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IGNORANCE, GREED, SMALLPOX

Smallpox is raging in certain points of Leeds, and Grenville counties, and unless the provincial health department can stop the spread of the disease there is some danger of an epidemic thruout the eastern provinces Conditions down there are really serious, especially in Matilda and Edwardsburg Townships, in Grenville County, and in and about the Village of Athens, the Township of Bastard, and in Mallorytown and vicinity in Leeds County.

Ignorance and neglect have been the principal means of spreading the dis-ease. In many cases a doctor was not called in until the disease was far advanced and meanwhile friends had been allowed access to the patient, with the result that the contagion was carried far and wide.

In some sections the disease has been going on for the past two or three months without the slightest attempt to check it. In some in-stances it was mistaken for chickenpox, Dr. R. W. Bell, who has just got back from a trip through the district thinks, but in others there seems no doubt but that information was deliberately suppressed, so that the dis-trict where the disease had broken out should not be injured in a business

have been permitted to go to school or to work and thus it has had every opportunity to spread.

Most of the cases are of a mild type, but Dr. Bell says that there are a number of severe cases. Some of the ocal doctors, unfortunately, are making light of the outbreak, and naturalthe people of the district are takng their cue from them.

Death of A. E. Oliver

Respecting the death of A. E. Oliver, late of Warman, Sask., son of Mrs. (Rev.) Oliver of Frankville, the Winnipeg Tribune says :-

Coming to this city after disposing of his property at Warman, he registered at the Queen's and though not in the best of health, he had never complained of any serious trouble. Satur. day afternoon about 5 o'clock he was on the rotunda talking to friends. Yesterday his room was found locked at a late hour and suspicion being aroused an entrance was made with the result that he was found in bed, without the slightest sign of a struggle. Inglish was notified, and found that death was due to heart disease. Mrs. Oliver was notified, and is on her way to the city.

THE VILLAGE ASSESSMENT

The adjourned meeting of the Court of Revision for Athens was held in the town hall on Friday evening A number of the chief ratepayers were

The various appeals were read, in-

committee is the actual value of the property. By the council deciding to adopt the committee's valuation, the total assessment will be increased by about one-third and, of course, the tax

rate will be correspondingly decreased.

At a meeting held on Saturday afternoon the council decided to have the changes made in the roll printed so that every ratepayer might have an opportunity of making comparisons. This will be done at once.

Crop Prospects

lished reports from special correspondents in various parts of the province respecting crop conditions and their letters make gloomy reading. The very late spring has caused heavy damage everywhere.

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J. R. Dargavel, M.P.P., reporting from Eigin, in Leeds County, said spring grains were very backward in his section. Of fall wheat, little had been sown, and that little was badly killed. In hay the prospects were about the same as last year. In corn and mangels only about the usual acreage was being planted.

This important department of work is much in need of money, and we feel sure an appeal for cash contributions will meet with a hearty respense from all classes, especially rhose interested in home mission work.

Mrs H. R. Knowlton and Mrs C. C. Slack will be pleased to receive during the next two weeks cash and suitable literature for the men in camps and mines. acreage was being planted.

KAY-SHELDON

father, Brockville, on Wedn the marriage took place of Miss Sadie Maud Sheldon, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Sheldon, and Mr. Fred H. Kay, also of Brockville. The S. E. Grigg, pastor of the Baptist church.

Among the out of town guests were: Mrs. J. C. Eston, New York city; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bullis, Mr. and Mrs. E. Livingston, and Mr. Manford Reid, Athens.

BURNETT-POINTER

Rev. H. W. Burnett, B.D., of Cobden, formerly of Addison, was married to Miss Violette B. Pointer, of Pembroke, on Wednesday, June 12th, at the residence of the bride's mother in that town. Rev. F. G. Lett, presiin that town. Rev. F. G. Lett, president of the Montreal conference, performed the ceremony. The bride is one of Pembroke's charming ladies, is very prominent in church circles, and is highly respected by a wide circle of friends. The popularity of the bride and groom was evident from the large number of beautiful presents which

they received.
Mr. and Mrs. Burnett go to Toronto has been an absolute disregard of quarantine and disinfection. Children of families, which had the

MILROY-STINSON

At the home of the officiating clergyan in Ottawa, on Wednesday, June 12, the marriage took place of Mr. Melvin R. Milroy and Miss Edith M. Stinson, both of Athens. The ceremony was performed by the Rev L. M. Weeks, B.D., late pastor of the Baptist church here. The bride was becoming ly dressed in a cream suit with French

straw chapeau to match.

The bride, one of Athens' most highly esteemed young ladies, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Stinson, and the groom is a young Athenian business man whose skill and industry have gained for him the favor of a wide circle of customers They are taking up housekeeping in the home on Main treet west purchased by Mr. Milroy a

few years ago from Mr. McBrainey. The Reporter joins with their many friends in wishing them happiness and

REV. FRANK CORNELL HONORED

Newmarket, June 14.—About one thousand citizens of Newmarket gather. ed this evening on the lawn of the Friends' Church to bid good bye to Rev Frank Cornell, who has been minister of the Friends Church in this town for the past five years, and who will leave next week for Los Angeles, Cal. The Newmarket Brass Band was in attendance. The citizens presented Mr. Cornell with a handsome solid gold watch and chain in recognition of his valuable services and appreciation of him as a citizen. Hon, E. J. Davis presided. whole assessment of the corporation, but no conclusive action was taken.

The advisory committee appointed which was made by Mayor Smith, an address was read by Mr. E. A. Bogart. to value all the different parcels of real estate in the village submitted figures and these were read by the clerk. In every case these figures represent what in the opinion of the

Rogers and Elias Rogers, Toronto.

Following this came a presentation by the young people of the congrega-tion of a purse of money. In this case the address was read by Mr. Morley Cody, and the gift banded to Mr. Cor-nell by Miss Phillips. About sixty people from Toronto were present to do honor to Mr. Cornell.

Home Mission Work

The W.C.T.U. and Superintendents of Mission Work among our Canadian Lumbermen have decided to withdraw The Sun, Toronto, last week pub their annual social for this year and

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But clothing that has little to recommend it but a smiling face is sorry clothing indeed to live in for half a year or more. Much of the clothing sold to-day is beautiful to look at, but weak, unsound, READY AT ANY TIME TO GO TO PIECES INSIDE. It's machinery clothing, put through the mill at top speed and pressed into shape to cover poor workman-

Our Progress Brand Clothing is Different

Said a man the other day, "well, somehow your clothing seems altogether different from any I have seen anywhere else, and I've been around." Of course, its different, its not only tailored by hand but it is cut and

The Progress Brand Clothing -TWO BUSY STORES-

- SMITH'S FALL

The care of a forest tree plantation by no means ends when the trees have been planted and have successfully got through their first two or three years of through their first two or three years of life. In a few years the crowns of the trees touch, and the struggle for life among the trees begins. If the trees are allowed to grow straight on without in-terference, there comes a time when the growth comes almost to a standstill.

The strength of the tree is taken up with
this fight with one another for light, instead of it laying on wood. In order to
modify this struggle, some of the trees

must be taken out.

The ideal state for a forest is that the crowns of the trees should just touch each other; in this condition they do not interfere with one another, while on the cetter hand they shade the ground com-pletely and preserve its moisture and prevent the humus from being broken up. In theory, of course, thinning should commence when the crowns of the trees

begin to interfere with one another, and continual thinning should preserve this

condition.

In practice, this is often too expensive, and the rule is often given: "Thin as soon as the thinnings taken out will pay for the work of thinning."

In all thinning, of course, any trees that are dead or decayed should be taken out at once. They are of no possible use, while on the other hand they may furnish a chance for insects or for rot-producing fungi to get into the dead or sick trees, and thence affect the more thrifty trees.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house.

AXLE GREASE RARE TREAT. Sailors Introduce It, and Natives of Mal

abar Can't Get Enough. It was a weird story that was teld the other day on the deck of the British freight steamer Swanley by Jace Braun, the bos'un, as to the origin of the tons of curios that were being taken off the steamer at the Bush stores in South

Brooklyn.
Natives of the Malabar coast give then in return for axle grease, which they eat as Americans do ice cream.
"Yessir," began Jake Braun, "ye need-"Yessir," began Jake Braun, "ye need-n't take no fancy things to China or to

Singapore with you if you want a good trade. On a previous voyage me an' the other fellows aboard the ship took with us all the pretty things that we could

"About six o' us went up the coast one day with our things and tried to swap with those fellows all day long without getting so much as a cocoanut. In the stock that we had taken ashore was a can of axle grease that had come ashore with us against our permission. "One of the niggers stuck his fingers

stay with the natives, but we took all the curios and ornaments they had, and netted a pretty penny on them at Colombo. So, when we comes here again we put in our spare money in axle grease.

"There was a cellybration among the cannibals, an' they took all we had an' we took all they had, which was no small matter. Those natives like that axle grease better than we do ice cream. They eats it, an' then when they can't get any more down their stomach they paint their faces and necks with it."—

Minard's Liniment used by Physicians.

One of the first things the new Shah of Persia did when he mounted the throne last January was to send one trusted officials, accompanied by three eunuchs, through his empire to find the most beautiful girls in the realm for his harem. To-day his palaces are swarming with women, his legitimate, recognized wives, and the oth-

His father would not recognize the harm as it is now, after having been transformed throughout inside, refurnished in the most luxurious manner, refitted with much that is modern and recorated in the most extravagant Orien

The favorite wife, mother of the Crown Prince Ahmed Mirza, is designated as Amir Es Dowley ("Companion of the Sovereign").

Wives and concubines lead lives of inclosing companions of the source of t

indolence, even such light occupations as embroidery being left to servants. They epend their time mainly in feasting and in massining.

Shah Mohammed Ali Mirza himseif, not to call him lazy, is fond of ease, is given to pleasures and so loves money that some people call him avaricious. His father left an immense fortune. The tores of jewels in the strong rooms of Teheran are rich beyond computation. There are priceless pearls, while the diamonds, rubies and menals scattered about are guessed to be worth \$10,000,000 at least.

There are three thrones, too, studded with gems of great value. The most famous is the peacock throne, worth \$15,000,000 and perhaps much more. Then there is the ruby throne, a restoration of the peacock throne of Delhi, also brilliant with precious stones. Leatly there

the p-acock throne of Delhi, also brilliant with precious stones. Lastly, there is the marble throne, a huge affair which looks nothing like the common idea of a throne.

One of the Shah's most innocent amusements is listening to story-tellers in the good old-fashioned Oriental manner. Re has appointed several professional story-tellers to be near his royal person, and when the "king of kings" is weary or troubled one of them is called on to dispel the evil spirit much in the same way as David played before Saul when that potentate suffered from the yapors.

The Shah is a great chess player and is never allowed by his courtiers to loss a game. There is a story current of a young member of the Brittsh Embasey who was invited not long ago to play with the Shah and checkmated him in

a few moves. The Shah sprang from his seat in a temper and swept the board and pieces in a rage on to the floor. Mohammed Ali Mirza is not a statesman. His inclination to seek his own comfort and diversion led him to grant his subjects who were on the point of revolution when he took the reins of government, a constitution, a parliament and everything else they demanded.

Some of the great Powers, coveting Persia's vast wealth of natural resources are stealthily striving to out. wit one another and gain control of the

wit one another and gain control of the Shah for selfish purposes—to develop the country, they smoothly put it. But there are signs that the Shah may imitate the cunning Sultan of Turkey by playing one Power against another, thus preserving his empire from scalings for the selfish country.

one Power against another, thus preserving his empire from spoliation.
Russia considers herself the proper
guardian of Persia, England wants to
boss her, proper or not. Lately Germany has taken a hand in the game.
The Kaiser and his Government are
beginning to recognize the Shah and his
land as objects through which they will
be able to extend and strengthen German influence in the Middle East. They
are evidently determined to develop the are evidently determined to develop the resources of the Shah's dominions with German capital and lay the foundations of interests, which at first will be economic and commercial, but will afterward grow to be political interests.

The new German Ambassador at Te-The new German Ambassador at Teheran is a pushing man with commercial leanings rather than diplomatic training, and his instructions are to lose no opportunity of forwarding the interests of his country, even at the risk of treading on the corns of such mighty competitors as Russia and England. Herr Steinrich, the Ambassador, is therefore making a careful study of the

FOUGHT WOUNDED BEAR

therefore making a careful study of the

Bruin Put Up Desperate Struggle on Edge of a Precipice.

"Never in my life did I have such a thrilling adventure with a bear as I had last Friday about thirty miles northwest of Ceballa, in Gunnison county. It was hot fight.

was the way G. Gordon Pickett started his story of the biggest bear fight of the season. He and Harry Carnter, with J. J. Carpenter's fine string of bear dogs, eight in number, started out last Friday afternoon, from Ceballa. "The dogs jumped a good sized black bear along about 3 o'clock," said Mr. Pickett. "We followed him something

like three miles and took a long shot at him, wounding him in the right foreleg We lost sight of him for a while and We lost sight of him for a while and then the dogs got next to him again. This time they had him cornered on the edge of a big bluff, at least 100 feet high. "It seems that the wound I had given him made the bear crazy mad. He nailed

two of the dogs, one after the other, and crunched their necks like so many soda crackers. He jumped down into a

the next minute we were offered every sort of inducement to leave the axle grease with them. They even offered us the inducement of a massacre, an' were only restrained by the sight of our pistols.

"Finally we 'lowed the sight of our pistols." lunged at one of the best dogs and cuffed him clear over the cliff. "Of course that finished that dog, and

the bear turned. He wasn't five feet from me when I tore the top of his head off with a quick shot from my rifle. He didn't exactly have me 'buffaloed,' but I think I never in all my twenty-five years' hunting experience came so near being seriously rattled. The dogs killed were among the best fighters in the pack. -Denver Post.

GIRL'S AMBITION NOT HIGH.

A Kansas girl graduate who had be Minard's Liniment used by Physicians.

A Kansas girl graduate who had been given the theme "Beyond the Alps Liss Italy" promulgated the following:

"I don't care a cent whether Italy lies beyond the Alps or in Missouri. I do not expect to set the river on fire do not expect to set the river I have a good education, but I am not going to misuse it by writing poetry or essays on the future woman. with my future career. I an

"It will enable me to correct the gram-mar of any lover I may have should bemar of any lover I may have should hespeak of 'dorgs' in my presence or 'seen
a man.' It will also come handy when
I want to figure out how many pounds
of soap a woman can get for three dozen
eggs at the grocery. So I do not begrudge
the time I spent in acquiring it. But my
ambitions do not fly so high.

"I just want to marry a man who can
lick anybody of his weight in the town-

"I just want to marry a man who can lick anybody of his weight in the town-ship, who can run an eighty-acre farm and who has no female relatives to come around and try to boss the ranch. I will around and try to boss the rainer. I wan agree to cook dinners for him that won't send him to an early grave and lavish upon him a wholesome affection and to see that his razor has not been used to cut broom wire when he wants to shave.

"In view of all this I do not care if I are the little water on the rule of three and

Shingles Made of Concrete.

Shingles Made of Concrete.

Shingles manufactured of concrete are but little heavier than slate, and not much most expensive than those mide of the best quality of wood. They are practically indestructible, and in the end. are much cheaper than shingles made of any other material. They are made in a variety of designs, and are reinforced with metal skeletons, which terminate in loops at the edges for nailing to the roof. Shingles of concrete are practically everlasting, as they are proof against decay, and, in fact, become more durable with exposure to the weather, durable with exposure to the weather,

They Will Learn Yet.

Saves A Lot

of Bother The starch that needn't be cooked..that won't stick. that gives a brilliant gloss with almost no iron-effort. isn't that the starch you ought to have them use on your clothes? Buy it by name. your dealer sells it.

Babel in Northern Michigan.

This upper corner of the staunch American state of Michigan is a show ground of the people of thirty nations at work, side by side, in peace and comfort. The native born is outnumbered on a basis of one American to a hundred foreigners. The Cornwall and Finnish miners lead in numbers, followed by the Irish, Scotch, Welsh, German, Polish, French, Danish, Norwegian, Swedish, Polanders, Russians Hollanders Greek, Swiss Austrians, Belgfans, negroes, Polanders, Russians Indinated: Stress, Swiss Austrians, Belgfans, negroes, Slavs, Bohemians, with a sprinkling above ground of Chinese, Arabians, Per-sians and one family of Laplanders. This is an amazing medley of races, in which the American seems fairly lone-

At the Yarmouth Y. M. C. A. Boys Camp, held at Tusket Falls in August, I found MINARD'S LINIMENT most beneficial for sun burn, an immediate relie for colic and tooothache.

> ALFRED STOKES. General Secretary.

Change of Scene for Holiday. (Cleveland Plain Dealer.)

(Cleveland Plain Dealer.)

Too man people bear their tiring burdea with them when they go away for rest. There must be a change of thought as wall as scene. For the farmer there's nothing better than a glimpse of city life. But the city man should shun the aummer resort. And that is where he is usually found. He has no plan about his vacation. Get away from the crowd. Get back to nature. Live in the open. Sleep in the open if you can. Make friends with the birds and trees and flowers. Rufb up against rural nature and see what eplightenment will apring from it. Get the views of people who look at life clearly and trankly and at new angles. Get sunburned. get freckled, get tired and then get rested again.



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Negro Mammy's Love for "Miss. Ray Stannard Baker tells the follow-

ing story in his June article on the negro in The American Magazine: "The mass of colored people still maintain, as I have said, a more or less intimate connection with white families— frequently a very beautiful and sympa-thetic relationship like that of the old mammies or nurses. To one who has heard so much of racial hatred as I have since I have been down here, a little incident that I observed the other day comes with a charm hardly describable. I saw a carriage stop in front of a home. The expected daughter had arrived—a very pretty girl indeed. She stepped out eagerly. Her father was half-way down to the gate; but ahead of him was a very old negro woman in the cleanest of clean starched dresses. comes with a charm hardly describable

"'Honey!' she said, eagerly.
"'Mammy!' exclaimed the girl, and the two rushed into each other's arms, lasping and kissing—the white girl and he old black woman. "I thought to myself: "There's n negro problem there; that's just plain

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AVOID THE GILA MONSTER. Indians and Mexicans Fear Animal More

Than a Rattlesnake. Than a Rattlesnare.

Of the bite of the gila monster, that littic-known creature of the southwestern deserts, a correspondent writes: "I have had some experience with the gila monsters and can state that no matter what scientists may claim the gila monster is a good thing to shun.

"Indians and Mexicans have a horror of them and fear them more than a rate-

of them and fear them more than a rat-tlesnake. I believe that the bite of the gila monster is dangerous because of the creatures' habit of eating lizards, bugs and rodents and then lying on sand so hot that it blisters the hands and feet

of men.
"The heat causes the food to putrefy in the stomach, evidenced by the fact that the teeth are often covered with a fermented, putrefied froth from the food.

A bite has the same effect as the cut of a dissecting knife used on a cadaver. In other words, the inoculation of a deadly poison."

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Early Cigarette Smokers.

Who first introduced cigarettes into this country? They were first used in the streets here by the late Laurence Oliphant; and, curiously enough, the introduction of this method of smoking to the English people came as a result of the Crimean war.

Our officers in Russia, among other

hardships, could not procure tobacco or cigars, and learned the use of the cigar-ctte from their French, Italian and Turkish allies, and also from their stay

in Malta and Gibraltar.
Introduced into London military and other clubs, the new custom made very slow progress. But its use steadily spread from 1870 to 1880, when the fash-ion was set by the golden youth of those days.—From the Reader.

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effects of medicines containing opium or other injurious drugs. Cures 25c.—at drug-stores.
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Montreal.

Deserted Iowa Towns.

Our State is so young that many are still in active life who assisted in laying its foundations, and yet we have many deserted villages. There are probably few of the older counties in the State Des Moines county has several, the most important of which was Kossuth a town of some pretensions in the north-ern part of the county. It boasted of a fine academy, where the higher branches were taught. It was a place of some com

mercial importance.

When the iron horse sought its wa northward from Burlington it passed two miles to the eastward of Kossuth Mediapolis began, and it soon became apparent to Mediapolis that it was most important that Kossuth be wiped out. Many of the houses were gradually od from Kossuth to the railroad town and to-day practically nothing remains of Kossuth.—From the Burlington Hawk-

sk for Minard's and take no ONE OF A SEVEN-OAR CREW.

Death of a Clergyman Who Took Part in a Famous Victory.

Rev. J. C. Cox. who was the sole sur viving member of the famous "sever oar crew" of Oxford University, which won the Grand Challenge Cup at Henley in 1843, died recently at Eastbourne England, at the advanced age of 87 years. On account of his years and being a member of the noted crew, Cox had long been noted as the most noted oarsman in the world. But perhaps the details of this "seven-oar" race have never reached the ears of the present generation. Oxford and Cambridge subscription rooms were the opponents in the final heat for the "Grand," but Fletcher Menzies stroke of the Oxford boat, was taken ill immediately before the

When it was seen that Menzies could ot possibly row, Oxford asked permis ion to put in a substitute. Cambridge ositively refused, giving as a reasonat it established a bad preceden which would afterward be an excuse for the wholesale drafting of men. Then Oxford decided to row with aseven mer o this the Cantabs objected, and apealed to Lord Camoys, who was the eree, to know if they were compel row against seven men. His lordship decided there was no ruling on the mat-ter, and promptly ordered the race to be rowed. Thereupon Oxford pluckily backed to the starting line with seven

Never since at Henley was there such After the race the souvenir hunters iterally tore the clothes off the oarsmen and in many parts of England to-day bits of the caps and shirts are highly treasured. The president's chair at the Oxford University Boat Club is made out of a section of the coaxswain's seat, while the two ends of the boat are in the possession of Lady Stainer. Mr. Cox was for thirty years vicar of Fel-sted, in Essex, and for ten years chaplain of the British Embassy at Paris.

Slipping Out of Trouble.

"Henry, what is this dark hair doing on your coat?"
"I haven's worn that coat since last month, dear. You were a brunette then."
"Oh, yes." —Washington Herald.

A Special Offer

For the month of June a fine course in Dress Cutting and Making will be taught for Ten Dollars, including a Perfect Fitting System. You can ay for lessons as you take them. The Chart will be taught for \$3.00 and each of the lessons for \$1.00. This offer is only

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Worked Both Wave

Percy, kept from school by a cold, got so noisy in his play that his mother suffering from a headache, suggested in despair that he play at being a little deaf-and-dumb boy.

The idea struck him favorably, but the

new play was noisier than the old.
"I should think," ventured the mother, "Oh, but he would!" said Percy. "You

see, he couldn't hear it."

His mother sighed.

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Mr. Sahpedde-When we are married ou shall want for nothing.

Miss Gotrox—But I want nothing now. lelphia Record.

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Only Half the Time. "That is no defence at all," said Sena-tor Curtis, during a discussion of emo-

tor Curtis, during a discussion of emo-tional insanity at dinner. "What you have just said, sir, is as weak a defence as the young automobilists. "The young man's father said to him: "Look here, I am assamed of you. You spend all your time choe-chooing around the country in a motor car."
"Not all my time, father," said the youth, gently, Only half of it."
"And the other half?" asked the mol-lified old man.

lified old man.
"That is passed underneath, sir, with
a monkey wrench."

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(Ottawa, Kan., Herald.) The shrewdest observers of cropraising have noticed that something happens about every so often to retard the success of every given crop. And those who have applied their observations to larger fields have discovered that lean years, and fat years ruawith unvarying regularity, measured in cycles of fifty years or so. Success is largely a matter of averaging. No crop is always uncessfully grown no judgment is always ourect on a business deal—no business most continually a brick market and a fair markin of profit. There is always a green hug to cut down results and to instill by his industrious grawing an admonition on the unwisdom of getting gay. have noticed that something happens about

Minard's Liniment Lumberman's Friend.

The Rooster.

The rooster sees the light of dawa
And gives a clarious call,
The needs of these who want to seep
He does not mind at all.
He flaps his wings, and crows again, He does not mind at all. He flaps his wings, and crows again, His voice is good and strong, While echoes, sounding from afar, Hig ringing notes prolong.

The early crocus on the lawn,
The harbinger of spring,
Receives a welcome from us all,
And makes the poets sing;
But oh! what wholly different thought
Rise in the hearts of men, When they're aroused from slumber by
The crow-cuss in the pen.
—Somerville Journal.

All on the Same Level. The Presbyterian General Assembly The Presbyterian General Assembly reports that its preachers are getting less pay than hod carriers on the average. This puts them about on a level with the clergymen of the other denominations, so far as lately heard from There seems to be no ground for the boasting of one sect over another.—Boston Herald.

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Witnesses Who Corroborate Some Parts of His Awful Story.

he same thing.

He did everything he could to sho

the Governor and the warden like an

State generally dealt fairly with its

"Didn't McParland tell you that if you confessed you would be able to get out of it all right yourself?" de

manded Richardson.

"No, sir," said Orchard, promptly.

"Mr. McParland said he could not make any promises, because he could not keep them if he did make them.

He said he would have the prosecut-

ing attorney come and see me, but I said that he needn't do that, because

whatever I told I told of my own free will, and I did not care much what

occame of me any way."

Orchard went on to declare that he

never saw the Governor until after he had confessed, and that the Governor

never had made any promises to him, but he told him that he thought he was doing right, and that he believed

he was doing a great thing for the State and the country.

Confronted by Peabody.

ly for some weeks to get a chance to kill, with a sawed-off shotgun.

ou, and that I'm glad you have repent-

The two chatted a few minutes and

the Governor then went out. Before he went he shook hands with Orchard

down to Canyon City, to kill the ex-Governor with.

after he confessed

"How does it feel to talk with a

Mr. Peabody will testify for the State, as will also his daughter, Cora, who is also here.

Immediately after Orchard left the

stand the State began the corroboration of his testimony about trying to poison Bradley. Mrs. Sadie Swain, who, as

Bradley. Mrs. Sadie Swain, who, as Miss Sadie Bell, was a maid in the Brad-ley home; the milkman who sold the milk that was poisoned, and P. L. Me-

Cready, the chemist who analyzed the poisoned milk, carried the revolting tale from the discovery that the milk was

Some Corroboration.

d and made up your mind to tell

truth.

At the noon hour Orchard was taken

Boise, June 17.—Harry Orchard to-day | "Harry," and that Warden Whitney did told the world and the jury what it was that had determined him to make a that after Orchard had made his con clean breast of all his crimes from the fession and promised to repeat it on the witness stand he was treated by very first one down to the latest.

"I believed it was my duty to tell the intimate friend, or rather like a pampered favorite child, that there was nothing he asked for that he did not get, and that every effort was made to maintain and perpetuate the frame of mind into which he had been brought. truth," he said, "regardless of the consequences to myself or anybody else. I did not see any other way. I felt I owed it to society. I owed it to God and to myself." brought. Orchard made not the slightest

It was at the end of a long, bitter grilling that Orchard said these words. As he uttered them his voice faltered and grew husky and his eyes grew dim. He fumbled in his pocket, drew out a handkerchief and dabbed at his eyes. He did not break down, but he was deeply moved, and though he was able to go on answering the questions that Lawyer Richardson kept shouting at him at the top of his voice, it was some minutes before he regained the perfect con-trol of himself that had never before descried him through a week of severe

A Dramatic Period.

There was perfect silence in the court room, everybody held their breath, the jury to a man leaned far forward in seats with their eyes fixed upon the witness. Even the judge sat up a little straighter on the bench. They had been listening to the explanation of the telling of the most extraordinary story of crime ever narrated in an American irt room and they knew it. For days this man Orchard had been telling to them all an unsolved riddle. But at last here was something to help solve it. Just before that they had heard Lawyer Richardson say in that sneering tone that he adopted from the very moment he came to ask about Orchard's motives

in making his confession.

"And so you thought you would procure immunity for yourself if you told,

, sir. These things did not influence me except perhaps they made me confess a little sooner. But I had thought it all over. I had been thinking past life and I intended to put out of the way. I did not care about living any longer.'

"Didn't you think you could get out of it by laying it all on somebody else?"

demanded Richardson. "No, sir," said Orchard faintly, but romptly. "I had been thinking over promptly. "I had been thinking over my past life and I did not think the ended it all, and I was afraid to die. I had been such an unnatural mon-ster. Finally, I came to believe that if sincerely repented of my sins I would be forgiven and I have never been in

Orchard made it as clear as daylight that it was not religion that induced him to make his first confession to Mc-

Parland in the State Penitentiary.

"When I first told Mr. McParland,"
he said, "I cared very little what be-He cared so little what became of

him, the witness stated, that at about that time he had practically made up his mind to commit suicide. He went his brother. This he hid in the lining of his waistcoat and told Steve Adams, who was also confined in the penitentiary, to tell the authorities to have i delivered after he was dead. He intended to break the crystal of his watch, sever an artery and bleed to death. Steve Adams informed the warden of the penitentiary that Orchard intended to kili himself and steps were taken to prevent it.

How McParland Assisted.

It was after this that he got to think-ig so much about what lies beyond he grave. His replies to questions indicated plainly that Detective McPar land was quick to see the trend his mind was taking and to assist it. The detective talked to him a good deal about the Bible and told him some Bible stories that he used to know when he was a boy, but which the years of crime and vice had almost obliterated from his memory. He talked to him about King David and the evil things that he did and the years of repentance by which he strove to blot out his transgressions. evil early years, the conversation and the subsequent good deeds of St. Paul also formed the subject of some talks Orchard had with the detective. It was after it and some visits that Dean Hicks paid to him, the witness said, in the voice that remained firm throughout all the stories of his crimes, but which now shook and grew thick and husky, that he made up his mind that the grave did not end everything and that he would not go unrepentant and by his own hand into the world that he would the the world that the wor lies beyond this. It was then that h determined to live as long as he could and "to tell the truth, regardless of the consequences to myself or anybody

No Effort to Conceal Matters.

ere was no detail of humiliation that Lawver Richardson could inflict or Orchard that was spared him. He made him tell where he got the clothes he wore, the shoes on his feet, the overt that he had left in the ante-room, Bibles that he sent to the woman he married in Cripple Creek. He questioned him minutely about the number of times McParland saw him. He made him tell all he knew about the efforts he made to get Steve Adams to confess to McParland. He drew out the statement that Gov. Gooding had commuted the sentence of a murderer named Wel-ler after Orchard had told the chief exment that Gov. Gooding had commuted the sentence of a murderer named Weller) after Orchard had told the chief executive that he was sorry for him, that the Governor when he came to see him shook hands with him and called him troduced by the state to-day. Laurence leading a horoccurred. The but recovered. The Bradley, of San Francisco, will be in the clothing free dead man was shook hands with him and called him

ing the Bradley house.
Guibbini, an Italian, has been here

Guibbini, an Itallian, has been here for several days. He is a small man, quick and intelligent. Orchard, or Barry, as he called himself, when he frequented the Guibbini store, made himself very popular with the family. It was the proprietor who went out and secured the room opposite the Bradley house wrom which Orchard said he could look into Bradley's dining room and gain the exact knowledge which enabled him the exact knowledge which enabled him to plant the bomb at the right time. It is unlikely that the State will be able to conclude the San Francisco testimony to-day because two witnesses are on their way from California and will not be here in time. One of these is the woman from whom Orchard rented a roo

To Prove Registered Letters. In the course of his cross-examination Orchard said he had received a registered letter containing \$100 from Pettibone. One of the witnesses to this called today is the registry clerk and it is possible that the tracing of the letter will have strong piece of evidence.

be a strong piece of evidence.

A witness now on the way is said to be the man who sold the powder with which Orchard made the bomb. Being unable to conclude corrobora-tion o fthe California part of Orchard's

Orchard made not the slightest effort to conceal anything about which he was asked. He never dodged a question or any phase of it. He gave many details which he was not specifically asked. He threw wide open the windows of his memory, and if there was anything inside that Lawyer Richardson did not see it was only because story the state will take up some of he minor witnesses. It is believed that Steve Adams will be located in Ogden by some of these, but after the San Francisco matter is mporarily passed the evidence will not great importance for the rest importance for the rest of was anything inside that Lawyer Rich-ardson did not see it was only because he did not look. If candor ever ap-peared to be personified, it was in the person of Harry Orchard to-day.

This candor reached its extremity in his answers to questions touching the making to him of any promise of immunity. Orchard several times was asked if McParland did not tell him that the State always looked after its he week. It is possible that Judge Wood will adjourn court over Saturday, but as the state is under great expense in the matter of witnesses, it is more probable that a session will be held on Saturday in order to dispose of those who are not of first importance to the linking up of the case. When the court does adjourn the case. When the court does adjourn to-night or Saturday it will be till Monday afternoon or Tucsday morning, as the justice will have to hold court on Monday morning at Caldwell. that the State always looked after its witnesses. He said the detective never said just this, but he added every time that McParland had told him that the

The case of Harry Orchard, charged with the murder of Frank Steunenberg will be called in Caldwell and will b postponed until the next term.

Orchard's Endurance. Orchard, who reached the climax o his testimony yesterday, and whose sensational story came to an end in a dra-matic manner, counsel for the defence eaving him pleading for the life of a fellow-murderer, returned to the peniten-tiary after he left the court room. Warden Whitney said his prisoner appeared to be in better spirits than he had been for many months. He shows not the slightest evidence of fatigue or nervousness and ate a hearty meal after he

McPartland's Testimony.

Capt. James McPartland, the famou detective who has figured so largely in the testimony and who has been at-tacked by the counsel for the defence, prefers not to be interviewed at length on the subject of the Orchard confes-

"It would be superfluous to reiter as usual to the office of James and Hawley, of counsel for the State. As ate," he said vesterday. "Orchard has told the literal truth about the confes-As his sion, and the way it was given to me. he passed through the hall with his guards he passed a man he knew and sion, and the way it was given to me. I made him no promises: I never made a promise to a criminal in my life. Orchard first confessed to me, but said he was not quite ready to give it to me finally. guards he passed a man he knew and smiled pleasantly as he went on. He was still smiling as he entered Mr. Hawley's office, but the smile faded away and his face grew ashy pale as he saw a tall, broad-shouldered, spectacled man who stood near the window. This man was none other than the stood part of Calendary and the same as the saw and the same as the saw as no saw as the saw as the saw as the saw as no saw as the saw as th

"I promised to hold it for some tim and I did so. He told me that when he was ready to tell the whole story that he would let me know, and some ex-Governor Peabody, of Colorado, on whose life Orchard made two attempts with bombs and whom he tried vainthat he would let me know, and some time later he again told me the inci-dents of his life, leaving out nothing. Eyery word that he has said on the stand as to the confession is the truth, kill, with a sawed-off shotgun.
"How are you, Orchard?" said the
Governor, kindly. As he spoke he
stepped forward and held out his hand. said the and there is nothing to add."

Weeks of Trial Yet.

The State expects to close its case in Stepped forward and neid out his hand. For a moment Orchard did not move. At last he managed to take with trembling hand the hand that the Governor held out.

"I'm ashamed to shake hands with you, Governor," he faltered, when he was able to speak. "I tried often reached before August 1. reached before August 1.

CATHOLIC FORESTERS.

L. V. McBrady, of Toronto, President of Catholic Order.

was able to speak. "I tried often enough to kill you, but I didn't succeed. I'm ashamed to look at you."
"Oh, that's all right." said Governor Peabody, "that's all in the past now, and it's all over. I just want to tell you that I don't lay it up against you, and that I'm glad you have repent. Chatham despatch: The election of Provincial officers of the C. O. F. was concluded this afternoon. A close contest for the position of Provincial Chief Ranger was ended by the election of L. V. McBrady, K. C., of Toronto, by a small majority over James Folor of small majority over James Foley Ottawa. On a previous vote the two candidates were tied, and on the last ballot Mr. McBrady won by a slight

In the afternoon, after Orchard had left the stand, Mr. Peabody came into the court-room for a few minutes. He looked curiously at the leaden box that stood on the clerk's desk. It was the case of the bomb that Orchard took Vice-Provincial Chief Ranger A. T. Montruil, of Walkerville, was re-elected by acclamation; Provincial Treasurer George W. Seguin, of Ottawa; Provincial Secretary Vincent Webb, of Ottawa, was re-elected, his opponent being M. F. Logan, of Toronto. Five Provincial Trustees were ap

"How does it feel to talk with a man who has tried so many times to kill you?" the Governor was asked.
"It's a little creepy," he answered. "but I have not got cold feet. I knew Orchard the moment I saw him, though he has changed considerably since I saw him hanging about the streets of Denver, I never suspected he was trying to 'bump me off' until after he confessed." pointed, namely, T. Gignac, Penetang J. G. Foley, Ottawa; Dr. Cavanagh Cornwall; Rev. J. iJ. Feehy, Acton Cornwall; Rev. J. iJ. Feehy, Acton Harry F. Noonan, Perth. P. H. C. R. B G. Connolly, of Paris G. Connolly, of Renfrew, and C. R. F. I Doyle, of Chatham, were elected as dele gates to the international convention y acclamation.

The remaining thirteen delegates were

elected by ballot, as follows: Rev. A Beausoleil, Fourtnier; G. W Seguin, Ot tawa; D. St. Pierre, North Bay; C. S O. Boudreault, Ottawa; John Achisholm, Cornwall; M. F. Morgan, Toronto Rev. P. McGuire, Downeyville; J. G. Foley; Ottawa; A. W. Dwyer, Perth Parry F. Noonan, Perth; J. J. Night Parry F. Noonan, Perth; J. J. Nightingale, Toronto; Rev. J. J. Feeny, Ac-

The meeting is concluded. KILLED BY LIGHTNING.

Bolt Tears Clothing Off Man's Body

poisoned to the analysis, which showed from 40 to 60 grains of strychnine in a quart of it. Mrs. Swan identified Orchard and connected him with the house. They all confirmed the date as within three or four days of the explosion, and Mrs. Swan swore that she overed the Near North Battleford. North Battleford, Sask., June 17 .- With his wife watching him through the window, Francois Grosjean, rancher the window, Francois Grosjean, rancher, living thirty miles northeast of here, was instantly killed by a bolt of lightning on Saturday afternoon. He was brought here for burial. Grosjean was Mrs. Swan swore that she opened the front door to get the morning paper a few minutes before the explosion and saw nothing on the steps. leading a horse when the accident occurred. The horse was knocked down,

M. Guibbini, the proprietor of the store near the Bradley home, is the first witness. It was here that Orchard says he made his rendezvous when he was watching the Bradley house. **TREASURER**

Appointment Confirmed by the General Assembly.

Rev. Alfred Gandier Will Consider His Acceptance.

Moral Reform Agency Offered to Rev. Dr. Shearer.

A Montreal despatch: What was de scribed as "the most progressive General Assembly held for many years" was brought to a close at a late hour to-night. To-night Dr. Somerville ac epted the post of Treasurer, and Mr. Gandier, while expressing his appreciation of the offer, asked leave to consult his congregation before committing him-self as church financial agent.

Another important appointment was that of Rev. Dr. J. G. Shearer, Toronto, as agent to prosecute the work of moral and social reform. Dr. Shearer also reserving his decision, however, un-til he had consulted the Lord's Day Alliance, of which he is Secretary. Among other matters discussed at the final session was a proposal to specially ordain catechists and students working in the nome mission fields so that they might be at liberty to baptize and to sole marriages. Rev. G. A. Wilson, Van-couver, intimated that he accepted the appointment of Superintendent of Home Missions in British Columbia.

Powers of Marriage and Baptism. The question of whether catechists and students working under the Home Mission Committee should be empower ed to baptize and solemnize marriage mittee appointed at the last Assembly to consider the ministers' evangelistic course. It was recommended by the committee that where, in the judgment of a Presbytery, approved by the General Assembly's Home Mission Committee, the interests of home mission require, it should be competent for the Presbytery to grant authority to dis-pense sealing ordinances and to marry to any catechist, student or minister who had not yet been admitted by the General Assembly, and to ordain, where

deneral Assembly, and to ordain, where necessary, for these purposes, but that that authority should be revocable at any moment, and should not confer the full ministerial status. Discussion of the matter was ad-ourned, and when it was resumed Dr. Patrick intimated that the recommend ation had been altered to the effect that should be competent for a Presbytery o ordain catechists or students for work under the Home Mission Commit-tee, but that those thus ordained should not posses the full ministerial status nor be eligible for a call. In this form he recommendation was adopted.

Widows' and Orphans' Fund.

Rev. Dr. Sedgwick moved the adoption of the report of the ministers' widows and orphans' fund, eastern section, and Rev. A. McGillivray, Toronto, that for the western section.

The committee for the western section reported that, although the number of annuitant was steadily invescing the

annutants was steadily increasing, the contributions from congregations had this year been less than last year by the sum of \$1,812.54. In consequence of this there had not been sufficient rev-enue to meet the amount of the annuities paid, and they had had to close the year with a deficit of \$1,033.80, the rev-enue having been \$1,868.51 less than the expenditure.

An overture from the Presbytery of To onto was submitted by Rev. A. Mac-Gillivray, urging that all ministers be required at their ordination and induc-tion to connect themselves with the aged and infirm ministers' fund, and the ministers' widows and orphans' The overture was remitted to the board of the funds for consideration.

B. C. Theological College.

The committee appointed to conside the details connected with the establish the details connected with the establishment of a theological college in British Columbia recommended that until a per marent site was secured the college should be located at Vancauver. This along with other provisional arrangements, was approved.

The report on statistics was present

ed by Rey. Dr. Somerville and adonted The totals by Synods were: 130,609 Families .

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| i | Communicants 241,511 | 253,392 |
| | Baptisms (infants. 11,780 | 11,930 |
| i | Baptisms (adults). 1,446 | 1.567 |
| 1 | No. enrolled in | 2,001 |
| 8 | Sunday schools | |
| 3 | and Bible class | 175,756 |
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| - 1 | congregations\$1,136.026 | \$1,219,658 |
| , | Stipend from other | |
| , | Payments for all | 150,133 |
| | Payments for all | |
| | mission purposes. 492,997 | 592,117 |
| | Total for all pur- | |
| - | poses 3,080,173 | 3.351.284 |
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| 9 | sions 108,589 | 124,206 |
| | Raised by S. S. | |
| | and B. C | 151,286 |
| | Value of church | |
| | property | 14.690.442 |
| | Debt on church | ,,- |
| | property 1,674,256 | 1.888,869 |
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| - | The Auditors' View. | |

The report on the audit of the church accounts was then considered. The auditors, John MacKay & Co., commented somewhat strongly on the system of finance adopted, describing it as de-

Several recommendations with a view improving the methods of administration were submitted by Dr. Somerville and approved.

Preacher Sued for Slander. Rossland, B. C., June 17 .- A writ has been issued in the Supreme Court by George Agnew, merchant of this city, against Rev. J. P. Knox, pastor of the Methodist Church. The writ claims dam-

A TORONTO BURGLAR.

The Bad Man Captured in Philadelphia While on a Spree.

Philadelphia, Pa., June 17.-John M. Parker, a well-dressed young man, who has been in this city for three weeks posing as the son of a rich man, while he worked himself into the graces of a pretty West Philadelphia girl, who was to be his bride, has come to grief. Through his own carelessness in getting drunk and wearing a pair of over-shoes on a clear day, he brought to the attention of the police the fact that he was a notorious burglar and a former associate of Ed. and John Biddle, who nade a sensational escape from prison in

Pittsburg several years ago.
When fuddled Parker fell off a trolley varies funded Parker fell off a troley car last Monday night. His head was badly injured, and the patrol rushed him to the Pennsylvania Hospitel. His injuries were dressed, and the house surgeon took an admission card to write down a history of the patient.

"What's your name?" asked the doctor.

John Parker," was the reply. "Your occupation?" asked the doctor, who by this time noticed the heavy gum shoes the patient wore. "Not a gum shoe man, I hope?" "Close to it," was the surprising response of Parker. "I am a real bur

"You're delirious," was the doctor's

sisted the patient, "I am a real crook, served lots of time. Why, I am Pratt (alias Reddy Corney) from Toronto, Canada. Look me up, see if I ain't. You won't believe me when I tell you I know the famous Biddle broth-

Then the police were notified and de tectives were sent to investigate. the time they reached the hospital Parker realized his carelessness in talking too much, and tried to make believe that it was all a joke. But the police had grown suspicious, and would not let him go. Finally Parker confessed that he had served seven years for house-breaking in Toronto and had done other time. under the control of the time under the names of Corney an

"Don't let the girl know." he pleaded, as they took him away. "She thinks I'm

THE WEEK-END BABY.

way from London for the week-end, leaving the baby in charge of the nurse, would be surprised if baby, having the power of speech could narrate his or her xperiences during their absence.
A story is told of a certain

married couple who spend most of their week-ends in country-house visiting and who, in consequence of an an-onymous letter, paid a surprise visit to their home on a Saturday night. The nurse and the baby-boy were absent. The young parents at once took a cab to th address in Chelsea given to them by the anonymous letter writer. They inquired of the grubby-looking maiden of four-teen who answered the bell if the Lady So-and-so's baby was within. To the sound of distant dance music the girl school of the symptomy accurate the girl section. ushered the young couple into a gloomy locking anteroom crowded with bassin

The young couple had unveiled for themselves a hidden phase of London life. Young parents of the middle or upper classes who have but one child frequently leave it with the nurse at home from Friday night till Monday and on the Saturday evening the frivolous nurse, secure, presumably, from inter-ruption, takes her little charge and goes out to enjoy herself in the company of her fellows at a dancing class or a re-mote little dancing hall. On every Saturday night ten to twenty children, from one year old to four, may be seen in their bassinettes in the cloakroom of

these assemblies.

But these are not the only experiences of the week-end baby. "In some districts," said a leading detective recently "there are rooms in which on a Saturday night a nurse, on payment of a few pence, can leave her baby charge which she goes to the music-hall or theatre."

TO HAVE A NEW WING. Plans for Parliament Buildings Enlarge

ment Assume Definite Shape.

Toronto, June 17.—It is reported that plans are now being prepared for a new wing to the Provincial Parliament buildings. The need of enlargement of the buildings has been felt for some years, and various methods have been discussed. The plans, it is said, provide for the erection of the new wing immediately. erection of the new wing immediately north of the present main portion of the existing buildings and between the eas-

tern and western wings.
Offices will be provided for the Tem-iskaming & Northern Ontario Bailway and the Hydro-electric Power Commisions, the Railway and Municipal Board. the sessional typewriters, and for one or two of the permanent departments of the Government, now in somewhat crimped quarters in the existing build-

The present intention is to ask at the next session of the Legislature for a vote for the work on the basis of the new plans, and to commence building next spring.

WAS WILFUL MURDER.

Coroner's Jury Find That John Boyd Shot Ed. F. Wandle.

Toronto despatch: A verdict of will-ful murder against John Boyd, with a rider commending Police Constables Tur-ner and McCrae for promptitude in ef-fecting the arrest of the prisoner, was fecting the arrest of the prisoner, was returned last night by Coroner George W. Graham's jury, who investigated the circumstances attending the shooting of Edward F. Wandle, the York street restaurant keeper, on Tuesday afternoon. Olive Bovey, a waitress in the restaurant, one of the principal witnesses, said that when Boyd was in the place in the morning in search of the woman, Naomi Evans, Wandle hit the prisoner over the head with a loaded cane. When Wandle ran upstairs in the afternoon, closely followed by Boyd, the restaurant keeper had no idea that the prisoner was but recovered. The bolt literally tore ages against the minister for slandering the clothing from Grosjean's body. The dead man was 55 years old, married, and five sons.

Methodist Church. The writ claims damloosely followed by Boyd, the restaurant keeper had no idea that the prisoner was followed him into the street, and succeeded in rousing Constable Glass, who plained that three shots were fired arrested the man. Sentence was dedownstairs and two more upstairs.

GREAT STRIKE FAILS.

MEN LOST ABOUT A MILLION DOLLARS IN WAGES.

Pat Connors, Leader of the Strikers, Breaks Down and Weeps as He Tells the Men They Are Beaten-Returning to Work.

New York, June 17 .- There was a pathetic scene at yesterday's meeting of the 'longshoremen, whose strike for increased pay was declared off. Patrick Connors, leader of the strikers, broke down and wept when compelled to make the acknowledgment that the men were beaten. There was a moment's silence, and then the hall rang with cheers for the leader, while many of the men who had faced privation in the effort to win their demands hurried to the platform, shook Connors by the hand and assured him that he had made a good fight

him that he had made a good fight.

More than 12,000 of the original 20,000 strikers who remained firm will return to work to-day. It is believed that all of the men will secure their old places, but they must return for the same pay they received when they went on strike, thirty cents an hour. They had demanded an increase of ten cents.

The strike has lasted nearly six weeks,

and was a great pecuniary loss to the steamship companies and to the work-ers. The loss in wages to the 'longshoremen has been close to a million dollars

SCHMITZ IS GUILTY.

SAN FRANCISCO'S CHIEF OF EXECU-TIVE CONVICTED.

The First Formal Conviction in the Antigraft Campaign—Schmitz Unmoved When Verdict Was Rendered by Jury.

San Francisco, June 17.-Mayor Eugene Schmitz was to-night found guilty of extorting money from keepers of French restaurants in this city. This is the first formal conviction in the A Hidden Phase of Life in Old London.

A London cable says:—Parents who go guilty to the charges and appeared as witness against Schmitz.

When the verdict was announced Schmitz sat unmoved, with his left hand to his chin. He apparently did not understand, and asked Barrett: "What

"Guilty," said Barrett. Schmitz's hand dropped to the table, but he show ed no other sign of emotion.

TWO OF THEM

SEARCHING FOR VANISHED MAN, FOUND BODY OF AGED WOMAN.

Two Suicides at Stratford-The Second Tragedy Was Revealed While Victoria Lake Was Being Dragged.

Stratford, Ont., espatch: Last even ing Mr. Samuel Rankin, of Stratford. left his home and about 8 o'clock this evening his body was found lying in three feet of water on the outskirts of the city, near the House of Refuge. Mr. Rankin, unnoticed by his wife,

got up out of bed between the hours of 12 and 4 o'clock. It was thought advisable to drag Victoria Lake, and a great portion of the water was let out, but the body was not found. Instead, however, one of the searchers was shocked to find in the water the lifeless form of an aged woman. The proper authorities were at once notified, and on enquiry the remains were found to be those of Mrs. Patterson, a well-known resident of the city. The body had only been in the water a few hours.

Late last night deceased was found wandering around in the vicinity of the lake, and was taken home, but this morning she again walked down in the same direction and ended her life. She had been brooding over the illness of her daugther.

SHOT THROUGH HEAD.

Seventeen-Year-Old Boy Killed at Augustine Cove. P. E. I.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., June 17 .- A fatal accident occurred yesterday at Augustine Cove, the victim being Whitfiedl Laird, aged seventeen, son of Philip Laird. The boy started harrowing, but left the team standing and went off, carrying his gun. The father, who at first felt no uneasiness, finally became alarmed at his prolonged absence

and went in search.

In the woods at the edge of the field he found the dead body of his son with the head shattered by a load of slugs, which the gun contained. The slugs entered underneath the chin and came out at the back of the neck.

It is believed the discharge was accidental, presumably when he was at-

tempting to withdraw the load. Laird was always handling guns, and some months ago shot himself through the hand.

REVOLVER WAS HANDY.

Qu'Appelle Woman Chases Burglar and Secures Arrest.

Regina, June 17 .- In the Supreme Court Mathias Gruenstein was found guilty of burglariously breaking iato the house of Mrs. Ambler, of Qu'Appelle on May 25. Mrs. Ambler stated that the had slept with a loaded revolver under her pillow for twenty years. When Gruenstein's presence in the house was detected she chased the man out of the

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District News

DAYTOWN

The recent warm spell has improved the appearance of the grass and grain

The smallpox scare in Athens has not reached here, and the people can't believe it is smallpox.

Jas. Huffman has A. Elliott ing with his corn planter.

The blossoms on the fruit trees indicate a full crop again this year.

SOPERTON

On Wednesday last, death again visited our midst, claiming as its vicim Mr. W. H. Godkin. He was a very highly respected resident and the kind-est of neighbors. His many friends deeply feel their loss. The sorrowing relatives have the sympathy of the community. The funeral service was conducted in the M. E. church here, on Friday afternoon, by Rev. Mr. Dewey, Baptist minister of Delta, as sisted by Revs. A. B. Johnston and R. H. Whiteside. The funeral was one of the largest that has been held in the church for a number of years, over one hundred not being able to gain admittance. A great many friends followed the corpse to the grave where his brother Masons conducted the beautiful burial service of Masonic

Mr. Geo. Kendrick is improving after his recent attack of heart trouble. Miss Helen Brown of Addison is

isiting her sister. Mrs. W. J. Frye. Mr. and Mrs. H. Hollingsworth of Elbe visited Mr. and Mrs. W. Davis

Mrs. R. Johnson is still on the sick Born-To Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Shire,

on Tuesday, June 4th, a son.

The meetings at Delta held by Rev. A. B. Johnston, assisted by the evange-list, Rev. R. H. Whiteside, are well attended by Sopertonians.

MAPLE LEAF VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs T. Moulton spent day at Charleston Lake recently and reported fish very scarce.

Crows, be on your guard-the old Enfield is ready. Mrs. Job James and children of

ddison visited her mother, Mrs. M. Johnston, on Sunday. Miss Sarah Byers is the guest of Mrs. Kervin.

Mr. John Morris has bought the F. Cornell place. Well done for you

Miss Annie Young was the guest of Mrs. S. Godkin on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. James Hanna visited

friends at Hard Island on Tuesday Mr. S. Johnston is this week visit-

ing friends at Addison. We are all pleased to see Miss Addie Cheetham able to be out again. Mis. Ellen Downey has returned after three month's visit to her son in York.

day and Sunday.

Mr. B. Moutton has treated himself to a fancy carriage. Mrs. R. Gainford is gaining slowly,

but we hope to see her able to be out Mrs. George Cheetham was again

Kingston Business able to attend church on Sunday. Mr. John Morris has a new mileh ow for sale.

Master Andy Bradly expects to go to Brockville soon on a visit to his mother, Mrs. M. Bradly.

Some of our young ladies in the Valley are getting ready for confirmation.

FRANKVILLE

The Rural Company Telephone lines are extending to farm homes in several quarters, and mark a new

Dr. Dixon's Auto, with its ample top and lamps in front, arrived and is scanned with interest by the Recorder says: "In one corner Mr. Andrew Hagerman and his boy scanned with interest by the people. Even the horses eem anxious to diagnose the intruder on their domain and know what it means.

Mr. Campbell Oliver died in Winnipeg, and the startling tidings came by wire to Mrs. Oliver and daughters. They have much sympathy. Friends of Ottawa came on Saturday to visit

GLEN MORRIS

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Monroe, Athens, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson recently.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Redford are congratulating them

on the arrival of a fine baby boy. Mrs. E. Beale, Beale's Mills, visited friends in the Glen last week.

Mr. Ed. Foster had the misfortune to lose a fine young colt a few days ago. The animal died of spinal

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hawkins Athens, spent Sunday last guests of Mr. Ad. Hawkins.

Mr. H. Redford has purchased a andsome new carriage.

Mr. Jos. Morris is having his verands repaired and repainted and when finished it will present a very tasteful appearance.

will be benefited.

Our local butcher was called Brockville last week to act as juryman at the present session of court. Mrs. E. Thornhill and Mrs. E.

Beale were guests of Mrs. Jos. Morris Frye, Soperton, were guests at Mr Johnson Morris's on 7th inst.

Mrs. Ab. Morris spent Friday last with friends in Athens. Mrs. A. W. Thornhill and Master Jack paid a pleasant visit to Smith's Falls friends last week.

MODERN FREIGHT CARS

Considerable additions are being just now made to the rolling stock of the Grand Trunk, in the delivery of some five thousand freight cars of various kinds. These cars were only ordered last November, and delivery started a few days ago, which is regarded as pretty rapid work in these the most mordern type, as is shown by the immense capacity of steel coal cars, which have a carrying power of 100,000 pounds each. The will be made, when t cars are being rushed into active work

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THE POSTAL SITUATION

From all sections the recent posta convention with the United States is meeting with unqualified condemna The statement that the U.S. postal authorities would not consent to a postponement of the increased rates has been officially denied. In view of this the assertion of "Printer and Publisher," Toronto, that the convention was a scheme of the U.S. to increase their postal revenue a half s nillion dollars yearly at the expense of Canada is manifestly absurd. That this country should be making a profit of its postal business notwithstanding Mr. and Mrs. Mort Topping were the guests of Mrs. W. Gray on Satur-free shows that the expenses of such free shows that the expenses of such transportation have been greatly exaggerated. The endorsement of the action of the convention by the Cana dian Press Association wa practices which were, to say the least, doubtful, and is now being repudiated by its members. Postmaster-General Lemieux is the victim of his subordinates, and the sooner he rights himself with the country the better. It is com the journals of his own party the

tests against the existing arrangemits are chiefly coming: the opponents of the Government view it complacently knowing that it is bound to react unfavorably on the administration. -Ex.

Manual Training Exhibit

An exhibit of work done by pupils the Domestie Science and Manual Training departments of Brockville public schools last week was viewed pupils are proudly showing results of their handiwork, which is indeed marvelous An indea of the showing of this department is a large work-bench complete, made by Master Jim Horton, the little son of Dr. Horton, cut of white ash and bard maple. luto the bench are several new wrinkles, which old-time mechanics should see and take pattern from. Then again two other little boys, Garnet Hollington and Geo. McLean, are showing sleds made by themselves in the school. Another little boy is showing a sailboat, the product of his own hand, while there are several other articles too numerous to men-

CASTORIA

Many in Atliens hold in pleasant memory Mr. Charles D. Fisher, son of Mr. D. Fisher, Victoria street, and will read with

pleasure the following notice from the Brandon Sun:—
C. D. Fisher, who for the past five years has been connected with the Mr. B. Beale has again returned to C. P. R. Telegraphic Department as Toronto for further medical treatment and his friends are hopeful that he resignation to take effect on July 1st, and has accepted an appointment on the Grand Trunk Pacific, with head-

quarters at Winnipeg.

Mr. Fisher's departure from this city will be heard of with feelings of regret by all with whom he came in contact in his official capacity. Especially so will this be the case in busi-Mrs. Wesley Davis, Mrs. W. J. ness circles, wherein Mr. Fisher has frye and Misses Maysie and Zelda formed a large number of friends by ness circles, wherein Mr. Fisher has his genial and courteous manner in all business transactions. In his depar-ture from this city Brandon will lose one of its most able and much respected citizens. Mr. Fisher was appointed to Brandon from Moose Jaw some five

The Grand Trank Pacific is to be congratulated on securing the able services of one who has had such a large amount of experience in railway siness and one who was not only a favorite with the public at large, but was also endeared in the affections of the large office staff under him.

A Beef Combine

A beef combine, the Times says, has been formed amongst the farmers in Lansdowne Township. Each farmer is days of enormous orders for rolling stock, far beyond the capacity of the shops to turn them out. The cars are divided into twenty pounds, more or less, per week. This will continue in

At the end of this time, settlement will be made, when the difference between the weight of each man's meat as fast as they arrive, which is about and the amount of beef he has received will be settled for at the rate of six The order which is now being decents per pound. The outcome of this scheme will be watched with interest.

Notice to Creditors

In the matter of the estate of Freder-ick Pierce, late of the village of Athens in the County of Leeds, Hotel Keeper,

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to "The Revised statutes of Ontario" 1897, Chapter 129, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Frederick Plerce, who died on or about the fifth day of May, 1907, are required, on or before the twentieth day of July, 1807, to send by post prepaid or deliver to T. R. Beale, Barrister, Athens, Ontario, Solicitor for the Administratrix, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims. He statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that after such last mentioned date the said Administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have notice, and that the said Administratrix will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by her at the time of such distribution.

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few days ago a wild duck was

noticed flying over the town, but low down with a labored flight as it exhausted, until finally she came to the ground in Mr. S. James' garden, when investigation disclosed the fact that the mother duck had been carrying on her back twelve young ones apparent ly three or four weeks old. Whether the young ones were slipping from her and she wanted to readjust her load is not explainable, but after an unsucessful effort to restore them to their former position on her back the old one departed leaving behind eleven of her brood. These Mr. James is caring for until they can take care of them selves.—Almonte Gazette.

Diminished Vitality

Some people talk very flippantly bout diminished vitality.

They don't stop to think vitality is the principle of life—that it is that ittle understood something on which very function of their bodies depends. Diminished vitality is early indicated by loss of appetite, strength and endurance, and Hood's Sarsapar illa is the greatest vitalizer.

Educational Laws

One of the latest laws promulgated by Ontario's Minister of Education requires that public school inspectors nust attend a school to be opened in Toronto. As inspectors receive such large salaries they won't mind the little item of expense involved in this.

The duties of all Public School in pectors will be materially increased At regular intervals they will be called upon to meet the Trustee Boards and fully discuss all educational matters, and at least once in each year they must call a public meeting in each township and invite trustees and rate

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Congregation Delighted by Novel Easter Address.

Easter Sunday morning was celebrated at Ebchester Parish Church, Newcastleon-Tyne, by the unusual form of a ser-mon preached in verse.

In a series of Spenserian stanzas the rector, the Rev. Dr. J. George Gibson, discussed the text, "In the garden of a new sepulchre," and created something f a sensation in his congregation.

The following are the first stanzas of

How sweet the phrase each burial ground that calls

A "cemetery" that is "Sleeping-place!"
Where, out beyond the noisy city's walls,
Our dear one's rest while, past their

earthly race, They bask in presence of their Father's

face, Waiting the summons of the Judgment When they and we shall once again em-

And re-unite life's closest bonds for aye! Ah, who such meeting seek most warmly -we or they!

While speeds the city on its reckless The Cemetery rests in peace profound. While yields the city now to fraud, now

force, The Sleeping-place is always holy ground Where'r appears the tiny grass-grown

The coarsest nature feels a sense of The birds appear to sing with softer As if the symbols of repose they saw.

This reverence for the grave is Nature's solemn law!

Not far from Calvary's ill-omened slope,
Were gardens, and in them a rock-

hewn cave,
Where wealthy Joseph had indulged the hope That he himself might one day find a

grave, The Sacred Form from contact rude to He laid it reverently there to rest,

Now let the rough world round about Him rave! secret convert had achieved his

And Christ, as sang the seer, lay 'mid the wealthiest. The sermon was very closely and attentively followed by the delighted con-

Prayer. Our Heavenly Father, who in ancient days didst lead Thy people like a flock and didst deliver them from the wrath of their enemies, we also would commit ourselves to Thy guidance and protec-tion. When the road is dark and we know not how we should go, send forth Thy light and Thy truth and let them lead us. When barriers lie across our path which we are not able to overcome make Thou a way for us, as Thou didst part the sea for Israel. When our faith grows weak and courage fails, speak to us words of cheer, sustain us by Thy promises and by the touch of Thy gracious Spirit, that we may go forward according to Thy will and may follow wherever Thou dost lead. Finally, when we stand face to face with death, let

"Put Yourself in His Place."-This motto, good for all classes, is especially applicable to children. Too many act applicable to children. Too many act applicable to children. Too many act applicable to children their child-hood. They seem to have little sympathy or patience with children and youth. But both are essential to helping the young. One cannot have the confidence of the young who does not sympathize with them; and without their confidence little help can be rentally applicable to children. There is scarcely a prayer that does not pass through the crucible; it goes in big; it comes out small. Take selfishness out a million prayers and you have what a child may carry in a basket—selfish prayers sink by the hundred tons at a time into the sea. No wonder that the sea is filling up. Selfishness is a defilement, and dered. In order to sympathize with them, it is necessary to enter into their state of mind—to realize the value of their trials, their sorrows, their expectations, their disappointments, and whatever else may be fall him. He who does this may hope to be of real service to a ser this may hope to be of real service to the young. None clse can.

must learn, and they are susceptible of being taught. It is of the utmost importance that they be taught correct views of God, of themselves, of the na-ture of sin, of duty, of the Christian life, and the way to live it. Too many are left to absorb their notions from others, who are illy prepared to in-struct others, because of their own defective knowledge. It would be a bless-ing to every church if the younger ones were collected into classes for specific instruction in the fundamentals of the Christian religion and of Christian life. Such training would be of incalculable value for the future of every such con-gregation. It would make it easy to secure the children of the church for

secure the children of the church for Christ and His services when young, and prevent those long delays and uncertainties incident to many of them.

Set Them a Good Example.—Teaching will go a very little way unless backed up by the right sort of example. "Teaching by example" is the best way to reach anyone, especially the young. reach anyone, especially the young. Here is a field in which every Endeavorer may find something to do. Let him be careful that what he does puts no stumbling-block in the way of some younger person. If we have the confidence of the young, the more easily can we lead them in paths of righteousness by what we are, by the path in which we walk. We must see to it that our path is perfectly safe for them to take. Some things which we may wish for ourselves we may have to give no for ourselves we may have to give up for the sake of those who look to us for example, and who will be greatly in-

fluenced by what they see in us.

Try to Influence Them for Christ.—
This should be the final aim of all our relations with the youth of our homes and our churches. This should never be out of mind. All that we do for be out of mind. All that we do for them should have this for its ultimate goal. It is a crying need of our churches that the young are too much neglected. They are committed to the Sunday eahool and the Junior Endeavor, while

the church authorities give them little or no attention. Yet they need the tenderest care, the most careful nursing, that they may be saved while young from the burdening effects of indifference and pracrastination, and be influenced to give themselves joyfully to

Our Best.

There are some who shrink from un-dertaking work which the Master gives them to do. They are not worthy; they have no skill nor power for the deli-cate duty. But to all their timid shrink-ing and withdrawing the Master's gen-tle yet urgent word is, "Do your best." There are some who shrink from un tle yet urgent word is, "Do your best." They have only to kneel in lowly reverence, and pray for the beloved Master's sake, for skill and strength for the task sake, for skill and strength for the task assigned, and they will be inspired and helped to do it well. The power of Christ will rest upon them, and the love of Christ will be in their hearts. And all work done under this blessed inspiration will be acceptable to God. We have but truly to lay We have but truly to lay the living sac-rifice on the altar; then God will send the fire.

We need to get this matter of conse-eration down out of cloudland into the region of actual, common, daily living. We sing about it in our religious meet-ings, oft-times in glowing mood as if it were some exalted state, with which earth's life of toil, struggles, and care had nothing whatever to do. consecration suggested by the living sacrifice is one that walks the earth, that meets ene's actual duties, struggles, temptations, and sorrows, and that falters not in obedience, fidelity or submission, but follows Christ with love and joy wherever He leads. other consecration pleases God.—J. R. Miller, D. D.

The Landing Place of Prayer.

I thought I was in the King's treasure house, a large and ample place. Men in authority were present and servants acting their part. Large vases stood in rows, tier above tier. At one end I saw a wharf with shipping, and all was busy flags of different nations were flying at the masthead, with all the bustle of a busy port.

All seemed busy but one, and he ap-

proached and seemed willing to com-nunicate. I inquired about the conmunicate. I inquired about the con-tents of the treasure house and the importations. "I am not permitted to know all. Indeed, but very little, but hese massive vases have a history which is very precious. Go and look in-to one of them." The fragrance was that of a garden which the Lord had blessed. "You must not reckon by the bulk, but by the excellency of the con-tents. Gold, well refined, the most precious potent factors in the universe The rarest, most costly jewels may not compare with their value; their worth is beyond computation. Each golden bowl or vase has a distinct history, and a name is attached to each, though you do not see it. The refining of these contents is a marvellous performance. You see that fleet at the wharf. During long voyages the refining process has been going on, sifting, washing, di-viding, sorting. Oh, the worthless stuff thrown overboard has been immense, so much so that the ocea nbed has been considerably arised. This great landing place means treasures from afar more precious than gold. These jewels are like concentrated, solidified tears—they shine, they sparkle, they illustrate the agenies of the past and the present, for the process still goes on."

the process still goes on."

There was sileace! The goodly smell overpowered us. We felt the atmosphere delicious and oppressive, a burden and yet so glad. "Tell me in a word," said I, "the contents of these vases." we stand face to face with death, let Thy presence still be with us, that the feer of the last great enemy may be taken away, and that we may pass peacefully and triumphantly into the land of promise. Hear our prayer for Logus' sake. Amen.

said I, "the contents of these vases." They are the prayers of the saints, the history of even one would fill you with amazement. The heart of man may be compared to a factory where raw material is crushed, smelted, mould-refined, adapted and made fit for ed, refined, adapted and made fit for use. The product is jewels for the crown of the King, gold for the currency of the realm, arguments for the high courts, beauties of holiness for the an-gels to admire. There is scarcely a prayer that does not pass through the are pure within, and beautiful without roung. None clase can.

ach Them Right Views.—Children learn, and they are susceptible of taught. It is of the utmost impact that they be taught correct that they be taug H. T. Miller. Beamsville, Ont.

Affliction.

When the Psalmist said: "It is good for me that I have been afflicted," he was not talking cant. He had reached the point in his earthly career at which he could look back upon the preceding years and see them—much as God sees them—as a whole. He could nurveint the design of the terms of the terms of the terms of the second sees them—as a whole. appreciate the danger of the temptations which he had met, and the necessity of which he had met, and the necessity of sharp warnings at this point, and of actual scourgings of the soul at this point, in order to prevent his straying, or to rescue him, already strayed from the way of safety. Such a retrospect of life is granted to each of us at times, and it is full of instruction. It teaches us a tremendous truth, the need and use of unhappiness. Chastening widens the experience, deepens sympathy, enlarges the range of friendship, invigorates character, throws the soul back upon God in firmer trust and does a work for the soul so noble that, if its work for the soul so noble that, if its own character alone be regarded, the divine love behind it and pervading it ecomes evident. Blessed are they who no longed need to be thus assured, be-cause their own hearts have learned the truth and rest upon it .- The Congrega

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AUTUMN SITTINGS AND WINTER ASSIZES, 1908.

BOYD, C.

1, Woodstock (jury), Tuesday, Sept. 4; 2, Belleville (jury), Tuesday, Oct. 1; 3, Goderich (jury), Tuesday, Oct. 15; 4, Juelph (non-jury), Tuesday, Nov. 12; 5 indsay (non-jury), Tuesday, Nov. 19; Monday, Nov. 25; 7, Cobourg, (non-jury) Monday, Dec. 16; 8, Toronto (Winter Assizes), second week, Monday, Jan. 13, 1902

MEREDITH, C. J.

1, Ottawa (jury), Monday, Sept. 30; 1, Uttawa (jury), Monday, Sept. 30; 2, St. Thomas (jury), Monday, Oct. 7; 3, Kingston (jury), Monday, Oct. 28; 4, Stratford (non-jury), Monday, Nov. 4; 5, Toronto (non-jury), tenth week, Monday, Nov. 18; 6, Simcoe (non-jury), Monday, Nov. 25; 7, Welland (non-jury), Monday, Dec. 2; 8, London (Winter Assizes), Monday. Jan. 6, 1008 sizes), Monday, Jan. 6, 1908.

FALCONBRIDGE, C. J.

1. Stratford (jury), Monday, Sept. 16; 2, Hamilton (jury), Monday, Sept. 10; 2, Hamilton (jury), Monday, Oct. 7; 3, Bracebridge (jury and non-jury), Monday, Oct. 28; 4. Perth (jury and non-jury), Monday, Nov. 11; 5, Owen Sound (non-jury), Tuesday, Nov. 26; 6, Toronto (non-jury), twelfth week, Monday, Dec. 2; 7, Sarnia (non-jury), Thursday, Dec. 12.

MULOCK, C. I.

1, Walkerton (jury), Monday, 1, Walkerton (jury), Monday, Sept. 16; 2, Brockville (jury), Tuesday, Sept. 24; 3, Toronto (civil jury), fourth week, Monday, Oct. 14; 4, Cobourg (jury), Monday, Oct. 21; 5, Milton (jury and 2nd week, Monday, Nov. 25; 8, Toronto (non-jury), ninth week, Monday, Nov. 11; 7, St. Thomas (non-jury), Monday, Nov. 18; 8, Goderich (non-jury), Monday, Dec. 2; 9, North Bay (non-jury), Monday, Dec. 9: nday, Dec. 9.

MACMAHON, J.

1, Whitby (jury), Monday, Sept. 23; 2, Peterboro' (jury), Monday, Sept. 30; 3, Simcoe (jury), Tuesday, Oct. 8; 4, Welland (jury) Monday, Oct. 28; 5, Tor-onto (non-jury), 8th week, Monday, Nov. 4; 6, Toronto (criminal), 1st week, Monday, Nov. 18; 7, Toronto (criminal), 2nr week, Monday, Nov. 25; 8, Toronto (criminal), 3rd week, Monday, Dec. 2; 9, Napanee (non-jury), Monday, Dec. 16; 10, Hamilton (winter assizes), Monday, Jan. 6, 1908.

BRITTON, J. 1, Barrie (jury), Monday, Sept. 16; 2, Foronto (jury), second week, Monday, Toronto (jury), second week, Monday, Sept. 30; 3. Cornwall (jury), Tuesday, Oct. 8; 4, Toronto (non-jury), 7th week, Monday, Oct. 28: 5, Chatham (jury), 7th week, Monday, Nov. 4; 6, Hamilton (non-jury), Monday, Nov. 25; 7, Whitby (non-jury), Thursday, Dec. 5; 8, Kingston (non-jury), Thursday, Dec. 9; 8, King-ston (non-jury), Thursday, Dec. 12; 9, Toronto (winter assizes), 3rd week, Mon-day, Jan. 20, 1908.

TEETZEL, J.

1, Toronto (civil jury), 1st week, Monday Sept. 23; 2, Toronto (non-jury), 3rd week, Monday, Sept. 30; 3, London (jury), Monday, Oct. 7; 4, Toronto (non-jury), 6th week, Monday, Oct. 21; 5, Berlin (non-jury), Tuesday, Nov. 5; 6, Berlin (non-jury), Tuesday, Nov. 5; 6, Cornwall (non-jury), Tuesday, Nov. 19; 7, Brantford (non-jury), Tuesday, Nov 26: 8, Sandwich (non-jury), Tuesday, Dec. 17; 9, Toronto (winter assizes), 1st week, Monday, Jan. 6, 1908.

ANGLIN, J.

1, Guelph (jury), Tuesday, Sept. 17; 2, Beilin (jury), Tuesday, Sept. 24; 3, To-ronto (civil jury), 3rd week, Monday, ronto (civil jury), 3rd week, Monday, Oct. 7; 4, Toronto (non-jury), 5th week, Menday, Oct. 14; ', L'Original (jury and non-jury), Wednesday, Nov. 20; 6, Brockville (non-jury), Tuesday, Dec. 3; 7, Sault Ste. Marie (jury and non-jury), Tuesday, Dec. 10; 8, Woodstock (non-jury), Tuesday, Dec. 17; 9, Cornwall (winter assizes), Tuesday, Jān. 7, 1908. MAGEE, J.

1, Brantford (jury), Monday, Sept. 23; 2, Owen Sound (jury), Monday, Oct. 14; 3, Orangeville (jury and non-jury), Monday, Oct. 21; 4, Toronto (civil jury), 6th week, Monday, Oct. 28; 5, Brampton (jury and non-jury), Monday, Nov. 11; 6, Cayuga (jury and non-jury), Monday, Nov. 26; 7, St. Catharines (non-jury), Monday, Dec. 16; 8, Toronto (non-jury),

15th week, Monday, Dec. 23. CLUTE, J. 1 Lindsay (jury), Monday, Sept. 23; 2 Toronto (non-jury), 4th week, Monday, Oct. 7; 3. Parry Sound (jury and non-CHAMBERLIN STILL HELPLESS.

His Weakness Shocks His Friends at Birmingham.

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Chamberlain arrived here to-day from London. The health of Mr. Chamberlain is improving but his corrections. And the corrections of the correction of t

MABEE, J.

broke (jury and non-jury), Tuesday, Oct.

22; 5, Ottawa (non-jury), Monday, Nov. 11; 6, Peterboro' (non-jury), Thursday, Nov. 21; 7, Walkerton (non-jury), Thursday, Dec. 12; 8, Toronto (non-jury), 14th week, Monday, Dec. 16; 9, Toronto (winter assizes), 5th week, Monday, Eth. 3, 1008. day, Feb. 3, 1908.

RIDDELL, J.

1, Toronto (non-jury), 1st week, Monday, Sept. 16; 2, Napanee (jury), Monday, Sept. 30; 3, North Bay (jury), Monday, Oct. 7; 4, Sandwich (jury), Monday, Oct. 1; 4, Sandwich (jury), Monday, Oct. 28; 6, London (non-jury), Monday, Nov. 11; 7, Belleville (non-jury), Monday, Nov. 25; 8, Toronto (non-jury), Monday, Dec. 9; 9, Ottawa (winter assizes), Monday, Jan. 6, 1908.

AMENDING B.N.A. ACT.

FIRST READING PASSED IN BRIT-ISH HOUSE OF COMMONS.

Resolutions of Premiers at Ottawa Conference Incorporated-Premier Mc-Bride, of British Columbia, Protested to Colonial Office Regarding

Inadequacy of His Grant.

London, June 17.—To-day Mr. Winston Churchill introduced the British North America act of 1907, containing the essential portions of the resolutions of the Premiers at the Ottawa Conference last autumn. The new scale unalterable"

A unalterable British Stroke Str

Premier McBride, of British Colum-Lyttelton, but the authorities declined at 15-8; Dickey, 130 at 111-16c; Burnett, 163 to interfere with the substance of the Ottawa conference and Dominion Parliament resolutions. They declined laser to lay down the rule that the opinion of the Federal Government is near the substance of the substance of the follows: 260 cases in the first of the first o

essarily final.

Attorneys-General Foy, of Ontario, Campbell of Manitoba, and Premier Mebate. Mr. Churchill read the letter from Hon. W. S. Fielding urging the immediate passage of the bill. The House greeted his speech with charm. House greeted his speech with cheers.

HELD FAST, FATALLY SCALDED.

Sound Cement Works.

tharvey Frank was the sole operator of the machine, and, while no one saw the accident until the crash came, from the 86 colored were registered; 113-4c was condition of the apparatus after the accident, it was quite evient that he had dropped the boom at too low an angle, and in turning at a rapid rate the momentum had evertheeur the received.

Watertown, N.Y.—Cheese sales, 10,000 at 11c.

Winchester—To-night 881 white and 86 colored were registered; 113-4c was condition of the apparatus after the had dropped the boom at too low an angle, and in turning at a rapid rate the momentum had evertheeur the received.

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momentum had overthrown the crane.

Frank was inside the house, and was caught by some plates and held in such a position that the steam from a broken connection enveloped the upper portion of his body, literally parboiling him, and, getting down his throat into his lungs, hastened his death, which occurred a short time after his removal to the hos-

He was about 32 years of age, annd leaves a widow and three small children.

BUILDING IN THE WEST.

Figures From Towns Outside of Winnipeg Show Great Activity.

Winnipeg, June 17 .- Statistics gathered from 37 towns throughout the west show that buildings actually under way show that buildings account, therein amount to \$22,500,000. This is, therein amount to Winnipeg. In of course, exclusive of Winnipeg. Edmonton alone \$6,000,000 will be pended in new structures. This wonder pended in new structures. Inis wonderful development, great as it is, would be one third more were it not for the prohibitive rates charged for lumber. Wages are uniformly high.

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Market Reports The Week.

British Cattle Markets. London—Liverpool and London cables are steady at 12c to 13c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9c

Winnipeg Wheat Markets. Following are the closing quotations on Winnipeg grain futures to-day: Wheat—June 85 7-8 bid, July 86 5-8c bid, October 88 5-8c bid. Oats-June 40c bid. July 39 3-4c bid, October 35 5-8c bid. Flour Prices.

Flour—Manitoba patent, \$4.50, track, Toronto; Ontario, 90 per cent. patents, \$3 bid for export; Manitoba patent, special brands, \$5; second patent, \$4.40; strong bakers', \$4.30.

Toronto Farmers' Market. The grain receipts to-day were small. One load of fall wheat sold at 91c; one

Dairy produce in good supply, with prices easy. Butter ranged from 20c to 25c per lb., and eggs at 19c to 21c per

Hay is unchanged, with sales of 25. loads at \$17 to \$19 a ton for tmiothy, and at \$13 to \$15 for mixed. Straw is steady, one load selling at \$13 a ton.

Dressed hogs are steady, with light quoted at \$9.50 and heavy at \$9.

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| Do., goose, bush | 0 | 87 | 0 88 |
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| Barley, bush | 0 | 50 | 0 52 |
| Peas, bush | 0 | 77 | 0 78 |
| Hay, timothy, ton | 17 | 00 | 19 00 |
| Do., mixed, ton | 13 | 00 | 15 00 |
| Straw, per ton | 12 | 00 | 13 00 |
| Dressed hogs | 9 | 00 | 9 50 |
| Eggs | 0 | 19 | 0 21 |
| Butter, dairy | 0 | 20 | 0 25 |
| Do., creamery | | 23 | 0 27 |
| Chickens, year., lb | 0 | 14 | 0.16 |
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| Apples, per bbl | 2 | 00 | 3 50 |
| Potatoes, per bag | 1 | 20 | 1 25 |
| Cabbage, per dozen | 0 | 35 | 0 50 |
| Onions, per bag | | 75 | 2 00 |
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| Do., forequarters | 6 | 00 | 7 50 |
| Do., choice, carcase | 9 | 00 | 9 50 |
| Do., medium, carcase | 7 | 50 | 8 00 |
| Mutton, per swt | 11 | CO | 13 00 |
| Veal, per cwt | 8 | 00 | 10 50 |
| Lamb por out | 2 = | 00 | 17 00 |

ish Parliament is final. There was no opposition, and the bill passed its first barded; 1,000 white sold at 11.3-4c, and reading.

Cowansville-To-day 24 creameries of Cowansylle—To-day 24 creameries of-bia, had many interviews with the Colonial Office about the inadequacy of his grant. Mr. McBride made a great impression and was complimented by Mr. Winston Churchill and Mr. Alfred Lyttelton, but the authorities declined to interface with the substance of the

ion of the Federal Government is nec- at 11518c, Isaac; 170 cases at 119-16c,

at 119-16c; 478 packages butter Vankleek Hill—There were 1,616 boxes

Terrible Fate of an Engineer at Owen Hill Cheese Board here to-day; bidding started at 111-2c, and then was raised An Owen Sound despatch: A terrible was sold, and after a long wait price part of cheese that ality occurred here this afternoon by the upsetting of the portable crane used at the Imperial Cement Company's mills the board; all colored went at 117-8c.

Watertown, N.Y.—Cheese sales, 10,000 this price part of cheese Watertown, N.Y.-Cheese sales, 10,000

Bradstreet's Trade Review.

Montreal trade reports to Bradstreet's say: The general movement of trade here continues satisfactory. The movement of inward coming freight at the port is still very heavy and the work of sending it on continues night and day. Government statistics as well as the in-dications of traffic here show that Canada's import trade in this year increas ing enormously while her export trade is rather lighter than that of last year. Country trade is moderately active. Most lines of produce are coming forward freely. Cheese is somewhat of an ward freely. Cheese is somewhat or an exception, with deliveries light and the export demand good. Collections are fair in this part of the country.

Toronto trade reports sav: Summer

Toronto trade reports sav: Summer trade should now be in full swing. As a matter of fact, its volume is not what we might expect at this time of the year. This is a year of unprecedented activity in all parts of Canada in the matter of building operations. Throughout Ontario the centres of population have seen great manufacturing activity. Winnipeg reports say: As the season advances trade steadily takes on a more

cheerful tone. Reports from most parts of the country state that the damage to the country state that the damage to the crops which was said to have been packers blame the new meat in pection done by the lateness of the spring was considerably over-estimated. The re-duction in the planted area will not be laws. Vancouver and Victoria reports say: Wholesale and retail, trade along the

coast is showing more activity.

Quebec—Favorable weather is benefiting trade conditions. The latter are generally reported active in this section Retailers report a demand for lighter

A GREAT TRIUMPH

GAINED BY DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS FOR PALE PEOPLE

The Doctors of Mount Clemens Institute Prove the Value of These Pills in the Case of Mr. S. Harris, Government Inspector of Elevators at Hamilton.

(From the Star, Dundas, Ont.) We were much pleased to see Mr S. Harris, the well known Government inspector of elevators of Hamilton, in Dundas the other day, greatly improved in health and appearance since the last time we met him. As is known to many of the Star read-ers, Mr. Harris has recovered from a long and severe illness, and is now quite able to attend his usual duties. From this long illness many predict ed Mr. Harris would never recover and the fact that he is once more able to go around very nearly as spry as he did before he was attack ed, is little less than marvellous to

In reply to our reporter, Mr. Har-ris related the early stages of the attack and subsequent sufferings which he experienced, and while he did not court publicity, decided that in the public interest he would relate the circumstances of this wonderful cure. About fourteen months ago Mr. Harris woke up one morning with a stiff neek; try as he would, and af-ter applying all the remedies extern-ally that he could hear or think of, he was unable to get rid of it. The stiffness moved to the spine and shoulders, then to his hips, until it made almost a cripple of him, and it was with extreme difficulty that he could get out of bed at all. As for walking it was out of the question with him. The attack became so bad that he was unable to put on either his coat, vest or hat. From time to time he called in various medical men, none of whom were able to give men, none of whom were able to give him much relief. It was almost impos-sible for him to raise his feet from the floor, and all pronounced his a severe case of muscular rheumatism, giving him little encouragement as to his ultimate little encouragement as to his ultimate recovery. However, one medical gentle man finally recommended the baths, and as a last resort Mr. Harris decided to follow his advice, and went to Mount Clemens, Mich. As is customary with all patients, Mr. Harris had to undergo a thorough examination in order to determine if the system can stand this ignorous treatment Affan several are rigorous treatment. After several examinations had been made as to Mr. Harris' condition, the physicians there finally decided that he was not suffering from muscular rheumatism at all, but that his ailment was of the nerves, and told him that the baths would do him. told him that the baths would do him little or no good; that he required altegether different treatment. Mr. Harris placed himself in the hands of one of the physicians there, and what seemed quite strange to him, they did nothing for him but administer medicine in the shape of pills. Shortly after he commenced this treatment he began to improve perceptibly, and his appetite greatly improved. He began to walk around slowly at first, but soon was able to get around more than he could for a year previous. He was able to nut on his coat and yest and was able to put on his coat and vest and began to feel like his former self. His improvement was so rapid and percep-tible not only to himself, but to others, that he was plied with all sorts of questions as to his wonderful recovery. The medical attendant was questioned as to the nature of the medicine which was being administered. Much to the surprise of Mr. Harris and other patients there, were very that it was a well known he was told that it was a well known Canadian remedy, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and was advised to continue their use for a time on his return home. Mr. Harris is loud in his praise of the wonderful curative qualities of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and consented to make his case public in the hope that he might benefit others similarly afflicted. Mr. Harris has long been a resident of Hamilton, being a well-known builder of ele vators, as well as Gover tor of the same, so that his prominence

CANADIAN CATTLE SPOT

Outrage by U. S. Sheep Ranchers on

and well known integrity is evidence that he is sincere in the statements he

Alberta Boundary. Medicine Hat, Alberta, June 17 .- Sergt. Allen, of the R. N. W. M. P., has eported from the Willow Creek de-achment on the boundary line that a large number of Canadian cattle have been shot down by American sheep ranchers south of Wild Horse Lake. A bank to the number of 150 were the last victims. They were shot on Milk

The outrage has been reported at the R. N. W. M. P. headquarters, where active steps are being taken to inaugurate a thorough investigation.

WOMEN BOYCOTT MEAT.

Effective Way to Make Raise of Prices Unprofitable.

Freeland, -Pa., June 17 .- Exasperated Freeland, Pa., June 17.—Exasperated by the action of the butchers of this place in raising the price of meat two cents per pound, the women of Jeddo, a mining village adjoining, retaliated on the butchers by a general boycott of meat. To-day not a butcher sold a pound of meat in Jeddo.

Eight dealers from this town, some of whom did business worth \$20 a day in Jeddo, came home with their loads broken. The butchers claim that they are compelled to raise prices, and that

ITALIAN SHOT.

HAD NO CHANCE TO USE RAZOR IN HIS POCKET.

Rochester, N. Y., June 17.—An unidentified Italian was shot back of the ear and instantly lilled about 11 o'clock last night. The naureler occurred at the east end of Platt ricet bridge, in the Hamilton trade reports to Bradstreet's say wholesale trade is showing a moderately active trade tone. The sorting trade in dry goods is still affected by cool weather. Spring lines have been pretty well cleared out of retail hands, but summer lines are still a little slow, but summer lines are still a little slow. Local industries are busily engaged and grasping a rusty razor when he was collections are generally fair to good.

smuggled her off somewhere. Allons, a willful woman must have her way; it is her fault, and not mine."

ture. It will soon be over: she will not

suffer much, and then—why, then I shall be at peace— He suddenly ceased muttering, and closed his hand upon the little vial as he heard the approaching footsteps of his doomed wife.

and the other beside his, at the foot,

something else.

As soon as she had left the room.

Thugsen went to the table and poured the contents of the little vial into her

basin of soup, saw the powder dissolve, and then immediately went into the adjoining bedroom to destroy the vial.

He loked around, and seeing a hole in the plastering, dropped it through, where it fell into some inaccessible depth of

"Your dinner is quite ready, Robert,"

said Ruth, sitting down at the table.

He took nis seat and commenced eat-

ing his soup. Presently he looked up

Ruth was looking down upon hers, and

"Only a little soot falleu upon the

dissolve. He watched her eating. Poor creature; notwithstanding her troubles,

she ate rather eagerly, for she was faint

and hungry from long fasting.

"She enjoys her last meal without a

formed the next course. Thugsen watch-

er her for some sign of approaching ill-

soup," she replied. beginning to eat. He was reassured. Soot was black; the powder he had poured into the soup was white, and, besides, he had seen it

the wall.

at Ruth.

Robert.

o the table.

Then she returned to the kitchen

"It was but a dream, you know!"
"Ah!" she exclaimed, shuddering.
"You don't believe me?"

Tut! Come, draw up the curtain!

"Tut! Come, draw up the curtain!
let us see what this very dramatic
dram is," he said, disdainfully.

"Oh! do not thus play with your
erimes and their consequences. You pretend not to credit me and you treat
my words lightly; but you shall soon
know better. You shall hear from my
lightly drawn in which each night you ling the dream in which each night you lips the dream in which each night year-re-enact the tragedy at Lester House, revealing not only your acts, but your passions and emotions—your hatreds, fears, hopes and purposes—speaking out what then you only thought and felt?

what then you only thought and felt?"
"Come, this is the prologue! let us
have the play," said Thugsen, ironically,
"Listen then, Robert Thugsen," continued Ruth, in the tone and manner of one speaking under a powerful inward fmpulse. "Each night, in dreams, again you lurk around Lester House, hiding you lurk around Lester House, hating in the deepest shadows, and from your lair, like some wild beast crouching to spring upon its prey, you watch until the has passed: then swiftly and silently you dart down the basement stairs; you examine all the doors and windows, and find one window carelessly left unfast-ened; you raise it and creep into the enea; you raise it and creep into the kitchen, closing it after you; you pause, watching and listening for the slightest sound or movement in that dark, still house; but hearing nothing, and believing all the household to be buried in re-

pose, you draw from your pocket a bunch of well-filed skeleton keys, and creep up the stairs and along the passages; a single bolt or bar shot into its place would have arrested your progress, and aved you from crime and him from death, and you wonder as you ateal death, and you bolt nor bar obstructs your way; you do not know that the butler, whose last not know that the butler, whose last duty it is to secure the house, has not yet retired to bed, but is shut up in his office, casting up his accounts: oh, fatal carelessness! And so silently and so. breathlessly you glide like a serpent from landing to landing, until you reach the fatal chamber door.

You pause again, and, standing breathless, there you watch and listen all is dark and still without and with You insert the key, silently turn

the lock and enter.
"How still the room—the only sound "How still the room—the only sound.
the ticking of the ormolu clock upon the
mantlepiece. By une dim light of the
taper burning on the hearth, you see the
taper burning on the hearth, your see the
closely-drawn curtains of your victim's
bed. You creep toward it, and standbed. You creep toward it, and standtoward hearth, you head and listen;
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t the regular breathing of the sleeper by the regular breathing of the sleeper you know that he is sound asleep; you have that he is sound asleep; you have the curtain and look upon his face; it is a face full of care and sorrow even in its repose; he is lying on his right side, fronting you; his left arm is thrown up over his head; his motion has slightly disordered the bedclothes, os that his left side is entirely exposed; there is left side is entirely exposed; there is nothing to shield his heart from your

dagger's point; if the fiend had prepared

The wounded man bounds up! glares up-on you with his dying and affrighted -shrieks forth that alarm of 'murher, that arouses the household! You fly! With the swiftness and silentness of the serpent you slip through the halls, glide down the stairs and so effect your escape. Satan favors you, for as you emerge again from the kitchen window, the watch has just passed; they have not heard that smothered cry of murder; nor through the thick walls and closed shutters can they hear the hurrying footsteps of the aroused househo as it pours on toward the chamber of

"You escape; you think your deed of darkness hid forever from the world; but, Robert Thugsen, I releat, each night when sleep has closed your eyes and seals your senses, conscience awakes and re-enacts every minute scene of that tragedy, speaking out, when then you only thought and felt, as well as what you saw and did!" concluded Ruth, shuddering.

Could you have seen his fore as she finished her narrative, she had not trusted her own life in his hands for an other hour; but the gathering shadows of night concealed it from her; but his tones were light and bantering, as he

'A singular psychological pheaomenon That cannot be all upon which you found your opinion of my

"It is enough, yet it is not all."

"The dagger!" "The dagger?"

Result:

"The dagger?"

"Yes, Robert Thugsen, the dagger that was found in Mr. Cassinove's hand, but will break my heart, but I must do it."

"What duty? How will you do it?"

A New Orleans woman was thin.

She gained a pound a day in weight.

ALL DRUGGISTS: 80c. AND \$1.00

nourishment from her food. She took Scott's Emulsion.

Because she did not extract sufficient

"What the fiend are you driving at ow? What about the dagger? Come, what about it?"

what about it?"
"It was produced to-day in court; I/
recognized it; it was yours."
"Upon my word, you are trying to get
up quite a case against me. Anything

which at once. "Never make two bites at a cherry.' You, I think, have made ten at this, and have not finished it yet. Come, what more?"

"The sheath."

it upon the table, and then went out to attend to the dinner.

Thugsen made a turn or two around the room, muttering to himself:

"She knows too much; she knows too much; her own lips have spoken her own doom; it can be delayed no longer. Yet, ppor Ruth! but she is so very wretched, that it would be a mercy to put her out of her misery, by some quick and easy process, especially as it must be done if I would have spared her as long as possible; spared her forever, if I could have smuggled her off somewhere. Allons, a "The sheath."

"Oh, ha, ha, ha! this woman will certainly be the death of me! ha, ha, ha!

Well, what about the sheath?"

"The night upon which you came to me at the covrage at Chelsea, you threw off your coat upon the bedroom floor, I took it up to hang it."

"As you would like to hang its owner."

"As you would like to hang its owner," interposed Thugsen, with a sardonic "As I raised it up, something fell

from the pocket; I stooped to see what it was, and picked up the empty sheath of your antique Toledo poignard; it was crusted thickly with dried blood—"
"Why the demon did you not speak of it at the time, then?" Interrupted

Thugsen.
"Horror transfixed me. When I recovered the use of my faculties, fear for you sealed my lips."
"Fear for me?"

"Yes, fear for you. Laura Elmer, as I told you, was my guest that night. Her suspicions were already aroused against you; she might have overheard any words that passed between us. So I hid away the telltale sheath, and should never have spoken of it again, had not young Cassinove been convicted. Oh also, the most dangerous enemy to my safety. Her life or mine must fall. Well, self-preservation is the first law of nayoung Cassinove been convicted. Oh, Robert, the guiltless must not die for

the guilty."
"Hush!" exclaimed Thugsen, with difficulty controlling his emotions. "From the accident of an empty dagger's sheath and a disturbed dream, you think tat you have made out a very strong case against me; it is nonsense, but let that pass for the present. You have also charged me with the deception of the young Duchess of Beresleigh; now, what have I to do with the Duchess of Beresleigh with leigh, or the Duchess of Beresleigh with me?"

"You should have nothing to do with her, more than a spirit of darkness has to do with an angel of light; and yet you have twice cruelly deceived her." "Explain yourself, Ruth; by my soul, I do not understand you."

forests of America. I speak to no person-I see no paper-and you think that I am, therefore, ignorant of what

charge brought against the young Duchess of Beresleigh." She paused, and held her hand to her

dagger's point; if the fiend had prepared his victim for the sacrifice, he could not have been readier for your hand.

"One blow and all will be over! But one or all will be lost! You clutch your dagger with a firmer grasu, and bend until you can hear the monotonous beating of that heart you mean to stop forever! You direct your dagger's pointone firm plunge, and the dead of death is done."

"But the blow that kills first awakens! The wounded man bounds up! glares upof you. And now, when years have passed, and she is the lawful wife of one of England's proudest peers, you, knowing that you have not the smallest shadow of a claim upon her notice, dare to demand her as your wife, and threaten her with a criminal prosecution if she repulses you. Of course you are aware that that high-born lady can know nothing of the poor, obscure woman, who owns the position into which you would force her, nor could you suppose that any accident would reveal the wrongs of

the Duchess of Beresleigh to me."
Thugsen started, and walked once or
twice up and down the floor; then pausing before her, and speaking with as much calmness as he could assume, he said:

"To whom have you gossiped of these matters?" "To no one on earth."

"So help you Heaven?"
"So help me Heaven, in my dying

"It is well;! I believe you," said Thugsen, taking his seat near her, and con-tinuing: "You seem to have taken the demon into your counsel, else I do not see how you ever contrived to amass such an amount of evidence against an nnocent man, and that man your own husband. And now, what do you mean

"Nothing, Robert, until you have fled "And if I do not choose to fly from a

false charge?' "It will not be a false charge."

"But if I do not choose to fly?"
"Then your blood be upon your own

into the kitchen to fetch the pudding. When she returned she found Thugsen white and convulsed in his chair. sat down the dish and ran to him, exelaiming: **ϙϙϙϙϙϙϙϙϙϙϙϙϙϙϙϙϙϙϙϙϙϙϙϙϙ**

"Robert! Robers! what is the mat-"Ill, ill, ill ti death!" gasped the sufferer, while a cold sweat bathed his pal-lid forehead.

Ruth poured out a glass of brandy, and held it to his lips.

"No! water! water! water! my throat s burning up!" whispered Thugsen,

Ruth hastily poured out a glass of water, and held it to him. He drank it eagerly, swallowing with fficulty. It seemed to revive him for difficulty. It seemed to revive him for an instant; he sat up, wiped his brow, stared at Ruth with that confusion of mind that extreme pain and exhausti produces, and exclaimed:

"Woman! what is the meaning of this? You are not ill!"
"No, Robert, only anxious."
"But I am. How is that?"

inquired the man, in a low, stifled voice.

"Listen. This is Thursday. Cassinove is ordered for execution on Monday. Un Monday, also, the trial of the Duchess of "But I am. How is that?"

"I do not know, Robert. You talk, and act, and look so strangely. Come into your room, and lie down, and perhaps you will be better," said Ruth, gently taking his arm to assist him.

But a third, and more violent fit of pain and shivering seized the man; his features were blackened and distorted; his limbs drawn up and convulsed. Ruth was dreadfully frightened; she supported his head, and wiped away the icy sweat from his brow. As soon as the fit passed, and he regained the power of utterance, he glared at Ruth, and shrieked: Beresleigh comes on. I will give you until to-morrow evening to make your escape. You will have plenty of time to reach Dover, and take the boat for Calais. To-morrow evening I will place all the facts with which I am acquainted in the heads of the roline."

ed in the hands of the police."
"Ha! ha! ha! Why, even if the evidence were worth anything, it could not dence were worth anything, it could not be taken from you. You are my wife."

"I know, and my evidence against you could not be received in court, but I could give what information I possess to the police, and let them follow it up as they please. I must do this; it will kill or craze me, but I must."

"And this is your final resolution"

"It is; oh, Robert, fly and save yourself! I have still a little money left; you can take it all."

"Come, I have had no diner to-day, light the lamps and see to the soup."

With a deep sigh, at his apparent insensibility, Ruth lighted a lamp and sat it upon the table, and then went out to attend to the dinner.

"You have poisoned me, you have poisoned me- Murderess, you shall swing for it!"

"I-I-Robert? I poison you? But you don't know what you are saying—
you are so ill. Come, let me help you to
bed, and I will run to the apothecary
over the way!" exclaimed the terrified

"Traitress! murderess! you have poi-med me, and you know it!"
"Oh, Robert!" "Answer me, woman! what did you do to the soup while I was in the bed

"You changed the basins!" cried Thugen, in horror.

"You changed the basins!" cried Thugen, in horror.

"Yes; when I came in I noticed, for the first time, that a little soot had fall-

is her fault, and not mine."

Here he drew from his pocket a very small vial filled with a grayish-white powder, and muttering:

"I have had this quietus about me for the last ten days, without having the courage to administer it to the only one open serth that loves me. But now that the first time, that a little soot had fall en into yours. and knowing you to be very dainty with your eating, I changed the basins—giving you mine, and taking yours. You saw me afterward, at dinner, taking the soot off."
While she spoke, he sat listening, with a face blanched by bodily pain, horror, on earth that loves me. But now that very one, besides being the greatest ob-stacle to my worldly advancement, is,

and despair. Ruth gazed at him in consternation.

"There was no ill in what I did, Rob , was there? I did it for your sake. Robert, what is the meaning of all called by him who requires the construc-tion of the drain. He must serve no-"You have poisoned me! that is ittices in writing upon all concerned, ap-pointing a day, hour and place conven-ient to the site of the ditch, and agree

His words, arrested by a spasm, were followed by convulsions so violent that he fell from the chair, and writhed upon

Ruth came in, bearing in each hand a basin of soup. She sat one down beside her own plate at the head of the table, Ruth dared delay no longer. She rushed from the house, and ran across the way, into the apothecary's shop, ex-

claiming:
"Oh, Mr. Jones, for heaven's sake, come immediately! I do fear my husband is dying in a fit!"
"Your husband? Who is he? Has he

been drinking?" inquired thhe druggist.
"No, no; he fears it is poison! but it cannot be that, and I do not know what it is! Oh, do, pray sir be quick! It is just over the way," cried Ruth, disby leaving them at the place of the owner or occupant, with a grown-up person residents, then upon the agent of the owner, or by registered letter to the owner, at the protoffice recovery to him. Meanwhile he heard her moving about the dining-room, and arranging the dish-es upon the table. He paused a moment to compose himself, and then returned tractedly.

Mr. Jones took his hat, and immedi-

ately attended Ruth.

They found Thugsen extended on the floor, bathed in a cold sweat, and nearthrough exhaustion. ly speechless (To be continued.)

FOR WOOD PRESERVATION.

delicately skimming it, and dropping the scum into a waste plate.

"What is that?" he inquired, uneas-

Uncle Sam is making careful and elaborate investigations of methods of preserving wood which are expected to relars
this stage will seldom need enforcement,
as the parties thereto will, of their own
accord, fulfill their parts, and no furthere proceedings will be necessary.

In case an agreement is not arrived
at, either at the meeting or within five sult in the savings of millions of dollars annually by the prevention of decay. It has been determined that coal tar cresote is a most effective preservative of timber and a number of experiments are

being made along this line.

Those most directly and materially interested in the experiments in the methods of creosote treatment are the rail-road companies, the mining interests of the country and the telephone compan-

thought that she partakes of it in her last hour. Well, after all, how much easier her death will be than if she should live to die what is called a naturies.

al death—a long, painful illness, slowly Alı of these industries expend milwearing out her life. It will soon be lions of dollars every year in renewing over; I hope, even in that little time, timber which is made useless through by asked to appoint a time and place she will not suffer much, thought Thug-she will not suffer much, thought Thug-sen, as he watched her.
"You do not eat your soup; there is no soot fallen into yours?" inquired Ruth.

There which is made useless through the more durable woods has made it ne-cessary for the lumber industry to turn to he less durable timbers. The eco-nomical utilization of many woods which of in the locality of the proposed ditch at which he will attend (R. S. O. 1897, c. "No; there is none in mine," replied are very susceptible to decay would be Thugsen, with a hidden significance, as out of the question but for the possibil ity of preserving them through treathe fell to and rapidly finished his soup.'
Ruth removed the empty basins, and Ruth removed the empty basins, and began to carve the roasted fowl that

It has been shown in the experiments which have been made that the life of some kinds of timber can be doubled or trebled by impregnation with creo-

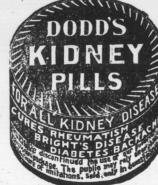
There was none as yet. Ruth finish. sote oil. A representative of the forest service ed carving, and set his favorite pieces is now visiting a number of the large eastern cities in the study of creosote "Are you not going to take any?" inoil production and the coal tars which for the performance by the respective furnish the raw material for it. The me; I felt faint and hungry when I sat down, but my appetite has gone off with the commercial use of preservatives will check the work of the insects and fungi which destroy the timber.

Scores One for the Bull.

A bull fight in El Paso resulted in the "Ah! you are still resolved to inform matador being fatally injured and all the picadors being hurt. The bulls seem to have conceived the idea that they could take the role that was understood to be reserved to the bull fishing to the bull fishing to the bull fishing to the property of to be reserved to the bull fighters, and impartial people cannot blame them. It does not seem to be an occasion for "I think you will not," said Thugsen." "I think you will not," saturnaged, does not seem to be all occasion that laugh his face turned pale, and shiver passed over his frame.

"What is the matter?" said Ruth.

"Think you will not," saturnaged, does not seem to be all occasion to be sympathy with anyone, and least of all with the spectators, who contributed money to see sport made of slaughter.— Pittsburg Dispatch.



SOWING VS. PLANTING.

FARM DRAINAGE

OPERATIONS

About two years ago, at the sugges

tion of Professor Reynolds, the Minister of Agriculture authorized the Depart-

ment of Physics at the O. A. C. to send

out representatives among the farmers

to give advice on drainage to those re-

questing it. The response to this of-

fer of assistance has been very gratify-

ing indeed. During the autumn of 1905

and the whole season of 1906 many

farms were visited and surveyed, com-

pletely or in part, and the owners furnished with maps showing them the ele-

farms, the slope of the land, the proper

outlets, and the best plan for draining

the various slopes. This spring has witnessed a vast extension of the work.

structing such an outlet?. If not, must

recedure the parties concerned in a drain affecting two or more owners should get together informally and en-

deavor to agree on some apportionment of the labor and expense of construc-tion and maintenance. When such meet-

ing and agreement are not possible, then

formal calling of a meeting of the par-ties interested. This meeting is to be

possible upon the apportionment of

the work, and supply of material for construction among the several owners

therein, and settle the proportions

285, S. 8.)

ccording to their respective interests

which the ditch shall be maintained;

the notices shall be served not less than twelve clear days before the time named

therein for meeting. (R. S. O. 1897, c.

Blank forms for the notices are given

in the act, a copy of which may be had from the clerk of the municipality.

Notices may be served personally or

owner at the postoffice nearest to his last known place of residence. (R. S.

In case an agreement is arrived at

it shall be reduced to writing, signed by all the owners and within six days be

filed with the clerk of the municipality wher it becomes as binding as the award of an engineer, and may be enforced in

like manner (R. S. O. 1897, c. 285, s. 13,

1). But such amicable agreement at

days thereafter, then the owner requir

ing the ditch may file with the clerk of the municipality a declaration of own ership of his land and also a requisition

naming all the parcels of land to be affected by the ditch and the respective

285, s. 14), and examine the locality

and if he deems it proper, or if requested

by any of the owners, he may examine

and may administer an oath of affirma

tion to any witness examined by him.

thirty days after his attendance the en-gineer will make his award in writing,

apportioning the work and the furnishing of the material among the lands affected and the owners thereof, accord-

ing to his estimate of their respective interests in the ditch, fixing the time

ing of the ditch, so that as far as prac

ticable each owner shall maintain the

portion on his own land. (R. S. O. 1897,

. 285, s. 16, 1). In case the work ap-

portioned to any owner is not completed

let the contract for its performance to

able to the land of the defaulting owner.

able to the land of the defauting owner.

(R. S. O. 1897, c. 285, S. 28).

Thus we see that a man is bound to give outlet for the natural drainage water from his neighbor's farm, and, not

only so, he is liable for cost of con-struction and maintenance in proportion

to the benefit he may be adjudged by

light, as the railway fare is only one cent a mile each way for this work.

Thus a person living 100 miles from Guelph would get his surveying done for \$2 railway fare and 50c to \$1 other ex-

enses, such as meals and cartage of in

Not Easily Satisfied.

It's hard to satisfy some men. Just as soon as they get all the money they want they're dissatisfied because they

haven't ways enough to spend it .- De

Mrs. Dashaway - "Women have

more innate common sense than men."
Cynicus—"Nonsense! You occasionally

find a man who realizes that he is too

struments.

old to get married."

the engineer to derive from the drain.

the lowest bidder, the expense charge

the allotted time, the engineer may

the owners and their witness

(R. S. O. 1897, c. 285, s. 16, 1.)

O. 1897, c. 285, S. 15.)

WITH FOREST TREES, FORMER METHOD'S RESULTS.

Reproducing a forest by sowing the seed directly on the area to be put into trees is feasible. It is, however, a method little used on this continent up to the present, for it has been found that the cost has been as great, at least as that of planting, owing to the high price of seed and the cultivation which must be given to the ground to be sown.

A good seed bed is just as important for sowing forest tree seeds on as it is

for sowing forest tree seeds on as it is for sowing grain on. Hence whole area on which it is proposed to sow tree seed must be carefully cultivated, instead of only a small portion as in planting.

A great objection to seeding, at present, is the high price of seed and, in the case of some species, its scarcity at any price. The present price of white pine seed, for example is \$2 to \$2.50 per pound. In Germany it is customary to sow six pounds of white pine seed to the acre. Thus the expenditure for seed alone would be \$12 to \$15. \$5111, it would be possible to do with smaller quantities of seed, though in this country so little sowing has been done that we hardly have a standard to go by.

Another disadvantage of seeding is that we can never count on getting a good mixed crop of trees by seeding.

To avoid the expense of cultivating the whole area, various plans have been tried. Often small spots (seed-spots) are taken and carefully worked, and the seed sown in these. These spots may vary in area from one sq. ft. to 30 sq. ft., the best land being selected, of course, in every case. Again, furrows may be plowed at some distance apart vations of the different parts of their nersed a vast extension of the work.

In our experience of the past two
years, we have found a phase of the
subject interesting. Every man for
whom we have done work has asked at
scme stage, "What is to be done if
one man refuses an outlet for the drainage water from his neighbor's farm?
Can he prevent his neighbor from constructing such an outlet? If not must

he bear any portion of the expense, or must the neighbor bear it all?" The following is an outline of what should be done in such cases.

Before any recourse is had to legal course, in every case. Again, furrows may be plowed at some distance apart and the seed sown in them; or strips, soveral feet in width, may be propared. For nut trees, such as chestnut, oak, hickory and beech seeding is the best way of reproduction. These trees make a viceous rock to the seeding in the set. legal proceedings become necessary. The first legal step in the adjustment of a dispute about drainage matters is the

a vigorous root growth and are very awkward to handle, even during their awkward to handle, even during their first year. So the best way to do is to sow the nuts right on the area on which you want the trees, provided you can keep away squirrels and such animals. The depth of the covering of soil is another point of importance. It will us-ually be found sufficient to cover the seeds to the depth of the longest diame-ter of the seed.

A MOTHER'S GRATITUDE.

Mrs. V. Cheoret, of St. Benoit, Que, writes as follows: "It is with feelings of the deepest gratitude that I write to tell you what Baby's Own Tablets have done for my baby. When I began giving him the Tablets he was so thin and wasted that he leaded like a children." ing him the Tablets he was so thin and wasted that he looked like a skeleton. His digestion was poor; he was constipated and cried day and night. I got a box of Baby's Own Tablets and from the first-they did him a great deal of good. His food digested better; his bowels worked regularly; his sleep was natural; he stopped crying and began to grow fat. I got another box, and am happy to say before they were all used he was in perfect health, and is now a plump, rugged child. I always now a plump, rugged child. I always keep a box of the Tablets in the house and would advise other mothers to do the same." The above is a fair sample of hundreds of letters that come from all parts of Canada praising Baby's Own Tablets. The Tablets cure all the minor ills of babies and young children, and are absolutely safe, as they do not contain one particle of opiate or narcotle. Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from the Dr. Williams.

COW TESTING ASSOCIATIONS.

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Dominion Department of Agriculture. Branch of the Dairy and Cold Sterage Commissioner.

The work of the Testing Association in Canada is steadily on the increase; over fifty, mostly in Ontario and Quebec, will be in operation this year under the direct charge of the Dairy and Cold Storage Commissioner, Ottawa. About eight thousand individual cows are under regular test, the milk being weighed every tenth day, and the composite samples tested every month. Reports are sent monthly to each farmer detailing the total estimated yield of milk and butter fat of each cow whose milk he has weighed and sampled, whether he sends records from five or fifty cows. At the Spring Creek Association, near Woodstock, Ont., for the 30 days ending April 1, 75 cows were tested, averaging 688 pounds of milk testing 3.7 per cent. fat. The lowest yield was 235 pounds of milk and the highest 1,460 pounds, test-

ing 3.0.
Dixville, Que., month ending April 20, had an average from 116 cows of 378 pounds of milk testing 3.7, the highest yield of any one cow being 750 pounds

testing 3.2.

At North Oxford, Ont., 166 cows gave an average yield of 726 pounds testing 3.2, the most from any single cow being 1,725 pounds testing 3.3. This cow as a two-year-old gave over ten thousand ounds in twelve months. She is owned by the Secretary of the Association

Parties wishing drainage surveying done should apply to Wm. H. Day, Department of Physics, O. A. C., Guelph. St. Prosper. Que., had only 22 cows for the first period ending April 26, with an average of 354 pounds of milk testing 3.5. The number of cows will be largely There is no charge for the work, the only outlay being the travelling expenses of one man from Guelph, and these are

increased next month. The first test at Keene, Ont., for the thirty days ending April 25 showed an average from 56 cows of 679 pounds of milk testing 3.0 The lowest yield was 209 pounds, and the highest 1,120, testing

The members of the association at East and West Oxford sent in records Fast and West Oxford sent in records from 104 cows; average 769 pounds testing 3.3. The best individual cow here gave 1,560 pounds testing 3.7. One good herd record shows an average from 11 cows of 1,124 pounds of milk testing 3.1, or 35.7 pounds of fat each.

With Her Eyes Open. I knew you were a fool before I mar-

ried you!"
"I presume my proposing to you satisfied you on that point?" — Houston, Tex., Post.

quired Thugsen.
"No; the soup was quite enough for "You are not well," said Thugsen. "I am as well as I can be, with the anxiety that oppresses my mind, the police of what you suspect to-mor-

"A sudden qualm; you upset me with your diabolical nonsense; it is over now Miss Ann Teek-Our family is a very our diabolical nonsense, it is old one. You know we came over in the pudding."

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Local and General

Mr. Alvah James called on Athen

Mr. Ford Moulton of Brockville spent Sunday in Athens.

The Entrance exam's begin at 8.45 sharp on Wednesday next, June 26th. Kemptville pays Dr. Holmes, its Health Officer, \$15 per year.

—Get your Cheese Factory Statements printed at the Reporter Office. Mr. Chris. F. Connolly of Caintown has just passed with honors his third

year in arts at Toronto University. It is announced that Kemptville and Algonquin are now free from the disease called smallpox.

Mrs. Irwin Wiltse went to New York last week for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. T. W. Serviss.

Miss Ethel Forsyth, nurse at the Eastern Hospital, Brockville, spent Sunday at her home in Athens,

-Giant Triplets "Ourrency," "Bobs," and "Stag" Chewing Tobaccos, in hig plugs. Quality always the same. The new time table of the B.W. & N. W., now in effect, will be found in

this issue of the Reporter. Miss Della Niblock has joined the staff in the telephone and telegraph

Reeye Holmes is this week attending the counties council in session at

Mr. Stephen Kelly spent last week in Brockville as juryman at the county court and general sessions of the peace.

The Presbyterian General Assembly has decided to raise the minimum salaries of ministers to \$9.00 a year. Miss Addie Hunt has been as

Charleston Lake for several days, s guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Clow. Epworth League topic for Tuesday

evening is "Lessons from the Life of Moses"—leader, M. H. Eyre. If favored with pleasant weather, the Epworth League intend having a

basket picnic at Charleston next Saturday Miss Jennie Robinson, late in the Lyn was elected District Deputy.

store of D. W. Downey, Brockville, has accepted a position in the store of

pulpits.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Phelps of Canada, lett on Monday for the Phillipsville spent Sunday in Athens, annual drill at Barriefield, Kingston.

The Rev. B. S. Taylor the Evangelist known as the "Dakota Cyclone" ing of nervousness, the result of he Augusta in July.

It is announced that Mr. C. R. largely attended. MacIntosh has been engaged as head teacher of the Perth public school at S. S. will be held on Saturday next at

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kirley, Miss Ruth McCoy and Mr. and Mrs. Kirley of New York went to Idle While cottage Charles went to Idle While Charles we While cottage, Charleston Lake, on saked to take notice. Tuesday morning.

Mr. Wilbert F. Ripley went to Newboro on Tuesday to engage with the Messrs. Dolan, who are the con tractors for granolithic walks that are being laid in that village.

Mr. W. H. Leavitt, one time of Athens and Charleston, is now manager of the Hotel Brant at Burlington, Ont. It is a swell house, and we are pleased to learn that Mr. Leavitt is making a success of it.

We notice with much pleasure that the drippings of the rain, signifies the enterprising road-master at Glen Morris is preparing to do a fine piece of repairing on that beat. The road it indicates marriage; to carry it at grader was at work last week and has an angle under the arm signifies that placed the road bed in excellent condition for the crushed stone which will be placed on it in a few days. We by the side of a silk one means also understand that only a few rate "exchange is no robbery;" to lend an payers seconded the path master in this worthy work, but the general public will be benefited and greatly appreciate their efforts in the direction of better "exchange is no robbery; to lend an umbrella may be interpreted, "I am a fool;" to carry an umbrella just high enough to tear out men's eyes and knock of men's hats signifies, "I am a

Mr. Vern Gilbert, Oak Leaf, sper Sunday with friends in Athens. Mr. Wm. Mott is this week moving

o the 2nd flat over Earl's music store Mrs. G. Yates, who spent the pa winter in Syracuse, N.Y. returned

her home here last week. Cheese sold in Brockville on Saturday at 113c. Salesmen appeared to

be reluctant to accept that figure. Miss Keitha Brown left on Friday last for Montreal where she will visit

her brother, Rev. B. B. Brown. Miss Louisa Broad, nurse at the Eastern Hospital, spent Sunday with her parente, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Broad,

-For Quality and Quantity ask your dealer for the new big plugs of "Bobs"
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Rev. W. W. Giles left his island home at Charleston last week to conduct service in New York city on Sunday. Miss Jennie Purcell has gone

ville, to receive treatment for appendi-This week Dr. C. B. Lillie opene the big fish season at Charleston Lake

by landing a salmon weighing 15 lbs. It was a beauty and will be mounted Rev. Mr. Patterson is in attendance at Kingston Synod this week. He will meet his confirmation class on Friday at 8 p.m. in the church.

Mrs. Lucy Freeman and daughter Miss Olive, left Athens on Tuesday for a visit with friends at Gouverneur, Niagara and other points in the West,

On leaving Lyn for his new appoint ment in Edwardsburg, Rev. Knox was presented with an address and a silver dish and spoon.

The A.H.S. closes for this term Friday next, June 21st, and immediately thereafter a thorough disin-fection of the building will be perform

E. J. Purcell attended the meeting of St. Lawrence District I.O.O.F. at water prevailing in the Rideau, it is

they had been residing for over a and those intending to go should

Messrs. Roy Fcley and John Ross. jr., having joined the active militia of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Phelps of Canada, left on Monday for the This country is safe alright.

Dr. H. H. Stone last week visited his mother here. Apart from a feelwill hold a series of meetings in North long confinement, Mrs. Stone's condi tion shows but little change.

This will do for a diagnosis: If the patient has a "breaking out" and is sick, it's measles; if the patient has a breaking out and isn't sick, it's smallbefore. Deceased was highly esteemed, and the funeral on Friday last, under Masonic auspices. was

an advance of \$100 over the salary he Delta Park. Return fare, adults, 30c; children, 10c. Leaves Athens at 10.38; leaving Delta at 5.35 p.m. In case of

> The Rideau-St. Lawrence excursion on the 25th, under the auspices of Rising Sun lodge A.F. & A.M., will be the chief round-trip event of the season. See posters for particulars and secure your tickets early. Tickets not previously sold may be obtained at railway stations on day of

To place your umbrella in a rack indicates that it is about to change owners; an umbrella carried over a

Brockville Farmers' Institute meet at Lyn on Thursday Smith's Falls is to have a new eight

Miss Eva E. Patterson is visiting

riends in Brockville this week. Brockville is preparing for a grand elebration on July 1st. See bills for

Mr and Mrs S. H. Coon have re turned home from camping with Mr and Mrs Sterns Ranom at Delta lake, Cattle are dying in the vicinity of Metcalfe. Some farmers have lost as many as seven animals.

The condition of Mr Wm. Hayes. who is reriously ill with pneumo shows but little improvement.

Smith's Falls News: Miss Rena Dunham of Athens spent Sunday in town, the guest of her aunt, Miss

The Ladies' Aid of Christ Church intend holding their annual lawn social on the Rectory grounds on Wednesday, July 10th.

Though two houses in Athens are still placarded, the disease alleged to be smallpox has ceased to exist in this village. These two cards are retained merely for quarantine purposes and will shortly be removed.

Mrs. J. C. Eaton of New York, accompanied by Miss Mary Wilson of Philadelphia, Pa., arrived in Athens on a visit to Mrs, Eaton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Erastus Livingston. They arrived in Brockville in time to attend the Kay-Sheldon wedding, and, after visiting other relatives in these parts, Miss Wilson sails August 1st on a tour of the Old Country.

Mrs. Laying, who has been seriously ill for several weeks at the home of her son, Mr. John Layng, Athens, died on Thursday last, aged 83 years. The funeral took place to her old home at New Boyne and service was conducted by the Rev. R. B. Patterson, M.A., rector of Athens. The pallbearers were her sons and sons-in-

Dr. Bell is reported by the Toronto World as saying that in parts of Eastern Ontario information regard ing the existence of smallpox was "deliberately suppressed" so that business might not be injured. This s a serious charge, one that should not be lightly made, and if Dr. Bell will reduce his general impeachment to a special charge he will probably

hear something drop. Rev. T. Albert Moore, Provincial Secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance in addressing the Bay of Quinte Methodist conference, stated that on the authority of the Attorney-General of Ontario all persons found making cheese on Sunday will be brought be fore the court to answer for violation of the Lord's Day Act. The Government had decided to let the prosecu tion of such cases proceed.

Great interest is being taken in the Masonic excursion via the B.W. & N. Last week Messrs. Fred Hayes and W., the Rideau and St. Lawrence on Smith's Falls. Mr. John Square of expected that the round trip will be made according to posters and passen-gers be landed in Atlens at about 9 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knowlton, en route to Chantry from Boston, where ful trips that Eastern Ontario affords, On Sunday evening Rev. I. N. year, were last week guests of Mr. Beckstedt, Presbyterian, and Rev. S. Knowlton, Pearl street.

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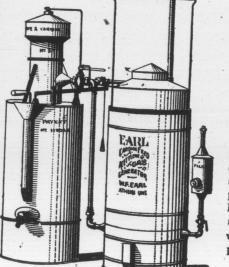
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