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It was that great war of trade which was inevitably coming, and which, so far as he could see, would be one of the greatest and most serious that Great Britain ever had to cope with. While not putting other nations out of the category, it was from the United States and Germany that the British had most to fear. America, with its almost incalculable resources and enterprising spirit of its people, was the most formidable of all competitors. The Germans, although somewhit slow and unwieldy, were scarcely inferior rivals, owing to their silent and persistent methods and unconquerable spirit. Lord Rosebery remarked upon one striking feature of the American competitor, namely, that the great individual fortunes made in the United States were not employed as they probably would be in England, to enable their makers to retire and enjoy social and other pleasures, but were invested in great trusts and syndometes to form power for concentrating attacks on British trade. These millions so invested

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material in the world, but he was convinced that their commercial men required to be educated and trained scientifically from bottom to top. Their training, as it was, was both insufficient and too insular. For instance, they did not send their young men abroad as others did to learn methods of business and manufacture. He suggested that the Chamber of Commerce should consider the question of devoting a certain sum annually for

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JANUARY SALE!

Special Saturday Bargain Sale

A Chance at White Cottons Another lot of mill ends of bleached cottons, in lengths of 3½ to 10 yds., in three values, regular 5c, 6c and 7c, placed on sale Wed-

Underskirts

os' Shaker Flannel Underskirts, in plain colors pink, sky and white, trimmed with embroidery and braid, regular price 85c and \$1, your choice

s' Shaker Flannel Drawers, in plain pinks and blues, embroidery trimmed and frilled, regular price 30c 50c and 75c per pair, on Saturday for 17c, 30c and

s' Black Leather Chetelain Rags, with chain handles, regular price 50c each, on Saturday your choice at.....

shipment of Halifax Tweeds, bought away below market value, in the very best shades of fawn, bronze and grays, best goods in the world for boys' wear and men's knock-about suits, very special on Saturday for 25c, 37½c.

Three Pcs. Plaid Dress Goods

Brown and fawn mix, red and black mix, very pretty plaids and good color combinations, 40 in. wide, reg. price 4 is a yd., on Saturday.

Ladies' Fleeced Ribbed Vests, good weight, well made, worth reg. 12 is each, on Saturday very special sach.

One Pc. Extra Fine Glossy Finish Curl Cloth, 54 in. wide, very special on Saturday per yd.

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AN EARLY PURCHASE of Unbleached Cottons enables us to offer the very best cottons in the city at 5c and.

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Direct Importers,

A Neckwear Sensation

The 2 T's

Annual Neckware Sale Starts Saturday Morning At

8 O'Clock

Your choice of any Tle in the store for

Or 3 For \$1.00

Of all the offerings this store ever made, a d it claims to be headquarters for bargains at all times, this is the greatest.

Entire stock fine imported neckwear, ladies' and gents'. The largest and best 75c Imperlals, choicest Puffs, the best Four in Hands, the handsomest Tecks, the newest Butterfly and Bat-Wing, Band Bow, etc. blacks included, 7 such as yesterday were 50c, 75c and \$t, all to go at the same price

150 Or 2 for ...

Your choice of all our 25c an 1 35c Bow and string ties.

Not more than \$1, worth of ties to a customer. -See Window-

The 2 T's

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Stock-Taking Revelations at "The Ark."

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And Lamp Globes

| Any \$5.00 Parlor Lamp in Ark for | 3 | 95 |
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| 10-inch Globes, fancy 1900 style, \$1.00, for | | 49 |
| 9-inch Globes, fancy 1900 style, 75c, for | | 34 |
| 8-inch Globes, fancy 1900 style, 50c, for | | 93 |

H. Macaulay,

"The Ark"

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DREAD MONARCH IN ONTARIO

Over 25:000 Deaths Reported Last Year From all Over the

Toronto, Jan. 18. - The return of eaths in Ontario during 1900, issued yesterday, shows that 25,241 deaths were reported, being at the rate o 11.50 per thousand. This is a remarkprovince." The greatest enemy of the people of Ontario is the white plague. No less than 2,346 deaths were due to tuberculosis; typhoid caused 545, diphtheria 477, scarlet fever 131, whooping cough 121, and measles 93 deaths.

Dr. W. W. Paling, formerly of Tur-nerville in this county, now of Idaho, was married in San Francisco on the 14th inst., to Miss Bay Hand, off that

collections of postage stamps owned in the dominion. He has spent much time in collecting it and incidentally much money. The collection of the Maple City Mayor is worth several thousand dollars, but he wouldn't part with it for that.

On Tuesday evening, Jan. 22, the young ladies of St. Joseph's Church will entertain their friends with a "Gold Dollar Social and Lantern Entertainment in the L.O. O. F. Hall. King street. The entertainment is for the benefit of the church and every one is condially invited to attend. A select musical and vocal program will be rendered. Admission, 25 cents.

FOR A FINAL EFFORT

Will Try to Crush or Capture the Commandoes - Lord Roberts' Sounds a Stirring Appeal—Canadian Applicants

for Service

Cape Town despatch says :- Britoffensive operations have ceased the present. It is supposed that ner is collecting his tion of the tactics which caused surrender of General Cronje and eral Prinzipo,

is alleged that the Boers who are strating at Warola and Ermelo preparing to descend into Natal. casualty list issued yesterday that the Boers have released mitish who were captured at Heland Belfast. The facts re the ire of Belfast have not yet been

wed to transpire.

andon, Jan. 18—A despatch from
inderton of yesterday's date says:—

oer women brought in by the miliry report that William Steyn, who
is appointed a delegate of the Boers
for to ask the fighting Boers to surinder under. Lord Kitchener's proamation, was made a prisoner, and
ant to Pietrewief accused of high
meason. The Boers are still active son. The Boers are still active and Standerton.

BOB'S" STIRRING APPEAL. Lord Roberts who was entertained

sued from the war office a stirring appeal to the country for a prompt response to the call for 5,000 Yeomanry whose past service in South Africa he highly commends to the gra-titude of the nation.

London, Jan. 17.—General Kitchener telegraphing from Pretoria under date of Wednesday, Jan. 16, says the con-centration of 3,000 Boers at Carolina (Transvaal) is reported. He adds that Colville's mobile umn was engaged near Van Tonde's Holk. The Boers were driven off

with heavy loss. Three hundred Boers entered Aber deen yesterday, looted the store, and netired on the arrival of a hundred Buitish infantry;

Ottawa, Jan. 17.—Over 500 applica-tions to join the South African Con-stabulary have been received by the Militia Department. A constant stream flows in daily, no less than 50 having been received yesterday. A.V. C. HERO.

could be wielded as an engine of warfare in such irresistible form as to
constitute a danger which the British
could not afford to ignore. If one or
two of the trusts combined for the
purpose of competing with any branch
of British trade by underselling, they
might obtain such a monopoly in that
branch as almost to drive Great Britain out of thei market. After a further reference to Germany, Lord
Rosebery asked what Great Britain
was going to do to avoid defeat. He,
as a layman, hesitated to attempt to
reply, he should say that the remedy
lay in education. He believed that
the British people were the best raw
material in the world, but he was convinced that their commercial men re-Southampton, Jan. 17.—Lieut. H. Z. C. Cockburn, of the Canadian Mounted Rifles, reached here on the steamer Galeka, from Caps Town, to-day. He is in splendid health. A reporter conveyed to Lieut. Cockburn the news that he had been recommended for the Victoria Cross. He was greatly elated. Captain Weeks, who was with privately at dirmer last evening by the United Service Club, the guests the United Service Club, the guests the first Canadian contingent, but the first Canadian contingent, but who remained in Africa on special service, was also on board. He is in good health.

EARL OF ROSEBERY'S WORDS OF WARNING.

He Expresses Strange Fears That Britain Will Suffer From Commercial Competition With Germany and America.

London, Jan. 18.-At a meeting of | competition by which Great Britain the Wolverhampton Chamber of Commerce Wednesday, former Prime Min-Rosebery made a speech, in which he dealt in a most serious strain | prophesy what it might have in store. with the industrial and commercial The war, he feared, was not military.

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was faced. He declared that the future was dark and gloomy. It was difficult, even unwise, to try to

THE BUSY CASH STORE

suggested that the Chamber of Commerce should consider the question of devoting a certain sum annually for travelling scholarships, which, he was inclined to believe, would yield fruit a hundredfold.

Lord Rosebery's speech at Wolverhampton excites much comment, but it is not taken very seriously. The Morning Post, which calls him a "dreamer," declares that at the present moment people are more concerned with questions of national defense than of education.

The Duily Chronicle says.—"Happy are they who think that a commercial war is the only one we have to fear in the future."

The Standard declines to believe that the American trusts will ruin themselves in order to undersell rivals. It admits the seriousness of American expansion and of the invasion of England by American industry, but says it fails to see why the prosperity of others should be necessarily a disadvantage to Britain. THE NORTHWAY CO., Limited

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Business was never so good with us at this time of the year as now. As the seaso advances to does the business grow better. If you want bargains that prove their worth in use—that look bigger out of the store than in it then visit this store to-morrow. Every department will have its own special attractions. The more you'll compare these values the more you'll be satisfied to leave your money h re Here are some you would find difficult to mat h elsewhere at these

pes. Fancy Jacquard Dress Goods, 2 toned effects, in rich colorings, 44 in. wide, reg. 40c yd., Sale Price. . . 19c

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nnelette Gowns, extra full sizes, made from fine heavy shaker, fast colors, ruffie on neck and front, good value at 65c, Sale Prics at 65c, Sale Price

lannelette Gowns, extra quality English flannelette, in choice stripes, fast celorings, full frill on neck, froat and cuffs, handsomely embroidered, reg. \$1 each, Sale Price 83c dies' Tailored Skirts, latest style, in fine heavy cheviot, in gray and black fancy checks and plain and figured black mohairs, best moire linings, velvet facings, Sale Price \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.19, \$3.50 and\$4.69

300 Yds. Bleached Cotton

Fine firm quality, smooth even weave, cambric finish, full yd. wide, reg. 10c per yd, Sale Price..... 7c

only, Black Oppossom Caperine, large collar, silk lined, trimmed with 8

only, Alaska Sable Caperine, extra quality, handsmeo style, satin lin-ing, trimmed with 8 large sable tails, reg. \$30, Sale Price.....\$22.90 only Electric Scal Caperine, rich qual-ity, very handsome style, trimmed with 13 tails, 3 heads and 4 claws, reg. \$18.50, Sale Price.......\$14.48

large tails, regular \$7.75 Sale

2 only, Gray Lamb's Muffs, rich full curl, heavy satin lining, reg. \$3.75 quality, Sale Price\$2.75

Ladies' Jackets

Your pick of any Jacket in stock, all this season's latest styles, in fawns, blacks, blues and ear

33c

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The Planet

& STEPHENSON. - Proprietor.

OUR COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE.

It is such an occasion as last evening's annual commencement exer-cises at our Collegiate Institute that is calculated to make us pause and realize the value and magnitude of the work being accomplished in this successful educational institution. It is unique that an academy, representing a community with limita-tions of district as closely drawn as our own, should have such a magnificent record as the Chatham Collegiate-and continued to maintain it.

From year to year the school has been sending forth its quota of students, whose high standard of proficiency-the result of the careful and efficient training received within its walls-has been instrumental in winning for them distinguished honor in the wider academic arena and in the business and professional world.

The year just closed has fully maintained the excellent criterion es tablished. It has done more and a new record has been unrolled. It was fitting that the occasion should be enhane d by such a delightful entertainment, but it should also prove a stimulus to practical pride and increased endorsation and encouragement from the community at, large.

· The brilliant scholastic attainments the excellent organization and administration, the admirable discipline maintained and the general proficiency of the pupils merit earnest eulogy and congratulation, heartily conferred on the Principal and his staff of assistants, to whose efforts they are so largely due.

BRITISH LOSSES IN SOUTH AF-RICA.

During a recent debate in the British House of Commons, it was declared by more than one Radical member that the Old Country had lost 70,000 men in the war with the Transvaal.

The assertion led G. L. Lacy to send a letter to the London Times in which he pointed out that the official returns to the end of November gave a total of 49,700 casualties.

Of the above, 37,100 figure as invalids sent home, of whom all but 230 who have died, 1,310 who have been discharged, as unfit for further duty, and 780 who are still in hospital, have returned to duty, and are ready to go back to South Africa or anywhere else where they may be required. Thus, from the 49,700 have to be deducted 34,780, leaving a balance of

Once more the figures are reduced by 1,923 because of that number of "missing" having returned.

This leaves 13,000, but even then Mr. Lacy refuses to give up his process of reduction.

He points out that ending with Nowember 30th, a grand total of 260, 000 men had been employed in South Africa, and that even had they stayed at home, some would have died.

In proof of this he quotes the fact that according to insurance statistics, that of healthy men of 25, there will of the force of 260,000, about 1,700 would have passed away, whether they had gone to Africa or stayed at home. This brings the total down to 11,300.

Still Mr. Lacy has more reducing to do. He says that in the case of soldiers, the rating should be for those engaged in dangerous operations, and according to insurance figures, this increases the normal death rate from 20 to over 40, thus reducing the total to 9,000.

Lacy hasn't finished yet. He says: "Furthermore, 60 per cent. of the deaths resulted from an epidemic disease, not necessarily a direct result of warfare; in epidemics of influenza, for instance, in this country a normal death rate of 20 rises to one of more than 40, so that the war can be exonerated from another 1,700 deaths, and

also 200 deaths from accidents." Now, the total is 7,700 and still the figure can be fairly reduced because even this number includes 1,310 who were not killed but maimed for life.

As a final outcome, it is shown that up to the end of November those actually "killed or died of wounds," totalled 4,400-a very different matter from the tens of thousands which se many hysterical souls talk about.

One way of lowering the taxes and increasing the receipts would be to pass and enforce a proper snow-cleaning by-law.

That Detroit doctor who said that whiskey and quinine for grip was an invention of the Devil, calculated to kill rather than cure, will find that most people will take his advice-to the extent of dropping the quinine.

"The stone or granolithic pavement in our climate is," says the Globe "an unmitigated nuisance. The old wooden sidewalk wass an ideal pavement when kept in good repair. was easily cleaned. It presented safer surface for walking, it absorbed moisture, and the slight spaces between the planks allowed the water to drain away. The surface of the stone or granolithic pavement ab-

NOT HEREDITARY

In the main, consumption is not hereditary; it is infectious. People are too afraid of heredity; better not think of the subject at all. Infection occurs continually.

Low vital force is hereditary; which gives consumption its chance. And infection plants

Between the two, the crop is a big one: about one-sixth of the human race, so far as is

We suppose it needn't be 5 per cent, if people would take fair care and Scott's emulsion of cod-liver oil.

The care saves life in all ways; the emulsion is specially aimed at the lungs, beside its general food-effect.

We'll send you a little to try, if you like. SCOTT & BOWNE, Toronto,

sorbs no water, the drainage is poor and the consequence is that the more the pavement is cleaned the more dangerous it is, the slightest amoun of moisture being at once converted into a sheet of ice." There is no doubt as to the force of the indictment; but is there no other remedy than a return to plank sidewalks? Surely the genius of the twentieth century will find some means of making stone and granolithic sidewalks safe and pass able in winter time.

To-night's presentation at the Grand should be greeted by a large house. Manager Cairns has this year secured for his patrons several excellent productions, but it is safe to predict that this evening's attraction will be the gem of the season. Citizens who desire to perpetuate the booking of such superior companies should give practical endorsation to the local manager's enterprise by their patronage.

> ABOUT OUR CENSUS. Syracuse Post-Standard.

The United States will await the compilation of the results of the count in Canada with interest. Our recent enumeration will enable us to compare our growth with that of Canada. And a not less interesting comparison will be the comparison of the number of

Canadians who live in Canada, and the umber who are Americans in everything but citizenship.

Hamilton Herald. Chicago society women steel spoon at receptions, but claim that they merely take the spoons as "souvenirs." Here's a new ready-made excuse for shoplifters.

FOR THE GODS.

Pertinent Dissertation on the Globe's Stand Towards

the C. P. R. Believes President Jaffray Would do

Well as a Star Comedian. Brockville Times.

The people of Canada have just missed an entertaining sight, if the statements of Robert Jaffray, of Toronto in an interview with the Monteral Star are correct,

Mr. Jaffray, who is president of the Toronto Globe Printing Co., and vicepersident of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Co., asserts that not only is he Coal Co., asserts that not only is he not responsible for his organ's recent vehement criticisms of the Canadian Pacific Railway Co, which are obviously made in the interests of his coal company, but that his influence has always been directed towards suppressing them!

Many funny things have happened in the brief course of the twentieth century, but none could rival in point of grotesque eccentricity Mr. Jaffary's heroic endeavor to prevent



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J. F. CAIRNS.

Friday, Fan. 18, 1901

First Production in this City, under the Sole Direction of Mr. A. H. Chamberlyn, of this Season's Greatest New York Success,

"The Cadet Girl"

Taken from the French of Givault and DeCottens.

Score by Louis Varney and Fred J. Eustis.

Adapted by Harry B. Smith,

CAST OF CHARACTERS.

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| | Baron Chartreuse, his own best friend, a gentleman of scientific to for curiosities for a museum | astes looking Mr. Charlie Dox . | |
| | for curiosities for a museum | Mr. George A. Schiller | |
| | Pelopidas, a veteran of many wars lond of romanne | Mr. F. J. Ahearn | |
| | Popo, Private Secretary to the Land it Management | Mr. Charles H. Bowers | |
| | Pelopidas, a veteran of many wars—fond of romantic interaction. Popo, Private Secretary to the Baron. Lucien, a Cadet of St. Cyr, in love with Marguerite | Mr. E. L. Wilson | |
| | George, his friend, in love with Daisy | Mr Charles Danby | |
| | George, his friend, in love with Daisy | Mr. Harry Dodd | |
| | Griffard, host of the "Care de la Gale" at Di. | Mr. Mart H. Lorenz | |
| | Calicot, a Notary | . Miss Mildred Meade | |
| | Edouarde, a Cadet. | fr. Arthur Etherington | |
| | Station Master of the village of Fic-en Fointe. | Miss Edna Floyd | |
| | Station Master of the village of Pic-en Pointe. Antoinette, Griffard's wife | Miss Oueenie Vassar | |
| | Antoinette, Griffard's wife Marguerite, a pupil of Mme. Majeste's institution Daisy, an American girl. Mme. Majeste, proprietress of the institute. | iss Florence Gammage | |
| | Daisy, an American girl | Miss Hattie Turner | |
| | Mme. Majeste, proprietress of the institute. Baroness | . Miss Mildred Meade | |
| | Baroness | Miss Helen Irwin | |
| | Margot | Miss Dorothy Lester | |
| | Margot | Miss Mazie Ainsworth | |
| | Clariette | Miss Gladys Iudson | |
| | Genevieve | Miss Marion Wheeler | |
| - | Genevieve. Jeanette Francene. | Miss Lucy White | |
| | Francene | Miss Clare Lorraine | |
| | Artine | Miss Bessie Williams | |
| | Leontine | Miss Belle Wilson | |
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| | FranchetteNanette | Miss Mable Conquest | |
| | Nanette | Miss Pearl Henry | |
| | Yvette | Miss Hazel Vanderhoff | |
| | Marie | Miss Lila Conquest | |
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| | Nanine. Annette. Juanne. | Miss Mamie Boyer | |
| | Juanne Deta | Piley Minnie Britton. | |
| | Monitors, School Girls, Vivandiers.—By the Misses Rita Minnoe Boyer, Vera Belle, Ethel Kennedy, Claire Lorraine, Mae Minnoe Boyer, Vera Belle, Ethel Kennedy, Claire Lorraine, Mae | | |
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Loy Leyette, Molly Kelly, Sadie Varsaille, Rose Boyer, Mable Jordan, May Davis, Mary Loy Leyette, Molly Kelly, Sadie Varsaille, Rose Boyer, Mable Jordan, May Davis, Mary Morriss, Bertha Wilson, Estelle Franklin, Annie Schiller, Laura Stanley, E. Enright, Lucy White, Marion Wheeler.

Cadets of St. Cyr.—Messrs. Robinson, Diard, Gray, Ahearn, Lorenze, Hopper, Taylor, Maguire, Vail, Cox, Wichlow, Smith, Earle, Meehan.

Trumpeters—Arthur Etherington, William Meehan.

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Costumes by Belle Caugeley and assistants, from designs by Mr. Archie Gunn. Special Dresses by Stern Bros., Simpson, Crawford & Simpson, Bloom, McCreery, and John Wannamaker.

Mechanical arms and effects by Coldee & Co. Shoes by C. Schmidt and Caymerer Hats by Falkenbach. Military Costumes by A. Shuman & Co., Boston. Calcium and Electrical effects by New York Calcium Co. and James McElroy, of Columbia Theatre,

SYNOPSIS OF SCENERY.

ACT I—Garden in front of Mme. Majeste's Seminary at Villepreux, near St. Cyr. (Built by Neil McGeihan, painted by D. Frank Dodge.)

ACT II—Scene I—Cafe de la Gare and Summer Garden, at St. Cyr. (Built by George Curran, of Columbia Theatre, Boston, painted by D. Frank Dodge.) Scene 2—Entrance to the Cafe de la Gare. (Painted by D. Frank Dodge.) Scene 3—Official Hall in Chateau of Camembert. (Built by George Curran, painted by La Moss.)

ACT III—Scene 1—Pavilion of Love, Camembert. (Built by George Curran, painted by D. Frank Dodge.) Scene 2—Exterior Castle Camembert. (By Neal McGeihan, painted by D. Frank Dodge.)

MUSICAL NUMBERS.

ACT I—Overture (Varney). Opening Chorus (Eustis). Song, "The Demon of the Deep" (Eustis). Song, "When a Girl Dosen't Know What She Is" (Eustis). Military Ensemble (Varney). Quartette, "The Cadets of St. Cyr" (Varney). Duo, "I Annex It" (Lyrics by J. Cheever Goodwin, Eustis). Finale (Varney).

ACT II—Opening Chorus "Cantineer of the Regiment" (Varney). Song "In My Museum Now" (Eustis). Trio "Ve Vas Germans" (Eustis). Champagne Waltz and Chorus (Varney). Song and Chorus "The Special Train" (Varney). Ensemble "We Cannot Let You Go" (Varney). Chorus of Notable. (Varney). "They are Nothing but Girls" (Eustis). Ensemble "We are the Heiresses" (Varney). Waltz Ensemble "Come, Gentle Stranger" (Varney). Finale "Tommy" (Sol Bloom).

ACT III—Ensemble and Waltz "The Pavilion of Love" (Varney). Eccentric Song "Gottet Got" (Lyrics by J. Cheever Goodwin), (Varney). Duo (Eustis). "Battalion of France" (Varney). Song (Aime Lachaurne). Finale (Varney).

MR. A. H. CHAMBERLYN'S EXECUTIVE STAFF.

| Mr. Samuel McKee | |
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| Musical Diretorc Arthur L. Lawrison Stage Manager | Electrician |

nimself from doing what he didn't want to do. One can almost fancy-now that Mr. Jaffray has mentioned the fact - the awful struggle there must have been between Robert Jaf-fray, of the Crow's Nest, and Robert Jaffray, of the Globe when the for-mer wasn't urging the latter to at-tack the C. P. R., and the latter was determinedly refusing to do it. determinedly refusing to do it. He must have had a heartrending time must have had a neartrending time—a regular go-as-you-please catch-as-catch-can encounter with himself. The most vivid imagination fails in conjuring up the horrible details of the deadly battle in which this Canadian Pooh-Bah was engaged. It cannot even misture the utter exhaustion adian Pooh-Bah was engaged. It cannot even picture the utter exhaustion of the twin combatant after his mad effort to control himself from opposing his own wishes, nor limn his funtiold consternation upon learning that, when in a state of utter collapse, the devil—the printer's devil, of course—or some other evil disposed person had nefariously taken advantage of the temporary suspension of hostilities during his prostration and had audaciously printed a whole lot of stuff which Mr. Jaffray, of the Crow's Nest did not wish to appear in the Globe and which Mr. Jaffray of the Globe, was dying to keep out of its columns.

Mr. Jaffray may not be a born humorist, but he has concected a bur-lesque act that would make a great hit in comic opera in showing to what ridiculous heights absurdity can reach. its reproduction would be a spectacle for the gods to weep over.

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Frame house, 11-2 storeys, 6 rooms, Lot 30 ft, front x 104 deep, \$450.00.

Brick house, two storeys, 13 rooms, Lot 76 ft. front x 135 deep, \$2,500.00.

Frame house, 7 rooms, summer kitchen, lot 75 ft. by 104 ft, \$1150.00.

Frame house, 6 rooms, and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 104 feet, \$850.

Frame house, 8 rooms and summer Frame house, 8 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 208 feet, good stable, \$1100. Two vacant lots, each 60 feet front,

House 8 rooms, lot 60 feet by 208 feet, \$1,000. r 104 feet. feet, \$1,000.
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Then, when sunset somes, lad, Then, when sunset somes, lad,
When your fighting's through,
And the Silent Guest, lad,
Fills his cup for you.
Shrink not—clasp it coolly—
End as you began;
Smile and close your eyes, lad—
And take it like a man!
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SCIENTIST Has a Cure for Almost All Kinds

of Consumption. It is Cacodylic and a Form of Arsenic

What he has Accomplished so far. London, Eng., Telegraph.

Cacodylic acid, discovered by the late chemist Bunsen, in 1842, had never been made use of in medicine. M. Gau thier thought of applying it at first for the treatment of skin diseases, and recommended at some six or seven years ago to a colleague at St. Louis hospital, who tried the compound with some success in cases of psoriasis, ecze-

ma, and lupus.

Four years later, M. Gautier, who during a long experience of consumption treatment, had previously essayed every known remedy, first tried caco-dylic acid for the malady. The results immediately obtained were surprising. Consumptives at the third stage of the disease and representing every symp-tom of a rapidly approaching end, re-covered in the most extraordinary way after three or four injections. M. Gautier cited to me at length

case im point:

(Ai pupil of his, some two years ago, worked at high pressure point for a twelvemonth, taking two of the highest degrees in medicine and natural science almost simultaneously. He science almost simultaneously.

married soom after and set up a medical practice in Lyons. Six months later he wrote a distressing letter to M. Gautier saying that he had discovered that his system was attacked by tu-berculolis and (that he was in a criti-cal state. Could Professor Gautier do

cal state. Could Protessa.

anything for him?

The latter wrote at once, recommending cacodylic acid, which he and just used with complete success. Dr. Renaud, of Lyons, who was tending the young doctor, declined to follow the suggestion, stating that, as he had the suggestion of the suggestion of the suggestion. previously administered arsenic without result, it would be useless to continue a similar treatment, even with a different compound of the metalloid. AT DEATH'S DOOR.

In February last the young doctor was at death's door. Cacodylic acid was then at last tried. Now he is, if not a hale and hearty man, at least almost completely cured. Since then Dr. Remand has finally adopted the ca-Dr. Renaud has finally adopted the cacodylic treatment, though he describes
it interely as a variation of the arsenical cure. "Quite true," agrees M. Gautier, "but the point precisely is that it
is cacodylic acid, and no other compound, that must be used."

"C'est une merweille," ejaculates M.
Gautier, talking of the compound, the
new use of which he has discovered.
He and another doctor have experimented with it on a very large scale
notable at the Boucicault Hospital,
founded by the late proprietor of the
Bon Marche Emporium, and with al-

Bon Marche Emporium, and with almost unfailing success.

"We have not cured everybody," remarked the Prefessor, "though in my elation and astonishment at the first elation and astonishment at the first results of the treatment, I fairly thought we should." In the vast majority of cases, however, the new medicine has proved literally a sovereign remedy. Only one form of tuberculosis has resisted the treatment — phthisis of the larnyx.

In all other forms, the effect of the cacodylic acid has been marvellous. Its paramount virtue is the fact that it is assimilated pradtically by every-

Its paramount virtue is the fact that it is assimilated practically by everyone. Among thousands of cases, only two or three occurred in which the drug disagreed with the patient. Many consumptives have, under Professor Gautier's direction, taken the medicine continuously for nearly three years in perfect safety as regards the general health, and with the most remarkable results in respect to the reduction of the phthisis symptoms.

M. Gautier pointed out, however, that the proper course to pursue is to

M. Gautier pointed out, however, that the proper course to pursue is to take the drug regularly every day for a week, then leave it off altogether for the same length of time, resuming the treatment afterwards for another week, and so on.

There is a mistake in the statement that Mr. Cloeks Smith increased the amount of Professor Gautier's dose. As a matter of fact, the latter's method is to administer by injection two centigrammes the first day, and five on the second and each of the succeeding days of the week. This dose he has usually found sufficient, but in some cases he has administered ten centigrammes a day in perfect safety and with excellent results.

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The exact form under which the cacodylic acid is employed is cacodylate of soda. M. Gautier showed me a bottle of this—a white substance, crystalized in comparatively large agglomerations of crystals. "Put out your finger," he said. I did so, and on it he placed a small pinch of the substance, which I ate. "You have just absorbed," he then remarked, "enough agsenio to kill a man, if it had been

in any other form than that of ca-

in any other form than that of cacodylic acid."

Professor Gautier has, he told me, made the important observation that the thyroid gland, in a normal condition, contains arsenic, and unless supplied with metalloid, fails to accomplish its function. As the latter is, in Professor Gautier's picturesque words, the fly-wheel or regulator of the system, its derangement puts the whole machine out of order. Conversery arsenic, when properly assimilated by the system, keeps the "regulator" in proper working condition. Of course, I am putting the Professor's theory in shockingly unscientific language.

M. Gautier has also detected arsenic in the epidermis, in the nails of the hands and feet, and in the hair, and he states that these organs, when in a normal condition, contain the substance. As regards the effect produced by the new compound upon the globules of the blood, the Professor told me that in one case a young savant, Dr. Widal, observed an increase in the number of red globules from 850,000 to 3,500,000 in a patient after a few days' treatment. In many cases the quantity doubled even a few hours after an injection of cacodylic acid.

HOWARD COUNCIL

The Municipal council elect for Township of Howard met at town-ship hall Monday, Jan. 14 1901 as per statute:— J. S. Boothroyd, Reeve.

J. C. Williams, J. C. Balmer, E. Brien and and D. Wilson, councillors. After subscribing to their declara-tion and qualification to above officers took their seats at the coun-cil board for present year, when the ordinary routine business was pro-

COMMUNICATIONS.

From clerk of Ridgetown, copy of resolution passed by town council expressing thanks as a council for use of hall.

From county clerk stating that county intended repairing 100 feet of the south approach to Kent Bridge and wished to know the intentions of Howard and Harwich re their portion.

From the Stratford Bridge Co.

that the township's note in their favor for \$1255, falls due Jan. 11th: also stating that they could not make any allowance for fixing the bridge as they had completed said bridge according to specifications. From secretary H. B. A. S. resoluing council for the liberal grant.

ACCOUNTS

D. McKay, returning officer and clerk \$6, use of school house \$4; James Hurst, returning officer and clerk \$6, wood for hall \$1: J. N. Willson, returning officer and clerk \$6, wood for hall 50c; C. Handy, returning officer and clerk \$6, rent of booth \$2.50; J. W. Spence, returning officer and clerk \$6, use of school house \$2: N. P. Weeks, returning officer and clerk \$6, use of school house \$2; Judge Bell, attending court re Pangburn appeal \$9.10; J. H Brown, rent of gravel pit 1899, \$1, 1900, \$2; Jas. Hurst, court of revision 1900, \$2; Jas. Hurst, court of revision on voters, list. \$2; Municipal World. printing, \$7.20; Dominion, financial statements, \$5; Standard, ballots, \$3.50; A. F. McKinley, costs in Pang-burn appeal case, \$2.24; R. Watt, re-pairing scraper, \$4.15; Geo. McDon-ald, posting notices and delivering ballots boxes, \$7.

The following persons addressed the council:

H. Buller and Mayor Graham, in reference to grant from township in honor of the return of Father Sinnett, a Howard born hoy, and Gunner

a Howard born boy, and Gunner Baird, whose parents at present re-side in Ridgetown.

Wheeler Bell, J. E. McCain, in re-ference to sheep killed by dogs.

John F. Brown, in reference to pe-tition of C. Spence and 48 others re-gravel pit, stating that he had al-ways compiled with the lease and would continue to do so, and any-one wanting gravel for township purposes had never yet been refused nor would not in the future.

Charles Brown, re approach to bridge on river road, asking a com-pensation for land as the approach was extended so far that it has en croached on his property; also for right of roadway during summer months, when bridge was under con struction.
Thomas Sinnett, extending an in-

vitation to members of township council and officials belonging thereto, to attend a supper at his re-sidence on the arrival of Father Sinnett, recently of South Africa. RESOLUTIONS.

Accounts as presented paid and charged to their several accounts.

Wilson—Balmer—That the Reeve and J. C. Williams be a committee to wait on county council at the coming Jan. session in reference to approaches to Kent Bridge and in the meantime to soversenond with the meantime to correspond with Harwich council in same. Carried. Wilson—Brien—That an order be given the Stratford Bridge Co. for \$1255 for two steel bridges built in 1900; one over Arnold creek and the

1900; one over Arnold creek and the other for McGregor creek, Howard Road, Carried.

Balmer — Wilson — That Chas. Brown be paid \$40 payment in full of all claims in connection with Brown bridge, Carried.

Carried that W. Bell be paid \$32 for six sheep killed and one injured: E Brien, \$19.34 for three lambs and one sheep killed and one injured, being two thirds value and charged to dog fund; also J. E. McCain \$10.66 for two sheep killed and one injured.

Wilson—Balmer—That the cost in connection with the appeal of H. Pangburn against the award of John Cain amounting to \$13.10, Judge's fees \$9.10, and clerk's fees \$4, charged pro rata to all parties interested in said award.—Carried.

Ouncil met as a Court of Revision

ouncil met as a Court of Revision on McGregor creek and Buller drain but adjourned McGregor creek drain till Feby. 2nd, at 2 p. m. and Bul-ier drain til 2.30 p. m. of same day. Council resumed for general busi-

ness.
The collectors time extended till Feb. 2nd.
Wilson—Balmer—that Geo. Vickery he paid \$15.40 for completing township portion of White Ash drain



Exhales from children as fragrance from flowers. The little lips are always puckered to give or take a kiss. In homes where there are children, love reaches its fairest and sweetest proportions. In childless homes the kiss of wife and husband grows formal, and presently is neglected; the springs of love in the heart become choked for want of use and exercise. Childlessness is a great sorrow to many women. It is like a curse from Nature, who bids all creatures to be fruitful. It is not a curse but a misfortune. Often the conditions which cause childlessness are removable. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has brought joy to many a woman by giving her the happiness of motherhood. It gives to the womanly organs vigor and vitality, removes local obstructions, and practically does away with the pains and pangs of maternity.

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make pen describe my heart-felt gratifude."

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and charge to ditch and watercourses.—Carried.

Brien—Williams—That the sum of
\$75, be appropriated to be placed in
the hands of reception committee to
make a suitable presentation to
Father Sinnett and Gunner Baird,
recently of S. Africa.—Carried.

F. L. Arnold refunded \$1, and D.
Conway \$1 error on Coll. Roll.

Wilson—Balmer—That in receiving
resolution of Ridgetown council
expressive of thanks for use of hall

expressive of thanks for use of hall we in reply say, we are pleased to share our accommodation with them as long as they find it necessary and convenient to use it and a copy of this resolution be sent to Ridgetown council.—Carried.

Bylaw No. 1, of 1901 for appointing local board of health was read the required number of times and finally passed. The following are the offi-cers: J. S. Boothroyd, Geo. McDon-ald, G. W. Handy, J. C. Balmer and J. C. Williams, Medical Health Officer, D. Marr, M. D.; Inspector. Edward Brien.

By-law No. 2 appointing township officers was read the required num-ber of times and finally passed. Auditors, George Hunter and D. F. Auditors, George Hunter and D. F. McKinlay; assessor, James Hurst; Clerk, George McDonald; Treasurer, E. D. Mitton; Collector, George Whitsell; Engineer, John Cain; Commissioher, No. 1 Div., J. C. Palmer; No. 2, J. C. Williams; No. 3, J. S. Boothroyd; No. 4, F. J. David Wilson; No. 4, W. E. Brien.

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James Hurst.

Adjourned to meet Saturday, Feb. 2nd at 10 o'clock.

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ALEX GREGORY, Sec.

Never was Peninsular Lodge in better trim for another year's work, or its meetings in every way calculated to advance the interests of every member. The three committees struck were the sick visiting, the employment and the legicing, the employment and the legicing. ployment, and the lookout, three important branches of our work. J. A. Walker, Q. C., will address his bretheren Friday night next. Applications for insurance received by any brother.

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THE SATURDAY PLANET.

To-morrow's issue of The Planet will, as usual on Saturdays, be a sev-en column paper and comprise many interesting features.

Dr. McKeough, in a continuation of his delightful diary contributions, takes Planet readers on a visit to

Amsterdam, the picturesque commer-cial capital of Holland, and presents

them with many entertaining views of its characteristics, customs and

Alister McKay writes an important letter upon the proposed Kent coun-ty system of radial roads, with plan

The Planet's many weekly exchanges are responsible for a large gist of county doings as clipped from their

Chats with citizens provide a col-

umn of interesting interviews on cur-

The Maple City's educational insti-tutions submit their quota of hap-penings within the halls of learning.

Those interested in athletics will follow with pleasure the brief descrip-

The fraternal organizations will find a department devoted to lodge

The "church chimes," reproduction

of Talmage's latest sermon and regular instalment of The Planet's seria

story will be included as usual, with the customary record of all the latest

news happenings, local, national and

OF HEAD ST. SPUR

Last evening Mayor Sulman and Ald McCoig and Mounteer met with representatives of the Grand Trunk

and Lake Erie Railroads at the Hote

Garner and held an informal consulta

The probabilities seem to be that the

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H. A. Hall was in Walkerville on busi

Will Jahnke spen; yesterday in Tilbury Miss Ida Snook, daughter of E. R. Snook

Miss Grace Masterson, Pontiac, Mich, is visiting at the residence of E. R. Snook, King street.

Miss Edith Thatcher is sick in bed with a severe attack of hemorrhage of the lungs.

A team, belonging to a farmer, ran away on Wellington St., to-day, and, striking the C.P. R. track, ran down to Raleigh St. The wagon was bad-

Chief Young has received a circu-lar from J. J. Donahue, chief of po-lice at Omaha, Neb., in which \$50,000 tion with them. The matters discussed were the proposed opening oup of Scane street, over the G. T. R. track to St. Patrick street, and the removal of the Head street Lake Erie spur to is offered for the arrest and conviction of the abductors of Edward Cudahy, Jr. Mr. Cudahy offers \$25,000 and the city of Omaha \$25,000.

The funeral of the late thas. W. Knight took place yesterday afternoon from his late residence Chatham Tp. There was an exceedingly large attendance of sorrowing friends and relatives. Rev. W. H. Locke

onducted the funeral services.

In the report of the binder twine submitted to headquarters on receipt of the official civic applications. factory meeting in yesterday's issue Mr. Henderson was, by an error, made to say that during the past seas farmers had paid 18 cents per pound for binder twine. What Mr. Hender-son did say was that such a price had been paid in times past.

At the police court before Judge Houston Constable Browning and Mrs. Browning were found guilty of stealing firewood from Mrs. Aldis. Both Mrs. Aldis and her daughter swore that they had seen the defendants carrying away their wood at 3 o'clock in the morning. Both the constable and his wife were convicted Mrs. Browning was released on suspended sentence and ing was released on suspended sentence and her husband was remanded till Monday. Geo. Gordon Martin appeared for the de-

CURLING CLUB ASKS A REFUND

The Minister of Militia Will be Asked to Give Just Recompense for the Drill Shed Improvements.

The Chatham Curling Club have prepared a petition which will be forwarded to the Minister of Militia. The document sets forth that the Curling Club have expended \$800 on the additions to the two ends of the drill shed, raising the floor, leveling it and making other repairs. Further, the club had during their occupancy of the shed, paid \$50 in rent and kept the building insured. The building was also kept in repair by the club, whereas had it been vacant it would

have become sadly dilapidated.

After setting forth all these facts, the petition states that this amount is a large rental to have paid and the Minister is asked to refund whatever part of this sum he may deem right. The matter will be submitted to the government for consideration at once.

Our Own Make...

ALD. M'COIG STILL STANDS

By His Guns in the Matter of the Proposed Grant to the Humane Officer.

te Regrets That He Cannot Pleas Everybody, but Thinks the Poor Taxpayer Should Come First.

Ald. Arch. McCoig, whose recent action in conducting the civic opposi-tion to the proposed grant of \$250 to Humane Officer Dagneau has brought him in for the special attention or so many/of The Planet's corre-spondents, was interviewed upon his position by this journal this morn-

ing.

"I have no desire to mingle in the newspaper argument of the matter," he replied to the enquiry, smiling. "I am, however, sorry to have to offend the views of any citizen, more especially as humane effort towards dumb animals appeals to me as a noble cause — notwithstanding your fair correspondent to the contrary. "My position is briefly this: When "My position is briefly this: When I sought support from the ratepayers at the recent election' I obligated my-

I sought support from the ratepayers at the recent election' I obligated myself to be as economical in the expenditure of their money as was at all consistent with the best interests of the city. In my opinion I would have broken faith had I voted for a \$250 grant at the first meeting when I really deemed it unnecessary.

"I am sorry the citizens are not unanimously in accord with the stand I took. I like to please everybody, you know, but we all took an oath of office which provides for our acting in what we/regard the best interests of our city.

"But say," continued the young alderman, "I'm awfully pleased to see that the ladies take an interest in the council and their proceedings, although your correspondent of the fair sex does differ with me. I regret her unfortunate estimate of my capabilities, but you can assure her that I'd be more than willing to take the job for the sake of a swell new suit of clothes. It's more than I've got out of two years' council service, and there you're always in danger of losing the poor suit you have and having the clothes torn off your back. ing the poor suit you have and hav-ing the clothes torn off your back,

ing the clothes torn off your back, teo.

"Seriously, I believe it's not right to give such a sum of money for work volunteered last year, and which our efficient police force can and do attend to it, for I notice informations against offenders are preferred by them. And I think, if the humane and generous 'Girl of the Period' will take a few moments' thought of the many poor men—and women, too,—who are, even in our vaunted prosperous city, blistering their hands and racking their bodies to gather the money to pay promptly their heavy taxes, she will heartily agree with me, too."

An Old and Esteemed Senator Passes Away as Recorded Yesterday.

Sketch of His Important Life and the Characteristics That Made

Toronto, Jan. 18 .- Sir Frank Smith who has been gradually fading away for the past year, died at noon yesterday, according to the despatch to The Planet, surrounded by the members of his family. His illness had reduced the once vigorous frame to a mere skeleton, and the end was not an expected.

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The senator was born at Richill, county Armagh, liceland, in 1822, and when a boy of ten came to Canada with his parents. He learned the business of store keeping and opened up a business of his own in London in 1849. In 1867 the firm removed to Toronto, and Sir Frank continued his connection with it till 1891. It was as the chief owner of the old Toronto street railway that Sir Frank was best known to the citizens, and his famous contest with the municipality as to the franchise in 1891 was one of the most stirring incidents in his carreet.

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In public life his place was a distinguished one. He served in the rebellion of 1837 as a volunteer and subsequently became a captain of militia. In 1864 he was a delegate from the London Board of Trade to the Detroit trade convention. He served the city of London as alderman, and in 1866 became its mayor: He was a prominent member of the Roman Catholic Church, and was one of the originators of the Ontario Catholic League, which was formed in 1871. In the same year he was summoned to the Senate of Canada by Lord Lisgar.

In July, 1882 he was sworn in as a member of the privy council, and was a member of the Conservative cabinet led successively by Sir John Macdonald, Sir John Abbott, Sir John Macdonald, Sir John Abbott, Sir John

Thompson, Sir Mackenzie Bowell and Sir Charles Tupper. In August, 1891, Sir Hector Langevin retired from the position of minister of public works and the deceased succeeded him in the portfolio, which he retained until January, 1892. On May 24, 1894, he received the honor of knighthood. Sir Frank was connected with many large corporations. He was president of the Niagara Navigation Co., president of the Dominion Hank, president of the London and Ontario Loan company, president of the Ontario Jockey Club, president of the Home Savings Co., vice-president of the Consumers' Gas Co., vice-president of the Dominion Telegraph Co., a director of the North American Life Co., and a director of the Toronto General Trusts Co. Lady Smith, who was a daughter of John O'Higgins, of Stratford, died in 1896. Two daughters and a son survive—Mrs. John Fpy, Mrs. Bruce McDonald and James Austin Smith.

PURCHASE OF MACHINERY

Directors are Carefully Looking Into the Matter and Securing Expert Experience.

The Election of Provisional Officers o the Board Proc eded With. The provisional directors of th

proposed binder twine company, me in the old town hall yesterday afternoon. R. Smith, Dover, one of the di rectors appointed, did not care to act, and D. A. Hutchison, the next in order, took his place. Following provisional officers were

elected :-President-John Houston Vice-President-M. J. Wilson. Directors-Alister McKay, D. U Hutchison, and Jas. Chinnick, Secretary Treas.—T. C. Smith. Solicitors—Scane, Houston, Stone

Scame.
A report was in circulation yester-day that Messrs. Henderson & Cum-ming were promoting the new binder twine company with a view to un-loading some old machinery on the

Mr. Henderson was seen this morning and warmly repudiated the report. He said: "The company will have new machinery of the letest pattern. It is made in New York. Mr. Cumming and myself are engaged to-day on the contract to be made between us and the directors. The contract has to be agreed to by the provisional board of directors and no money passed until the machinery is here and the directors are satisfied it is all right. J. B. Rankin, Q. C., is drawing up the contract for us, and Scane, Houston, Stone & Scane are acting for the provisional directors. Who ever has started such a report knows little about the manufacture of binder twine. There isn't a machine made that isn't in use. We couldn't and wouldn't even attempt to couldn't and wouldn't even attempt to float a company if we had old machinery to offer

Alister M. Kay, lof the directorate. was also interviewed. (He said the oposition was to supply the latest nachinery, to put it up, furnish ing and electric light plant on the premises for the sum of \$28,450. The premises for the sum of \$28,400. The directors were not prepared to make any bangain hurriedly and had appointed Messrs Houston and Wilson to visit Toronto and Brantford and secure expert evidence on the quality and cost of such machinery as was required. These gentlemen are now away on their mission.

Saturday, Jan. 19th McConnell

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Your Choice on Saturday for \$2,87

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On Saturday per yd. 17c



Clothing Department

ECONOMY IS A GOOD THING

But their are lots of ways of cutting down expenses which will not result in economy. For instance, you might get along without the articles mentioned below, or buying inferior qualities. That is not economy. These are needed articles, and each one will quickly save you much more than it

Saturday Morning We Place on Sale the Greatest Underwear Snaps of the Season

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Men's Extra Fine Quality of Wool Shirts and Drawers, beautiful, fine, soft wool, a limited quantity only, are sold regularly at \$1.00, and \$2.25 a garment. THEY GO ON SALE SATURDAY AT HALF PRICE

Your Choice For 50c

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Boys' Fine Quality, Union Shirts and Drawers, in plain gray shades, extra heavy, all sizes from ages 5 to 16 years, sold at from 25c to 50c, sale Saturday

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The Special Display of Boys' 2 & 3 Piece **Suits and Reefers**

On display in East Show Window Saturday. Boys' 2 pc. Suits, sale prices..... \$1.98, \$2.39, \$2.48, \$2.95

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a tin.

is good-18c a tin; 30c

Plain Chocolate, 20c a large cake

BOTHWELL.

Jan. 18 .- Miss E. McKinnon, of Glencoe, was the guest of her sister/Miss J. McKinnon, during Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. R. Drew spent Sunday

last at Florence.
It is sad to note the death of Mary It is sad to note the death of Mary E. Regan, wife of Wm. Regan, post master, on Saturday, Jan 13th, after a lingering illness of some months. Much sympathy, is felt for the sorrowing family in their great loss of a loving mother and wife. The funeral took place on Tuesday at 10 o'clock to the R. C. church, thence to Wardsville

Among those who attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Regan were:eral of the late Mrs. Regan were:— Mrs. D. Coughlin, Mrs. B. Coughlin, Mr, and Mrs. C. Regan, St. Thomas; T. Coughlin, Mrs. D. Coughlin, Mrs. Doyle, Mr. (Wm. Regan, Mrs. M. Kearns, and Dr, W. J. Stevenson, of London; Miss Jahnke, Mrs. Jno. Dillon, Chatten, Mr. P. Mugan, Miss M. Mu-Chatham; Mr. P. Mugan, Miss M. Mugan, Ridgetown; Mr. B. Coughlin, of Mount Carmel, W. J. Scully, of Detorit. Owing to illness of both of deceased's sisters, Mrs. F. Beachley and Mrs. W. J. Scully, they were un-

Next Sunday, at 3 p. m., Rev. Mr. obbledick, will conduct a service at Cobbledick, will conduct a service at the Zone hall, Evangelist Moull will

also probably take part.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Jerome, who have been visiting their sons in Detroit and

omethis week. Fine broke out on Wednesday evening last in the frame house of Mrs. Harcourt. The fire had got considerable headway before the brigade arrived. The upper storey of the house and kitchen are ruined. The household effects were mostly saved. The loss will be in the neighborhood of

Mrs. Wm. Kingston was called to Cleveland on Monday on account of her mother's severe illness.

Thursday last.

Miss H. McMurrich and Miss M. Cow. an, of Toronto, are the guests of Miss McMurrich's brother, Dr. B. McMur-

PATHETIC SCENE IN A COURT ROOM.

The Unfortunate Wife Witnesses Her Former Husband Wed Another.

Belleville, Ill., Jan. 18 .- Wm. Ebel

of St. Louis, was before the court to answer to a charge of wife abandonment. He was accompanied by Mrs. Deliah Watkins, a handsome widow. In the court sat the prisoner's wife Lizzie Ebel, with a babe in her arms and two bright little girls by her side, witnesses against Ebel. Ebel showed a certificate of record from the St. Louis Circuit Court in which he had been granted an absolute diworce. Ebel was immediately discharged. He then reapproached the bar with Mrs. Watkins. The two were at once majoried by the same judge who was to have heard the trial. Mrs. Ebel No. 1 was dumfunded. Finally the couple started away, and the mother, weak with rage, sank to the floor and solved hitterial. to the floor and sobbed bitterly.

NNUAL COMMENCEMENT AT OUR COLLEGIATE.

Admirable Entertainment a Feature of the Occasion-Splendid Achievements of the Scholastic Year - The Medallists

The forty-fifth annual commencement of the Chatham Collegiate Institute was successfully celebrated in the Collegiate Hall by an admirable program—musical and literary—and the presentation of the awards of the scholastic year.

Owing to the inability of Prof. Grant to

As in former years, so in 1900, the pupils of the C. C. I. were exceedingly successful at the departmental examinations held in July and their work, as shown by the prospectus of results, was highly satisfactory to both teachers and taught.

The teaching staff of the C. C. I. is one of the best in the province and the school is thoroughly equipped throughout with all modern educational appliances. Perhaps, it is necessary to add that the pupils are the finest and most intelligent class of young people in the Dominion. Principal Paterson is to be congratulated on the educational organization of which he is head and the honors which the pupils always bring to the school at the government tests.

school at the government tests.

The postponed commencement exercises attracted a large assemblage of the parents, pupils and the Maple City's cultured citizens.

Thos. Scullard presided in his customary efficient manner and made the following

THE MEDALLISTS.

The Matthew Wilson gold medal—Dwight A. Walker, head of the school.

The Matthew Wilson gold medal for first certificate—Ethel Park. The Wm. Gray & Sons silver medal—C. R. McColl, first in form III.

The James Holmes silver medal-The James Holmes silver medal—Emma Shreve, first in form II.

The Edward Jordan silver medal—Myrtle Tillson, first in commercial form.

Mr, Scullard briefly addressed the successful students complimenting them on their work and urging them not to stop but to press on, seeking to gain greater knowledge and attain to higher heights of learning.

Mrs. John Cooper contributed two excellent solos during the evening, and the talented soprano soloist was most heartly recalled after each number. Wm. H. Brackin played

number. Wm. H. Brackin played the accompaniments.

Mr. Scullard introduced Bernard Bigsby, M. A., who gave his celebrated lecture on "Dr. Arnold and Rugby School." He has delivered this same lecture in Chatham before, but the address lost nothing in the repetition and from the introduction to Rugby School to the retirement of Dr. Arnold from public life, Mr. Bigsby held the undivided attention of the large audience and carried his hearers with him in his bright word pictures of English schools and customs. He is best described as a bg man, well built, of an erect carriage. Metaphorbuilt, of an erect carriage. Metaphorically speaking, the learned graduate of the English schools waded right into his subject. His voice has a kindly ring and his style is quaintly humorous, and his initial sentences won at once the close attention of the audience. He trock for granted that all at once the close attention of the audience. He took for granted that all had read "Tom Brown," but cautioned the young ladies who had not done so to peruse the book at once, as it was "all about a boy, and a nice boy at that." Rugby, the school over which Dr. Armold presided, was admirably described with all the pleas-

which Dr. Arnold presided, was admirably described with all the pleasing histories and associations clinging to the grounds and buildings of this ancient educational centre. The church was worthy of more than passing notice, for over its doors was the simple yet immortalizing inscription: "To the memory of him who was loved by the boys."

To the memory of ham who was lov-ed by the boys."

Fagging was a great feature of the English schools a hundred years ago and it had been roundly condemned. The Americans had even attributed The Americans had even attributed the hazing at West Point to the old English custom of fagging, but, in the opinion of Mr. Bigsby, the custom was one of the best systems ever adopted in boarding schools, if the class of boys who went to these semmaries were considered. The majority warm the sons of the public who were the sons of the nobility had been brought up to believe that they were the lords of creaation, and nothing could throw them up against the stern realities of life and make nen of them better than the fagging

Winchester school, where Dr. Arn-Winchester school, where Dr. Arnold was educated, received some attention from the Detroit educationist. At this seat of learning metal shields were hung in the library and great men were asked to inscribe some great thought on them. Carlyle had been there and had written, "Great men are punctuation marks in the text of life." His words seemed in commendation of the great teacher, Dr. Arnold, who had gone to take charge of Rugby when but thirty years of age. On his arrival he found the walls advined with wooden boards, on which were placarded the

Rewarded.

of the scholastic year.

Owing to the inability of Prof. Grant to be present on Dec. 14th, the day originally appointed for the exercises, they were postponed until last evening. In consequence many of the prize-winners were not able to be present and enjoy the pleasure of receiving publicly their rewards for many months toil.

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The following have been the win-ners of the gold medal presented by M. Welson, Q. C., to the pupil standing highest at the senior matriculation examinations at the C. C. I., during the

past fourteen years:-1887-D. Walker. 1887—D. Walker. 1888—A. Bridle. 1889—H. S. McKellar. 1890—F. C. Cormish. 1891—G. A. Cormish. 1892—C. C. Bell. 1893—F. W. Atkinson. 1894—Ida Powell. 1895—A. S. Kitchen.

1896—Grace McDonald. (1897—Marion McColl. 1898—E. H. Olaver. 1899—Mary E. Wilson. 1900—D. A. Walker. The following is a brief summary of the results attained by last year's

Successful students at the Honor University Matriculation exam. Dwight A. Walker-First-class honors in Latin, Mathematics, Physics Chemistry and History; second-class honors in English and French. Winner of the Fifth Edward Blake General Proficiency Scholarship, Toronto Uni-

versity. Ethel Park-Honors in Classics, Ma thematics, Eaglish, French, and Physics, Queen's University.

Bessie Errett-Honors in Classics, Eaglish and French. Winner of the Williamson Scholarship in Classics and

French, Queen's University. W. H. Doherty-First-class honors in English and Greek, and second-class honors in Latin, German and Physics, F. W. Hall—Second-class honors in

Latin, English, Physics and Chemistry.
Toronto University.
In addition the successful students
of last year's classes figured as follows in the Departmental Examination besults:

Form IV.—Or First Class Teachers' certificates—Five students.

Form III., or Second Class Teachers' certificates—Seventeen students.

Pass University Matriculation certi-

cates—Three students.
Form II., or Part I certificates—
Thirty-six students.,
Matriculation or Part I. certificates

Much of it.

Commercial diplomas—Two students. Ofifcial words of commendation have een received as follows:-Inspector Seath-"The character of

he work of this Institute is good, and improves from year to year."

Inspector Hodgson—"The Institute is excellently organized and adminis-tered, and the character of the teaching in the various departments is admirable. The discipline is excellent, and the time-table is admirably arranged,"

TILBURY.

Jan. 18 .- Mrs. W. H. Holland returns Geo. E. Farran, of St. Louis, Mo., the guest of his father here, and may spend the winter with him.

Rev. Fr. Langlois was visiting in Belle River yesterday. P. J. Egan, of Fletcher, has taken a position in the Noxon Agency here.

Theo. Reaume was repairing a sewing machine in his carriage shop, when a piece of red hot steel struck him in the eye, and he may lose his sight as a result, Joe Bacon, of the Marchand House,

dangerously ill from pneumonia. Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Clouthier have the Eastern States to reside with their son Napoleon.



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PRACTICAL IDEA

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HAS A STRONG HAVE IT DONE RIGHT

Correspondent Offers to Contribute to a Fund to Pay the Humane

Dear Sir,-Permit me to add a few words to the discussion re salary of Humane Officer. I regret Mr. Quinn is not in favor of the council paying Mr. Dagneau, as his opinion as a rather heavy taxpayer will have considerable influence. It seems to me that for a so called Christian community we are a peculiarly brutal one. The cruelty that one may see practiced on dumb animals throughout this city every day of the week is enough to

make one exclaim, "O Lord, how long!" In what way do we differ from the old time Nero except that he tortured those who could, to some extent, resist, while we torture those who can-Much of it is due to almost criminal

er not long ago was tying his horse to a post in front of my place, and the poor brute was cheeked so high that whout all the could see in front of were the stars. I said, "You must loosen that cheek line if you tie your horse in front of my office." "Why?" he replied. "Well, how would you like to stand for two or three hours with your head geared up like that?" "Oh, I didn't think of that," and he loosened

the check.
Now, it is all veny well for Mr Quinn to say, "Let the police do the work." It is a fact that the police don't do the work, and what is more,

It would take one man 24 hours a day to do the work properly, besides working overtime. Mr. Dagneau is naturally fond of animals and can feet for ally fond of animals and can feet for them where a policeman who has not might overlook the cruelty. I was passing along Wellington street a couple of days ago and saw a boy of about six years of age leading a half starved (nothing uncommon about that) doig, and holding a six foot driving whip, which he regularly applied secundem artem to the dog. Now that boy could not have had dog. Now that boy could not have had that whip without the knowledge of at least one of his parents, and yet if you were to accuse that parent of

I would ruther see Mr. Dagneau hold his position at \$1,000 a year—he being a genuine lover of the brute beast, than see another man who was only working for the money, get \$100. 'As actions speak louder than words, would say I will willingly subscribe \$5 towards a fund (providing enough others subscribe to make the total abunt \$200) to be presented to the council and by them to be paid to Mr. Dagenau as salary. I am also ready and willing at all times to formione of a committee of three to perform that most disagreeable of all work, solicit-ing subscriptions for the purpose. Mr. Dagneau has shown himself to be the night man in the right place. Let's keep him there. There is no reason why he should do this work for nothing any more than the rest of us.
ANIMALIBUS.

DRESDEN.

Ethel Packham attended the wooden wedding last night of Mr. and Mrs. Langstaff.

Mayor Ribble left yesterday morn-

Mrs. Kersey, sister of Mrs. Julia Wheeler ded yesterday of cancer, from which she has been a sufferer The little daughter of Thomas Lucas aged 18 months, died yesterday.

Sandy McVean was re-elected chairman of the school board for 1901.

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APPOINTMENT.

Ex-Water Commissioner Quinn Will Assume the Duties of **Humane Officer Without**

Salary or Uniform.

The "Girl of the Period" Has Aroused His Curiosity and he Trusts he Has Won Her Ov r by Adopting Her Suggestion.

To t e Editor of The Planet. Sir. -I was pleased to note in your issu last evening, the remarks made by "A Girl of the Period," in reference to the past services of Humane Officer Dagneau. She is quite right when she says, I admit the energy Mr. Dagneau has displayed, and he entitled to the thanks of the public, but nothing more, as he proffered his services, gratis, for this position, and as he was a former officer of the Humane Society, he must have known something of the work required. If he spent money driving into the country he did it of his own accord and

required. If he spent money driving into the country he did it of his own accord and was not requested by our council to do so, and such expense should be borne by the county and not by our city.

I am not in any way trying to depreciate the services of Mr. Dagneau, I simply ask that the council do as they pledged themselves to do before the election, viz., to do all they could within reason to keep down our taxes, and how can we excuse them if at the very beginning of their term they create such a paid office. Mr. Dagneau has not been wronged in any way as he voluntarily offered his services free, knowing what it meat, and he has the option of retiring if it is not satisfactory. If this position is going to be a paid one, then give it to some more needy person, for I know there are an amb r of men in this city, is as capable as Mr. Dagneau, who need the perquistes of the office more.

Now, Mr. Editor, I fail to see where the "young lady makes a strong plea." Her sarcasm almost becomes humorous, but she fails to tell us where our council might make up the loss were they to allow Mr. Dagneau any salary, for last year our taxes were 25 mills and where a frontage tax was paid they were very much higher, hence if the council conformed to the wishes of "A Girl of the Period," at this early stage, what may we expect when the rate is struck?

what may we expect when the rate is struck?

The young ladv should assume some other "n m de plume" for the word "period" hardly his her case. I would not say anything rude or sarcastic to a girl, but it is questionable whether she is a girl, for sometimes girls are inclined to yet think themselves so, long after they have become women, and should she deem me worthy of a reply, I trust she will let us know who she is, for there is no doubt but that she is a friend of the brute, and we should know more of her.

Yours etc., FRED. F. QUINN. P. S —Following up the suggestion "A Girl of the Period" I wish to apply the position of Humane Officer for the coof Chatham for 1901. If my request

granted I promise to discharge the duties to the best of my ability without any cost to the city and I do not require any uniform nor will I ask for any. FRED. F. QUINN.

Chatham, Jan. 18, 1901.

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The Mystery of Agatha Webb.

BY ANNA KATHARINE GREEN.

this I let her speak what words she | would and tell, as she was able, the secret tragedy of her life.

"It is a sacred story to me, and if you must know it let it be from her own words in the letters she left behind her. She only told me that to save me from the fate of the children who had preceded me-the five little girls and boys who had perished almost at birth in her arms-she had parted from me in early infancy to Mrs. Sutherland, then mourning the sudden death of her only child; that this had been done secretly and under circumstances calculated to deceive Mr. Sutherland, so that he had never known l was not his own child, and she enjoined me never to enlighten him if by any sacrifice on my part I could rightfully avoid it; that she was happy in having me hear the truth before she died; that the joy which this gave her was so great that she did not regret her fatal act, violent and uncalled for as it was, for it had showed her my heart and allowed me to read hers. Then she talked of my father, by whom mean he whom you call Philemon, and she made me promise I would care for him to the last with tenderness, saying that I would be able to do this without seeming impropriety, since she had willed me all her fortune under this proviso. Finally she gave me a key and, pointing out where the rest of her money lay hidden, bade me carry it away as her last gift, together with the package of letters I would find with it. And when I had taken these and given her back the key she told me that but for one thing she would die happy, and, though her strength and breath were fast failing ber, she made me understand that she was worried about the Zabels, who had not come, according to a sacred custom between them, to celebrate the anniversary of her wedding, and prayed me to see the two old gentlemen before I slept, since nothing but death or dire distress would have kept them from gratifying the one whim of my father's failing mind. I promised, and with perfect peace in her face she pointed to the dagger in her breast.

"But before I could lay my hand upon it she called for Batsy. 'I want her to hear me declare before I go,' said she, 'that this stroke was delivered by myself upon myself.' But when I rose to look for Batsy I found that the shock of her mistress' fatal act had killed her and that only her dead body was lying across the window sill of the adjoining room. It was a chance that robbed me of the only witness who could testify to my innocence, in case my presence in this house of death should become known, and, realizing all the



danger in which it threw me, I did not dare to tell my mother for fear it would make her last moments miserable. So I told her that the poor woman had understood what she wished, but was too terrified to move or speak, and this satisfied my mother and made her last breath one of trust and contented love. She died as I drew the dagger from her breast, and, seeing this, I was seized with horror of the instrument which had cost me such a dear and valuable life and flung it wildly from the window. Then I lifted her and laid her where you found her, on the sofa. That the dagger was an old time gift of her former lover, James Zabel, I did not know, much less that it bore his initials on the

He paused, and the awe occasioned by the scene he had described was so deep and the silence so prolonged that a shudder passed over the whole assemblage when from some unknown quarter a single, cutting voice arose in this one short mocking comment:

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"It is of the Zabel brothers I must now speak, and of how one of them, James by name, came to be involved in this affair. "When I left my new found mother

I was in such a state of mind that I passed the room in which my new found father sat sleeping, with scarcely so much as a glance. But as I hastened on toward the quarter where the Zabels lived some compunctions of pity for his desolate state caused me to falter in my rapid flight, so that I did not reach the house quite as quickly as I might otherwise have done. When did, I found it dark, as I might reason ably have expected; but, remembering the extreme anxiety which my mother had shown in their regard, even in her dying moments. I approached the front door and was about to knock when I found it open. Greatly astonished, I at once passed in and, seeing my way perfectly in the moonlight, entered the room on the left, the door of which also stood open. It was the second house I had entered unannounced that night, and in this, as in the other, I encoun tered a man sitting asleep by the table

"Going up to him, I saw it to be the

elder of the two, John Zabel, and, perceiving that he was suffering for food and in a condition of extreme misery, took out the first bill my hand encoun tered in my overfull pockets and laid it on the table by his side. As I did so he gave a sigh, but did not wake; and, satisiled that I had done all that was wise and all that even my mother would expert of me under the circumstances, and fearing to encounter the other brother if I lingered, I hastened away and took the shortest path home. Had I been more of a man, or if my visit to Mrs.-Webb had been actuated by a more communicable motive, I would have gone at once to the good may who believed me to be of his own flesh and blood and told him of the strange and heartrending adventure which had changed the whole tenor of my thoughts and life and begged his advice as to what I had better do under the difficult circumstances in which I found myself placed. But the memory of a thousand past ingratitudes, together with the knowledge of the shock which he could not fail to receive on learning at this late day and under conditions at once so tragic and full of menace that the child which his long ried wife had once placed in hi arms as his own was neither of her blood or his, rose up between us and caused me not only to attempt silence, but to secrete in the adjoining woods the money I had received in the vain hope that all visible connection between myself and my mother's tragic death would thus be lost. You see, I

Page." The flash he here received from that lady's eyes startled the crowd and gave Sweetwater, already suffering under shock after shock of mingled surprise and wonder, his first definite idea that he had never rightly understood the re-lations between these two and that something besides justice had actuated Amabel in her treatment of this young man. This feeling was shared by others, and a reaction set in in his favor which even affected the officials who were conducting the inquiry. This was shown by the difference of manner now assumed by the coroner and by the more easily impressed Sweetwater, who had not yet learned the indispen sable art of hiding his feelings. Frederick himself felt the change and showed it by the look of relief and growing

had not calculated on Miss Amabel

confidence he cast at Agnes. Of the questions and answers which now passed between him and the various members of the jury I need give no account. They but emphasized facts already known and produced but little change in the general feeling, which was one now of suppressed pity for all who had been drawn into the mesher of this tragic mystery. When he was allowed to resume his seat, the name of Miss Amabel Page was again called. She rose with a bound. Naught that she had anticipated had occurred; facts of which she could know nothing had changed the aspect of affairs and made the position of Frederick something so remote from any she could have imagined that she was still in the maze of the numberless conflicting emotions which these revelations were calculated to call out in one who had risked all on the hazard of a die and lost. She did not even know at this moment whether she was glad or sorry he could explain so cleverly his anomalous position. She had caught the look he had cast at Agnes, and, while this angered her, it did not greatly modify her opin-ion that he was destined for herself, for, however other people might feel, she did not for a moment believe his story. She had not a pure enough heart to do so. To her all self sacrifice was an anomate.

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The critical period in a pig's life is when it is deprived of the mother's milk, says Theodore Louis in Farm, Stock and Home, and how to furnish a substitute for it is a problem often difficult to solve. It is reasonable to say that the growth of pigs while nursing a vigorous, healthy, well fed sow and the uniform development of flesh, muscle and bone can scarcely be maintained when nature's food is withdrawn. But every observing feeder knows that pigs receive their milk warm and often and that their digestive powers are never overtaxed, and it is failure to observe this that often makes the weaning period an "unlucky" one.

It is good economy to feed the sow freely during the nursing period, even if it does seem wasteful to feed so much for the little milk she gives. But it must be remembered that it is the whole litter that is being fed, and when they are 4 or 5 weeks old they need a deal of it. But the feed must be of a quality and quantity that will not cause derangement of the bowels of the little ones. Such things are befter prevented than cured. Feed three times a day at regular hours and just enough, having none left in the trough and yet have the appetite satisfied. This requires observation, but it is necessary to success. Where Tom feeds today, Dick tomorrow and Harry the next day, neither knowing nor caring about quantity, pig feeding is a lottery, and blanks are often drawn.

Most every farm has a surplus of milk, and too often it is thought that this alone will substitute sow's milk, and it would to some degree if fed sweet, but this is next to impossible If milk is dumped into some old swill barrel that is never scalded out and the receptacle of kitchen offal, vinegar, soapsuds, decayed vegetables and other things too numerous to mention, it is a dangerous substitute for mother's milk. While pigs may become accustomed to sour milk, there is a wide range in its acidity, and the extreme

sourness should be avoided. Nor should milk in any form be fed to youngsters in undue proportions. Shorts and cornmeal in equal parts should be mixed with it into a thick slop, or the corn may be shelled and soaked and fed by being scattered on a

clean floor.
Of course where good pasture is at hand less grain is required, but no greater mistake can be made than to stint pigs by depending entirely on pasture, for the first hundred pounds of growth costs the least. Ever bear in mind that when the pig is not adding to growth and weight every day it is a boarder that fails to pay its bills.

Do Not Feed Together.

We never favored the idea of keeping hogs and cattle together at fattening time, for it makes the feed lots so filthy in damp weather to have the hogs rooting and wallowing, says rus Greene in The Prairie Farmer. The cattle sheds and sleeping places can be kept so much drier and cleaner if the hogs are shut out, which adds to the comfort of the cattle, and comfort means thrift, and thrift means more profit to the owner. Where there are no hogs to root over and waste the manure there will be more of it at hauling time. For the sanitary condition of the swine we would strongly urge keeping them away from the cattle. When cattle are on full feed of corn, their bowels are in a feverish and loosened condition much of the time, their blood is thick and at a high temperature, many impurities being taken away from the body by the blood and discharged with the excrements, and I never could call that good hog feed. I like pork and sausage, but do not care for them from hogs raised on that kind of feed. When cattle and hogs run together, there are always a few hogs crippled, and occasionally one is killed. This loss is avoided when they are yarded alone. You are probably wondering by this time what you will do with the waste from your cattle, for many think that the waste from the cattle represents the profit. We advise you to take four-sevenths of the amount of grain fed when the cattle and hogs were running together and grind it fine for the cattle. The remaining three-sevenths should be fed to the hogs, grinding a part of it for them for a change. When it is not freezing weather, the corn should be soaked from one feed to the next. Empty all dishes and use fresh water each time. If the dishes sour, put s little salt in the bottom to keep them sweet, as sour hog feed is not healthful. All this may look like "tony" farming. Well, it is, and the pride and go aheadativeness of the American people cause them to be on the constant lookout for more modern and profitable ways of doing things. I have been managing my cattle and hogs in the above way for several years and am suited with it and think if others would try it one season they would not go back to the old way.

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TO LADY MINTO.

A Montreal Despatch to a New York Journal Arouses Much Indignation.

from Montreal to the New York Herald is causing needless indignation here. It states that "A movement is on foot among a certain section of the women of Canada which may lead to a social war against Lady Minto, the wife of the Governor-General." The cause of this is alleged to be that instead of furthering Lady Aberdeen's Victorian Order of Nurses, she (Lady Minto) started a hospital on her own account in Winnipeg.

The despatch is not only, of course, mocorrect, but is a great injustice to Lady Minto, who, as Ottawans well know, is thoroughly in sympathy with the Victorian Order. As to the statement that Lady Minto is to establish an opposition order of nurses in Manitoba, the story is made out of whole cloth. The cottage hospital mentioned is a station of the Victorian Order recently established by Miss MoLeod, one of the most earnest nurses of the Victorian Order. Ottawa, Jan. 18.-A yellow specia

MR. MARSHALL TO MR. MORBISON

The Former Disputes the Figures Supplied in the Communication of the Latter.

Elitor Planet .-Dear Sir,-Permit me, through your

columns to answer a letter which ap-in The Planet over the signature of R. J. Morrison, and dated Jan. 2nd, 1901, which for false statements and misrepresentation beats anything I have read for some times. In this letter he gives in a way that suits himself the amounts that each division is to get in grants in the past two years, which he claims amounts to \$2,810, which is a false statement.

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Now, in that letter he gives Div. No. 7. Tibury Eist, Romney, Tilbury Village, the credit of getting \$900 in grants. Now Mr. Morrison knows that this is not true and I believe that he knew when he published that letter that it was not true; as I had told him that at least one of the grants which he was counting to their credit was never passed by the council; which was never passed by the council; which was a grant of \$500 to assist in building a bridge over Jeannette's creek on the Tecumseh Road. I also showed him in the minutes of council the ac-tion of the council upon this grant, which should have convinced him. But he would not be convinced until Sat-urday before the election, when Mr.

urday before the election, when Mr. Hickey saw him and told him that he was wrong. He says Div. No. 6, Raleigh and Doveripay \$639 and get back \$200 to be expended in procuring sand foir road in the vicinity of Merlin.

Now, I say the above amounts are wrong, the first a great deal too large, the other a great deal too small; but of course it suited Mr. Morrison's purpose to put them that way. Raleigh and Dover have got in grants in the past two years over made up as follows:—\$200 for gravel, \$100 to Raleigh Agricultural Society, made up as follows:—\$200 for gravel, \$100 to Raleigh Agricultural Society, and between \$200 and \$250 expended by the county in building sidewalk in the township of Dover, from the city limits to the House of Refuge.

Now, in the years '97 and '98, when Mr. Morrison was your commissioner, I cannot find where either Raleigh or Dower got one cent in grants, al-though there were a lot of grants given. At the June session of '97 we find the following motion on page 37:
Moved by Mr. Hickey, seconded by
Mr. Morrison, that \$250, herefofore
granted to the village of Merlin to
build a lockup, be used to purchase build a lockup, be used to purchase gravel for the townline between Ra-leigh and Tilbury East, and that Mr.

Morrison and the mover be commis-sioners to expend the same. Referred to R. and B. Com. On page 91 of the same session the R. and B. committee make three grants amounting to \$360, Tilbury East and Romney getting the lion's share, \$300 on their townline; but Raleigh got nothing. In fact the only money that came to Raleigh from the county in those years was what Mr. Morrison drew for his services as commissioner and of that acshare as a comparison of the accounts of Mr.
Rankin and Mr. Morrison as passed by the
finance committee show the following:
Mr. Rankin for two years' services on
com, and mileage \$44.20.
Mr. Morrison for same \$178.90.

I sincerely thank the electors of Div. No. 6 for the very liberal support given me. Considering the circumstances and the elements against me, it is almost a wonder that I recived any votes at all. Yours truly,

L. B. MARSHALL.

Merlin, Jan. 14th, 1901. A DEAD BODY FOUND IN A TRUNK

A Ghastly Discovery Made by the Police Officers of New York City. New York, Jan. 18. - The police

New York, Jan. 18. — The police found a trunk containing the body of a man in the East river at the police of Pier 11. The body had been placed in the trunk face down, and the coat and shirt-en it were covered with blood. The trunk was green and had no marks on it.

The body was identified by a woman as that of Michael Weisberger, of this city.

as that of Michael Weisberger, of this city.

The police believe that the crime was committed in a house, probably a tenement, and that the murderers knew that Weisberger carried jewellery about him. Neither the table-cover now the trunk was the victim's property. It has been also ascentained that he left the place where he was employed at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, and was seen alive at noon. He had two hundred dollars' worth of jewellery with him at the time. He was a marvied man, and had a large family.

Thusly does the Comber Herald issue the marriage banns.—Before the month is out it is stated that many young ladies will sing that touching ballad "I left my happy home for you."

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THE BARBER SCORES

A Sensational Abduction Case Under

Berlin, Ont., Jan. 16.-Berlin has an bduction case exciting its residents at present, a three-year-old son of Mrs. Catharine Ebel, being carried away by a man at moon on Tuesday, who secured the boy under the excuse that he wanted to secure a photograph of the child. Mrs. Ebel has been living in Berlin for some years with her husband, who is now in Detroit, and for which place she intended to leave with the child within a day or two. There he child within a day or two. The are as yet no traces indicating the whereabouts of the child, although many theories are advanced. A young man named Wm. Ahl, a cripple, who has been in Berlin seven years ,was arrested by Constable Huber on Tuesday, cliarged with the abduction, and is in jail on remand until January 24th. He boarded at the same place as Mrs. Ebel. Another young man, a barber, named Julius Neufisher, quite intimate with Ahl, left town on Tuesday aftermoon, and has not been seen since. It is supposed that he took the child away, and Crown Attorney Bowlby his having photographs of him circulated so as to assist the authorities in their search. It was reported that Neufsher had gone to Doon, and Chief Winterhall visited that place to-day, but found no trace of the young man.

The West Kent Farmers' Institute will hold its first meeting this year, in Chatham, on Tuesday 22, inst, at 2 p.m. D. Drummond, of Myrtte, will deliver an address on the dairy cow, W. C. McGregor, Tilbury, will speak on breeding and feeding, and J. E. Orr, of Rruitland, speaks on the common insect attacking fruit and foliage. An evening meeting will be held when at 7.30 H. A. Dawson, of Wheathey, will speak on Poultry Raising. J. E. Orr will again give an address and the evening's meeting will conclude with a talk by A, J. C. Shaw, of Thamesville, on his trip to the Pacific Coast.

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At last evening's regular meeting Chatham Encampment No. 10, I. O. O. F., the patriarchs, who will preside during the ensuing year, were duly installed into their respective offices by Past Grand Patriarch, Wm. Potter, who was deputized to install the officers, owing to the serious illness of D. D. G. P , Geo. M. Baird's sister at Blenheim, which prevented his presence.

The following grand officers assisted the deputized D.D.G.P. to install the officers: Thos. Smith, P.C.P., grand warden. Chas. Eyres, P.C.P., grand high priest. Richard Wing, P.C.P., grand senior war.

den.
Albion Heath, P.C.P., grand scribe.
Alex. McDougall, P.C.P., grand treasurer.
John McCorvie, P.C.P., grand financial

scribe.
Following are the newly elected officers:
Hiram Winegarden, jr. P.C.P.
H. W. Smith, C. P.
Sam. Holmes, S. W. W. J. Pickard, high priest.
E. E. Wing, rec. scribe, P.C.P.
A. M. Lafferty, P.C.P., fin. scribe,
John Turner, P.C.P., treasurer.
Guide, Wm. Turtle, P.C.P.. Inside sentinel—Albion Heath, P.C.P. Outside sentinel, Thos. Smith, P.C.P. 1st watch, R. Wing, P.C.P.
2nd watch, J. W. Humphrey.
3rd watch, Alex McDougall, P.C.P.

4th watch, J. McBetn. Chatham Encampment No. 10, I.O.O.F... standing, an enrollment that few encampments can equal. It also possesses a degree team second to none in Canada or the United

WILL GO TO THE

Evidence in the Sensational Bosschieter Murder Case Concluded.

Striking Scenes Connected With th Closing Arguments of Counsel.

Paterson, N. J., Jan. 17 .- For the entire session to-day the opposing counsel in the Jennie Bosschieter murder trial appealed to the jury. Assist. Prosecuting Attorney Ralph Shaw began the summing up for the state. It was expected that Mr. Emly would do this, but he merely offered in evidence a part of Jennie Bosschieter's wardrobe.
Mr. Shaw, in summing up, claimed

that the state had proven its case, and that in every contention had been sustained. He denounced the accused, who, he said, had taken the girl cut to her death like a dog. He demanded that the jury render such a verdict as the law and evidence demanded, one of guilty in the highest degree. Then ex-Judge Francis Scott led in the summing up for the defense. He was followed by Michael Dunn. Their addresses were very similar. They de-clared that no case had been made out against Walter McAlister, Wm. Deatl and Andrew Campbell. They ridiculed the expert testimony and branded the hackamn, Sculthorp, as a man of the lowest type, and of the basest motives. They maintained that the story told by him was not supported by evidence, and that it was a lie. Mr. Scott made a point that if Scuithorpe's story were to be believed at all he should be a prisoner accused of participation in the

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Mr. Scott was arguing that the state had fafled to prove its first count, that of assault, when Judge Dixon intermpted him, saying:

"Before you proceed I want the jury to understand that if chloral were given or if a person were struck or choked in order to accomplish the assault, the poison or violence is a part off the assault. The jury must not be misled on that point."

The coursel for the defense declared that it had not been proven that chloral was administered to the girl, and maintained that it had not been proven

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en that any of defendants had purchased chloral or that the bottle alleged to have been found near the girl belonged to one of the prisoners. They declared that none of the medical testimony offered had shown that the girl had been assualted.

Ex-Judge W. T. Hoffman, who conducted for the defense all the examples of the state of ducted for the defense all the examinations and cross-examinations, was to conclude the summing up to-day, but he asked that he be allowed to

begin his address to-morrow morning instead of this evening, to preclude the necessity of repetition, should he be interrupted by the adjournment of court. This request was granted and the court was adjourned until to-mor-It is believed the case will gol to the

"THE CADET GIEL."

"The Cadet Girl" will be the attraction at the Grand to night. It is hardly likely that any theatre-goer in this city does not already know something about this musical comedy, its gorgeous productions and phenomenal career. It was first produced last July in the Herald Square Theatre, New York, where despite all sorts of managerisl opposition and the hottest kind of weather, it crowded the house for two months and then was taken off at the Herald Square solely because other bookings for the house had been made prior to that of "The Cadet Girl." Long runs to the same sort of business followed in Philadelphia and Boston. It afterwards scored a most marked triumph in Brooklyn. The cempany psesenting "The Gadet Girl" is distinctively a metropolitan one. It is claimed by the management that it is not only one of the largest organizations ever engaged in a "The Cadet Girl" will be the attraction the largest organizations ever engaged in a musical comedy, but it is also one of the most expensive in the matter of salaries. Among the more prominent members wil be found the names of such well-known and be found the names of such well-known and capable singers and actors as Geo. A. Schiller, Chas. Danby, Chas. Dox, Harry Dodd, Edwin Wilson, Chas. Bowers, Arthur Etherington and Misses Queenie Vassor, Edna Floyd, Florence Gammage and Midred Meade. The chorus is composed of 50 well-trained voices and the scenery and costumes are elaborate and beautiful.

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INE PROBABILITIES .

G. N. W. Special Toronto, Jan. 18—10 a. m. — North and west winds, fair and cold. Sat4 urday, moderate westerly winds, fine with a little higher temperature.

Alfred Brown, Adelaide St., is indis Mrs. Elward Murdock, of Raleigh,

W. L. Waldren returned yesterday after month's visit at his home in Brantford, To-morrow, 50c., 75c., and \$1 ties \$35c., or three for \$1, at The 2 T's. Miss Nellie Emery, James street, is seriously ill with la grippe.

Miss Clara Jordan, Grant street, visiting friends in Walkerville. The Planet received an order for whist trays from Fernie, B. C. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McKee, of New York City, are staying at the Garner. Andrew Coltart is confined to the house with a severe attack of grip.

Mrs. Geo. Robinson, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Paling, for a few weeks. It is reported that there are several cases of small-pox in London at pre

Geo. S. Tait, representing the Blue Line R. R., is in the city to-day on

Fred Brisco was confined to the house yesterday with an attack of la grippe.

H. O'Rourke, who underwent an operation in St. Joseph's Hospital, is doing nicely.

Mrs. John McKishnie, of Cedar Springs, is in the city, visiting with friends.

R. C. Burt, who has been laid up with an attack of la grippe, is some better to-day. Invitations are out for a C. O. F. bili, which will be held on Tuesday evening, Jan. 29th. R. C. Burt's official thermometer

registered ten degrees above zero at the lowest point last night. Miss Ada Munson, of Portland, Me-is visiting her cousin, Miss Sarah Me-

Caw, Wellington St. To-morrow is The 2 T's Annual Neckwear Sale-35c. buys any tie in the store, or 3 for \$1.

The many friends of Mrs. Thomas Guttridge will be glad to know that she is improving nicely. City Treasurer Fleming has the civic pay sheets for the past week maddout. They amount to \$78.13.

To-morrow 25c. and 35c. Bow and String Ties 15c., or two for 25c., at The 2 T's Neckwear Sale.

Miss Ethelyn Paughmann, Grey St., attended the bachelor's ball in Wal-laceburg, last Friday evening. Wm. Primeau, news agent of the Lake Eve, reports a fall of three in-ches of snow at Leamington last night. "Mn. and Mrs. Jas. H. Bogart, Cross street, commemorated the 25th anni-versary of their wedding last evening.

The Harrison Hall committee of the county council is having all the county offices cleaned and the furniture re-Ross Allen, Park Ave., and Roy Burgess left yesterday to take positions

Mr Malcolmson's cant at Sandwich. Rev .J. Muir, M. A., of Grimsby, will

occupy the pulpit of the First Presby-terian Church both morning and ev-ening next Sunday. County Treasurer 'Shambleau this morning paid the witness fees in the

case of Queen vs, Browning. Miss Nettie Hendershott, daughtes of ex-Ald. John Hendershott, will leave to-morrow for Ottawa. Richard Jordan, of this city, is mak

ing application at London for enlist-ment in Baden-Powell's Mounted Po-

The recruits of the 24th Kent Bat-talion held a well attended drill last evening. Capt. Mowbray's company will drill on Monday.

A special meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society, of the Park street Methodist church, will be held to-morrow afternoom at half-past two o'clock. Blonde Bros. & Co. have secured the contracts for a brick veneer resi for Michael Barrons, Raleigh, and also one for Maurice Doyle, Raleigh.

Court Chatham, No. 6, C. O. F., will meet to-night to make arrangementator the basket assembly to be held about February 15th. A full attendance is requested.

The list of lands liable to be sold for itaxes is ready for the assessors. They take this list with them, and notify the owners of all property in danger of being sold for taxes.

The floor of Judge Woods' office in Harrison Hall, has been furnished by the county council with a fine new oil cloth of a bright pattern. The Judge is much please dwith the gift. Ald. Taylor, chairman of the civic pro-perty committee, will call a special meet-ing next Friday evening to consider the fire department investigation and ap-

Sarnia defeated Tilbury at Sarnia last night in the intermediate series, O. H. A., by a score of 2 to 1. The game was clean and fast throughout, but Sarnia's forwards had the better combination.

The Planet's attention has been called to an error which occurred in chromicling the totals in the recent contest for county commissioners in Dover and Raleigh. Mr. Marshall secured 755 wotes to Mr. Wellwood's

"The Cadet Girl" company came in on the 8.15 and 12.42 G. T. R. trains to-day. The company actually com-prises 52 artists, and has with it the prises 52 artists, and has with it the most elaborate equipment of costumes, scenery and electrical fittings ever brought to the town. The company played in Hamilton last night, every seat in the house being sold. The opera made hit of the year in the Ambitious City, there being no less than four curtain calls after the first act. Mr. Cairns guarantees his patrons that there will be no cuts in the program, and strongly advises them not to miss it. It is without doubt the most important booking of the season.

County Clerk Fleming in accordance with his duties as inspector of the House of In-dustry is preparing his report of the ex-penditu es at the public institution during the year 1900. The report will also contain an account of the receipts from the farm cilled by the inmates.

Municipal elections being over, everyone, with the exception of a few hotheads, has settled down to the cares of everyday life.

We still hear rumors of a recount in the interests of Wm. Abram, who was defeated by one wote.

The new council met on Monday, all the members being present, and got down to business in short order. We expect to see a thorough renovating in the affairs of the township, for which there is ample room.

Edward Chinnick has taken advantage of the little bit of snow to break a pair of colts.

Jas McNeilage took the contract of moving an ice house for our merchant,

moving an ice house for our merchant, E. H. Moir. W. Groomes is shipping live and dressed hogs every week. DUNRY ..

Miss Bertha Toll is visiting friends Miss Bertha Toll is visiting friends at Coatsworth.

Miss Sarah Hughson and Miss McVicars are spending their holidays with friends in this place.

Wm. Toll has resumed his studies at Leamington High school.

Rev. Mr. Reid intends holding special services in Grace Church next week.

week.
The boys intend having a sparrow match in the near future, followed by an oyster supper.

LOUISVILLE

M. Smith, of Raleigh, spent Sunday with his parents here. We were glad to see Silas White in our "echo of a village" renewing

old acquaintances.

Miss Pearl Sharpe, of Dresden, was
the guest of Mrs. George Blackburn
Sunday.

The anniversary services of the
Methodist Church will be held one

week from next Sunday.

Mrs. L. Crow is very low, being unable to be taken to the General Hosw. Stover called on his old friend, Gordon Arnold, on Sunday last. Alvin Merritt, the enterprising

young amateur photographer, wil

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BLENHEIM. Jan. 18.—Misses Morris entertained a large number of friends to a dance and card party

> Mrs. W. E. Osborn is quite ill this week Miss Chloe Newcomb is suffering attack of tonsilitis. her sister's, Mrs. P. Haggart.
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> E. F. Case, of Cleveland, is visiting his old friends in town this week.
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> P. McIntyre has entered the barber shop of his brother, A. McIntyre, and will learn the barber business.

The anniversary services of the Blenbeim Methodist Church will be held on Sunday and Monday, Jan. 27th and 28th. Rev. Dr. Clark, of Hamilton, and Mr. Kershaw, of Kerwood, will conduct the services.

H. A. Syde, of Sault Ste. Marie, has purchased the stock of Retz & Co. at 61 cents on the dollar.

Messrs. Johnson and Fletcher have moved their laundry into the stand recently used by Jas. Shaver.

D. Baird is assisting his brother, Rev. John Baird, at Parkhill, with the revival services at that place this week.

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