however, have shown that the greater part of such damage can be traced to cankers, caused spread the disease in the summer. Either kind of canker may cause diseased areas on the trunk and large branches or at the main crotch. It is not easy to tell in every case to which disease a

ker is due.

A Blight Canker, however, often begins by attacking a water-sprout and running down it into the trunk, crotch or main branch and forming a large dead area there. This time of year such areas caused by Blight are usually distinctly marked off from the healthy bark by a crack between the two, and by the diseased bark being darker brown in color than the healthy bark and slightly shrunken. As a rule the surfac Blight Cankers is fairly smooth, not rough, checked, or blackened, and is free from pimples except in old cankers where other diseases have set in and caused

these.
The Black Knot Canker, on the other hand, is as a rule not distinctly marked off by a crack between it and the healthy bark. The central part, especially if more than a year old, is usually somewhat swollen and the bark is rough, black and checked. On part of the smoother surface there will nearly always be found numerous little black. smoother surface there will nearly always be found numerous little black pimples or pustules about one-third the size of the head of a pin. These are the places where spores are produced that spread the disease in the spring of the

Both kinds of Cankers may live over from year to year and continue to in-crease in size. This is especially true of Black Rot Canker, though often this as well as the other may die out at the end of the first year. The diseased area may be small in either kind or again it may include the whole of the trunk and part of the branches, or may run for several feet along a single branch. In old trees only the branches are attacked.

Remedies-Where a tree is too badly attacked to give any hope of its recovery it should be cut down and burned as soon as possible, for otherwise the dis-ease will spread from it even through the tree itself be dead. In the same way dead or dying branches should be cut off and burned either this fall or early next spring, taking particular pains to see that the cut is made several inches below any trace of the diseased area. All cuts thus made should be disinfected in the manner described below and then painted. If this is done the frost will not in jure them. Wherever a healthy stub is left after cutting off the cankered part of a branch it can be cut afresh in the

spring and grafted.

Where the cankered areas are not too large, especially on the trunk and crotches, they should be neatly cut out with a knife or some sharp instrument until the healthy bark is reached. The wounds thus made must be disinfected and painted with white lead (free from turpentine). The painting should be repeated next spring to make sure that no disease gets into the wounds. The best disinfectant to use is corrosive sublimate of the strength of one part of this substance by weight to 1,000 parts of water. Any druggist will supply the substance and explain how to make it substance and explain how to make it up. The material will cost only a few cents. A wooden or glass vessel must be used instead of iron or tin, as the substance will corrode these. Corrosiv sublimate is deadly poison when taken internally, so care must be taken not to allow anything to drink the liquid, and o wash thoroughly the ressel before

using it for any other purpose. best way to disinfect the wound corrosive sublimate is simply to tie a little sponge or a small pad of cloth on the end of a stick, and, after dipping it into the liquid, wash over the surface of the wound. This will kill any kind of orm whatever.

To ward off cankers for the future it

is necessary (1) To prevent as far as possible injury to trees by such means as tearing off the bark by whiffletrees as tearing off the bark by whilterrees or other implements or by boots in climbing. If wounds are made in this way they should be disinfected and painted at once, otherwise they let in the germs of the disc. Cankers usually start from wounds of some kind, though sometimes these may be very small. Sun-scald injuries also allow canker germs to enter, hence young trees should be protected against sun-scald by ome one of the well-known devices for

this purpose.

2. Water sprouts should be kept off

2. branches, because, the trunks and main branches, because, as said above, the blight disease often runs down one of these and starts the canker below. A few minutes will usually suffice to remove all the water

sprouts from any ordinary tree.
3. The trunks must be carefully sprayed with Bordeaux mixture, and sprayed with Bordeaux mixture, and special pains taken to see that the trunks and main branches are thoroughly covered with the Bordeaux. The first spraying should be done just before leaf buds burst; the second a few days before the blossoms open, and the third within a week after most of the blossoms before the blossoms beginning the buds of t soms have fallen. Half a pound of Paris green should be added to each barrel of Bordeaux, and the while kept well agitated while spraying. The spraying will then not only do a great deal to keep off cankers, but will also kill most of the coddling moths (which cause the wormy apples), the cigar case bearers, pistol case bearers, canker worms, bud moyis, and many other insects, and in addition will keep the apples fre from scab, so that orchardists should thus get a return for the time and money spent n the form of healthier trees and more in the form of healthier trees and more and better fruit. Care should be taken in every case to see that the spraying is thoroughly done at the times mentioned. Orchards that are kept properly pruned and sprayed have been found to be very much less affected with canker than those that are neglected.

Agricultural College, Guelph

it: - "Shiloh's Cure will always cure my coughs and colds."

DEATH IS PAINLESS.

It Comes as Naturally and is as Welcome as Sleep.

The fear of death, which has been o enormously exploited in dramatic literature, sacred and otherwise, is said to be almost without existence in sickness. Most patients have lost it completely by the time they become serious-

ly ill.

Death and sleep are both painless, according to Dr. Woods Hutchinson, in the American Magazine, and cause neither fear nor anxiety by their approach. It is one of the most merciful proach. It is one of the most merciful things in nature that the overwhelming majority of the poisons which destroy life, whether they are those of infectious diseases or those which are elaborated from the body's own waste onsciousness long before the end

While death is not in any sense an alogous to sleep, it resembles it to the extent that it is in the vast majority of instances not only not painful, bat welcome. Pain-racked and fever-soorched patients long for death as the wear-

ed patients long for death as the wearied toiler longs for sleep.
While many of the processes which
lead to death are painful, death itself
is painless, natural, like the fading of a
flower or the falling of a leaf. Our
dear ones drift out on the ebbing tide
of life without fear, without pain,
without vegret save for those they without regret, save for those leave behind. When death comes When death enough so that we can see the eyes be-hind the mask, his face becomes as welome as that of his "twin brother,"

Repeat it:-"Shiloh's Cure will always cure my coughs and colds."

A Joke That Failed.

The smart cockney tourist thought he would have a joke with the gendame, and handed him the restaurant menu instead of his passport, while his friends stood by to laugh at the puzzled "Frog-

But the Frenchman took the document with grave politeness, glancing keenly at the cockney as if to verify the description. Then he read and translated slowly

from the menu: "Calf's head," "pigs reet," "pass on, m'sieu—quite correct."—Exchange.

Not Infectious.

I used to be very much afraid that my hildren while playing with others would be exposed to some contagious disease, and they were constantly on the lookout for trouble of this kind.
One day little Louis, aged 4, came rush-

ing in from the street where she had been playing with a crowd of children. In a very excited manner she burst out: Well, mamma, two of the Meyers children have something, but sister says she doesn't think we'll catch it, though."
"Well, what is it, darling?" I asked.
"It's the pigeon toes," she replied.—
The December Delineator.

Information.

A well known novelist was touring through Lancashire in order to learn something of the lives of the inhabitants, when he came upon an old man break-ing stones on the roadside, and, think-ing he might gain some knowledge from him, addressed him thus:

"How far is it to Fleetwood, my man?" "You'll see a milestone a bit farther on," was the gruff reply.
"What's the use, if I can't read?" said the novelist, eager to draw the old man

into conversation. "Then it'll just suit you, for there's nowt on it," said the old fellow .- Er change.

Prof. Adam Shortt has declared that trades unions are indispensable to the political life of the democracy.

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Flannelettes-900 yds of wide width flaunelette, a large range of neat stripe patterns, regular 12c quality on saie while they last for 10c. See the extra heavy weight in plain, pink, blue and white, regular 121c

Boots-We have 60 pair ladies Box Kip Bal boots, have been selling the same kind in large quantities at \$1.75 special while this lot lasts, for \$1.49

Special 30 pair men's heavy sole Box Kip Bals, just the thing for fall kind the evidence of the test is taken weather, regular price \$2.25, on sale as conclusive.

FIRE PROOF HOUSES

If there is any such thing as fire proof house it is the house built of cement blocks or cement

In the recent fierce fire at Fernie, B.C, the only buildings left standing were those built of cement blocks, as the photo graphs of the disaster show.

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away in the town hall.

Revision on Monday evening.

Mrs Henry Hagerman is visiting

Mr M. R. Milroy's blacksmith shop

-Christmas Cards and Calendars

splendid assortment, all prices—at

Mrs T. G. Cook of Brockville is

-Fine stationery in fancy boxes,

plendid assortment. Prices from 25c

On Friday eyening a party of young

Mr T. H. Weatherhead, North

Augusta, attended Athens' Court of

Mr W. F. Earl is this week instal-

Mr and Mrs Napoleon Howe left on

Monday evening for a trip to Quebec to visit their son, Rev W. B. Howe.

Miss Jean Karley leaves next week

There are bargains to be had in

Clothing at H. H. Arnold's-Clothing

Department, second floor It will pay you to visit this special Clothing sale.

Mr and Mrs John Thompson of

days in Athens, guests of the former's

-Call at the woollen mill and see our

B. W. Falkner will give special

reduced rates on Photographs from

now until Jan. 1st. A fine Photo

At the close of the regular lesson

study period of the Methodist Sunday

School next Sunday, Mr McKinnon,

principal of the A H. S., will give a

short address on the subject of Temper

ance. All are most heartily invited to

Mrs Julia Wiltse celebrated her

eighty third birthday on Nov. 26.

She has been an invalid for several

years. Out of a large family only she

and her brother, William Parish, sur vive. A large number of relatives and

Anniversary services will be held in

the Baptist church on Dec. 13 and 14.

Stobo will give his popular address on

"Workers, Shirkers and Jerkers; or Some of the Folks We Meet." Ad

SALE REGISTER

A free notice under this heading is given all sales for which the Reporter office does the printing

On Friday, Dec. 11, Richard Cronk

will sell at his farm near Soperton 8

milch cows, heifer, 8 calves, horse,

colt, vehicles, implements, etc. Sale at 12 noon. D. C. Healy, auctioneer.

mission, 25c; children, 15c.

Sermons on Sunday at 10.30 and 7.00

and yarns of all kinds.

and recitations is promission, 25c and 15c.

for 75c per doz.

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attend.

ling one of his acetylene gas plants in

the Farmers Bank at Phillipsville,

Athenians danced several happy hours

Mr G. E. Leeder of Charleston

riends in Junetown this week.

open for business as usual.

Local and General

Miss Lulu McLean is

Mrs A. W. Judson is around again after a tew days illness.

Mr F. Taber of Morton, License In spector, was in town on Thursday last. Mr R. Hanna called on friends in Athens on Saturday.

Mr M. C. Lee of Adams, N.Y. spent the week end with his wife here. Mrs G. Yates left on Saturday for s visit with friends in Cornwall.

R. Nevens of Jasper will buy pour try in Athens on Friday of this week. Mr and Mrs W. Poole of Poole's to \$1.25, at Knowlton's. Resort were last week visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs J. Jones.

-Cheap Millinery Sale this week and next. Any untrimmed felt hat in the store for one dollar--Miss Edna Steacy Live hens, chickens, ducks, bought every Wednesday afternoon. Crops must be empty.-Willson's Meat Market

Christmas tree and entertainment at Washburn's School on Dec. 18, admis sion, 15 cents.

The Ladies' Aid of Christ Church will meet at the home of Mrs Mulvena on Saturday at 2.30. -We invite your inspection of our

selection of Holliday Goods-better Pinkerton. than ever—H. R. Knowlton. There will be no B. Y. P. U. meet ing on this (Wednesday) evening owing to the Bible Society meeting

on Friday evening held in that church. Lyn smallpox cases are all of a mild Carthage, N. Y., are spending a few character and were thought to be

chickenpox until diagnosed by an ex- father, Mr David Thompson. perienced physician. Mr E. D. Wilson will be sole Mr E. D. Wilson will be sole proprietor of Cedar Park Hotel next size 72x90, for holiday trade; also we

season and is already preparing for the have a large stock of Tweeds, Flannels The board of license commissi nsisting of W. H. Horrison. Joseph Thompson and Dr Dixon, met in Athens on Thursday last and ratified the

transfer of licenses in Brockville, Teledo and Jasper. —New books by popular authors—their Xmas entertainment in the town that on Monday, Dec. 21st, A first class programme of cantata, dialogues Governors," etc. -\$1.25 each—suitable

mas gifts_at Sunrise Factory, Spring Hill, pur chased last spring and managed during the season by Mr Charles Wing of Athens, made a particularly good showing for October milk. The net returns per ton ammounted to \$22.52.

The annual meeting of the Bible Society will be held in the Baptist Kingston, is one of Canada's leading church on Friday evening. Mr David
McIlroy of Ottawa will deliver the

And the people of all denominations are cordially invited to attend.

Last week Amos Slack, an Escott

Last week Amos Slack, an Escott

T. N. Stockdale, Principal. farmer, was find \$20 by magistrate Carroll of Gananoque for sending to a factory wilk that the Babcock test said contained less than half the average amount of butter fat. In cases of this

The A. H. S. football team played of her own family, only her two daughters, Mrs Wm. Grundy and Wm. T. S. Kendrick the Red Rovers at Prescott on Satur day last and the game resulted in a tie, 0—0. The Athens team was not as Pierce, were present, her four sons being in the West. strong as in the game played at Brock ville and the Reds had added a couple of outsiders, which accounts for our boys failing to repeat the victory already gained. Mr Schlicter, as um by Rev Dr Stobo of Smith's Falls. On Monday evening there will be a supper pire, gave entire satisfaction to both and entertainment at which Rev Dr

We are pleased to be able to report that the condition of Mr M. R. Milroy is bighly satisfactory. On Saturday the editor of the Reporter called on him at St. Vincent de Paul Hospital and found him bright and cheerful, looking forward to a return home this week. Dr Robertson, who is in charge of the case, is well satisfied with the progress being made. Mr Milroy can distinguish light from darkness with his injured eye, and it is quite probable that the sight may be restored to a considerable degree. Mrs Milroy has been with him constantly since the

The following prizes are offered for the poultry fair to be held in Atbens on Dec. 10 :--

Special Prizes

The Farmers Bank—For largest load of poultry (owned by one person) buyers' reports to decide\$5.00

The Merchants Bank—For largest cad of ten or more turkeys (owned by one person) drawn longest distance

J. P, Lamb & Son-For heaviest turkey marketed (buyer's certificate to be lett at the Drug Store) one bottle of perfume, value \$2.00

> Hard Island Honor Roll NOVEMBER

IV-*Maude Hollingsworth, *Flor ce Foley.

III—Alice Foley,
II—*Edna Whaley
Sr. Pt. II—John Foley, Wilfrid Jr. Pt. II-*Harold Hollingsworth Sr. I-*Hazel Yates.

Jr. I—Georgie Robinson, Marjorie Hollingsworth, Celestia Foley. *Those marked with an asterisk were present every day during the

Chrystal Rappell, Teacher.

GLOSSVILLE

visitor at the home of Mr and Mrs W. Mr John Kerfoot has returned from his cheese factory and is now spending a few weeks with his sister, Mrs James

Miss Lulu McLean and Miss Alice Patterson, ill for several days are re Mrs John Mullen bas been confined Mrs A. Robinson has returned from to her home for the past two weeks Brockville to the home of her daughter

with an attack of rheumatism. Miss Georgeine' Mitchell of Frank yille spent last Saturday and Sunday the guest of Miss Eva Brown. We are pleased to report that Mr

Robert Barlow is improving from the fall he received in clearing out his Mrs Delmer Cowle of Lake Eloida

spent last Thursday visiting at Mrs Jas. Brown's. Mrs E. Booth spent last Sunday risiting friends in Frankville.

Team Harness

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