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M. Delyannis sade the following statement this afternoon: "Yesterday Ming George aummoned me to the palace and declared that exceptional circumstance compelled him to replace the Cabinet and to form new Ministry from the ranks of the Opposition. He begged me to second his efforts. I refused to tender my resignation, not because of my love of pure, but in order that such a step might not be misinterpreted. I urged the King to use the privilege of the crown, declaring that I was ready to sign the Royal decree, provided the latter and that measure would be considered by Europe as a censure upon the Government's policy. Judgment would be formed as to that after the new Cabi-formed as to that after the new Cabi-

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M. Delyannis added: "I cansot divulge the policy which I considered necessary. I can only say that the country would have energed from its trial without loss of territory, and could have obtained a rectification of the northern frontler by abandoning Crete according to the demands of the powers. The latter measure would have facilitated the task, inasmuch as the principle of Ottoman integrity would not have been impaired, while the peace of Europe would have been assured because of the rectification of the frontler line adjudged in the treaty of Berlin."

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Paris. April 30.—La Patrie publishes a despatch from Rome, saying that Admiral Cancvaro, the Italian commander in Cretan waters, has been ordered to consider Col. Vassos, who commands the Greek army of occupation in Crete. Ba a belligerent, and to no longer up. Ba a belligerent, and to no longer up.

Changing the Staff. Ralli is Bound' to Lend.

Athens, April 39 .- During the negotias for the reconstruction of the Min-r, M. Ralli opposed the proposal to c. M. Sotiropoulo Premier and "Setting aside all false modesty, ust be recognized. I am the Premier gnated by events."

The Greek Chamber.

Athens, May 1, 6.20 p.m.—The Legislative Chamber fanily secured a quorum and held a sitting this afternoon, great crowds surrounding the building. The public galleries were thronged. The new Ministers were seated on the Govern-

Summoned M. Delyannis, the remaining time with the Government.

Athens, April 29.—The Athens correspondent of The Standard says:

The Turkish army, or its advance guard has followed up the success become ing (Thursday) began an attack in force on the Greek position at Pharsala.

Athens, April 29. 4 p.m.—The King summoned M. Delyannis, the Premier, this morning, and called upon him to tender his resignation. His Majesty subsequently entrusted the Opposition leaders with the task of forming a new Cabinet.

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Tarks Still Preparing for War.
Constantinople, May 2.—War preparations go on with unabated visor. Two commissions, composed of officials of the Ministries of Public Works and of Wai have been formed for the purpose of facilitating the despatch of troops to the frontier.

Stephen Grane in N.Y. Journal.

Athens, April 30.—I was with the Greek army in its campaign towards Janina, the principal sown of Epirus, the southwestern province of Turkey, when I heard the first rumors of the hard fighting in Thessaly.

Practically every man in Athens is arming to go and fight the Turks, Every train into the city is loaded with other troops. Yesterday crowds broke into the gun shops and took the practicable wear pons. It was unanimous throughout all classes. To-day Greece is armed to fight for her life.

To-day I went to a shop and found no one there but a boy sented on a box.

"Where is the proprietor?" said i.

"He has gone to the war," said the box.

Against John Bull.

New York, May 2.—Mr. Harold Frederic cables The Times to-day as fedlows: Again we hear loud and consident talk from Berlin about an all-powerful combination against England, which is to drive her alike out of Egypt, the Persian Gulf, Afghanistan au South Africa, and in Paris people really believe that William has been such bargain. These despatches have often pointed out that Chamberlain in his aut Transwal policy was relying on profs of Kruger's underhand dealings with Germany to justify it. What these proofs are it is impossible to get at, but I continuity hear they are so convincing that the fuglish will be all of one mind when

Shipments of gold from New York t Europe have commenced again. There was a large increase of im-migration in Manitoba for April. There was large migration in Manitoba for April.

The fifth annual dinner of the Canadinn Club took place at Hamilton.

Mr. Root of the Grand Opera House, London, is building a theatre at Springbank.

Seeding in Manitoba, except in Red River valley, is expected to be finished this week. There is a large increase in the acreage this year.

At the meeting of the trustees of Queen's University Chancellor Fleming announced his intention of giving four scholarships to the university.

Mr. Joseph Chamberlain testified be-Mr. Joseph Chamberlain testified be-fore the Transvaal Commission, and stated that the Colonial Office had no intimation of the Jameson raid.

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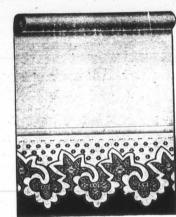
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THE INDIAN POTLACH

A Recognized Authority on Coast Indian

on the Custom.

Dr. Franz Boas, of the New York American Museum of Natural History, and a recognized authority on Pacific Coast Indians, visits British Columbia once a year to study for the British Association for the advancement of science Indian traditions and customs. He recently wrote "The Province" as follows:

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With much regret I have seen in recent newspapers that the enforcement of the provircial law forbidding potlaches has led to serious disturbances among certain Indian tribes.

It might have been expected that the attempt to enforce such a law among tribes who still adhers to the old custom would lead to dissification and discontent. Unfortunately, the meaning of the potlach has been much misunderstood by the whites; else, I believe, the attempt would not have been made to abolish it by law without making provision for the gradual transition of the old system to a new one. Let m; explain briefly what the potlach is.

The economic system of the Indians of British Columbia is largely based on credit, just as much as that of civilized communities. In all his undertakings the Indian relies on the help of his friends. He promises to pay them for this help at a later date. If the help furnished consisted in valuables—which are measured by the Indians by blankets as we measure them by money—he promises to repay the amount so loaned with interest. The Indian has no system of writing, and, therefore, in order to give security to the transaction it is performed publicly. The contracting of debts on the other is the pollach. This economic system has developed to such an extent that the capital possessed by all the individuals of the tribe combined exceeds many times the actual amount of cash that exists. That is to say the conditions are quite analogous to those prevailing in our community: If we want to call in all our outstanding debts, it is found that there is not, by any means, noney enough in existence to pay them, and the result of an attempt of all the creditors to call in their loans results in disastrous panic from which in taxes the community along time to recover.

It must be clearly understood that an Indian who invites all his friends and eighbors to a

resisted with vigor by the best class of Indians, and when only the lazy ones support it because it relieves them of the duty to pay their debts.

And the cruelty of the ceremonial exists in the fancy of those who know of it only by the exaggerated descriptions of travellers. In olden times it was a war ceremony and captives were killed and even devoured. But with the encroachment of civilization the horrors of the old ceremonies have died out. I heard an old chief addressing his people thus: "How lovely is our time. No longer do we go in fear of each other. Peace is everywhere. No longer is there the strife of battle; we only try to out do each other in the potlach." meaning that each tries to invest his property in the most profitable manner, and particularly that they vie with each other in honorably repaying their debts. The ceremony of the present day is no more and no less than a time of general amusement which is expected with much pleasure by young and oil. But enough of its old sacredness remains to give the Indian during the time of its celebration an aspect of dignity which he lacks at other times. The lingering survivals of the old ceremonies will die out quickly, and the remainder in a harmless amusement that we should be slow to take away from the native who is struggling against the overpowerful influence of civil and the property in the native who is struggling against the overpowerful influence of civil and the property in the native who is struggling against the overpowerful influence of civil means the content of the cont

Sir Albert Billiotti. Albert Billiotti, the British consul a Canea, who finds himself in a very de



Gen. Neal Dow, the famous and still mergetic temperance reformer, on the 10th March, 1897, attained his 93rd year. He was born in Portland, Me., March 10, 1804. His longevity is hereditary, two of his ancestors having lived more than 100 years. His family on both sides were Friends. He attended good schools until 15 years of age, when he found employment in his father's business of tanning. His taste for reading was intense, and he early began



his country in wax, was twice wounded in battle, and was for many months a prisoner.

To Neal Dow world-wide, enduring fame has come through his long and self-sacrificing services for temperance. The present generation bas little conception of the task he untertook more than sixty years and a little conception of the task he untertook more than sixty years and had been serve and without unconquerable will would have fall conception of the task of reversing public opinion founded in the custom of senturies, and the determination to change the policy of liquor legislation. Single-handed he undertook the mighty task. He traveled all over his state, addressing meetings, circulating petitions for a prohibitory law, scattered literature, endeavored to force officers to convict violaters of the statutes, and in every way possible he proclaimed war against the liquor traffic.

In 1851 Mr. Dow was elected Mayor of Portland, and in two months succeeded in getting passed through the legislature the celebrated "Maine law." No law ever attracted more attention. It changed the character of temperance agitation, and everywhere stimulated a demand for legal protection from the liquor traffic. The ablert hawyers attacked the law, but it successfully ran the gaunter of the courts and to-day most of the legislation of Christendom touching the liquor trade has borrowed features from it.

During his long life he has never faitered from the work to which he set his hand, nor from the set his hand, nor from it.

GRAND DUKE MICHAEL.

Grand Duke Michael of Russia, who has suddenly become one of the most important personages in Europe by reason of his being an ambassador from the Czar to Emperor William is a granduncle of the ruler of Russia. It



ns wife was a pretty and talented woman. She died suddenly, while traveling, of apoplexy, after a severe in terview with her son Michael, who married against his parents' wishes. One other son of the Grand Duke married Princess Xenia, a sister of the present Czar. He paid a vieit to the United States three years ago as an



RUSSIAN GRAND DURE MICHAEL.

officer in the Russian Navy. A third
son is engaged to Princess Marie of
Greece. Michael was a great favorite
of the late Czar, who honored bim with
many important trusts. Among them
was that of the presidency of the coun
cil, the most exalted position in the
empire. That position is still held by
the Duke. If the letter is such as
rumor makes it Grand Duke Michael
is the one man in all the Czardom to
be its bearer.

DISCOVERY IN EGYPT.

ALBERT BILLIOTI.

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cent study of this ground. Many prehistoric necropoles and stations were
visited, and excavations were made,
corroborating the last year's discoveries. But by far the most interesting
find was that of a royal sepulchre belonging to one of the first dynasties.
This tomb is similar to those explored
last winter by M. Amellineau at Omel Gab, near Abydos. This tomb, found
near Negada, was built with sun-dried
bricks and consisted of twenty-one
rooms, containing many objects. Like
the sepulchres of Abydos, it seemed
to have been burnt. M. Amelineau
to this that this destruction was due
to Christian fanaticism during the
sixth century of our era, and at the
finstigation of the monk Moses, who
was then ruler of Abydos, Negada,
was, and is yet, a centre of a Christian community. In spite of spoliation
many objects were still left; among
them 300 large urns sealed with what
is known as the king's "banner name."
In this respect also it resembles Abydos. There were found also carved in
ivory, ilone, fishes, dogs, "debries of turniture of several descriptions, one spid
ornament, a few bronze fragments and
a great abundance of broken 'vasesin alabaster, and vases cut in the



PILLAR OF A SERPENT KING.

hardest materials, such as quartz, rock crystal, obsidian etc., and some splendidly cut flint implements. The examination of this interesting sepulchre was made by M. de Morgan nimself and Prof. Wiedmann. They are now engaged to cataloguing the objects and preparing an elaborate description and a complete report of the flind. Prof. Wiedmann was so much impressed with the importance of all these discoveries that he has decided to colaborate with M. de Morgan in a publication about the origin of Egypt.

It is impossible to deny to this royal tomb of Negada, like those explored by M. Amelineau, the most remote antiquity. The third dynasty belongs to Memphis (King Djeser's sepulchre is the Saggarah step pyramid), and we must look to dynasties anterior to this. The presence of "banner names," or names inscribed in a square, instead of on an oval or cartouche, is an indubitable feature of archaism. The presence of numerous stone cut vases similar in facture to those found in prehistoric tombs is another evidence of a very early date, and the same argument may be drawn from the cut flint implements discovered there.

Manetho mentions before the first dynasty aset of "Nekues," or rulers who govried Egypt, M. Amelineau purposes to identify with them the sixteen pames of hitherto unknown kings he has discovered. "The first three dynasties are a blank so far as monuments are concerned," writes Mr. Flinders Petrie, while M. Maspero discards anything prehistoric in Egypt without discussion. The first king of whom andw recorded inscription exists is Djeser of the third dynasty. The history of all earlier time remains to be written. When M. Amelineau's discoveries of his numknown Kings at Athydos were mentioned before the French Academy, it stirred up the spiteful bile of the high priest of Egyptology in France, and if it had been in M. Maspero's power he would have excluded from the Louvre any of these remains, among the oldest known records of humanilty. When he (M. Maspero) was invited by the dis PILLAR OF A SERPENT KING.

is said that Duke Michael is the bearer of a letter to the German monarch, in which the Czar proposes a division of the Turkish Empire, parcelling out the Sultan's domains among the great powers and leaving Greece in control of Constantinople. The Grand Duke is the most respectable of old Emperor Nicholas' four sons. He is all powerful with the Czar, and it is said that he and the Czarina have much their own any at court. He was married to a Princess of the House of Baden, and Frincess of the House of Baden, and Frincess of the House of Baden, and his wife was a pretty and talented woman. She died suddenly, while trawoman. She died suddenly, while trawoman. She died suddenly, while trawoman.



A Wilkinsburg family was discussing music yesterday when one member strove to recall the name of a certain composer. atrove to recall the name of a certain composer.

"I can't remember it to save my life," she said, "although it is on my tongue's end. As near as I can come to it his name is 'doorknob."

"Doornob," repeated one of the others. "There is no composer whose name sounds anything like that. I'll go over a few mames: Beethoven, Mendlessoha, Wagner. Haydn, Handel." That's it," interrupted the forgettid one. "It's Handel. I knew it was something you seized with your hands."—Fittaburg Telegraph.

The Wild Muttons. The Wild Muttons.

Some time ago a certain foreign count was staying at Dunrobin Castle, the home of the Duke of Sutherland. He was sent out decretalking by Mirriself. He returned at the end of a long day of triumph.

"What sport?" asked the Duke of his guest.

WHERE HE FAILED He's a man of vast achievements In a dozen various fields; There is grandeur, there is pathos In the facile pen he wields;

He has written noble poems
And has produced successful plays,
And his fin de siecle novel
Has commanded public praise. He has won respect in science, Having made a chart of Mars; He invented a contrivance Once for ventilating cars; By his own unaided efforts
He has earned a pile of peif,
But he scored a dismal failure
When he tried to shave himself. painful.

And she left the store with a happy smile lightening the thundercloud which surrounded her blackened eye.

But he scored a dismal failure
When he tried to shave himself.

JUST "TELL THEM I'M DEAD."

And Jenkins Trounced the Office Boy fer
Doing So.

"Did you hear about Jenkins and his
office boy?" asked De Smith of a
friend as they were going to lunch the
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ther did. "What about 'em ?"
"Oh, Jenkins just kicked him all over
the office and has been in mortal fear
ever since that the boy would carry out
a threat to have him arrested," explained De Smith.
"Why, what was he kicking his office
boy for?" asked the friend.
"Well, the boy was one of the stupid
kind, you see, and he had no sense of
humor," went on De Smith. "On the
dow Jenkins did the kicking he had
been, particularly busy and had been a
good deal bothered by people who came
in to ask questions of him and wanted
to stop and talk. Jenkins was trying
to get his correspondence cleared up,
and it made him kind of hot to be interrupted so many times. He stood it
a long while and them gathered up,
and it made him kind of hot to be interrupted so many times. He stood it
a long while and then gathered was
with a stenographer into a back room."
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on the trolley, as she rearranged her
"And Sne fert the store that Pins

"That hat-pin," said a young woman
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headgear, "has been steeped in gore!"
"No, on a crowder."
"A what?"
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"No in a crowder."
"A what?"
"No a crowder."
"It was temployed on a burgiar?"
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"A what?"
"No was it employed on a burgiar?"
"No a crowder."
"No a crowder." Johnnie.
"Oh, teil them anything, said Jenkins, impatiently, "Tell them I'm dead,' he shouted, as he slammed the

"'He's dead, answered Johnnie carelessly. "'Dead! shricked the lady piteouscarelessly.

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"Yes ma'm, dead, repeated Johnnie coolly. 'Died this morning.'

"Oh, mercy.' sobbed the woman, as ahe grabbed the back of a chair, and Jenkins, who was edming back to the room to get a communication he had forgotten when he went out first, got in just in time to see his wife sink to the floor in a dead faint.

"They called in a doctor and restored-her-to consciousness, and then Jenkins started in on the kicking game which he fears will land him in court. He has paid the boy's mother \$50, but the kid says Jenkins will have to pay him \$50, too, or go to Jall. He 'ain't goin' to be kicked for doin what he was told.' he says."



"Let me take you down to supper."
"Can't. Promised him."
"Oh, all right; then go to the devil!"
London Sketch.

A Toronto Episode. A Toronto Episode.

They had been discussing that everlasting servant problem, which can always be depended upon to fugnish a topic for conversation when three or four women are gathered together Each had told of her experience with her "help," when one of them said:

"My new housemaid is the greenest girl you ever saw in your life. Her ignorance is a perpetual source of wonder to me. The day after. I got her I went out shopping and told her if anyone called during my absence to tell them I was out and ask their names. These seemed very simple instructions, but I thought she would need them.

"When I returned I asked her if anyone that called"

one had called."
"Yes, mun, they did, she replied.
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"Who were they?"
"They wouldn't tell their names, she answered.
"Wouldn't tell their names,' I excluded in surprise. claimed in surprise.
"'Yes. mum; but I think one of them said "bananas," and the other them said "bananas," and the other "rags."

"I demanded further particulars.

"I tried to tell them you, was out and ask their names. You hadn't been gone very long when one of them came. It was the man who called bananas. I remembered what you said, mum, and I went after him and told him you was out. He asked me if I wanted any bananas and I told him no, that you was out and asked what was his name. But he wouldn't tell me. It was the same with the other person who called. He called rags and only laughed at me when I ran after him."

Unexpected.

The popular young druggist joyfully wended his way home and, bounding into the house, clasped his young and beautiful bride tenderly to his breast. "Madeline," he cried, as he smoothed away the waving tresses from her fair forehead, "I have glad news. You can have that new ball drees that you wanted." have that new ball dress that you wanted."

With a glad little cry of joy she buried her face in his shoulder. Then, gazing wistfully up into his happy face, she said: "How good you are to me, dear! Tell me how it has happened. When you went away this morning you were downcast." "I know I was, dearest," he replied, "but this afternoon I got an order for an extra prescription."—Philadelphia Press.

SHE TRIED THE NEW MOUNT.

How One Young Lady Happened to Have a Badly Blackened Eye.

count was staying at Dunrobin Castic, the home of the Duke of Sutherland. He was sent out deer staking by himself. He returned at the end of a long day of triumph.

"What sport?" asked the Duke of his guest.

"Of ze wild deer," replied the "sportsman." "I shoot none—zey are too destricted by the sunt ze wild muttons many." He had been slaughtering the little highland sheep with which the hills round Dunrobin are covered—London Answers.

In Her Ignorance.

"What," he demanded severely, "must we think of a woman who tries to be like a man."

"That she doesn't know him," answered his wife.

He made no rejoinder, but there was a subtle something in the way he went and shook down the furnace to reugest that his mind was even yet not entirely at rest.—Detroit Journal.

Oh, of Course.

Mrs. Henpeck—Young Mrs. Bagley, who was married on last Thursday, who was married on last Thursday, who was married at lamost immediately for the west on a business rip.

Henpeck (viciously)—Yes; he writes me that he finds married life a very happy existence.—Philadelphia North American.

The Wrong Man.

"I told Binks yesterday that he was a lar."

"Did your make an impression."

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"Well, the other evening he called and he did nothing but task of the new "37 mount; it was so graceful and pretty. He told me how to do it. You give a little spring, and the did nothing but task of the new "37 mount; it was so graceful and pretty. He told me how to do it. You saying, and put your left foot on it. When the world.

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Hereaster I'll stick to the old way or mounting."

"So will I," said the other girl, sympathetically, but the war-worn damsel saw something suspicious in the haste with which she led her wheel out of, sight around the nearest corner, and she smiled comprehendingly at the drug clerk.

"Give her that combination of harts-born and arnica that you mixed for me when she comes back," she said amusedly, "and tell her to put a lot of it into her bath instead of trying to rub it into her bath instead of trying to rub it in the put in the said said and the spainful."

IN SPRINKLING TIME.

STRONGER THAN IT LOOKED.

"Say, that's sandpaper; I want a mustard plaster!"
The clerk explained that it was a mustard plaster; that the old plaster of the mince-pie pattern had gone out of style.

"This is just as good?" queried the doubter; "It's hot all right, I suppose?"

"Don't worry about that," smiled the clerk meaningly, ringing up 5 cents in the cash register.

Wilkins was sleeply when he got home. He was sleeply when he got home. He was sleeply than ever when he had crawled into bed with the clammy plaster on him and a big towel backing it up close against the cuttlele. He dozed perceptibly as the plaster warmed up.

"I'll got osleep," he thought; "if it get's too hot I'll wake up."

"yes, I'll—wake up—'f gets too hot—"
Mr. Wilkins was snoring, and a clock Mr. Wilkins was snoring, and a clock away down the hall was striking ten. It was 4.30 o'olock in the meening when Wilkins began to feel the return

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It was mixed and confused with a dream in which he had seen a miner standing over him with a pick and felt that a great hole was being dug through his ribs.

Wilkins snorted, turned over and writhed with a grimace. Then he pulled the clothing far from him, sat up and said: "Ugh."

At 7 o'clock he was in the drug store again. He was bending over to keep his clothing from touching him.

The night clerk was still in charge, and he grimned broadly. "Let me see the place," he suggested even before Wilkins spoke.

There was a brilliant parallelogram, four by seven inches, just under the third button of Wilkins' vest, and as the cool air touched it Wilkins winced. "You'll have to be very careful or you'll have a bad bilster there," said the clerk.

"Blister! Say, I can stand it: tell me the truth—how deep is that hole?"

"Nonsense. Go out and get a big, soft, linen handkerchief and 25 cents for a cool, mussy paste, which the clerk smeared on one side of it.

"Now, if you let your flannel next to that you may pull the hide off with it," warned the clerk in passing.

ONTARIO'S GRAPHITE MINES.

Archibald Blue. Director of the Ontario Bureau or Mines, has neceived with a knowing air. "Leastwise, I ve sightly some proper ones on that all the chumps isn't moored in Boston, I take it," Bill Barnacle observed with a knowing air. "Leastwise, I ve sightly some proper ones on the says." The Mail and Empire. of Chario graphite turned out. "Accompany in the pevelis was a letter from Mr. Hector McRae, sceretary-treasurer of the company, in which the writer states that some time ago the company shipped samples of its graphite to Johann Faber; the funds manufacturer of leadpeacher of Nuremburg, another early and the company is more right away.

Are You Thin I was a saying to be a saying to

Look about you! See for yourself! Who suffer most from sleeplessness, nervousness, nervous dyspepsia, neuralgia, despondency, general weakness? Who are on the edge of nervous prostration all the time? Those who are thin, Opium, chloral, bromides, headache powders, only make headache powders, only make matters worse. Iron and bit-ters are only stimulants. To ters are only stimulants. 10 be cured, and cured for good, you need a fat-making food. You want new blood, rich blood; and a strong nerve-SCOTT'S EMULSION of

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Canada Recailed.

Prof. Henry Drummond, author of "Natural Law in the Spiritual World," died at the early age of 46 at Tunbridge Wells, England, on March 11, 1897. When he was a guest at Rideau Hall, and also visited Montreal and Quebec, marked attention being paid him in this country and in the United States on the occasion of that visit. The deceased was born at Stirling, Scotland, in 1851, and educated at



THE LATE PROF. DRUMMOND.

the universities of Edinburgh and
Tabigen in Germany. He subsequently passed through the Free Church Divinity Haal, and after his ordination
was appointed to a mission station at
Malta. On his return to Scotfand he
was appointed a celturer in science at
the Free Church College, Glassowi1877, and professors in 1884. He also
took charge of a workingmen's mission
in that city. Subsequently-he traveled with Professor Geikle in the Rocky
Mountains and South Africa. He was
the author of "Natural Law in the
Spiritual World," (1883), a work of
original thought, which elicited much
criticism and ran through about thirty
editions, being translated into French,
German, Dutch and Norwegian. He
also wrote some interesting accounts
of his travels, one of the most notable
of which is "Tropical Africa." In
1890 he traveled in Australia. Other
works from his pen are "The Greatest
Thing in the World-Love;" a sermon
based on the text "The Greatest of
These is Charity;" and "Pax Vohiscum"—(Peace he with you.) In 1894
he published "The Ascent of Man," a
work which insists on the existence of
certain altruistic factors in the process
of natural selection.

DR. THOMAS ARNOLD. THE LATE PROF. DRUMMOND.

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Bust of Rugby's Famous Head Maste Unveiled, bust of the famous Dr. Thomas old, former head master of Rugby



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Themis the L-dentical beans, sir," was the cook, beginning for to shiver. "W'y, you blubber-faced pirate," the skipper, wiping his fist on the ok's nose, 'them beans is for the bin special—for my table only—and uch ton good for common sailors. Let e hear of any more of 'em going forward and I'll skin you." "What a mean brutal captain," "The skipper goes aft, bubbling with ge in his mind," continued Bill, and in ten minutes a committee from this blooming committee didn't deand beans, likewise the yery same

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Having decided to go out of the Dry Goods business, I will, commencing May 1, slaughter my entire stock of Staple Dry Goods, Ready-made Clothing, Carpets, Oil Cloths, etc.

This is a great chance for you to save money. Our stock is large and well assorted. We carry a good assortment of Black and Colored Dress Goods, Shirtings, Linens, Muslins, Tickings, Prints, Corsets, Laces, Gloves, etc., etc.

## CARPETS, CURTAINS, AND OIL CLOTHS

We have some choice goods in these lines and at prices to clear them out at once. There would be no use quoting prices as you have to see the goods to appreciate the low prices. Just think of buying 50c Dress Goods for 20c yard, and Corsets worth \$1.00 a pair for 50c; \$1.25 Watchspring Corsets for 80c. Ladies' Gossamers worth 3.50 for \$1.50.

A Word to Country merchants .-- This is a grand chance for you to sort up your stocks, as we are clearing out our goods at less than wholesale prices.

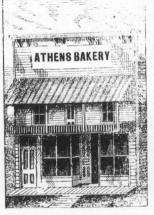
# Ready-Made Clothing for Men, Boys and Children

In this department we are prepared to fit any man or boy in the country in a nobby suit at prices never before heard of for firstclass goods. We ask people from a distance to come to this sale and buy their Dry Goods, Carpets and Clothing, knowing that you can save more than double the cost of coming.

1,000 yards of Embroideries, worth 10 to 15c, selling at 5c yard. Laces worth 12to to 25c selling at 5, 6 and 7c.

We are going to clear out our stock by July 1, and as we are not buying any more goods, you will have a better selection now than later.

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been tinctured with this feeling it has, so far as one medicino is concerned, had its doubts removed. We refer to disease from the system. Avoid imitations by insisting that every box you purchase is enclosed in a wrapper claims have been made, and proofs advanced in their support which seemed requally strong. But it is when one

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advanced in their support which seemed equally strong. But it is when one comes across in their own locality a case almost rivaling any that have been made public, that doubt disappears and conviction follows. Such a case the banner came across and investigated and now gives the facts.

Williams' Pink Pills for Pale forest she counts the ringing blows of the axe that reaps a harvest for "Our the axe that reap case the banner came across and investigated and now gives the facts. The case is that of Miss Sarah Lang ford, an estimable young lady who resides in the neighborhood of Camilla. We were told she had been brought near to death's door and had been.

There was a meeting called in the Oddfellows hall on Saturday evening, May 1st, to make arrangements in connection with the new library. D. A. Hallows was elected president and Dr. May 1st, to make arrangements in connection with the new library. D. A.

riculturists.

A simple statement of the names of the two persons whom the voter thinks are the best farmers will be sufficient, but if they choose to give briefly their success in every respect. It is getting the saw logs that offers of the kinds we require new members from all directions. riculturists.

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success in every respect. It is getting new members from all directions.

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and bring some bologna and cheese it's most 12 o'clock and there's nothing

she says that you're only a lazy old thing, and that she shall put you to

work. There's painting to do and paper to hang, for it's housecleaning

time, and you've got to come home, and revel in suds and cold grub.

Division Court.

Wm. M. Stevens vs. Geo.

appear and the case was struck from

docket with costs against pltff.

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#### SPRING SUITS

If fine clothes you wish to try, Go to Walsh if you want to buy; He sells cheap, you'll find it so— Walsh's suits are all the go.

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COUNTY NEWS.

A Budget of News and Gossip. Pers Intelligence.—A Little of Every-thing Well Mixed Up.

Temperance Items. SWEET'S CORNERS. MONDAY, May 3 .- The farmers are

through seeding. The cold wave that passed over here last week delayed them considerably.

The Mainer Bros. have purchased the Bolton farm on Long Point.

William Dunn has had the misfor-

tune to lose two cows this spring; prospects of William Berry having the same loss. Mrs. H. Eaton and daughter, Seeley's This was an action brought to recover Bay, were the guests of William Mus- \$22, claimed to be due on a life in

may, were the guests of whitain and a \$22, claimed to be due on a life listificant last week.

Miss Fannie Gallaway, who has been on the sick list for the last nine weeks, is not able to be out yet; also Miss to produce further evidence. On the case being called the pltff, did not claim to produce further evidence. is not able to be out yet; also Miss Celia Sweet is recovering after another

Miss Almedia Mustard returned home last Sunday after spending a week with friends at Jones' Falls.

I Mustard returned the Sun Life Assurance Company vs. Fred. Cadwell, primary debtor, and Samuel Rupping Carricks. sick spell.

Miss Almedia Mustard returned J. Murphy is wearing a broad smile

SEELEY'S BAY.

Monday, May 3.—A few days ago a number of the neighbors of Mr. Thos.

Imerson gathered together at his place and having brought a sawing-machine with them cut and piled his summer's firewood.

For this kind and neighbor.

S38.76. Judgment for pltff. to be paid in 15 days.

Holmes Clow, primary creditor, vs.

W. J. Donaldson, primary debtor, and the unused balance at her death to her brother, Robert Scott, who is given \$400 additional.

Village Council

Father, dear father, come home with son and elected the following officers:
Hon, Pres.—J. H. Mills, M. A. me now, for ma has some carpets to beat; she has got all the furniture out in the yard, from the front door clean Pres.-G. F. Blackwell. Vice Pres.—Clarence Halladay. Sec'y.-Treas.—Byron Haskins, Caretaker—Mr. Webster. out to the street. The stove must Caretaker—Mr. Webster.
A committee to solicit subscription down and be put in the shed, grass, for it's time to clean house and the deuce's to pay—and the front windows need some new glass. Father, dear father, come home with me now,

LOCAL SUMMARY. ATHENS AND NEIGHBORING LOCAL

TIES BRIEFLY WRITTEN UP. rents as Seen by Our Knight of th Boiled Right Down.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McDonald left Athens last Thursday for their futur home in Ithaca, Michigan.

When you want Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits, it will pay you to see G. W. Beach's new spring stock. Art school exams, were conducted in the high school last week, a large number of students writing.

Andrew Geddes of Tin Cap has sold his farm to Joseph Napper of Delta and will remove to Lyn.

This week G. W. Beach is showing a large variety of Boots and Shoes. Call and see the great value. Mr. William Hillis leaves Athe this week for Syracuse, N.Y., for visit with his son Amos.

Mrs. J. H. Ackland is visiting he brother, Mr. H. Taplin, Brockville who has just returned from England. Lines were run last week by Sur-FOR SALE

veyor Beatty for the addition to the Kincaid tin shop, and work thereon is now in progress. Dominion Bicycles—the best value

in Canada—fully guaranteed and kept in repair free of charge for six months —only \$50 at G. W. Beach's. This week a consignment of 180,000 white-fish fry from the Ottawa hatchery passed through Athens, en route for Green's lake, Pine Hill.

Parents and children will plea

portant question should read the article on the third page of this issue.

As a preparation for the quarterly ervices in the Methodist church on Sunday (9th), it is recommended that Friday next be observed as a day of fasting and prayer.

to eat—I'm so Lungry I'm weak in the knees. All the dinner we'll have will Mr. Geo. Slack arrived in Athens from Boston on Monday evening to spend a month's vacation with friends. cold scraps and such, and we'll have to eat standing up, too, for the table and all are out in the back; oh, I wish It is rumored that he will make an im that housecleaning was through. Father, dear father, come home with me now, for ma is as mad as a Turk; portant contract before returning. The tandem bicycle adds the grace

of sociability to the other charms claimed for the silent steed. Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Lillie will be the first to use In the list of "Pass men" at Queen's University, posted on Wednesday last, appears the names of three one-time

appears the names of three one-time students of the Athens high school, viz.: Misses C. P. and Eva E. Grenfell and Miss M. Bellamy. His Honor Judge Reynolds held the At the last meeting of the local court 9th Division Court in the Township Hall on Tuesday, 4th inst. The docket of Foresters, Mr. S. T. Kendrick was elected to the office of Financial Secretary and G. F. Donnelley to the office of Recording Secretary. The new F. S. was an unusually light one for this time of the year.

The following cases were disposed of: Recording Secretary. was instructed to require prompt pay-

The government of Norway purpose sending a balloon expedition towards the north pole for exploration purposes. The expedition will start about the first and the colonial office has advised the government to notify all Can adians to render assistance to the explorers if any opportunity offers and report the day and hour in which the Samuel Running, garnishee.—This was oon was seen and the direction of

another case of dispute about an insur J. Murphy is wearing a broad smile over a young son.

N. Niblock and A. Dillon made a trip to Gananoque last Saturday.

House cleaning is the order of the production of former cancelled the production of former cancelled to the production of former cancelled t Mrs. Elizabeth Rowsom vs. Edward Bolin.—Action on promisory note for \$38.76. Judgment for pltff. to be paid \$400; William Scott, brother, \$1,100;

on the 27th ult., the students, under the presidency of Mr. H. Rhodes, reorganized the football club for the sea-

The morning service in the Methodist church on Sabbath last was conducted by Mr, A. James. Athens is to be visited next week by | Sales of cheese from Glen Buell fac-

Special lot of Ladies Capes in Fawn, Brown, Navy, and Black, for 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, and \$2.00, at G. W. Miss Violetta McVeigh of Addison, spent Sunday in Athens, the guest of Miss Ray Boyce.

Mr. A. Moran, evangelist, leaves Mr. W. T. Merrick, Toronto, arrived in Athens last week for a visit with his sister, Mrs. R. B. Alguire. a few days for Manitoba, where he will-work in the interests of that branch of

Brockyille went to Charleston to day for the salmon fishing, and while there will occupy Camp Lookout. John Cawley, who has been at Lans

Have you seen the new Dress Goods at G. W. Beach's? Double-fold, plain and fancy Black Lustres, only 25 and 30c yard.

Buffalo Bill's Wild West Show will tour Canada during June and July, visiting the larger towns and cities, including Brockville. Last week the bullpouts were running in Beale's creek, and it is expected that during the latter part of this week they will be found in the last at the Since the salmon season opened Mr. W. H. Leavitt, the new manager of Cedar Park, has entertained a large number of his Brockville friends All foot of the rapids.

speak in terms of praise of the many improvements made in the Park. One of the Reporter's presses was engaged for two days last week in printing circulars and testimonials for Kincaid's Patent Metallic Shingle. Mr. Gallagher is meeting with success in placing it on the market, the prac-tical nature of the invention making

A very pleasant evening was spent by a number of our citizens at a social given by the ladies of Christ church on Friday evening last. A good pro-gramme, refreshments tastily served, and the prevalence of a cordial feeling of good fellowship made the event thoroughly enjoyable.

The tramp who after working two in mind the special meeting to be held in the vestry of the Methodist church on Saturday next at 3 p.m.

"Who are the best farmers in Leeds County?" Those of our readers who are interested in the answer to this important questions should need the artisle. He is about 26 years of are and readers and readers who are interested in the answer to this important questions should need the artisle. jail. He is about 26 years of age and gives his name as Robt. Moodie.

Owing to the great number of patients for some time past in the Brockville General Hospital, the matron complains of a great scarcity of bed linen. A donation of sheets and pillowcases from the kind friends of the Hospital or money to purchase the same, would be thankfully received by the management of the Hospital.

packages that formerly cost ten cents will sell at twelve cents. Two for a quarter is the price to be put upon cigars that formerly cost ten cents each. orgars that formerly cost ten cents each. The man who chews, and who used to get his plug at five and eight cents, will have to scare up one cent additional. Lovers of five-cent cigars may console themselves with the reflection that the old figure will rule for a back-yard farmer. worse cigar.

merly. advertising with the Reporter before, that they saw his ad in the Reporter than in both the other papers he was using. Hence his decision to again talk to the public through the columns of the Athens Becomes. of the Athens Reporter.

where is intends to locate and practice in the same new relief of the first of the

Mr. Harry Blanchard of New York eyangelists, have been spending a feed days in Athens.

Sarsaparilla purifies the blood, strength-ens the system and gives good health.

The summer time-table on the B. &

come addition to the Citizens' Band. A great throng promenaded Main

Mr. G. A. Wiltse last week entere the employ of Mr. McCrea, wholesale grocer, Kingston, and will represen that firm in the Ottawa Valley George's many friends in Athens wish

The number of "no-fencers" is con The number of "no-tencers" is constantly increasing. The latest fences to fall before the onward march of improvement were those enclosing the residence of Mrs. Barber on Reid street Mr. E. Clow, corner Main and Mill streets, and T. S. Kendrick, Main of Mrs Redmond, Wiltse street.

Mr. Geo. Sharman, sr., left Athens last week for Regina, N.W.T., where he has accepted a position as teacher. Mr. Sharman's many years of faithful work in the Athens model school is rework in the Athens model school is re-membered with gratitude and appreiation by young and old, and all wish this season's make. Bills will be issued this week giving full particulars.

The Reporter has just received The Reporter has just received a very fine cut made expressly for us by the Terry Engraving Company of Columbus, Ohio, to be used on route bills for the German Coach Horse Association of Unionville, of which D. J. Forth is manager. We believe this is the first cut of the kind in Canada, as we were unable to get one from any engraving company in this country.

garden to work at this season of the year is one of the fortunates of fate. Man is naturally and agriculturalist, and the old instinct for working in the soil reasserts itself with the ceturn of every spring. If a man has a little soil to work in, no matter if soil to work in, no matter if it is no more than twenty it is no more than feet square, it serves to satisfy, to some degree at least, the demands of his nature. These are happy days for the

On Saturday last two men from The general advance in the price of liquors, resulting from the new tariff, did not take effect in Athens until Monday morning. Beer remains at the old figure, but distilled "encourage ment" costs one handdred per cat. The costs one handdred per cat. The costs one hand the increased duties necessitates, but as dealers in wet goods never split a nickel, they will even up with consumers by giving them a better quality-of juice than formerly.

On Saturday last two men from Junetown accepted an invitation issued by Fishery Inspector Hicks and at tended a reception held by Justice Cawley, at which they were taxed \$5 and costs each for illegal fishing practiced last fall in Charicston Lake. The Inspector had some knowledge of their offence shortly after it was committed, but not sufficient to secure a conviction. Last week he succeeded in conpleting the chain of evidence, with the foregoing result.

During the last two years Mr. Geo. Boyce has faithfully and very efficiently represented the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co. in the Province of Nova Scotia. A short time ago he received completeing arrangements tor his removal. We note with pleasure the success that has attended Mr. Boyce's representation of this well-known firm, of which this change is a deserved re-

The "Chief" has started out on his A Lyndhurst correspondent says:

An event which has been looked forward to for some time came to pass on ward to for some time came to pass on looked forward to for some time came to pass on looked forward to for some time came to pass on looked forward to for some time came to pass on looked forward to for some time came to pass on looked forward to for some time came to pass on looked forward to for some time came to pass on looked forward to for some time came to pass on looked forward to for some time came to pass on looked forward to for some time came to pass on looked forward to for some time came to pass on looked forward to for some time came to pass on looked forward to for some time came to pass on looked forward to for some time came to pass on looked forward to for some time came to pass on looked forward to for some time came to pass on looked forward to forward to

streets, the reeve was requested to instruct the chief of police to arrest all drunk and disorderly persons found on the street, as well as to disperse the crowd of boys and young men who gather on street corners and by lewd conduct annoy parties passing.

There being no further business, the council adjourned until Thursday, May 2. The seer being no further business, the council adjourned until Thursday, May 2. The secretary reported that there were 105 members on the roll, and that there were 105 members on the roll, and that the young lady canvassers had secured be set of good value is always given.

This set may be yours.—T. W. Dennis To be Given Away.

Misses Inda Mason and Ella Birdsell,

Seventy million people know Heod's

Alex. McCleverty, tailor, lately with D. McTavish, Athens, has secured an engagement with Wm. Thompson, Portland.

W. will go into effect in a few days.

It will give passengers to Brockville

Mr. S. Manhardt returned to Athens last week from Toronto, where he has been attending the Conservatory of Music. He has made grat fying progress in his studies, and while in Athens his slide-trombone will be a wel

street on Saturday evening and enjoyed the music discoursed by the Citizens' Band. This popular organization is anxious to procure uniforms for this summer, and it is probable that ad-mirers of the band will have an opportunity of testifying their admiration in

Mr. John Ball, the painter, is doing his full share towards beautifying the village this spring. He has just com-pleted an artistic piece of work on the exterior of Mrs. Evertts' residence, Wellington street, and is engaged to perform a like office for the residence

Messrs. Ross & Earl will hold Messrs. Ross & Earl will hold a credit auction sale of tile and brick at their yard at the foot of Isaac street, Athens, on Saturday afternoon, May 29th. This sale is made to give farmers an opportunity to buy brick and tile on their own terms, as well as clear out the yard to make room for this season's make. Bills will be

The plague of apple-tree worms from which Athens suffered last summer promises to be repeated, and prompt action should be taken by owners of fruit trees to destroy the pest while in the larval stage and before the cater-pillars leave the nest or limb where they were bred. The crawlers, in the nest and out, are already nearly a halfinch long.

Messrs. Ross and Earl will this season manufacture a new style of brick, designed especially for cellar bottoms. have two holes through the flat part to act as a drain to carry off all surplus water. They are also admirably adapted for walks in front of residences. They will have samples at their sale on the 29th inst.

At a meeting of the advisory board of the Eastern and Western Butter and Cheese Associations, held in Toronto last week, the appoliting of a butter inspector was taken up, and the selection of Mr. Mark Sprague, of Ameliasburg confirmed. The fresherseafter will be for the butter instruction, one visit, \$5; two visits, \$8; three tot, one visit, \$5; two visits, \$8; three visits, \$10. Mr. Sprague was also appointed to receive and place in position all cheese and creamery butter exhibits that are sent to the industrial exhi-

The German Coach Horse Association of Newboro will have bills issued from the Reporter office this week, giving pedigree and route of their thoroughbred coach stallion "Affect." thoroughbred coach stallion "Affect."
W. H. Sturgeon, Secretary, Newboro.
John McBratney, Greenbush, will
take the road this week with his standard bred stallion "Aberdeen." See
bills printed at this office for pedigree

and route.

Messrs. Foshua and John Gilroy, Spring Valley, are again offering the services of their thoroughbred stallion, "Ottawa Chief," to the farmers of this ned from this office

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Important Events in Few Words For Busy Readers

Compiled and Put Into Handy at Attractive Shape For the Henders Our Paper A Solid Hour's Enjoyme THE LABOR WORLD.

The strike of the cotton operative of Cornwall is ended, the men accepting or men of PEACE.

A stunber of British delegates to the Universal Postal Congress in Washington arrived at New York on board the Majestic.

The log of the Mayflower was formally handed over by the Bishop of Londen to Mr. Bayard, the recent United States Ambassador to England.

POLITICS—CANADIAN.

Mr. Charles Neihaus has been appointed postunaster at Berlin.

Mr. Church, Liberal, was declared elected for Lunenburg, N.S., at the recount. In the bye-election in Colchester, N.S., for the Dominion House, Mr. McClure, Liberal, was elected by six majority.

majority.
THE QUEEN'S DIAMOND JUBILEE. THE QUEEN'S DIAMOND JUBILEE.

The Queen, on her arrival and departure in jubilee week, will be excerted by colonial troops.

The Princess of Wales has written to the Lord Mayor of London urging that in the schemes to commemorate the Diamond Jubilee of Queen Victoria in June the tenants of London slums be not overlooked. Her Royal Highaess subscribes 100 pounds to provide a treat for them.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS
General Manager Hays of the Grand

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General Manager Hays of the Grand
Trunk was in Hamilton and denied
the statement that the shops there are
to be moved to London.

During the recent trip of Emperer
William to Dresden the Imperial train
was stopped en route for fully two
hours. The engineer discovered the
gear had been tampered with, and that
there would have been a serious accident if it had been passed unnoticed.

THE FIELE RECORD.

had been passed un THE FIRE RECORI THE FIRE RECORD.

Joseph Poloquin, caretaker of the Star
Brewery, Montreal, was burned to death
in a small fire in the brewery.

Vick & Sons' flour mills at Orillia,
Reid's mills at Dunaville and the Wallaceburg canning factory were destroyed by fire.

ed by fire.

The wholesale grocery warehouse of
H. P. Eckardt & Co. Front street, Toronto, was badly gutted by fire. The
loss will be in the neighborhood of \$75,
000, with sufficient insurance to cover
the same. THE RELIGIOUS WORLD

Archbishop Cleary was given a tion at Brockville on his return the south. A distinguished French pricet urges the abolition of clerical celibacy, which he believes to be the chief obstacle to the return of the Anglican Church to Catholic unity.

Catholic unity.

The Rochester conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church has found the Rev. R. C. Homer guilty of wrong acting, and has expelled him from the conference and the function of the ministry. THE DEAD.

Mr. James Keays, Registrar of Russell County, is dead. Mr. Nelson Ruby, a highly-esteemed and respected resident of Berlin, Ont. is dead, aged 63.

To years of age.

mas times at the Cape.

Capetown, April 30.—In the Cape Parlament to-day Mr. Merriman, the anti-Rhodes leader, moved a resolution of no confidence in the Cape Ministry, which he supported by a vigorous attack upon the continuous confidence in the Cape Ministry, which he supported by a vigorous attack upon the continuous c

Seeding Operations.

Winnipeg, May 2.—(Special.)—Telegraphic reports have just been collected as to the seeding operations in Manitoha and the Northwest. These reports are very gratifying, showing that the season has opened most auspiciously in an are the season in the opened most auspiciously in and fully three weeks ahead of last year. There appears to be a large increase in acreage. Oscar Wilde Let Loose Again.

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old of deeps for House Painting and Kalsomining promptly executed,
Good workmanship in all casës guaranteed and a very reasonable rate charged. Call and get quotations and estimates.

W. R. BROWN.
12 mo. Main street, Athens.

ADMINISTRATION SALE

L'inder the Direction of the Administratrix of the Estate of the Late Julia Witheril, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction. by W. H. Denaut, E. q., at Omer Brown's Store in the Village of Deita, on Friday 28th day of May, A. D. 1897, at Half past Two o'clock in the afternoon, all the interest of it is said Julia Witheril in the hereinster Estat balf of Loi Number State and State Witheril in the hereinster Estat balf of Loi Number State and Julia Witheril in the hereinster Estat balf of Loi Number State of Beatard in the County of Loids, containing Fifty acres more or less.

The said farm is situated near the Village of Deita and has upon it a frame house and barn and is well watered.

The said lands are sold subject to the Life Estate of Emily Wood and to the payment of Deita and State of Collars on Hundred and eighty seven a. deal of Collars on Hundred and eighty seven a. deal of Collars on the death of Terms of Sale: Twenty-five per cent down on day of sale and the balance within Thirty days thereafter with interest at six per cent.

For further information apply to LEWIS, Sol'r for Administratrix, Dated at Athens this 3rd day of May A. D.,

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current others warrants you in believing that a faithful use of Hood's Sarsaparilla will cure you if you suffer from any trouble caused by impure blood.

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Lady Boarder Wanted Mrs. J. H. Elvidge is prepared to commfort bly accommodate a lady boarder at her home teid street, Athens.

Spaniel Found.

Came to the subscriber's residence, near Wight's Corners, on 19th of April, a dark brown water spaniel bitch. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses.

MOSES WILTSE. Athens, April 27th, 1897.

Two Houses to Rent

A comfortable dwelling house on Wilts street and another on Henry street, wish all coveniences, for rent cheap, or would sell at a low price. Apply at once to ISAAC ROMESON, Athens. Athens, March 16th, '97.

\$50,000

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The Hyslop AND The Massey-Harris I have secured the agency for the above lines of Wheels, all of which are thoroughl up-toof Wheels, all of which are thoroughlup-to-date. They need no introduction. Their suc-cess in the past together with the price at which we after them to the public combine to make them the mos desirable wheels on the market. Inspection invited. Prices and terms on app. cation to

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The Latest and most Beautiful Styles for 1897 We are retiring from the Room Paper bus-iness and are now selling our immense stock at half the usual price. You can paper a whole house at our store for a few dollars. Nice Kitchen and Bedroom Paper at 3, 4 and cents per roll, with border to match. Gold Paper at 5 cents and upwards.

Nice Window Curtains, 3x6, with roller com-

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capital city.

Under the new tariff tobacco in

Monday morning. Beer remains at the old figure, but distilled "encouragement" costs one hundred per co. more than before. This advance, of course,

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Another lot of these handsome Suites has just arrived and will be sold at \$13.90 by

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Apply at once to JUSTUS SMITH. harleston, March 12, '97

and bring some bologna and cheese; it's most 12 o'clock and there's nothing

to eat—I'm so hungry I'm weak in the knees. All the dinner we'll have will

be cold scraps and such, and we'll have

to eat standing up, too, for the table and all are out in the back; oh, I wish

Division Court.

His Honor Judge Reynolds held th

9th Division Court in the Township Hall on Tuesday, 4th inst. The docket

appear and the case was struck from

vs. Ormond Jackson, primary debtor, and Coleman Kilborn, garnishee.—

Defts. not appearing, judgment by de-

fault. Wm. Doolan vs. Delorma Wiltse.-

Drowned in Clear Lake.

Football Club Reorganized.

At a meeting held in the high school

the docket with costs against pltff.

The Sun Life Assurance Compa

Samuel Running, garnish

#### SPRING SUITS

If fine clothes you wish to try, Go to Walsh if you want to buy; He sells cheap, you'll find it so— Walsh's suits are all the go.

He sells cheap, you'll find it so—
Walsh's suits are all the go.

The undersigned offers by private sale the whole of his property in the village of Charleston, consisting of a good frame house with drive shed, well, sarden, and orohard of choice young trees; three building loss pair together with the balse of the pair together with the balse oil the household furniture. The whole will be sold en bloc or in lots to suit purchasers.

Apply at once to JUSTUS SMITH.

TAILOR

Dougalls' Old Stand.

COUNTY NEWS.

A Budget of News and Gossip. Perso Intelligence.—A Little of Every-thing Well Mixed Up. rance Items.

SWEET'S CORNERS. Monday, May 3.—The farmers are through seeding. The cold wave that passed over here last week delayed them considerably.

passed over nere last week delayed them considerably. The Mainer Bros. have purchased the Bolton farm on Long Point. William Dunn has had the misfor-William Dunn has had the mist r was an unusually light one for this tune to lose two cows this spring; rospects of William Berry having the The following cases were disposed of:

me loss.

Mrs. H. Eaton and daughter, Seeley's
This was an action brought to recove Bay, were the guests of William Mus- \$22, claimed to be due on a life insur

miss Fannie Gallaway, who has been on the sick list for the last nine weeks, is not able to be out yet; also Miss Celia Sweet is recovering after another

sick spell.

Miss Almedia Mustard returned home last Sunday after spending a ws. Fred Cadwell, primary debtor, and week with friends at Jones' Falls. J. Murphy is wearing a broad smile

over a young son.

N. Niblock and A. Dillon made a trip to Gananoque last Saturday.

House cleaning is the order of the

cut and piled his summer's with them cut and piled his summer's on firewood. For this kind and neighborJudgment for pltf. for \$8 40 and costs.

H. K. Knowlton, primary creditor, with then ly act to him in the hour of his sad loss and trouble Mr. Imerson tenders his

sincere thanks. Dr Jas. Berry, a former resident who has been walking the Chicago hospitals, left a few days ago for Texas where he intends to locate and practice Judgment summons. Order for pay-his profession.

his profession.

Leadbeater Bros. have purchased a

ontinued and the body was finally found in four feet of water and only and friends.

The body of Mrs. W. J. Chapman was taken from the vault last Saturday and interred in the cemetery of St. John's church, Leeds.

John's church, Leeds.
John O'Toole, in the employ of Mr.

F. Chapman, was arrested last Friday and taken to Gananoque for trial. He is accused by a Mr. Muloch of stealing a gold watch and chain from him sometime ago in Gananoque. O'Toole denys the charge and says he can prove himself innocent.

Albert Neal has sold all of last season's make of brick and tile and was unable to supply all demands, but he has make all preparations this spring to make an increased supply sufficient to supply the wants of all at his yard or at points along the Rideau canal Work on the yard commenced Monded, red and the Monte and the Monte and was unone than one wound. The funeral Work on the yard commenced Monded, red for a decident with a full complement of extending the more than one wound. The funeral Work on the yard commenced Monded, red for a decident with a full complement of extending the more than one wound. The funeral work of wall the more than one wound. The funeral work of wall at his yard or at points along the Rideau canal Work on the yard commenced Monded, in a more wall and the body was final tile and was unable to wall the more than one wound. The funeral war and triangle for a wind the more taken or at points along the Rideau canal work and the American war and received and the shout the hall the shout the short traps about the roads from where the traps about the road

Work on the yard commenced Monday, 3rd inst., with a full complement of experienced workmen.

Work has commenced on the erection of Dr. Gardiner's brick residence. Mr. A. Ellis, architect of Kingston, has examined the brick made in the Seeley's Bay brick and tile yard and declares them to be first-class in every

on the 27th ult., the students, under the presidency of Mr. H. Rhodes, re-organized the football club for the sea-A Pathetic Ballad. son and elected the following officers:
Hon. Pres.—J. H. Mills, M.A.
Pres.—G. F. Blackwell. Father, dear father, come home with s me now, for ma has some carpets to beat; she has got all the furniture out in the yard, from the front door clean out to the street. The stove must come down and be put in the shed, and the yard must be cleared of some it's time to clean house and

LOCAL SUMMARY.

Athens last Thursday for their future home in Ithaca, Michigan.

J. W. Beach's new spring stock.

Andrew Geddes of Tin Cap has sold his farm to Joseph Napper and will remove to Lyn.

a large variety of Boots and Shoe Call and see the great value. Mr. William Hillis leaves Athe

Mrs. J. H. Ackland is visiting he brother, Mr. H. Taplin, Brockville who has just returned from England. Lines were run last week by Sur

now in progress.

This week a consignment of 180,000 white-fish fry from the Ottawa hatchery passed through Athens, en route for Green's lake, Pine Hill.

Parents and children will plea in mind the special meeting to be held in the vestry of the Methodist church Saturday next at 3 p.m.

"Who are the best farmers in Leeds County?" Those of our readers who are interested in the answer to this im-

in the Methodist church on services in the Methodist church on Sunday (9th), it is recommended that Friday next be observed as a day of asting and prayer.

Mr. Geo. Slack arrived in Athens from Boston on Monday evening to spend a month's vacation with friends. It is rumored that he will make an imthat housecleaning was through. Father, dear father, come home with me now, for ma is as mad as a Turk; portant contract before returning.

me now, for ma is as mad as a tirs, she says that you're only a lazy old thing, and that she shall put you to work. There's painting to do and paper to hang, for it's housedeaning time, and you've got to come home, and revel in suds and cold grub. Mrs. C. C. Lillie will be the first to use the "bike-for-two" in Athens. In the list of "Pass men" at Queen's

> At the last meeting of the local court At the last meeting of the local court of Foresters, Mr. S. T. Kendrick was elected to the office of Financial Secretary and G. F. Donnelley to the office of Recording Secretary.
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> The new F. S. Recording Secretary. The new F. S. was instructed to require prompt pay-

The government of Norway purpose sending a balloon expedition towards the north pole for exploration purposes. The expedition will start about the first of July and the colonial office has advised the government to notify all Can-adians to render assistance to the explorers if any opportunity offers and report the day and hour in which the balloon was seen and the direction of .- This was

Samuel Running, garnishee.—This was another case of dispute about an insurance policy. At the request of A. James, agent for pltffs., the case was adjourned until next court to allow of adjourned until next court to allow of the production of former cancelled policy.

acuse, N.Y., by her will just probated has made the following bequests to her relatives at Portland, Ont.: Adeline Monday, May 3.—A few days ago a number of the neighbors of Mr. Thos. Imerson gathered together at his place and having brought a sawing-machine with them cut and piled his summer's a new contact of the neighbors of Mr. Thos. In the cut and piled his summer's an account. Deft. did not appear to relatives at Portland, Ont.: Adeline Scott, sister, \$1,200 and her wearing apparel; Catharine Newton, half sister, \$400; William Scott, brother, \$1,100; Mary Scott, mother, use and income of \$400; and the unused balance at her death to her brother, Robert Scott, who is given \$400 additional.

new circular sawing-machine of the latest and best designs.

The str. "Maggie May" and barge "Dandy" left last Friday morning for Kingston and Garden Isiand with a load of toggles and pickets for the Calvin Co.

Mrs. Geo. Chapman, of Kingston, is visiting friends.

Miss May Bowen, of Gananoque, has been renewing old acquaintances the past few days.

Drowned in Clear Lake.

A Newboro correspondent writes:

John Welsh, and old U.S. pensioner, was returning to his home at Clear Lake from the village on Monday at noon, when the skiff capsized, and he is undoubtedly at the bottom of the lake. He was last seen by "Wat" Brown near Poplar Point, where a turn is made to go through the drowned lands. Searching parties have found lands. Searching parties have found order of Judge Reynolds.

On motion, an order was drawn in favor of clerk for \$5.40 to pay steno-lands. Searching parties have found lands. On Motion, an order was passed to hear line.

past few days.

A new steam whistle has been placed in the sawmill.

Mrs. A. Jacobs is seriously ill.

Mrs.

een made to members of the council

The morning service in the Metho-dist church on Sabbath last was con-Mr. J. H. Elvidge has taken a pos

tion in Ludwig's great department store, New York. cted by Mr, A. James. Special lot of Ladies' Capes in Fawn, Brown, Navy, and Black, for 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, and \$2.00, at G. W. Miss Violetta McVeigh of Addis-

Mr. A. Moran, evangelist, leaves in a few days for Manitoba, where he will work in the interests of that branch of Mr. Horner's religious movement.

Brockyille went to Charleston to day for the salmon fishing, and while there will occupy Camp Lookout.

Buell and Coade of downe and Gananoque for the past few days attending to an insolvent estate, returned home on Saturday.

Have you seen the new Dress Goods at G. W. Beach's? Double-fold, plain and fancy Black Lustres, only 25 and 30c yard.

Buffalo Bill's Wild West Show will tour Canada during June and July, visiting the larger towns and cities, including Brockville. Since the salmon season opened Mr. W. H. Leavitt, the new manager of Cedar Park, has entertained a large number of his Brockville friends All speak in terms of praise of the many improvements made in the Park.

One of the Reporter's presses was engaged for two days last week in printing circulars and testimonials for Kincaid's Patent Metallic Shingle. Mr. Gallagher is meeting with success in placing it on the market, the prac-tical nature of the invention making

A very pleasant evening was spent by a number of our citizens at a social given by the ladies of Christ church on Friday evening last. A good pro-gramme, refreshments tastily served, and the prevalence of a cordial feeling of good fellowship made the event of good fellowship thoroughly enjoyable.

The tramp who after working two or three days for a farmer named Van-dusen, near Mallorytown, stole his em-ployer's gold watch and disappeared, dusen, near Malloytown, stole his em-ployer's gold watch and disappeared, has been captured. He was taken to Brockville on Tuesday by Constable Walts, of Lansdowne, and lodged in jail. He is about 26 years of age and gives his name as Robt. Moodie.

Owing to the great number patients for some time past in Brockville General Hospital, matron complains of a great scarcity of marron complains of a great scarcity of bed linen. A donation of sheets and pillowcases from the kind friends of the Hospital or money to purchase the same, would be thankfully received by the management of the Hospital.

Under the new tariff tobacco i packages that formerly cost ten cents will sell at twelve cents. Two fer a quarter is the price to be put upon cigars that formerly cost ten cents each. The man who chews, and who used to get his plug at five and eight cents, will have to scare up one cent additional. Lovers of five-cent cigars may console themselves with the reflection that the old figure will rule for a worse cigar.

The general advance in the price of liquors, resulting from the new tariff, did not take effect in Athens until Monday morning. Beer remains at the old figure, but distilled "encouragement" costs one hundred per co. I more than before. This advance, of course, than before than the increased more than the increased more than the increased than the increased more than the increased duties necessitates, but as dealers wet goods never split a nickel, they will even-up with consumers by giving them a better quality of juice than for-

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Hymeneal. A Lyndhurst correspondent says: An event which has been looked for-The municipal Council of Athens met in regular monthly session on Monday evening, May 3rd. The reeve, clerk, and councillors Knowlton, ed to for some time came to pass on Rappell and Chassels present. Min-utes read and approved.

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The clerk read and laid on the table communications from the city clerk of Toronto, soliciting the co-operation of the council in petitioning the Dominion Government to not grant the Bell Telephone Company power to increase the charges for telephone service; also legal opinion from E. J. Reynolds regarding the power of the council to pass certain by-laws.

On motion, an order was drawn in favor of clerk for \$5.40 to pay stenographer in changes in voters' list for 1895-6, and bill of Recorder for printing notice of Court of Revision, on

Vice Pres.—Rev. J. J. Cameron. Sec'y and Librarian.—Geo. Sharman. Treasurer.—Geo. W. Beach.

Mr. Harry Blanchard of New York Athens is to be visited next week by Sales of cheese from Glen Buell fac-merry-go-round.

The morning service in the Metho-

eyangelists, have been spending a fed days in Athens.

Sarsaparilla purifies the blood, strengthens the system and gives good health.

The summer time-table on the B. & W. will go into effect in a few days. It will give passengers to Brockville

A great throng promenaded Main street on Saturday evening and enjoyed the music discoursed by the Citizens' Band. This popular organization is anxious to procure uniforms for this summer, and it is probable that admirers of the band will have an opportunity of testifying their admiration in a substantial way.

provement were those enclosing the residence of Mrs. Barber on Reid street

Mr. Sharman's many years of faithful work in the Athens model school is re-membered with gratitude and appreciation by young and old, and all wish him a full measure of success in the

inch long.

but not sufficient to secure a conviction. Last week he succeeded in con-pleting the chain of evidence, with the

The "Chief" has started out on his annual round of examination of the houses, chimneys, yards and outbuild-ings in town. He finds a lot of obthose keeping fowl allowing those keeping fowl allowing them to run at large and roam over into their neighbors' gardens and lawns, often scratching up the newly planted seed lawns with litter. He wishes us to call attention to the fact that the runging at large of foal is strictly now. ning at large of fowl is strictly pro-hibited by the bylaws of the village, and he has instructions to stop the

practice. On Monday evening it was reported that about forty black bass had been brought into Charleston by a party of gentlemen, whom those interested in preserying the fish of the lake had 

field, Tioga county, Pa., says: "The Rechester Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist church sustained the charge 61 68 preferred against Rev. R. C. Horner by me, and found that the said R. C.

lately of Montreal, a most estimable lady who is well known here. They were married at 8:30 o'clock in St. Francis de Sales' church by the Rev.

Misses Inda Mason and Ella Birdsell,

Seventy million people know Hood's

Alex. McCleverty, tailor, lately with D. McTavish, Athens, has secured an engagement with Wm. Thompson, Portland.

Mr. S. Manhardt returned to Athens Mr. S. Manhardt returned to Attens last week from Toronto, where he has been attending the Conservatory of Music. He has made grat fying pro-gress in his studies, and while in Athens his slide-trombone will be a wel come addition to the Citizens' Band.

A great throng promenaded Main

Mr. John Ball, the painter, is doing his full share towards beautifying the village this spring. He has just completed an artistic piece of work on the exterior of Mrs. Evertts' residence, Wellington street, and is engaged to perform a like office for the residence of Mrs. Redmond, Wiltse street.

Messrs. Ross & Earl will hold a credit auction sale of tile and brick at their yard at the foot of Isaac street, Athens, on Saturday afternoon, May 29th. This sale is made to give farm-ers an opportunity to buy brick and ers an opportunity to buy brick and tile on their own terms, as well as tile on their own terms, as well as clear out the yard to make room for this season's make. Bills will be issued this week giving full particulars.

The plague of apple-tree worms from which Athens suffered last summer promises to be repeated, and prompt action should be taken by owners of fruit trees to destroy the pest while in the larval stage and before the cater pillars leave the nest or limb where they were bred. The crawlers, in the nest and out, are already nearly a half-

Messrs Ross and Earl will this sea Messrs. Ross and Earl will this sea-son manufacture a new style of brick, designed especially for cellar bottoms. They will be eight inches square and have two holes through the flat part to act as a drain to carry off all surplus water. They are also admirably adapted for walks in front of residences. They will have samples at their sale on the 29th inst.

At a meeting of the advisory board of the Eastern and Western Butter and Cheese Associations, held in Toronto last week, the appointing of a ronto last week, the appointing of a butter inspector was taken up, and the selection of Mr. Mark Sprague, of Ameliasburg confirmed. The freshereafter will be for the butter instructor, one visit, \$5; two visits, \$8; three visits, \$10. Mr. Sprague was also appointed to receive and place in position all cheese and creamery butter exhibits that are sent to the industrial exhibition.

The German Coach Horse Association of Newboro will have bills issued rom the Reporter office this week, giving pedigree and route of their thoroughbred coach stallion "Affect."

thoroughbred coach Staintin Arbert.

W. H. Sturgeon, Secretary, Newboro.

John McBratney, Greenbush, will
take the road this week with his standard bred stallion "Aberdeen." See
bills printed at this office for pedigree Messrs. Johna and John Gilroy, Spring Valley, are again offering the services of their thoroughbred stallion, "Ottawa Chief," to the farmers of this

section. Bills issued from will give full particulars. Bills issued from this office See the beautiful imported German coach stallion "Young Infant," who will stand for service throughout this

Itching, Burning Skin Bisease Cure Dr. Agnew's Ointment relieves in one day and permanently cures Tetter Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Eczema

Barbers' Itch, Ulcers, Blotches and all eruptions of the skin. It is soothing and quieting and acts like magic in the cure of all baby humors; 35c. Sold by J. P. Lamb & Son.

Sir William Vernon Harcourt and Mr. Joseph Chamberlain conducted a fiery debate in the House of Common over the Imperial Government's policy towards the Transvaal.

Constipation

Lauses fully half the slokness in the world. It retains the digested food too long in the bowels and produces billiousness, torpid liver, indigested tongue, slok headache, in sommis, etc. Hood's Pills cure constipation and all its results, easily and thoroughly. 25c. All druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lewell, Mass. The only Pills to take with Hood's Barsaparilla.

Important Events in Few Words For Busy Readers

to Suny World's Happenings Carefull Compiled and Pat Into Handy an Attractive Shape For the Headers 6 Our Paper-A Solid Hear's Enjoymen

THE LABOR WORLD. The strike of the cotton operative at Cornwall is ended, the men accepting be company's rates. the company's rates.
ON JIEN OF PEACE.
A sumber of British delegates to the
Universal Postal Congress in Washington arrived at New York on board the
Majestic.

Majestic.

The log of the Mayflower was formally handed over by the Bishop of London to Mr. Buyard, the recent United States Ambassador to England. POLITICS—CANADIAN.

Mr. Charles Neihaus has been apped postmaster at Berlin.

ed postmaster at Berlin.

Mr. Church, Liberal, was declared elected for Lunenburg, N.S., at the reconnt. In the bye-election in Colchester, N.S., for the Dominion House, Mr. McClure, Liberal, was elected by six majority.

THE QUEEN'S BIAMOND JUBILEE.

THE QUEEN'S DIAMOND JUBILEE.

The Queen, on her arrival and departure in jubilee week, will be escorted by colonial troops.

The Princess of Wales has written to the Lord Mayor of London urging that in the schemes to commensorate the Diamond Jubilee of Queen Victoria in June the tenants of London slums be not overlooked. Her Royal Highless subscribes 100 pounds to provide a treat for them.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS

General Manager Hays of the Grand Trunk was in Hamilton and denied the statement that the shops there are to be moved to London.

During the recent thin of Emperer

to be moved to London.

During the recent trip of Superer William to Dreaden the Imperial train was stopped en route for fully two hours. The engineer discovered the gear had been tampered with, and there would have been a serious notineed if it had been passed unnoticed.

dent if it had been passed unnoticed.

THE FILE RECORD.

Joseph Poloquin, caretaker of the Star Brewery, Montreal, was burned to death in a small fire in the brewery.

Vick & Sons' flour mills at Orillia, Reid's mills at Dunaville and the Wallaceburg canning factory were destroyed by fire.

The wholesale grocery warehouse of H. P. Eckardt & Co, Front street, Toronto, was badly gutted by fire. The loss will be in the neighborhood of \$75,000, with sufficient insurance to cover the same.

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THE RELIGIOUS WORLD.

Archbishop Cleary was given a reception at Brockville on his return from the south.

A distinguished French priest urges the abolition of clerical celibacy, which he believes to be the chier obstacle to the return of the Anglican Church to Catholic unity.

The Rochester conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church has found the Rev. R. C. Homer guilty of wrong acting, and has expelled him from the conference and the function of the ministry.

Mr. James Keays, Registrar of Russell County, is dead.

Mr. Nelson Ruby, a highly-esteemed and respected resident of Berlin, Ont., is dead, aged 63.

and respected resident of Berlin, Ont., is dead, aged 63.

Col. I. A. Studdart, secretary of the Hamilton, Ont., Homestead Loan Society, died in that city, aged 65.

Admiral Sir George Willis Watson, formedly commander of the British North American fleet, is dead. He was 70 years of age.

Bas Times at the Cape. He was 70 years of age.

Captown, April 30—la the Cape Parliement to day Mr. Merriman, the anti-Rodes leader, moved a resolution of no confidence in the Cape Ministry, which he supported by a vigorous attack upon the hostile attitude assumed by the Cape Colony administration toward the Transvani, The Chamber was crowded and the debate was of the most excited charter by the was of the most excited charter by the was of the most excited charter by the commander of the British Cape and West Africa fleet, Rear Admiral H. H. Rawson, has received permission from the Portuguese authorities to land a number of guns from the alips of the British aguadron in Delagon The landing of the guns of the most excited charter has the commander of the British aguadron in Delagon The landing of the guns of the purpose of will be made to-morrow.

\*\*Reeding Operations\*\*

seeding Operations.

Winnipeg, May 2.—(Special.)—Telegraphic reports have just been collected as to the seeding operations in Maritoha and the Northwest.

In the season has opened more than the season has opened more reports are very gratifying, showing that the season has opened more now well up and fully three weeks ahead of hast year. There appears to be a large increase in acreage.

Cook's Cotton Root Compound monthly medicine on which ladies can depend in the hour and time of need.
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To Rent. The flat over the Reporter Office, consistion of hall, parlor, dining room, kitchen and to be drooms. Suitable for a small family or Higheshool pupils, as it could easily be divided as to be convenient for a number of roome Cook stove furnished if required. Possessiat once. Apply at DEMOGRACIA CONSIST.

CARRIAGE AND HOUSE PAINTING.

Athens, May 4th. '97

The undersigned has opened a ger end paint shop in the upper flat of Dobbe Bros. Livery barn where he is prepared to paint, stripe, and varnish buggies, waggons and cutters, new or old.

Orders for House Painting and Kalsomining promptly executed, in all cases grazanted promptly executed.

Good workmanship in all cases guaranteed
and a very reasonable rate charged. Call and
get quotations and estimates.

W. R. BROWN.
Main street, Athens.

ADMINISTRATION SALE

Under the Direction of the Administratrix of the Fa'ato of the Late Julia Witheril, there will be offered for at he by Public Auction by the Comment of the Late of Late o interest at six per cent nation apply to W. A. LEWIS, W. A. LEWIS,
Sol'r for Administratrix
Dated at Athens this 3rd day of May A.

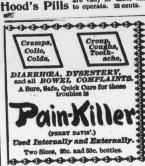
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Spaniel Found.

Came to the subscriber's residence, near Vight's Corners, on 19th of April, a dark brown ater spaniel bitch. Owner can have same by revening property and paying expenses. MOSES WILTSE. Athens, April 27th, 1897.

Two Houses to Rent

A comfortable dwelling house on Wilts street and another on Henry street, with coveniences, for rent cheap, or would sell a low price. Apply at once to ISAAC ROHESON, Athens. Athens, March 16th, W.

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ges purchased.

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University, posted on Wednesday last, appears the names of three one-time students of the Athens high school, viz.: Misses C. P. and Eva E. Grenfell and Miss M. Bellamy.

wind. Mrs. Jennie Scott Madden, of Syr-

premises on West Main street. All these requests and petitions were referred to the road commissioners

A number of complaints having New York of the road Librarian.—Geo. See'wad Librarian.—Geo. See'wad Librarian.—Geo.

spent Sunday in Athens, the guest of Miss Ray Boyce. Mr. W. T. Merrick, Toronto, arrived in Athens last week for a visit is sister, Mrs. R. B. Alguire.

John Cawley, who has been at Lans

Last week the bullpouts were run-ning in Beale's creek, and it is expected that during the latter part of this week be found in the lake at the

they will be found foot of the rapids. Mr. G. A. Wiltse last week entere the employ of Mr. McCrea, wholesale grocer, Kingston, and will represent that firm in the Ottawa Valley. George's many friends in Athens wish The number of "no-fencers" is con stantly increasing. The latest fences to fall before the onward march of im-

Mr. E. Clow, corner Main and Mill streets, and T. S. Kendrick, Main Mr. Geo. Sharman, sr., left Athens last week for Regina, N.W.T., where he has accepted a position as teacher.

apital city. The Reporter has just re-The Reporter has just received a very fine cut made expressly for us by the Terry Engraving Company of Columbus, Ohio, to be used on route bills for the German Coach Horse Association of Unionville, of which D. J. Forth is manager. We believe this is the first cut of the kind in Candes are were unable to get one ada, as we were unable to get one from any engraving company in this

country. A man who has a little back-yard garden to work at this season of the year is one of the fortunates of fate Man is naturally and agriculturalist and the old instinct for working in the soil reasserts itself with the return of every spring. If a man has a little soil to work in, no matter if it is no more than twenty feet square, it serves to satisfy, to some degree at least, the demands of his nature. These are happy days for the

back-yard farmer. On Saturday last two men from Junetown accepted an invitation issued by Fishery Inspector Hicks and attended a reception held by Justice Cawley, at which they were taxed \$5 and costs each for illegal fishing practised last fall in Charieston Lake. The

During the last two years Mr. Geo Boyce has faithfully and very efficiently represented the Dr. Williams' Medi-cine Co. in the Province of Nova Scotia. A short time ago he received notice that his field of operations was to be changed to the island of New-foundland, and he is now at Halifax completeing arrangements for his removal. We note with pleasure the success that has attended Mr. Boyce's representation of this well-known firm, of which this change is a deserved re-

Rev. R. Mallett, writing from West-field, Tioga county, Pa., says: "The Rechester Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist church sustained the charge preferred against Rev. R. C. Horner by me, and found that the said R. C. Horner had been guilty of wrong acting, and expelled him from the conference and the function of the Ministry."

At Hymen's Altar.

Smith's Falls News: That the courge has not yet all died out of the tuman race was shown by the fact that at evening Mr. Michael Hourigan, at he age of 84, was not afraid to underlast the expressibilities of merial ties. Sir William Verona Harcourt and Mr. Joseph Chamberlain conducted a Mr. Jo 100 18 Horner had been guilty of wrong acting, and expelled him from the conference and the function of the Ministry."

been made to members of the council regarding disorderly conduct on the streets, the reeve was requested to instruct the chief of police to arrest all drunk and disorderly persons found on the street, as well as to disperse the crowd of boys and young men who gather on street corners and by level conduct annoy parties passing.

There being no further business, the council adjourned until Thursday, May 27th, at 2 p. m., then to meet as a Court of Revision, and for other business, if necessary.

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