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MADE A BIG HAUL.

General French Surprised the Boers at Barberton.

He Took Prisoners and Supplies an Captured Much Rolling

London, Sept. 17 .- Lord Foberts reports to the War Office, under date of Machado dorp, Sept. 14, as follows:

"Gen. French occupied Barberton yester-day with the cavalry which he took across the mountains. He met slight opposition, the enemy being completely surprised. Twenty-three officers and 59 men who were orisoners were released, and forty three occumotives and other stock were captured. locomotives and other stock were captured. The capture of the locomotives relieves us of a great difficulty, as we had to put up with a few rickety engines. Gen. French reports that he has sufficient supplies for three weeks for his force and for a week for his horses. One hundred Boers with many Manser rifles and a quantity of ammunition were captured. There are large quantities of cattle and sheep in the country, which is good news. Gen. French interrupted large convoys, showing that Barberton was used as a depot of supplies for the Boers in the north and north-east. The bulk of Gen. French's force is still 35 miles beyond the cavalry, owing to the difficulty of getting the wagons over the pass leading to Barberton."

BOERS AT LOGGERHEADS.

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Lorenzo Marquez, Sept. 17.—Boers who arrived here yesterday evening aver that the burghers are fighting among themselves at Helspruit, and are looting and burning buildings.

The supplies of the Boers have been exhausted. The troops have not been paid, and are clamoring for their wages in gold.

London, Sept. 17.—A despatch from Cape Town says:—"The military authorities have taken over the Netherlands railway. Gen. Macdonald, operating in the north-eastern cornoperating in the north-eastern corn-er of the Orange Colony, compelled the Boers to make a hasty flight from the Vet River. He captured 31 wag-ons, a quantity of cattle and stores and 65,000 rounds of rifle ammuni-

FLEEING PRESIDENT

Rumored Plot to Blow Him up-Invited to Holland.

Lorenzo Marquez, Sept. 17: - Five men were arrested on a charge of men were arrested on a charge of plotting to blow up the house of the Transvaal Consul while President Kruger was there. Three of them were subsequently released. The other two, who were British, were detained. The Irish-American brigade is making trouble at Koomatipoort. The banks have been warned against their arrival in Lorenzo Marquez.

The Daily Telegraph's correspondent describes President Kruger as being dejected, but the correspondent of the Daily News maintains that he is cheerful, but that his eyes are troubling him more than ever.

him more than ever

The Portuguese Government has telgraphed to the Governor of Mozam authorizing the departure of Mr. Kruger for Europe. The gov-ernor, however, must satisfy himself that Mr. Kruger is really going to Rurope. Meanwhile he is instructed to take all precautions to safeguard the personal security of Mr. Kruger. Kruger will take the German steam-er Herzog at Lorenzo Marquez, his destination being Holland, by way of Marseilles.

The Government of the Netherlands has telegraphed to Lorenzo Marquez, offering a Dutch warship to bring Mr. Kruger to Holland.

WINTER CAMPAIGN.

One is Probable in China-Great, Britain Freparing for it.

London, Monday, September 17 .-In connection with the prediction by Sir Robert Hart that there will be further hostilities in November, it is understood that the British government is already considering the trans

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gation has already been removed from Pekin to Tien Tsin, but there is from Pekin to Tien Tsin, but there is no definite news as yet as to whether Li Hung Chang will after all go to Pekin. Gen. Dorward is going to the capital, leaving the British troops at Tien Tsin under command of Brig. Gen. Horne Campbell. Vice Admiral Alexieff has returned to Taku. The large any argency. The Chief Justice any argency. The Chief Justice any argency. Americans have begun at Hsio Wu a permanent telegraph line between Pekin and Tien Tsin. The Pekin correspondent of the Daily News says that the assassin of Baron Von Ket-te'er has been shot. The Morning Post's representative says that the question is being discussed of sending relief to a few British, French and American missionaries, who are be-sieged in a city 200 miles south of

Shanghai advices say that a house has been engaged there for Count Von Waldersee, who is expected to arrive next Saturday.

The Boers Make One to all Nations to Intervene.

Claim They Have Shown Them selves Worthy of Liberty-Will Still Resist.

The Hague, Sept. 17 .- The Boer delegates, Messrs. Fischer. Wolmarans and Wessels, have addressed an appeal to all nations for intervention in South Africa. After expressing the conviction that the annexation of the Transvaal was only proclaimed with the object of enabling Great Britain. to prosecute the war in an inhuman manner, contrary to international law, and to mercilessly pursue as rebels exhausted combatants hitherto recognized as belligerents, the appellants declared that with God's help they will never be attained. They assert that the South African republies have shown themselves to be worthy of liberty, and that they will continue to struggle to the last breath against Great Britain's attempt to annihilate their existence as a free people. The appeal concludes as follows:—"In the name of justice and humanity, we appeal to all peoples to come to our aid in this supreme mo-ment and save our country. We commit ourselves to God, trusting that our prayers will be heard."

Mr. Clancy Thinks the Conservatives Certain of Victory.

Predicts That Hugh John Will Sweep

James Clancy, M. P., was a prominent figure at the Conservative convention on Saturday. The coming election formed the general topic of conversation, and Mr. Claney was very enthusiastic over Conservative prospects and stated that the Conservatives never looked forward so eagerly to any election as they did to the present one.

"None of us can tell just when the elections will be brought on," said Mr. Clancy. "If, however, one can judge by appearances the Liberal Government will have to go to the people soon. We can't conceal from our selves that both parties are now in the swing of a campaign and I would not be surprised to hear of a dissolu-tion at any moment. For all we know the announcement may be made with-

in a week.
"One of the great questions that will interest the electors this time is pre-ferential trade, not only for farmers ferential trade, not only for farmers but for all the classes. This is one of the great questions of the day. country is fully impressed with the great advantage to Canada to have it and also with the imbecile course of Sir Wilfrid Laurier in refusing when he was pledged preferential trade to try and secure it. My own impression is, that with public sentiment so strong against the Government there is no doubt that with the united Conservative party, and they are united, and with the clean, manly Liberals who feel that their leader no longer represents their views, Sir Charles is bound to carry the country.
"Hugh John is coming back from the

western provinces with a solid fol-lowing. There is no doubt but that the Government will not carry a single seat in that part of the Dominion," concluded Mr. Clancy with an impres-siveness that showed he believed every

And Judge Woods-The Facts of the Case of Alleged Censure.

JUSTICE

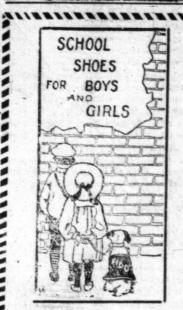
A few days ago on a motion before Chief Justice Meredith at Toronto, the latter is said to have expressed himself very strongly concerning the refusat of a local judge at Chatham to take up a case during the holidays. The Chief Justice is reported to have said that no high court judge would have thought has no refusal, and if such a course were followed generally it might often result in the loss of thousands of dollars to litigants. Regarding this matter, Barrister J. S. Fraser, of this city, writes the Lon-don Free Press as follows: Dear Sir.—A paragraph appeared in the Free Press a few days ago, stating ing that Chief Justice Sir William Meredith had censured His Honor

fer of treeps from South Africa to India, in order to make it practicable to send more British troops to China. The military authorities consider the war in South Africa so far ended that troops may now be safely moved. It is probable that the Russian legation has already been removed from Pakin to Tien Tsin but there is

close any urgency. The Chief Jus-tice did not censure Judge Woods. He dismissed the appeal against Judge Woods' order refusing a motion for immediate judgment. Yours tru-

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DAILY AND WEEKLY Chatham, Ont

CHEAP CHURCH MUSIC.

At a meeting of the Detroit Methodist conference at Pontiac Rev. Dr. T. B. Neeley took a drive at church entertainments and the shovel and tongs music so much in vogue now in Sunday schools. He believes that while the Sunday school of to-day is not doing all that it could, yet it is carrying on a great work. The school that teaches reverence to its pupils as one of the first rudiments of religious education, is the one that accomplishes the most good. The socalled "j'ngle" music of Sunday schools is a source of much worry to Dr. Neeley. "Music that moves the toe." he declared, "is not church music. Entertainment is the bane of our churches to-day in many places, It is a disgrace to a church or Sunday school to have theatrical entertainments or that class of amusement in any form. Let us get away from the ephemeral and return to the classic music in all of our services."

THE REAL CULPRITS.

That letter of Dr. Morrison to his newspaper, the London Times, throws a new light on Chinese affairs, or rather confirms what has all along been suspected, that the antiforeign movement was not the work of an irresponsible mob, but was promoted by the Chinese government. Dr. Morrison is an eye witness whose testimony cannot be gainsaid. He says "the attacks upon the legations were ordered by the dowager empress and organized by Yung Li, Tung Fu, Hsi Ang and Li Ping Heng, all high governmental officials, appointed by imperial decree to reduce the legations by fire, sword and famine."

He knows by actual observation that the principal assaults on the legation came from the imperial city and declares solemnly that "throughout the siege Krupp guns posted on the imperial city wall, facing the palace, bombarded the legations." He says further that a mine was driven under the British legation wall from a conspicuous point in the imperial city during a nominal armistice.

All this indicates the foulest treachery, while the wool was being pulled over the eyes of Christendom through the instrumentality of the Chinese ministers at the various capitals. This base duplicity is now thoroughly exposed and affords further proof-if more were needed-that "for ways that are dark and tricks that are vain the heathen Chinee is peculiar," as Bret Hart said thirty years ago. Bret lived among t's Chinese and had unexceptional opportunities for knowing them.

The outrages that have shocked the world were planned and ordered, then, by the dowager empress, and the revelation made by Dr. Morrison is likely to modify the proposal of some of the powers to restore to Pekin the savage of which is perhaps supplied by the and bloody-minded outfit responsible for these doings.

Some interesting information on the subject of cremation is supplied by the Undertakers' Journal. The first crematorium was erected at Woking, in 1878, by the Cremation Society of England. Since then three other crematoria have been opened-one at Manchester in 1892, another at Glasgow in 1895, and the third at Liverpool in 1896-facts which show how slow has been the progress in this matter. At Woking, since the opening, there have been 1,704 incinerations; at Manchester 302, at Glasgow, 69, and Liverpool 87, each year showing an increase in the number of incinerations. Hitherto a more general adoption of cremation has been hindered by the cost, which has confined the practice chiefly to the rich. There is a prospect of a change by which the public generally will benefit, for in a few weeks the first municipal crematorium is to be opened in Hull, with a very moderate tariff. Several other Emplish municipalities are seeking powers to establish crematoria. It is stated by the Undertakers' Journal that Parliament is now considering the advisability of passing a measure to empower the burial authorities throughout the Kingdom to erect crematoria subject to the approval of the Home Secretary, without requiring them to obtain a special act in each instance, as now.

The convention was a good one. His worsh'p never had to ask a de

legate for a vote. Kent ought to fall into the Conser

tive ranks again.

Some of the old time election en thusiasm cropped out on Saturday.

A Detroit paper says of its own ty council: "If the council undercity council: "If the council under-took to expel all the members that make disgreeful exhibitions of themselves, it would soon find itself without a quorum." This body of without a quorum." This body of men appear to be fast qualifying for the penitentiary.—Windsor Record.

Councils are usually as good as the people who elect them, and no bet-

In Union There is Strength."

True strength consists in the union, the harmonious working together, of every part of the human organism. This strength can never be obtained if he blood is impure. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the standard prescription for purifying the blood.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Never Disappoints

Now that the party have a good candidate they should turn in and work heartily to elect him.

Tarte says: "We have only been in power four years. This is not enough to show our full strength. Give us four years more." This is going his famoius "Wait till you see us next year" phrase one better.

The Planet on Saturday published

the views of a city Methodist concerning President Parrott's case, not because this gentleman's opinion had any bearing on the argument but because the columns of The Planet are freely and gratuitously open to all who care to express their opinions on public matters. It is not necessary to mment on or dispute the statements made by a Methodist. This ournal has more important matters engage its intention. But it simply vants to say it regrets to see any man trying to drag greed into a discussion n which creed is not involved. We have been sickened with that sort of thing in the past and not good citizen would try and resurrect it. The Methodists, we believe, are among the ast who can be influenced by such a despicable cry. If Mr. Parrott cannot ustify his course on its merits, we annot see how being a Methodist, a Baptist, or a Latter Day Saint will improve his position.

IN A BAD FRIGHT. Hamilton Times. Hugh John Macdonald! The Lord deliver us from Hugh John Macdon-

> WHY HE IS DIFFERENT, Belleville Intelligencer.

Hugh John keeps his promises. that he differs from the Liberals. They break their promises and keep everything else they get their hands

> CAN'T STAND FOR TARTE. Kingston Whig. Lib.

The political excitement is rising in Quebec. Mr. Tarte begins his work with a Sunday meeting. Could he not postpone it until the next day? He laimed the credit of resisting Sabbath non-observance in France. Can't he resist it in Canada?

WHERE THE ENEMY WINS OUT.

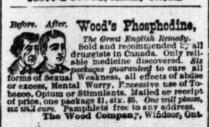
London News, Independent. Both parties have, as we have already said, made tactical mistakes, but it appears that the Liberals have. made more than their rivals, evidence recalcitrant attitude of the Huntingdon Gleaner, Winnipeg Tribune and other Liberal papers.

ONLY YOUNG IN NAME. Hamilton Herald.

They talk of him as young Hugh John. But he's only three years younger than George E. Foster, and s eleven year older than Clifford Sifon. It takes a long time for states men who are sons of eminent statesmen, to grow old. Now there's Char ley Tupper-a promising youth of 45.

the food supplies warmth and strength; without it the digestion, the muscles, the nerves and the brain are weak, and general debility follows. But fat is hard to digest and is disliked by many,

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AN ISLAND OF WIDOWS.

Every Husband Residing Upon It Was Drowned by the Sinking of a

Off the coast of Norway is a small island called Aarlud which boasts the unique distinction of being peopled exclusively by widows. The circumstances under which this state of affairs was brought about are no less curious than distressing. A short time since a man arrived

on the island from Haugesund, on the mainland, with his wife and family, to participate in the spring egg gathering. While testing his ropes on a cliff preparatory to commencing his search he happened to make a false step forward over the cliff. He was instantly killed. As there had not been a death on the island since 11 years before, when a boy was killed by a bowlder from the same cliff falling on him, the occurrence naturally cast a gloom over the small community established there. This consisted of some 30 fishermen with their families. As a mark of sympathy and respect all the men determined to attend the funeral of the unfortunate, which was to take place at the cemetery at Haugesund, on the mainland. But during the proceedings at the burial ground a tremendous gale arose. When the men returned to their smack the storm was at its height.

After carefully considering the situation the 30 fishermen determined to sail for Aarlud, and having taken advantage of the opportunity to replenish their household supplies the boat was rather heavily laden. Their progress through the angry sea was most anxiously watched by the people on the mainland, who, when the boat had gone the distance of about a mile and a half from the coast, saw that the vessel was in great distress. Efforts were at once made to go to its assistance, but the heavy sea beat back every boat that was launched. A few moments afterward the unfortunate smack plunged forward into the trough of the foaming waves and forever disappeared from mortal view. Every one of its 30 occupants was drowned, and on the following morning their bodies were

found along the beach. News of the disaster was as speedily as possible conveyed to the island. Every wife in the place had, by the dreadful event, been made a widow, and out of 30 as many as 28 were left without any means of support. These women are now receiving assistance from the Norwegian government, which is cred ited with the intention of settling a number of single men on the island as soon as arrangements can be made. Until that is done, however, all its women must of necessity remain widows.

The Philosophy of Perspiration. "There are many troubles which you

cannot cure by the Bible and the hymnbook," said Henry Ward Beecher, "but which you can cure by a good perspiration and a breath of fresh

There is a large paradox in the philosophy of perspiration. The hotter the healthy human body becomes the more freely it perspires, and yet the more freely it perspires the cooler it grows. Many persons try to keep cool by

avoiding all unnecessary exercise and lounging in the shade. That is entirely unphilosophical. Perspiration, instead of being a symptom of suffering from the heat, is a sign of relief therefrom. And it may be accepted by all persons in normal health that moderate exercise, sufficient to induce a liberal moistening of the skin, is the best specific that can be prescribed for their daily use in hot weather. None suffer more torture on a sultry day than those who make it their special effort to avoid, perspiring .-

London's New Drink.

Half a dozen London clubs of importance have complained bitterly that their bar receipts are falling off discouragingly since their members came to accept as the proper beverage for summer what is now the popular London drink. This is made of barley water, properly mixed with lemon, sugar and ice, and it originated in the guards' clubhouse. Its fame spread from that headquarters, and other clubs were not slow in horrowing the recipe. The barley water combination gained favor wherever it was introduced, and this is not believed to be wholly due to the fact that it is distributed gratuitously. None of the clubs which offer their members this refreshment charges anything for it. The consequence is that Scotch and soda, brandy with the same combination and all similar heating alcoholic

Protecting New England Beaches. The protection of beaches along the New England coast is being successfully accomplished by the "groyne system." These "groynes" consist of a series of posts planted firmly in the sand, with close planks extending from post to post. The "groyne" is constructed at right angles to the beach, and its position prevents the waves acting on it injuriously. Sand is intercepted by the planking, rapidly forming a new beach and preventing erosion.

and more expensive drinks have ceased

to be called for.-Argonaut.

Utilized the Rats.

A Waterloo man of infinite resource and sagacity has utilized rats to lay the telephone cables through the cor duits. Several rats were turned loose in the conduit with a ferret after them, to which was attached a cord. Through 700 feet of the conduit the merry chase was carried, and the rats emerged into daylight at the other end just a few feet ahead of the ferret, which was probably impeded somewhat by the cord .- Des Molnes Leader.

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thode Island, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Gagnier.
Died—in Tilbury, on Friday, inst., Charlie, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Peltier, in his 25th year. The funeral left the family Queen street, on Sunday morning at 9 o'clock, for the R. C. Church, after which interment took place in

St. Francis cemetery.

The baseball game here between Merlin and Tilbury resulted in a score of 9 to 10 in favor of the lat-

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All creditors of the said estate are hereby required to file their claims with the assignee, with the proofs and particulars thereof as required by the

meeting.
And notice is hereby further given that after the 30th day of October, the assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the debtor amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been given, and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof, so discributed, to any person or persons of whose claims he shall not then have notice.

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Assignee, Chatham, Ont. Dated the 15th September, 1900.

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Every wedding, says the proverb, Makes another, soon or late; Never yet was any marriage Entered in the book of fate, But the names were also written Of the patient pair that wait.

Blessings then upon the morning
When my friend, with fondest look,
By the solemn rites' permission,
To himself his mistress took, And the destinies recorded Other two within their book.

When the priest fulfilled his office, Still the ground the lovers eyed, And the parents and the kinsmen Aimed their glances at the bride; But the groomsman eyed the virgins were waiting at her side. .

Three there were that stood beside her; One was dark, and one was fair;

One was dark, and one was tan But nor fair nor dark the other, Save her Arab eyes and hair; Neither dark nor fair I call her, Yet she was the fairest there. While her groomsman-shall I own Yes, to thee, and only thee-Gazed upon this dark-eyed maiden
Who was fairest of the three,
Thus he thought: "How blest the
bridal

Where the bride were such as she! Then I mused upon the adage, Till my wisdom was perplexed, And I wondered, as the churchman

Dwelt upon his holy text, Which of all who heard his lesson Should require the service next. Whose will be the next occasion

For the flowers, the feasts, the Thine, perchance, my dearest lady; Or, who knows?—it may be mine; What if't were—forgive the fancy,

What if 't were-both mine and -Thomas William Parsons

Parisian Scientist Declares That is a Cure for Tuber-

he has Tried it on a Number of Dogs With Effective Results.

Will science succeed in finding a means of preventing and of curing tuberculosis? Researches have been made on all sides, yet to this hour the made on all sides, yet to this hour the problem does not appear near solution, says a writer in the European edition of the New York Herald. It is necessary to say "to this hour," for attempts made with the most varied descriptions of serums have till now been fruitless. Is operotherapy—that is to say, the treatment which consists in inoculating with animal juices—about to be more fortunate? Without desiring to forecast the future, but judging to be more fortunate? Without desiring to forecast the future, but judging from the only experiments which M. Richet, of Paris, has just communicated to the Biological Society, one may reply in the affirmative, assuming it to be legitimate to form conclusions as to man from the dog. But let us not anticipate events; while maintaining a just reserve let us wait until

meat causes the death of dogs more rapidly than any other treatment. On the contrary, dogs fed upon raw meat continue in good health and get fat.

Out of a lot of twenty-four dogs tuberculized nine months previously only two that were fed on raw meat survive. They are large and in perfect health, whereas the other twenty-tree health are the contractions of the contraction two have long since succumbed.
Out of another lot of dogs, also in-

oculated with tuberculosis products, only one, fed extensively with raw meat, survived and continued in good condition, whereas all the rest died within five months at the outside, in

within five months at the outside, in a state of extreme cachexy.

The juice of raw meat acts in the same manner as raw meat. The animals that were tuberculized and treated with the juice keep in good health; others treated in any other manner all die within periods ranging from one to five months at the outside.

If the curative properties of raw meat are evident, the prophylactic part played by it is not less so. In fact, animals nourished with the juice of raw meat in large quant ities and subsequently inoculated, apprefactory to tuberculosis, as has been proby the latest experiments related by M. Richet, where the animals prepared by alimentation with raw flesh continue perfeetly well, while others are either dead or

lying.
But what is the dose of raw meat that should be given to dogs in order to preserve them from tuberculosis? Of the dogs tuberculized by M. Richet, one received seven grammes of meat per kilogramme of the animal's weight; another twelve gammes, a third thirty-two grammes, and a fourth and last sixty-four grammes per kilogramme of its weight per day: The first died, but three others are in very good health. It may therefore be assumed that the average amount of raw meat required to preserve a dog incculated with tuberculosis is from one to twelve grammes per day and per

kilogramme.

As M. Richet showed in a previous As M. Richet showed in a previous communication, raw meat acts by its juice and not by its pulp. In fact, if one places a piece of raw meat, compressed, to extract the juice, beneath a tap of running water for twenty-four hours, and then presses it, one obtains a juice which is absolutely in-

active. To administer raw meat with which it is proposed to treat tuberculosis pa-tients it must not be chopped or rasp-ed; it must be scraped with a sharp knife; the pulp must be put into cold broth and thus diluted. In this way one obtains a kind of soup over which one pours tepid broth or thin soup and even the yolks of one or two eggs.

In view of the results obtained by
M. Richet, the preventive and curative
treatemnt of tuberculosis by raw meat
is to be recommended as the most effective means at our disposal at this
moment for combatting this terrible

Every time a man invents a good scheme some other fellow comes along and makes a fortune out of it.

A vindictive temper is not only un-easy to others, but to them that have

HARWICH COUNCIL.

A meeting of the municipal council of Harwich was held in the town hall on Monday, Sept 10th, at 10 a.m. for despatch of business and the reading the report of the engineer on the Kelly extension drain.

Members present:—Reeve J. McCully, P. Morrison, C. Buchanan, J. McCormick, R. The report of the engineer on the Kelly

The report of the engineer on the Gre-gory creek drain from Raleigh was read and on motion was adopted and the cierk direct-ed to prepare a by-law in accordance there-

wish.

The following communication were read:

W. H. G. Colles with award of arbitrators
re lands of E. and H. Bicum and J. H. Hughson, to be transferred from S. S. No.

5 to 5½, the prayer of the petition was not granted by the arbitrators. L. E. & D. R. R'y, re sewer pipe culvert Wisson & Co. re Green D. & W. with agreements for signature.

E. McKerrall and 100 others presented a

petition asking for a grant of \$100 for West Kent Agricultural Society. A petition was also presented by Wm. Parrott and others asking for the opening of the road between con. 2 and 3, E. C. R, to

James Tate and 28 others presented a petition asking to have the lands struck off from S. S. No. 5, Harwich and Blenheim; a

counter petition of J. Wardle and 27 others was also presented asking the council to take no action in the matter.

Moved by Young and Buchanan, that the petition of Jas. Tate and others be granted and James Leslie be hereby appointed as arburater in the matter.—Carried. arbutratur in the matter.-Carrie .J. D. McCoig and others laid a petition on the table asking for a grant

to gravel the Centre Line.
On motion of Young and McCormick the matter was left in the hands of Commissioners Morrison and Buchanan, with power to act and spend about \$40, in addition to the work to be done

by the petitioners.

A. E., Rowe made application to have the Union Drain cleaned out to its original dimensions,
Moved by Young and McCormick,
that the application be entertained,
and Engineer Smith be notified to

make the necessary surveys, plans, etc., as speedily as possible, also to take levels with a wiew of making out-off for a portion of the water. Carried. Moved by McCormick and Young.

that the Reeve be empowered to look into the matter of one Walter Slann, an unfortunate young man who sick, and make arrangements to have him placed in one of the Chatham Hospitais.—Carried.

Moved by Morrison and Buchanan,
that Commissioners Young and Mc-

Cormick be a committee with power to act in the matter of the petition of Alex. McDougall and others re the aitch on the Centre Line.—Carried. Moved by Buchanan and Morrison, that in the matter of arbitration re S. S. Benheim and Harwich, the Harwich council most earnestly protest against any arbitrator being ap-pointed whose financial interests are

any way benefitted by his decision in the matters under consideration. Moved by McCormick and Young, that this council, having taken the as to man from the dog. But let us not anticipate events; while maintaining a just reserve let us wait until the clinic has pronounced his opinion. It results from the observations made by this Paris professor that, in the first place, treatment by cooked meat causes the death of dogs more rapidly than any other treatment. On

Moved by McCully and Buchanan, that in the matter of the Pickering Drain No. 2, Commissioners Morrison and Buchanan be empowered to act

and report.—Carried.

The accounts as hereunder given were passed and ordered to be paid: Mrs. Baxter, scrubbing and cleaning hall and office, \$2.50. Geo. Lucas, lock on door between

hall and office, 25c. Com'r ward 4, for gravel on 18 and 19 sideroad, \$25. H. Mosey, ditching and grading Con. 2, E. C. R., \$16.

Wm. Henry, ironwork for railing at cemetery, \$1.50. W. Pickering, balance on account of work at cemetery, 25c. H. Coleman, drawing earth on Con. 2, W. C. R., \$25. N. Houston, cutting thistles n e qu

s. Hadley Co., lumber and posts, 28.62. Geo. M. Baird, serving notices, Serson D. & W., \$1.50.

Geo. M. Baird, stationery and postage, \$2.56.

Geo. M. Baird, account salary, \$40. Com'r ward 4, to pay Tp, portion McIntyre D. & W., \$22.54. West Kent Agricultural Society grant for 1900, \$100. Municipal World, blank notices for

Ad. Smith, assistance, \$5.

John Clunis, repairing culverts, J. Johnson, building two bridges,

H. L. Merritt, lumber and posts, \$37.50. G. Griffeth, repairing bridge on Catheart St., 50c Robert Ross, cleaning out ditch,

W. Bentley, ditching and grading 18 and 19 sideroad, \$14. L. Sturk, two new bridges and repairing one, \$13. P. Sturk, covering bridge, \$2.50.

Robert Lang, two box culverts, \$10. C. D. Rowe, tile, \$3. J. Anderson, gravelling, \$25. C. Montgomery, burying dead horse,

The collector, R. L. Smyth, present ed his bond, signed by Jas. F. & Harry R. Smyth as sureties, which was accepted by the council.

The by-laws for the Kelly Extension and the Locke drains were provision. GEO. M. BAIRD,

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Quayle and her husband arrived in Galveston on Thursday before the storm, and took apartments in the Lucas terrace, a fashionable place in the eastern end of the island.

On Saturday the day of the storm, Mr. Quayle was not feeling well and remained in his room most of the time lying down on a couch. When the storm became wery bad after 8 o'clock he went to the windows, frequently he went to the windows, frequently hoping to see by an occasional flash of lightning whether or not there was

danger of destruction.

Suddenly there came an unusually violent fit of wind and the window out of which Mr. Quayle was peering was of which Mr. Quayle was peering was literally sucked out as if by a mighty air pump, and he was taken along with it. Mrs. Quayle, instead of being drawn along in the direction of the storm, was thrown in the opposite direction against the door of her room. When she came to her senses

found she was not severely hurt.
Sunday morning she searched throughout all the adjacent portion of the city for her missing husband. But not a trace of him was to be found. The search was kept up till Monday night, by which time all the wounded had been cared for in the best possible manner, and all the dead had become putrid. Mr. Quayle had on his person some very valuable jew-elry and quite a large sum of money at the time he disappeared.

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THE PROBABILITIES.

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Bicycle Repairs at Brisco's. Monday evening, Excelsior Band in

makers wanted. Apply to Madame Skirving at Thos. Stone & Son's dress

The Winnipeg correspondent of the Globe says that Geo. Allen, formerly of this city, died in Brandon recently. Drainage Referee J. B. Rankin, Q. C., left for Toronto on Saturday afternoon on business connected with his office.

Miss Bunn, dressmaker has returned to Chatham after taking a course of the course of the next six months, although he finally admitted that he was not very much in love with the idea. Mr. Houston then said that if Peters would come forward and give evidence against the other man when caught, he would let him go. The "give evidence" phrase evidently puzzled both the aged and the youthful Peters, and after a lot of Chippewa talk had been

ed to Chatham after taking a course in the New York Cutting School for Tailoring and Fancy Dressmaking. Apprentices wanted. Rev. Dr. McKenzie, of St. Stephen,

N. B., will occupy the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church during both services next Sunday. Until further notice the prayer meeting will be held on Friday evening.

City Engineer Shackleton takes exalderman that there have not been any granolithic walks laid yet. Ac-

Archie Campbell has been proposed and has accepted the nomination in West York. The World says, "Archie won't know his own name when Hon. N. Clark Wallace gets through with him."

Dresden, Sept. 17. — Prince Albert, of Saxony, was killed in a carriage accident yesterday at Wolkau, a short distance from Dresden.

Will. A. Campbell left to-day to return to his duties in the Imperial Bank. Mr. Campbell is an exceedingly popular young man and has always been closely allied with athletic sports and he will be much missed in athletic

Blight & Fielder, contractors, of this city, have been awarded the contract of the Blenheim public school. The cost of same will about \$12,000. The plans are those of J. L. Wilson &

New Method Top Coats.-This season the short and medium lengths are again fashionable. These coats are made of medium and heavy weight double faced covet cloth, without lining. Colors are tan, olive, Oxford, black and blue. Prices, \$7.50, \$10.00, \$12.50 and \$15.00. The 2 T's only.

Senex Bannister has sent Magistrate Houston a letter from Windsor in-forming the P. M. that he intends to make the border town his home for a year or more. Mr. Houston considthat such an arrangement will be much safer for Senex and will be hail-ed with delight by Chatham citizens. Chief of Police Young says he will

Mrs. (Dr.) Leys, Detroit, Mich., is visiting the Misses Peck, River Road, Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Gorham and son Am-

brose will arrive from Calgary, Alberta, to-night as guests of Mrs. V. Park, Park St.

Men wanted—15 able bodied men at once, \$1.50 per day. Apply to Lynch & Lynch, contractors King street

A copy of the petition praying for the release of John Tughey, now serv-ing a twenty year term in Kingston penitentiary, is being cir culated in the country. Thus far the following have country. Thus far the following have subscribed their names thereto: -Wm. R. Hall, Samuel F. Hicklin, Jas. Rich-R. Hall, Samuel F. Hicklin, Jas. Richmond, Jacob Cummon, Matthew Stewart, J. C. Stewart, Gordon Stewart, Wm. Lamb, E. Masterson, Chas. Chipple, Robert George, Daniel Mafney, James N. George, John Wilson, R. Richardson, P. Doyle, Arthur Barber, John Vinson, Wm. Seffson, Thomas McCauthren, Wm. McCauthren, Edward J. Dauphin, Peter Dauphin, Robt. McCauthren, James G. Jinkeson, Col. Spafford, John S. Dungy, Jas. T. Dungy, Jas. McNaughton, D. Brown, Henry Herniman, I. O. Dawson, D. An-Henry Herniman, I. O. Dawson, D. Angus, John Ratcliff, Joseph Yott, Peter Yott, Geo. Oliver, W. Somerset, Wm. Hackness, Owen Gallagher, B. Gallagher and Geo. Gallagher.

AN OBDURATE INDIAN. Scott Peters, an eighteen year old Scott Peters, an eighteen year old Indian gave a very interesting exhibition of native indifference and stubbornness at the police court this morning. A week ago Peters was run in for carrying a bottle of whiskey which, as the police have since ascertained, was procured for him by a certain colored man. Last Monday the tain colored man. Last Monday the red-skin would not peach on his friend Bicycle Repairs at Brisco's. tf
Band concert at Port Lambton this
Monday evening, Excelsior Band in
attendance.

Experienced waist makers and coat
makers wanted. Apply to Madame
Skirving at Thos. Stone & Son's dress
making department.

Herbert Ingram and Miss Addie Ingram, of Ridgetown, spent Sunday in
the city.

The Winnights correspondent of the

after a lot of Chippewa talk had been exhausted they were still undecided. At last the chief changed the "give evidence" to "be a witness" and understanding at once gleamed in the dusky optics. Peters was let go on this condition,

DISSOLUTION IN BRITAIN. Aberdeen, Sept. I'. - At the meet ing of the council at Balmoral to-day it was decided that the dissolution of

the British parliament is to take place

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HE'S UP AGAINST IT

Archie Campbell Will See Clarke Wallace's 5,000 Majority.

He Accepts the Nomination in West York-Says He Expects to

Weston, Sept. 17.-The Reformers of West York on Saturday unanimously no minated Arch. Campbell, M. P., for Kent Mr. Campbell in accepting the nomination thanked the electors for the honor they had conferred upon. Upon four occasions the people of heut did him the honor to nominate him as their standard-bearer, and upon the honor to hear their standard-bearer, and upon the him as their standard-bearer and upon the himself and the hims cach occasion he carried the Liberal be

cach eccasion he carried the Liberal banner to victory.

In view of the fact that all his interests are now in West York, and that there were many Reformers in his old constituency who could easily carry the riding, he felt that he would prefer to represent in Parliament the people amongst whom he lived. He looked for certain victory in West York. The first contest he went into in Kent, the outlook was not so promin Kent, the outlook was not so promising, yet a majority of over 100 was given him, and in later years it ingiven him, and in later years it in-creased. It was not through himself, however, by which he expected to be returned to Parliament; but by the support of the stalwart Reformers of the riding.

THE PLAINTIFFS WIN. Divisional Court. -Before Falcon-

Divisional Court. —Before Falcon-bridge, C. J.. Street, J.—Township of Tilbury West, vs. Township of Romney.—Judgment (L.) on appeal by plaintiffs from order of Rose, J., af-firming order of local judge at Chat-ham, staying proceedings. Action to recover \$7.480.20 (and interest), the shares of the defendants in the amount of the costs of the "Big Creek, Drain" in the county of Essex, pursuant to the report of the engineer appointed by the plaintiffs. The order in appeal stays proceedings in this action pending the appeal to the Su-preme Court of Canada in an action of he Sutherland Innes Co. vs. Romney. brought by landowners in the town-ship of Romney to set aside a by-law of said township adopting the said re-port, and to prevent the assessment of the plaintiff's land to provide part payment for the drain. It was con-tended for plaintiffs that their action tended for plaintiffs that their action is properly constituted and that they have a valid cause of action; that they are not parties to the action of Innes vs. Romney, and cannot be affected by the results, and that defendants have no defence and are estopped from questioning the report because they have not appealed against it, but on the contrary, recognized their liability by passing a by-law pursuant to it, and making assessments and levying rates and issuing debentures thereunder, and also standing by while ants have no defence and are estopped from questioning the report because they have not appealed against it, but on the contrary, recognized their liability by passing a by-law pursuant to it, and making assessments and levying rates and issuing debentures thereunder, and also standing by while the plaintiffs completed the work and then using the drain, and that at all events a stay should not be granted until after the delivery of defence. Held, that plaintiffs in bringing this action are pursuing an undoubted right, and that they are not doing anything of a vexatious character, see Higgins vs. Woodhalt, 6 T. L. R., and G. N. W. Central Ry. Co. vs. Stevens, 18 P. R. 392. Appeal allowed with costs here and below. DuVernet for appellants. Aylesworth, Q.C., for defendants. net for appellants. Aylesworth,

GREAT COAL STRIKE. Hazleton, Pa., September 17. - The great anthracite strike was begun to-day throughout the entire hard coal

for defendants.

day throughout the entire hard coat region of Pennsylvania. With the exception of Coxe's colliery at Benver Meadow, the entire territory known as the south side, which includes about 12 mining towns, is completely tied up. On the north side, which takes in 10 towns, nearly every colliery started up, but had to suspend later because of the lack of men. Many others will probably shut down during the day. So far 100,000 men are out and 15,000 more will join them to-morrow.

DEWET KILLED.

New York, Sept. 17.-It is rumored n Johannesburg that Gen. Christian Dewet, the Boer guerrilla, was killed , inst., near Potchefstroe the London correspondent of the Tri-

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THE FALL ASSIZES

Scheduled to Open Here This Af ernoon -The Jury List.

The fall assizes were scheduled to open this afternoon before Chancellor Boyd at the court house. The court officials and jurymen were in attendance but owing to the late arrival of His Lordship not much business was done. The jurymen are as follows:-

Grand jury-William Buchanan, Thamesville; Bernard Gallagner and John Hurly, Chatham township; J E Johnston, Chatham city; John Sather, Orford; Frank McKeough, Chatham city; Geo. Middle-ditch. Ridgetown; J F Titus, Bienheim; E B Toll, Harwich; John Vester, Harwich; John Webster, Camden; D G Wilson, Howard; Robert Wigfield, Romney.

Pickering, Blenheim; Hugh Palmer, Ridge town; Angus Robertson, Howard; J A Rid ey, Ridgetown; Bilton Suary, sr., Gore of Camden; Robt W Stokes, Dover; J T Saint, Wallaceburg; Wm H Taylor, Gore of Camden; Wm Tape, Howard; Geo Vester; Harwich; Thos Wells, Gore of Camden; W T Wees, Gore of Camden; John Wardle, Harwich;

Citizens generally will remember Charlie West, who studied medicine in Chatham years ago, and will therefore be interested in the following item which appears in Sunday's Detroit Tribune:

well-known physician around Baker and Eighteenth Sts., was sent to the house of correction yesterday by Justice Peter B. DeLisle for 30 days, on charge of assault and battery. Dr. West was complained of by Mrs. Nellie Millan, of Radmacher Ave., in Spring-wells. The doctor had created quite a Millan, of Radmacher Ave., in Springwells. The doctor had created quite a scandal on the morning of his arrest by kicking in the door of their dwelling. He was arrested for this, but when released went back and abused the woman. The case of malicious destruction to property was dismissed by the justice. A fine of \$25 was imposed. Five years ago Dr. West removed from Eighteenth street to Cleveland, but came back over a year ago. He has been involved in several scandals and it is believed that whiskey and various kinds of "dope" are responsible for his downfail."

The facts of the case seem to have been that Dr. West had been rooming at this woman's house. He went back there to claim some things and she locked the door on him. He kicked in the door. She had him arrested. The judge released him immediately on his own bail to appear later for trial. He at once went back to the house and beat Mrs. Millan. She had him areersted a second time within two hours and the court this time sent him to jail.

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New patterns, just in, beautiful colorings, thick heavy nap, 6 pat-terns, from 28 in. wide, special per

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6 pos. of Chintz, suitable for cushions, etc., dark or light grounds, beautiful patterns, fast colors, reg. 12½c value, special per yd. 10c.

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We have an elegant assortment of patterns in this line of goods, reversible designs, wide widths, washing colors, very suitable for cushions or upholstering, per yd. 22c.

Belgium Table Covers, Special, 54x54 in. Table Covers, heavy fringe, beautiful patterns, blue, green and moroon shades, value \$1.65 each.

Unbleached Sheetings, 8x4 plain or twilled Unbleached

Sheeting heavy quality, fine soft yarns, at 15c and 22c per yd.

White Cottons, See our special value in bleached cotton, 36 in wide, at 8c and 10c yd. 32 in. bleached factory at 7½c yd.

Shaker Flannels,

10 patterns, full 36 in. fancy striped shaker flannels, English manufacture, at 10c yd.

30 pcs. Dark Shirting Flannels, in stripes and checks, the kind you pay 12½c for, to clear at 10c yd.

Fine Towels,

A big snap, 10 dez. all linen huck towels, red border, fringed ends, 23x46 in, reg. 18c goods, to clear at 15c each. Fancy Towel Racks, with 3 rings, at 25c a rack.

Table Linens, Our own special linen, harp, rose and thistle patterns, pure flax, 60 in. wide, fine finish, worth reg. 60c, special per yd. 50c. Special 70 in. unbleached tabling,

40c per yd.

Apron Linens, New colored bordered apron linens, fine cloth, 38 in. wide, at 17c, 20c,

Toweling Specials,

17 in. heavy huck red border, 81c yd. 15 in. heavy crash toweling, 8c yd. 17 in. heavy plain crash, red borders, 7c yd.

Cotton Cashmerettes, A 36 in. wash material, cashmere weave, royal and cardinal shades, suitable for children's dresses or quilt linings, worth 15e for 12he yd.

Table Napkins, A complete stock to choose from, all bright new goods, here are three specials:— 24x24 size, pure dot pattern, at

\$2.25 per dozen.
20x20 size, special assorted patterns, ready hemmed, all pure linen, at \$1.65 per dozen.
19x19 size, best all linen napkin

in the trade, at \$1 per dozen.

Victoria Lawns,

We always keep good lawns and to three lines: 45 in. reg. 15c quality, at 121c yd. 42 in. extra fine quality at 15c yd. 54 in. special fine finish, at 25c yd.

Piece Linens,

Our Christmas stock of these goods now ready for your inspection, consisting of round, square or oval shaped D'Oylies, Lunch Cloths, Tray Cloth, Carvers, Side-Board Runners and Centre Pieces, all at reasonable prices.

Cut this slip out, cring it with you to prove to you that what we advertise is carried out to the letter. Any of the above articles can be found at our staple

"Dr. Charles F. West, formerly a Stylish Dress Materials At One Dolar Per Yard

Here is a short list of some of the most popular fabrics for fashionable wear this fall, every one of which may be purchased at this very reasonable price, we advise your prompt attention to a tour of inspection. It may not be long till such high qualities at this price are exhausted.

10 pcs. 56 in. homespun, in light, medium and oxford gray, green, navy blue, black, brown, all pure wool and from the maker, a special cloth for tailor-made suit, we are selling at \$1 per yd.

8 pcs. 52 in. broad-cloths, all pure wool, in solid shades of may, brown, light and dark green, myrtle, fawn, cardinal, slate, dark green, myrtle, fawn, cardinal, slate, are great values, we are selling them

at \$1 per yd.

2 pcs. 48 in, black and navy Vienna cloth, all pure wood, heavy material for seperate skirt or tailor-made costumes, extra value, we are selling at \$1 per yd.

4 pcs. 52 and 54 in. black and navy blue serges, fine hard finish, in heavy weight and medium weight, all pure wool, unshrinkable goods, special for tailor made suit or seperate skirt, we are selling at \$1 per yd.

4 pes. 42 in. black poplin cord, fancy in pretty raised design, correct style for this season, they are special for seperate skirts or a fall dress, extra value, we are selling at \$1

4 pcs .42 in. black crepon, in fancy raised design, also fancy raised stripes, all-wool. rare value, we are selling at \$1 per yd.

3 pcs 46 in black velour, henriettas, extra-fine silky finish, in jet black also heavy corded back, they are values, we are selling them at \$1 per yd

2 pes 48 in black poplin cord, extra fine silky finish, all-wool firm weave, durable cloth, makes a stylish dress, come an inspect the value, we are selling them at \$1 yer yd.

4 pcs. 48 in. colored ripley serge, py wool, extra fluish, in all the pretty r colorings, a stylish cloth for suit, no value, we are selling them at \$1 per y

4 pcs. 48 in. colored bengaline cor-shades of brown, new green, royal pretty gray, extra fine finish, desirable, for special dress, we are selling them

The Bargain Cent

We have received a consignment of Woolens for Fall which we regard as the most important importation of the season.

The goods consist of new designs in weave and color and are of a very

We are prepared to make from any piece selected, perfect fitting and MORLEY & CO.

a winning smile and eloquence pro-found, unfold their scheme for bet-

tering the poor farmer's condition,

show a short road and a surer way to success than an investment in

Government bonds. All it will cost

the farmer is a few dollars—a very small trifle compared with the rich

And the farmer bites at the tempt-

ing bait. Who among us has no pat-

ent stock-waterer, feed cooker or fence machine thrown back in som

dark corner of the barn where we

among us has not purchased from some smooth agent a machine that

will do wonders-almost tend and

raise a crop without assistance.
Who has not purchased poultry food

stock machine and health foods? But that day is now passing away,

though we still see an occasional fa-kir growing fat off the farmers. The

sence man still is not wholly extinct,

and the papers still chronicle, the swindling of some man by the light-

ning rod sharks. Only last year a fellow selling an "egg producer" did

a big business in our neighborhood.

This spring there were many of his customers calling for more powders!

They declared that the results with their poultry were what the agent

I happened to know just what the

stuff was and what it cost the agent

sulphur and a little bone meal. This was done up in pound and two-

pound packages, selling at 50c. and 5c. respectively, to be put in the

feed of the hens at the rate of three tablespoonfuls per dozen hens three times a week. The highly colored

pense in putting up the staff-about

in the spring of the year, of

three cents. As he worked the coun-

course the hens, in nine cases out of

ten, commenced laying within two or three weeks. Of course the pow-

ders, not nature, got the credit for

Then there is the man selling th

\$60 or \$100 bill of dry goods. He

can show you the figures to prove that you are getting twice the worth

of your money. Should you buy, however, you would never maintain

afterward that figures would not lie.

for swindlers is in the nursery line.

Every season there are new men com-

ing around representing some famous

dishonestly with their customers. Honest dealing is the best of adver-

ent shows a lot of highly-colored

plates, and perhaps some jars of pre erved fruit of unusual size.

gets the order for a bill of trees.

ou will probably find that they are

nan had no intention of ever appear-

ng in the country again, he filled

he could find, regardless of quality

There are exceptions to all rules

re mail order houses that will do

whenever you can. This is especi-ally true in regard to nursery stock

as it is to your advantage, but if it

There is no sure cure for cholera

The best remedy is a teaspoonful of

liquid carbolic acid in half a gallon

of water. A creat many persons in-

out knowing what disease may ex-

hest evidence that there is no chol-

era, for it rids itself in a few days.

the edle to relathing.

The Germans make flannel under-

needles, as well as socks for men and

stockings for women, while knee warmers, knitting and darning yarns,

cork soles, quilts, wadding, deafening paper for walls, pine needle soap, in-

cense, and even cirars made from this

Germany for years. Bathing resorts have also been established at points where the pine needle are crushed,

and these resorts have long been pop-ular with people afflicted with rheu-

How to Detect Impure Water, To detect impure water, draw &

tumblerful at night, put a piece of white lump sugar in it and place it

on the kitchen mantlepiece or in any

place where the temperature will not be under sixt

a simple and sare test well known to

Chinese Veneration of the Lily, Among the Chinese, should the lily

blossom on New Year's Day, it is regarded as a most happy omen, pre-

saging the best of luck to the tunate owner of the plant.

matism, consumption, etc

raw material have been imported from

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of the fibre of the pine

The symptoms are great prostrat-

not true to name, either. As

he orders with the cheapest

So says the agent. The ag-

were the principal ex-

seldom look ourselves and avoid tak

ing a neighbor or a friend?

reward sure to come.

Granose Flakes, 15c a pkge. Granola, 12c a pkge. Caramel Cereal, 15c a pkge. Grape Nuts, 20c a pkge. Shredded Wheat Biscuit 15c a pkge. Health Wheat Food, 12c a pkge.

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Ottawa Citizen

nas Ahearn, who recently returned from England, tells of the great generosity of a retired officer of the British army. Col. of a retired officer of the British army. Col.
Bayley. Mr. Ahearn met, on the steamer
on which he returned to Canada, Pte.
Brooking, who went from British Columbia
with the first contingent. Pte. Brooking
was shot in the knee and was informed by
she attending physicians that he would have
to have his leg amputated. He was invalided to England before this operation was
performed.

performed
In England Pte. Brooking met Colonel
Bayley. The latter was attracted by the
young soldier and invited him to his home
and also took him to his palatial country
residence. There he learned of the Canadian's plight. In his kindness of heart,
Pte. Brooking told Mr. Ahearn, Col. Bayley sent to London for the best surgeon of
the metropolis. The doctor examined the the metropolis. The doctor examined the scldier's leg and paid him three visits. By skilful treatment he succeeded, to the joy of the soldier and the colonel, in saving the limb The generosity of Col. Bayley may be understood when it is known that for the saving of the soldier and the paid of the savings of the savings the paid services of the eminent physician he paid the sum of 250 guineas, or over \$1,250. Pte, Brooking, when he returned to Canada. had entirely recovered the use of the knee.

TO-MORROW NIGHT'S ATTRACTION.

During the past week "A Breezy Time" has appeared at Saginaw, Bay City, Port Huron and London, and without a single exception. the newspapers of these cities have spoken of it as a clever farce-comedy full of first-class music and with a thoroughly capable corps of comedians to provide the fun. The company carries its own band and orchestra and has a number of novelties, one of the principal ones being the electrical garden in the last act. Mgr. Cairns, of the Grand, says that he believes the performance to-morrow night will prove a thoroughly pleasing one, if any dependence can be placed on the any dependence can be placed of the comments of the papers in the towns mentioned above. In London all three papers, the Free Press, the Advertiser and the News reported packed houses for three nights and very satisfactory

NEARLY 1500 MEN

Belonging to The Canadian Regiments Are Fit For Active Duty.

Ottawa, Sept. 17.—Reports were received o-day at the Militia Department from Col. Otter, Col. Lessard and Col. Evans. Col. Evans says that the parade state of his battalion on July 29 was 273 of all ranks. Lieut Col. Otter says that on August 3 700 of all ranks in his battalion were available for service, and Col Lessard says that the the regular state on July 30 showed that the parade state on July 30 showed

There will be another Band Concert at Port Lambton, Monday evening,

TILBURY.

Sent 17 - Mr and Mrs John Clark of Brampton, were the guests of the latter's brother here, Mr. Elliot, on Saturday. Forty hours' devotion began in the Catholic Church here yesterday morning. Rev. Father francis, of Chatham, delivered an address in English at the service last evening Bishop McEvay will arrive on Tuesday and remain over till Wednesday to

Willie Kingswell, of California, is visiting elatives in this vicinity.

Gordon Richardson, of Essex High chool, spent Saturday and Sunday at his!

Lawyer Nelles, Asa Laing, John Bowles and Dr. Armstrong attended the Conserva-tive convention in Chatham on Saturday. Mrs. James Stewart returned on Saturday from a visit to Port Stanley.

Miss Maggie Kingswell, of Chatham,

spent Sunday with relatives here The tuneral of Charlie Peleier was very largely attended vesterday about forty do so direct, by correspondence ratherry. The pall-bearers all rode on white horses at the head of the procession, all being members of the A O. F., to which de-

ased belonged. The Daily Planet is on sale at Johnson's Drug Store.

at Port Lambton, Monday evening, Sept. 17.

DRESDEN.

Sept. 17 .- Mrs. Williams has returned home, after a pleasant visit with her son. Dr. Williams. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Packham were in

Turnerville yesterday.
Miss N.na Waffle has returned from digestion from excessive feeding. Miss N.aa Wafrie has returned from an extended visit to friends in the east. A horse belonging to Albert Elgy became frightened at a pile of rub-bish left by workmen at the Prangley drain, and in trying to turn fell over into the drain and was killed. No damage was done to the rig and the oc-

cupants escaped unhurt.
Mrs. J. C. Tassie has returned from a

Fall Trade = 1900 = Fall Goods of his work, is not always very well informed in regard to the business world; hence he is an especial mark for sharks, fakirs and confidence men. These fellows drive over the country dressed up to kill, and with

A WORD ABOUT THE GORDON STORE

As we again begin our Fall trade, we celebrate our sixteenth Fall opening. In these days of keen competition, we are leaders in all the lines we carry, namely Dress Goods and Silks, Ladies' Jackets, Ladies' Fine Furs, Blankets and Flannels, Printed Cotton Goods of all kinds, Bed Room, Dining Room and Kitchen Wear, Lace Curtains, Damask and Chenille Drapes, Ladies' White Wear, Cotton, Silk and Woolen Underwear, Ladies' and Children's Ready-to-wear Garments of all kinds, with many minor lines and last though not least, our Men's Furnishing Wear. Each department is under skilled and dilligent care. We guarantee our customers satisfaction all round In the style, quality and price of our goods lies the milk of the cocoanut.

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WANTED GIRL WANTED—No washing or sweeping. Apply to Mrs. Thomas, Canadian Pank of Commerce. BOARDERS WANTED-Room for four ladies or gen:letnen, Apply to MRS. QUIRK, 41 Baxter Street.

WANTED—5 or 15 acres, with or without buildings, to buy or to rent. Address K R Reid, WANTED-A good girl for seperal housework-go dwages, and h. me leges granted a respectable girl. Apoy to Mrs. J. V. Carpenter, last house on El z. beth Street

The groceryman is not so bad, al-though he will bear watching. WANTED—A purchaser for a good paying bakir g business including a portable eyen, only a year old, pans, true, furniture, etc. Reason for skiling, going home to England Apply to MRN, A. WHITTON, Pitth St. Bridge. Probably one of the greatest fields

CIRL WANTED—For general housework, small family, house with all modern conveniences, apply to Mrs. Kingsmitt, William St. institution the farmer never heard of before. He is only introducing his stock. The nursery is working the territory with a view to future pro-fits. They could not afford to deal

WANTED-Married 'r si gle man to work en a farm, a's girl frache al husswor. Ap ly to Abram Huff, Indiaa Creek Farm, thatham F.U.

WANTED BELIABLE MEN-In every introduce our goods, tacking up show-ar is on treess tences, along roads, and all conspicuous places, also distributing small advertising matter. Commission or salary 800 00 per month and expenses not to exceed \$2.50 per eag. Steady employment to good, honest reliable men. No experience peedful, Write for full particulars. When they are delivered, you find that they are far from what was re-The EMPIRE ARDICINE Co., London, Ont.

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And the farmer bites at the tempt

ing bait. Who among us has no pat-

ent stock-waterer, feed cooker or fence machine thrown back in some

dark corner of the barn where we seldom look ourselves and avoid tak-

among us has not purchased from

will do wonders—almost tend and raise a crop without assistance?

Who has not purchased poultry food, stock machine and health foods? But

that day is now passing away

though we still see an occasional fa-

kir growing fat off the farmers. The fence man still is not wholly extinct, and the papers still chronicle the

swindling of some man by the light-ning rod sharks. Only last year a

fellow selling an "egg producer" die

a big business in our neighborhood.

This spring there were many of his

customers calling for more powders!

They declared that the results with

their poultry were what the agent

I happened to know just what the

stuff was and what it cost the agent The powder was sifted ashes, salt, sulphur and a little bone meal. This

was done up in pound and twopound packages, selling at 50c. and 5c. respectively, to be put in the

feed of the hens at the rate of three tablespoonfuls per dozen hens three times a week. The highly colored

pense in putting up the stuff-about three cents. As he worked the coun

course the hens, in nine cases out of

ten, commenced laying within two or three weeks. Of course the pow-

ders, not nature, got the credit for

Then there is the man selling the \$60 or \$100 bill of dry goods. He

can show you the figures to prove that you are getting twice the worth

of your money. Should you buy, however, you would never maintain

afterward that figures would not lie.

The groceryman is not so bad, al-though he will bear watching.

Probably one of the greatest fields for swindlers is in the nursery line.

Every season there are new men com-

ing around representing some famous

institution the farmer never heard of

before. He is only introducing his

stock. The nursery is working the

tising. So says the agent. The ag-

ent shows a lot of highly-colored

plates, and perhaps some jars of pre served fruit of unusual size. He gets the order for a bill of trees.

When they are delivered, you find that they are far from what was re-

presented to you. And in later years

man had no intention of ever appear-

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Canadian's Leg.

Bayley. Mr Ahearn met, on the steamer on which he returned to Canada, Pte. oxing, who went from British Columbia with the first contingent. Pte. Brooking was shot in the knee and was informed by the attending physicians that he would have to have his leg amputated. He was invalided to England before this operation was

Bayley. The latter was attracted by the young soldier and invited him to his home and also took him to his palatial country residence. There he learned of the Can-adian's plight. In his kindness of heart, Pte. Brooking told Mr. Ahearn, Col. Bay-ley sent to London for the best surgeon of the metropolis. The doctor examined the soldier's leg and paid him three visits. By skilful treatment he succeeded, to the joy of the soldier and the colonel, in saving the limb The generosity of Col. Bayley may be understood when it is known that for the services of the eminent physician he paid the sum of 250 guineas, or over \$1,250. Pte, Brooking, when he returned to Canada. had entirely recovered the use of the knee.

During the past week "A Breezy Time" has appeared at Saginaw, Bay City, Port Huron and London, and without a single exception the newspapers of these cities have spoken of it as a clever farce-comedy spoken of it as a clever large-content full of first-class music and with a thoroughly capable corps of comedi-ans to provide the fun. The company carries its own band and orchestra and has a number of nevelties, one of and has a number of nevelties, one of the principal ones being the electrical garden in the last act. Mgr. Cairns, of the Grand, says that he believes the performance to-morrow night will prove a thoroughly pleasing one, if any dependence can be placed on the comments of the papers in the towns mentioned above. In London all three papers, the Free Press, the Advertiser and the News reported packed houses for three nights and very satisfactory for three nights and very satisfactory

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Ottawa, Sept. 17.—Reports were received to-day at the Militia Department from Col. Otter, Col. Lessard and Col. Evans. Col. Evans says that the parade state of his battalion on July 29 was 273 of all ranks. Lieut Col. Otter says that on August 3
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Sept. 17.-Mr. and Mrs. John Clark, of Brampton, were the guests of the latter's brother here, Mr. Elliot, on Saturday.

Forty hours' devotion began in the Catholic Church here yesterday morning. Rev. Father Francis, of Chatham, delivered an address in English at the service last evening Bishop McEvay will arrive on Tuesday and remain over till Wednesday to

elatives in this vicinity.
Gordon Richardson, of Essex High

Lawyer Nelles, Asa Laing, John Bowles and Dr. Armstrong attended the Conservative convention in Chatham on Saturday.

Mrs. James Stewart returned on Saturday

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Miss Maggie Kingswell, of Chatham, spent Sunday with relatives here
The tuneral of Charlie Peltier was very largely attended yesterday, about forty carriages following the body to the cemetery. The pall-bearers all rode on white

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Miss N.na Waffle has returned from

an extended visit to friends in the east.
A horse belonging to Albert Elgy became frightened at a pile of rub-bish left by workmen at the Prangley drain, and in trying to turn fell over into the drain and was killed. No damage was done to the rig and the oc-

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Thomas Ahearn, who recently returned from England, tells of the great generosity of a retired officer of the British army. Col.

In England Pte. Brooking met Colonel

TO-MORROW NIGHT'S ATTRACTION.

NEARLY 1500 MEN

Belonging to The Canadian Regi-

old confirmation. Willie Kingswell, of California, is visiting hool, spent Saturday and Sunday at his

horses at the head of the procession, all being members of the A.O.F., to which de-

digestion from excessive feeding. The Germans make flannel undercletting of the fibre of the pine needles, as well as socks for men and stockings for women, while knee, warmers, knitting and darning yarns, cork soles, quilts, wadding, deafening paper for walls, pine needle soap, incupants escaped unhurt.
Mrs. J. C. Tassie has returned from a

matism, consumption, etc. How to Detect Impure Water. To detect impure water, draw a

tumblerful at night, put a piece of white lump sugar in it and place it on the kitchen mantlepiece or in any place where the temperature will not be under sixt rees Fahrenheit. will b mr; it contaminat sewerage or other impurities,

cense, and even cigars made from this

raw material have been imported from

have also been established at points where the pine needle are crushed,

and these resorts have long been pop-ular with people afflicted with theu-

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WILD CHASE AFTER A SPARE PROPEL-LER LOOSE ON DECK.

A Cowboy Conquered the Three Winged Iron Monster That Would Have Wrecked the Ship After the Crew Had Failed to Subdue It.

During the gales of last winter more than 20 tramp steamers were lost. Ten were never heard from after leaving port. More than 150 broke their shafts. In over a score of instances they also lost their propellers and were saved from being overwhelmed by sea anchors, which held their heads to the combers, and a liberal use of oil, which smoothed down the crests. Some of the underballasted tramps from British ports, which in pleasant weather make the voyage to Sandy Hook in 15 days, were 35 days and 40 days breasting the great winter gales. Two of them rolled their funnels out, and another spent 15 days either attempting to make her way through the crested billows or wallowing in the together. During these 15 days the weary skipper found, when he had a chance to make an observation, that the ship had made 140 knots leeway. In this tumultuous period very few of the officers were able to get any sleep, except the merest catnaps. The food was hardly fit to eat through bad cooking, the cook being unable to work properly, and the water, impregnated by the searching brine from invading seas and spoondrift did not do much toward quenching thirst The perils of the underballasted tramp, steaming to the westward with head

gales lashing the seas into fury, furnish the marine reporters of nearly every Atlantic seaboard city every winter with columns of vivid stories. The tramp skipper is undaunted by the appalling dangers of his underpaid profession. Th business of following the sea is the only one he knows anything about, and he must either risk starvation on shore or boldly face the manifold dangers of a rover of the oceans of the world, which little notes the loss of a tramp steamship here and there. When a tramp skipper loses his job-he never gives it up-there are a dozen or more applications for it

despite its perils and its meager pay.

All the smaller tramps that visit ports without facilities for providing or repair-ing machinery carry, usually on the main deck aft or between decks, a spare propeller. There have been several instances in which tramps with these extra propellers have just escaped destruction in heavy weather. A little British tramp that came into New York from the Mediterranean several years ago had a spare propeller made fast between decks aft. One night, when she was within a few days of Sandy Hook, plunging and rolling in a cyclone, the propeller broke from its lashings and began thundering about the deck. The only illumination aboard ship was by means of flickering kerosene lamps. The skipper and several of his crew went down into the gloomy space between decks and made an effort to check the erratic flight of the three wing-

ed iron monster.

They were armed with wooden and iron bars and pieces of dunnage, which they tried to use as levers. It was difficult to keep the ship's head up in the swell. She persisted in dropping off, and every time she rolled the demon of a propeller rum-bled across the steel deck to port or starboard, threatening to smash through the ship's side. The skipper sent one of his men to the bridge to tell the officer in charge to try to keep the ship's head up. the movements of the propeller being less dangerous while the ship was pitching. but she wouldn't answer her helm. The mass of metal stopped at times just long enough to allow the skipper and his adventuresome men to get within reach of it. Then it stirred like a sentient thing and appeared to spring at them. They saved themselves from injury by jumping

aside or leaping over it. At last, as the ship lurched heavily to port, the propeller whirled down the inclined deck and smashed against the side. One of its blades went through a plate. It hung for a moment against a rib of the ship; then, loosening itself as the ship rolled and heeled to starboard, it bowled athwartship again. A fountain of sea water spurted through the hole made by the propeller blade as the tramp lled to port again, and the propeller slid that way. A few more holes in the ship's side would have caused her to take in so much water that she would have been in danger of foundering, and the skipper began to wish that the propeller had gone all the way through and drop-

ped into the sea. There was one passenger aboard the tramp, a stout young fellow who had experience as a cowboy on the Texas plains. He had heard the booming of the spare propeller, and he went to the skipper and volunteered to check it in its mad course At first it revealed itself only dimly to him, a huge, batlike shadow, under the fairt and unsteady glow of the kerosene lamps. After the cowboy had become somewhat accustomed to the gloom and had spent a few moments dodging the propeller he took a lasso, which he made of a hawser, and with the unerring aim of an expert bull puncher he rung one of the blades with the noose. He made a Central c. H. Gunn & Co.

the blades with the other end around a winch, about amidships, and the propeller was subdued. Then the skipper and his men fell upon it as if it were a living thing, and with beams and bars and chains and ropes they made it so fast that all the storms of the north Atlantic could not have broken it loose again.

It is 400 years now since the first known muff was worn. Venice was the place, November was the month, name of lady who introduced the fashion un-known. Venice is not in a cold climate; therefore it is odd that the fashion should have originated there. The Venetian dames did not use the muff originally to to protect their pretty hands. They used it as a cuddling place for the small dogs which were fashionable then. The first muffs were made of cloths, mostly satin or brocades, lined and bordered with fur. In the seventeenth century men as well as women carried muffs, at least in

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Lord Roberts Is ues One to the Burghers.

London, Sept. 14.-The following despatch has been received at the war office from Lord Roberts:

"Machadodorp, Thursday, Sept. 13 .-Kruger has fled to Lorenzo Marquez, and Botha has been obliged to give over the command of the Boer army temporarily to Viljoen on account of ill health. In consequence of this I have circulated a proclamation as follows :-

"The late President Kruger, with

Reitz and the archives of the South African Republic, has crossed the Portuguese frontier, and arrived at Lorenzo Marquez with the view of sailing for Europe at an early date. Kruger has formally resigned the po-sition which he held as president of the South African Republic, thus sethe South African Republic, thus severing his official connection with the Transvaal. Kruger's action shows how hopeless in his opinion is the war, which has now been carried on for nearly a year, and his desertion of the Boer cause should make clear to his fellow burghers that it is use-less to continue the struggle any long-er. It is probably unknown to the inhabitants of the Transvaal and Orange River Colony that nearly fifteen thousand of their fellow subje ts are now prisoners of war, not one of which will be released until those under arms against us surrender unconditionally. The burghers must be cognizant of the enactment that no ntervention in their behalf can came from any of the great powers, and further, that the British Empire is determined to complete the work, which has already cost so many lives, and carry to a conclusion the war declared against her by the late govern-ments of the Transvaal and the Orange Free State, a war to which there can be only one ending."

Lord Roberts then proceeded to point out that with the exception of the small area which Gen. Botha is defending the war has degenerated into irregular operations which muct be brought to an early end, and con-cludes: — The means I am compelled to adopt are those which the customs war prescribe as applicable to such cases. They are ruinous to the country, entail endless sufferings to the burghers and their families, and the onger this guerilla warfare continues he more vigorously must they be en-

THE FALL FAIRS.

PENINSULAR FAIR, Chatham, Oct.

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PERSONALITIES.

One of Admiral Sampson's biographers says that when a boy he never played or sought amusement. Mr. Gallinger, of New Hampshire, is

the only regular physician in the United States senate. Mr. Kyle, of South Dakota, is the only preacher. The most constant companion of

General Nelson A. Miles is his Gordon setter Rex. The general is very fond of him and the dog is most intelligent. Henry Labouchere is described as careless and untidy in dress and a smoker of poor eigarettes. He is fond of home life, and devoted to his wife and daughter.

Governor Sadler, of Nevada, wears an 181/2 collar and gloves and boots to correspond. These, as well as his hats, are made to his special order by Chicago concerns.

Senator Platt, of New York, reads all the newspapers on which he can lay hands and has several shelves of scrapbooks filled with clippings dealing with his own career.

Mr. Talbert, of South Carolina, votes louder than any other member of congress. He has a voice like a calliope, and the clerk of the house has never been compelled to call his name

Governor Sayers, of Texas, is fond of deep sea fishing. He is a frequent visitor at Rockport, on the gulf coast of Texas, and a famous resort for fishermen. The governor holds the record for big tarpon.

Senator Jones, of Nevada, is a strong believer in a diet which he himself devised. His breakfast never varies. It is always eaten at 8 o'clock, and invariably consists only of one cup of black coffee and a large piece of cinnamon bun.

Governor Rollins, of New Hampshire has a warm place in the hearts of church going people of his state. He is an Episcopalian himself, but tolerant of all creeds and denominations and gives much of his time and thought to religious work.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., has the religious characteristic of the family, and, as are his sisters, is a Sunday school teacher in the Fifth Avenue Baptist church, New York. He has a class of 63, and in the three years he has been a teacher has missed not more than three or four Sundays.

The next generation will see the Gould fortune pretty well cut up, there being so many heirs. The richest of these will be Kingdon, George Gould's eldest child. His father is rated at \$70,000,000. Kingdon, though a mere child, speaks German and French, and has picked up a surprising knowledge of yachting.

WEDDING SUPERSTITIONS.

The bride who finds a spider on her wedding blessed. The bride who dreams of fairies the

night before her marriage will be thrice blessed. If the bridegroom carries a minia ture horseshoe in his pocket he will al-

ways have good luck. Ship marriages are considered anything but lucky. Get married on land, or don't get married at all.

No bride or groom should be given a telegram while on the way to church. It is positively a sign of evil. If the wedding ring be dropped during the ceremony the bride may as

well wish herself unborn, for she will always have ill luck. Kiss a bride after the ceremony, and before the newly made husband has a chance to do so, and you will have excellent luck throughout the year.

Maidens eager to wed should give dishwater heated to the boiling point a wide berth. It means that they will not marry for a long time if they attempt to cleanse dishes in water so hot. Should a bride perchance see a coffin while being being driven to the railway station prior to departing upon her honeymoon, she should order the driver to turn back and start over again, or else she will surely meet with

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

bad luck.

Next to Gibraltar, Malta is strongest fortress in the world. The Chinese began to write books before they migrated from the region south of the Caspian sea,

A cald in Morocco who does not furnish the sultan's officer the expected amount of tribute is promptly sent to prison and his place disposed of by auction to the highest bidder. All the soap in Paraguay is made

from cocoa oil. Cows eat the pulp from the nuts, leaving the hull inclosing the kernel clean and smooth. A ow will clean 40 or 50 nuts per night. Mansour, the horse that ran third in the Grand Prix of Paris in 1894 and came in only a length and a half behind Matchbox, which sold for \$75, 000, is now pulling a public cab in the streets of the gay capital.

The casket containing the remains of Lincoln, through fear of vandal thieves. has been removed no less than ten times since it was first placed in the vault in Oak Ridge cemetery, May 4.

The telegraph poles along the Savannah and Stateboro railway in Georgia are growing. They are made of cypress and must have been planted with the roots. They are sprouting at the top and serve a double purpose. They Minard's Liniment for sale Every- are shade trees as well as a support

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wealth at that time, gladly agreed to do the work, and said that he would be pleased to see the old gentleman at any time. Thereupon the farmer said, mournfully:

"Oh, you can't see him, sir. for he's dead.'

"Then how on earth do you expect me to paint his portrait?" asked the

artist, with a sigh. "Oh, you're fooling me, sir," said the farmer. "Just tell me whose picture that is on the easel there." That is a portrait of St. Anthony,"

was the answer "Is that really St. Anthony?"

"Did he sit to you?"

"Of course not." "Well, then, isn't that a clear proof that you are able to make the portrait of a dead man?"

Col, who wanted money badly, allowed himself to be persuaded by this novel argument, and, therefore, he obtained from the farmer as many partic ulars about the dead man as he could, and then, after making a sketch of the son, because he said that he closely resembled his father, he began work on the portrait. When it was finished he sent for the farmer and showed it to him. To his surprise the man fell on his knees and began to cry bitterly his eyes meanwhile fixed on the por trait. Col flattered himself that he had made a life-like portrait, and that it was the wonderful resemblance which caused the son to grieve so sorely.

"Why do you cry so much?" he ask ed, trying to comfort him. "Oh, my dear sir," was the unexpected reply, "I never thought that any one could change so much in such a short time. Dear me, how terribly

ugly my poor father has become."

"I suppose it'll come sooner or later," said Mataafa, gloomily. man seldom gets the credit that iq

really due him in this life." "What's the matter now?" "Here I've been stirring up trouble for years. And I shouldn't be a bit surprised if England and Germany and the United States were to come around one of these days and ask me what I meant by trying to interfere in

their fight."-Washington Star. Poor Bilford, "When Bilford went West he told me that as soon as he had settled down and pulled himself together he would

write to me, but I have never heard "Bifford was blown up in an explosion of dynamite three months ago. He may have settled down, but I don't believe he has pulled himself together

White Lies.

yet."-Chicago Tribune.

Johnny-Pa, Mr. Brownlow said, for obvious reasons, he should be unable to be at the meeting at the house tonight. What does he mean by "obwious" reasons?

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Many a man lays down his life in trying to lay up money. The best way to conquer anger is

give it a dose of kindness. If you would make time fly give Although coffee is going up, it will probably continue to go down.

While the fool is waiting for an oportunity the wise man makes one. Nothing succeeds like the success of man who has a political pull. When age brings a woman wisdon

she begins to sit with her back to the light. Some people are so fond of worry-

ing that they worry over troubles that are past. The pork packer has a queer way of doing business. After killing a hog he

If a young man kisses a girl but once he evidently believes that first impressions are lasting. There is no danger of a corn fam-

cures it.

ine as long as it is possible to raise several acres to the foot. A phonograph is a machine that alks back, and every married man

firmly believes that he got one for a wedding present. The fact that there are 10,000,000 000 nairpins manufactured in this country annually doesn't prevent a hair from cetting into the butter occasionally. Some people are so good that they

bject to drinking fountains and smokng cars. It is not on record that any baggage an has ever succeeded in smashing

n elephant's trunk. The trouble with the Golden Rule is nat some people think it ought to be ept in a glass case for fear of wearing

The best wheel of fortune is honest

Many a man's self-conceit is due to s ignorance.

The ice man knows how to make a tle go a great weigh. The world is sure to hear from the

nateur cornet player. A painless dentist is one who exects teeth without pain-to himself. The earth was made globe shape so that is would be sure to go round. Some men will do anything to please their wives-except pay their bills. Real happiness comes from reducng our wants rather than gratifying

A conversationalist is a person who alks continuously without saying any-

thing. The woman who doesn't think some other woman homelier than herself has

yet to be born. It sometimes happens that the man who expresses himself in flowery

terms is a blooming chump. When a woman has no troubles of her own the chances are she will go over to a neighbor's and borrow some. When you hear a man complaining that he is tired of life the chances are that he has never made any use of it. When an optimist fails in business he consoles himself with the belief that his failure was due to his con-

CURIOUS FACTS

scientious scruples.

At the Strozzi Palace, in Rome, there is a book made of marble, the leaves being of marvellous thinness. The number of playing-cards used in the world is something wonderful. Germany alone possesses thirty-four playing-card factories, which last year produced 5,260,000 packs.

It is reckoned that the household and personal refuse of all kinds and street sweepings of a town amount to about half a ton annually per head of the population.

Chicago has a bird hospital, the only one of its kind in the world, where sick and wounded birds are received and cared for.

The thirteen Atlantic cables now in use represent a total capital of about £17,000,000.

In Holland it is the custom for women to wash the china and silver used at breakfast and tea immediately after the meal and in the presence of A fox and a hound belonging to a

gentleman in Kennebec, Me., are af-fectionate companions, and constantly sport and sleep with each other. When both were young they were placed together and have ever since continued frolicsome comrades. Two decades ago the South produced annually but six million tons of bit-

passed the forty million mark, and of the forty-seven thousand square miles of coal fields in the South, only about one thousand are under development. Plant a cauliflower plant in Cuba and instead of spreading out in a big fat head like a cabbage, it spindles up for all the world like a sunflower, three or four feet high, with big, rank leaves and a little flower at the top

that you never could recognize as cauliflower. The "cigar bean" of Batavia is a wild fruit recently discovered in Batavia. The pod is like a cigar in shape and color, but only an inch long, and when put into water is re ta on the surface for several minutes, then explodes like a torpedo, hurling the seed in all directions. If allowed o ripen in a warm place the pod gradually splits lengthwise from point to pase. If left to riper on the plant is

splits open more suddenly.

The yolume of taxation would be considerably greater in Paris but for the fact that many functions which are in New York chargeable to municipal expenses are in the French capital paid for from national appropria-

Mrs. Katie Gould

was very pervous. I was so sick to my stomach that I could scarcely est. My liver was inactive. I had palpitation of the heart, and headache. My back ached so that I had to have a cushion made for it. I could scarcely stand on my feet. could scarcely stand on my feet. Dr. Co

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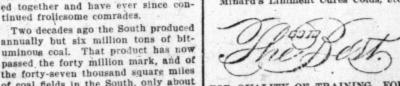
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ON BEHALF OF THE COSERVATIVE PARTY-A LARGE AND EN. THUSIASTIC CONVENTION.

The Conservatives of West Kent met in convention in Northwood's Hall on Saturday afternoon, for the purpose of selecting a candidate to contest this riding for the Dominion House. The convention was one of the best rallies that the party has ever fathered in the city. Owing to it being Saturday, a large_number of the Maple City Conservatives were unable to attend, but nevertheless Northwood's Hall was crowded with delegates. The meeting was highly enthusiastic and wonderfully harmonious. Everyone was in accord, and everything ran

President of the Association, Mayor Smith, of Chatham, occup ed the chair.

OFFICERS ELECTED. The following officers were elected President - Thomas Scullard. First Vice-M.-J. Wilson, Harwich. Second Vice .- Henry Lindley, Ral-

Secretary-Ward Stanworth Treasurer-Andrew Heyward. Mayor Smith thanked the conven tion for the honor they had conferred in electing him president of the Asso-

ciation for four years. He then called the newly elected president, Mr. Sculford to the chair.

THE NEW PRESIDENT. Mr. Scullard heartily thanked the convention for the honor conferred on him and said that he esteemed it a great honor to be elected to the first office in the gift of the convention. He was pleased to be called to this exalted position at a time when the party were about to enter on a campaign on which victory was assured. He was groud because when he had come to this country many years ago-he had found that the people who were working for the benefit of the country were those who called them-selves Conservatives. This was the party fighting through good and evil report that had brought itself to the proud position it now occupies. Mr. of office he would have the honor to occupy the chair, he would see the county redceined and he felt sure that the man who got the nomination would be the member for Kent.

An executive committee composed of resident of each municipality not represented by he officers was appointed. The representatives from the municipalities are: Henry Sales, Til-bury East; Percy Gahan, Romney; Henry Clements, Dover, Dr. Storey, Blenheim, W. C. Crawford, Tilbury.

RESOLUTIONS PASSED. The following resolutions were en-

thusiastically endorsed by the Conven-On motion of Mr. J. M. Pike, seconded by Mr. Arnold, it is further resolved that the members of this convention hail with delight the announcement that the Hon. Hugh John Maderald has a stated in the Hon. Macdonald has entered into the larger arena of Federal politics, believing, as they do, that, by his intimate knowl of the affairs of Canada and of the character of her people, by the en-lightened, tolerant turn of his mind, and by his engaging and charming per-sonality he must gain a high place in the confidence of the Canadian peo-

On motion of Mr. Wm. Ball, seconded by Mr. R. Pritchard, it was resolved that, moved with admiration for the tireless energies of the Hon. Sir Charles Tupper, Bart, the leader of Her Majesty's loyal Opposition in the

House of Commons, enlightened by his trenchant and masterly criticism of the culpable extravagance, corrupt methods and devious ways of the present Government at Ottawa, and being, moreover, persuaded that the policy which he has on many public occasions. which he has on many public occasions so tersely and eloquently enunciated would, if adopted, add lustre to the dignity of Canada and greatly contribute to her agricultural, commertially contribute to her agricultural, commercially contributed to the contribute of the most visual contribute to her agricultural, commercially contributed to the contribute of the cial and financial prosperity, this convention hereby expresses its full and unwavering confidence in the venerable and illustrious leader of the great Liberal-Conservative party and pledges itself to contribute its share to secure at the approaching general election his triumphant return to the tion his triumphant return to the chief place in the councils of the Do-

THE NOMINATIONS for a candidate to represent the conor a candidate to represent the constituency were next taken and resulted as follows:

Mayor T. A. Smith, of Chatham, nominated by M. J. Wilson, Harwich, seconded by S. Hitchcock, Raleigh.

Frank Rankin, Dover, by Henry Lindley, Raleigh, and Mr. Stringer, bover.

Henry Sales, Tilbury East, by Henry

Wilson and Mr. Corliss. Mr. Sales withdrew, W. C. Crawford, Tilbury, by Mr. Cor-

Percy Gahan, by C. S. Coatsworth and Mr. Edwards.
G. W. Sulman, by J. M. Pike and Robert Pritchard. Wilson, by Mr. Glendenning and W. D. A. Ross. C. S. Coatsworth, Romney, by Percy Gahan and Dr. Hall.

W. S. Richards, by Dr. Hall and C. S. Coatsworth WILL RUN ANYWAY.

Capt. Patteson was nominater by fames Clancy. The Captain declared that he intended to contest the riding in any event. He hadn't asked for the nomination but he was going to run nevertheless. He was prepared for the contest and felt himself com-

petent to represent Kent.

Mr. Sales asked his name to be with-Mr. Sales asked his hame to be with drawn, and this was done. Mr. Pike, in nominating Mr. Sulman, said he had always taken a great in-terest in politics and would roll up a big majority in Chatham. He was also as popular with the farmers as with the middle classes and one of the strongest men the Conservatives could

put up to-day.

Mayor Smith thanked his nominators. He said he hadn't asked a delegate to support him and the choice of the convention would be his choice. There was a condition confronting the people to-day, a condition of trusts and subsidies. Where could a farmer or mechanic be found profiting by these. If he were successful in getting the nomination he, being no office seeker, would go free and untram-melled to parliament. His platform was simply this: Fair play and guard-ianship of the interests of the elec-tors. His aim would be to keep, the promises he might make and always

do right. Mr. Rankin thanked his nominators but said he didn't care to run. M. J. Wilson thanked his nominators for the honor, but said he wasn't in a position to undertake the battle. Mr. Gahan said he was a Conservative through and through and he was prepared to fight and win if his candi-dature was declared acceptable.

Mr. Coatsworth took advantage of the opportunity of expressing his admiration for Mr. Gahan who he said, although himself willing to accept the nomination, had de-sired to sacrifice his own chances by nominating him. Mr. Coatsworth also retired
Mr. Richards thought that he youth and nexperience would not warrant him in letting his name go before the convention.

At some future date, however, it would please him very much to have the great honor of representing the party to which he was devoted, in an election contest.

THE DOCTOR A FAVORITE. Dr. Hall had some difficulty in persuading his numerous admirers that he in his statement that he did not want the nomination. So great was the applause when he rose that it was some time before the popular doctor could make himself heard. He made a short address, however,

returning thanks for the honor done him, and voicing the general sentiment when he said that he was proud of the Conservative party in Kent and that with such a strong man as Mr. Smith at the head nothing could stem the tide of victory.

The withdrawal of these candidates left four gentlemen in the field:—W. C. Crawlore, of Tilbury; Percy Gahan, of Romney; Ald. Geo. W. Sulman and Mayor T. A. Smith.

Andrew Heyward, Henry Sales and S. I Arnold wer appoin e ! scrutineers and the

ONE-BALLOT SUFFICIENT. On the first ballot Mayor Smith received 120 votes, Ald. Sulman 21, Mr.
Crawford 36 and Mr. Gahan 13, thus
giving Smith a plurality of 50. When
the result was announced pandemonium reigned. Mr. Smith was the heroof the hour, and everyone tried to congratulate him at once. When the uproar had subsided somewhat and the
Mayor had gotten his right arm in Mayor had subsided somewhat and the Mayor had gotten his right arm in joint again President Scullard introduced James Clancy, M. P., who made a speech which, by reason of the fire and ejoquence that characterized it, was a fitting conclusion to an afternoon of cuthusiasm let loose. MR. CLIANCY'S ADDRESS.

Mr. Chancy opened his address by stating that the party were going into the contest with great vigor and enthusiasm and with a strong and capathusiasm and with a strong and capa-able standard bearer. He always ac-cepted it as a necessary political con-dition that the leaders of the party should be stronger than the party it-self. In the case of the Liberals, how-ever, they were lamentably deficient in this particular as they have leaders in whom not even they themselves can put their trust.

The Conservatives are entirely in accord, and will be assisted at the polls by thousands of Liberals who nave lost confidence in the Laurier government. What would happen it the Liberals should get a new lease of power? Their promises have been proven to be as worthless as a bad dollar bill. On the whole the Liberal party is honest, but there is a great difference between the party and its

'You have," said Mr. Clancy, "nominated a candidate who has done much for me, and I earnestly desire that all my friends shall give him a united support. If you e.ect him you have done your share towards idding the country of the detestable ondition of government under which it now groans. The government which assumed power at Ottawa in 1896 was one which never had greater

Every man who in 1896 was paying \$1,00 into the public exchequer, is

"The occasion i some of the most vi-tal importance to all of you and I will call upon you to put all other considerations in the background for a time erations in the background for a time and throw yourselves vigorously into the fight for pure government. Laur-ier is shouting about the preferential trade which he alone and unaided brought about with Great Britain. Why! any man can get preferential trade if he gives away everything and asks for nothing in return Laughter. asks for nothing in return. Laughter. He gave a -preference in corn to the United States and the result is that 7,000,000 bushels of Yankees corn came into Canada last year to the detriment of those farmers who raise corn."

A voice—What did we get in return

"We got the Standard Oil monopoly, which sent up the price of coal oil to twenty cents a gallon. (Loud cheers.) 'i want you farmers to support Mr. Smith because he, in turn will support a government which will not go in for children's bargains; which will not grant concessions to any country without receiving concessions in return. you don't get one article from Great Britain which you use on your farms, so what use is the British preference to you? You doin't import plows, binders, fanning mills, or anything else from England; but I'll tell you, if you want to import diamonds,. silks, or broad cloths, you can get a preference of 331-2 per cent. Loud preference of 331-2 per cent. aughter. The main point in this whole preferential trade business lies in the fact that you can get a preference on the luxuries, but not on the necessaries of life. Since 1896 there has never been one single act of legislation passed which has been beneficial to the farmers. There is not one of the control vas in 1896, and the price of your produce has not advanced in proportion. The remedy lies in your own hands nd you know how to apply it. Within the next 48 hours the news may be flashed over Canada that parliament has dissolved and we will be in the threes of an election. It may be a well contested one, but there can be but one result. Sir Charles Tupper will be returned by substantial ma-jorities in every province of this great Dominion. (Long continued applause

The Convention was closed with cheers for the Queen, the candidate; and S. Charles Tupper.

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spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grandbois, Elizabeth street, North Chatham. There will be an exceptionally good show of stock at our Fair on Oct. 10, 11. Everybody interested in the raising of good stock should make it a point to attend and help the exhibition

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The annual meeting of the Chatham W. C. T. U. will be held in their hall in the Rutherford block, Thursday, Sept 20th, at 3 o'clock. The superintendents of the different departments will kindly have their reports ready and bring them in. The convention will be held early in October.

The trials of speed at the fair this year on Oct. 9, 10, 11, will be good. The purses offered are a sufficient inducement to attract the best horses. Some time ago the Dominion govrnment advertised for tenders

the work of dredging Sarnia bay. The Observer learns that the contract for the work has been awarded, and that James O'Leary, of Port Lambton, is the successful tenderer. Changes in hotel property and proprietorship are coming thick and

in Wallaceburg, three taking

place within two weeks. By the last change Theodore Bourassa, late of the Montana House, Chatham, be-comes proprietor of the Tecumseh House. It is expected the attendance at our

Everybody in the county should be nterested in the county fair. It is the best advertisement our county

gets and every citizen should contrioute to its success. The Canadian Conference of Charities will meet in the Normal School Building, Toronto, on Thursday afternoon, Sept. 27, at 2 p. m., and all who are interested in the consideration of charitable problems, prison reform, child saving, etc., are invited to be present and take part in the proceed-ings. A number of prominent philan-thropists from the United States are

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THAMESVILLE.

Sept. 17 -Mr. Gillies, of Chatham, formerly of this place, is renewing acquain

tance here. Mrs John Sinclair has returned from visit to London friends.

Mrs. Sterne Ball and children, of Detroit, are the guests of Mrs. J. Duncan. Miss Laugaton, of Bothwell, was in town

last week. John Sherman and Noble Ripley have returned home from Detroit.

Rev. Mr. Diehl, of Florence, was in town Friday

Nothwithstanding the coolness of the evening a large crowd attended the peach social on Mrs. Ferguson's beautiful lawn Friday night. The program, lights, flowers and menu were all that could be desired and an enjoyable time was spent. Proceeds

amounted to \$40. Mrs. Wm. McKenzie was in London Friday.

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