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LONDON, ONTARIO, SATURDAY, MAY 17, 1902.

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#### SUNDAY IN LONDON

What Is Going On in the Leading Churches of the City

ADELAIDE STREET BAPTIST Church—Pastor, Rev. T. S. Johnson. Services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 2:45 p.m.

ANNIVERSARY SERVICES-SOUTH-ERN Congregational Church, Sunday,
May 18. Preacher, Rev. A. B. Ross,
B.A. Tea meeting Monday evening.
Good programme. Tickets, 25c. b

ASKIN STREET METHODIST CHURCH -Rev. J. W. Holmes, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. CENTENNIAL METHODIST CHURCH

Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., condu ed by the pastor. All welcome. CHALMERS PRESBYTERIÂN CHURCH

Rev. Walter Monat, pastor. Services
at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sabbath School,
8 p.m.

COLBORNE STREET METHODIST Church—Rev. A. K. Birks, pastor. Evening service, Gospel temperance meeting. Addresses by Messrs. Gilles-ple, Buchanan and pastor.

DUNDAS CENTER METHODIST Church—Pastor Rev. C. T. Scott, B.A., will preach, morning service; Rev. J. W. Graham, Montreal, evening service. Morning—Anthem, "O, Worship the King" (Maunder); duet, "ny Art Thou Cast Down?" (Schnecker). Evening—Anthem, "Sing Praises Unto God" (Cruickshank); aria, "He Shall Feed His Flock Like a Shepherd," and "Come Unto Him" ("Messiah"); anthem, "Crossing the Bar" (Tennyson-Woodward).

EMPRESS AVENUE METHODIST Church-Rev. T. E. Harrison, pastor. Morning subject, "Secret of Service." Evening, "Unhallowed Desire." All

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST (SCIENTIST)—Services Sundays, 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. Wednesdays, 8 p.m. David S. Robb, C.S.B., First Reader.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH—COR-NER Wellington street and Dufferin avenue. Public services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Rev. J. W. Graham, B.A., will preach in the morning, and the pastor, Rev. George J. Bishop, in the evening.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH-Rev. W. J. Clark, pastor. Services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Society for Bible Study at 3 p.m.

HAMILTON ROAD METHODIST Church—Rev. S. J. Allin, pastor, will preach. Morning, "Adoption." Even-ing, "The Duty of the Hour."

KING STREET PRESBYTERIAN Church-Rev. Thomas Wilson, pastor, will preach both morning and evening.

MAITLAND STREET BAPTIST Church—Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. MEMORIAL CHURCH, CORNER OF Queen's avenue and William street—Rev. C. C. Owen, B.A., pastor. Whitsunday. Services at II and 7; the rector will preach. Sunday School at 3. Bible Class, 3:15. Celebration of the Lord's Supper at close of evening service.

NEW ST. JAMES' PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. A. J. MacGillivray, M.A., pastor. Services, II a.m., 7 p.m., con-ducted by pastor. Bible Class and Sunday School, 3 p.m.

Church—Rev. Robert Johnston, D.D., pastor. The pastor will preach at both services. Sabbath School and Bible

ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL-WHIT-SUN-DAY-Morning-"Venite" (Bullinger)
"Te Deum" (Woodward), "Benedictus" "Te Deum" (Woodward), "Benedictus" (Woodward). Preacher, Rev. Canon Dann, B.A. Evening—"Magnificat" (Vincent), "Nunc Dimittis" (Vincent); anthem, "Saviour, Again to Thy Dear Name" (Gilchrist). Preacher, Rev. Canon Dann, B.A. Holy Communion at 8:30 a.m., and at morning service.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, SOUTH LON-DON-Services conducted by the Rev. Archdeacon Evans Davis. TALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH-

Rev. A. T. Sowerby, Ph.D., LL.D., pastor. 11 a.m., "The Way to Gain and Lose"; 7 p.m., "Am I My Brother's Keeper?" The first question asked God by man, and the great question of the

WELLINGTON STREET METHODIST Church—Rev. R. D. Hamilton, pastor, at both services. Morning—Anthem, "Hear Me When I Call" (King); solo, "Face to Face," Miss Fowler. Evening anthem, "Lead, Kindly Light" (Fetherston); solo, "Heavenly Song" (Gray). Sunday School at 2:30.

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Births, Marriages, Deaths.

WHITE-On May 17, 1902, at the family residence, Holman street, East London, Matthew White, in his 66th year. Funeral on Monday, at St. Peter's

Cathedral, at 9 o'clock Another old veteran gone. RICHARDSON-In this city, on May 16, 1902, at the residence, No. 90 Wharncliffe road, South London, Henry Rich-

ardson, in his 46th year. Funeral from above residence on Monday afternoon, at 2:30; service at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. BLAKIE-In Westminster Township, on May 16, 1902, Alexander, the eldest son of James Blakie, aged 44 years and 1

Funeral from his late residence, lot 30, con. 2, Westminster Township, on Sunday, May 18, at 2:30 (service at 2 p.m.), to Pond Mills Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. intimation.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

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#### MEETINGS.

ELECTORS' MASS MEETING, CITY HALL, THIS EVENING AT 8.

W. BUCHANAN, of Hamilton; F. DALY and others will speak. COL. B. LEYS, M.P.P., ADAM BECK, ESQ. F. B. LEYS, M.P.P., ADAM BECK, ESQ., and FRED. HASELGROVE, ESQ., have been invited to attend this meeting and state their views on the Prohibition questate their views on the Prohibition questate their views on the Prohibition by

ANNIVERSARY MEETING OF THE Young Women's Christian Association, Wesley Hall. Tuesday. May 20, 8 p.m. Mrs. Alice Calder Stock and Mrs. Leute will sing. Miss Florence Simms, Y. W. C. A. state secretary of Michigan, will give an address.

KILWINNING LODGE, NO. 64, A., F. and A. M.—A regular meeting of Kilwinning Lodge, No. 64, A., F. and A. M., will be held in the lodge room on Friday, the 16th inst., at 7:30 o'clock p.m. The District Deputy Grand Master will now an official visit. A full attendance pay an official visit. A full attendance of members is requested. Visitors wel-come. C. F. Neu. M.D., W. M.; John Overell, secretary.

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the city. Renwick estate lots at very
low prices. W. D. BUCKLE.

Auction Sale, Farms, Farm Stock, Etc. James A. Dawson, village of Lambeth, Westminster: Friday, May 23, 1992. Household furniture and effects. Sale at 1:30 p.m. A. M. Hunt, auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD furniture.—Thomas Clark has received in structions from Miss Dean to sell at Smith street, second house south of Trafalgar street, at 1 o'clock p.m., Tuesday, May 20, the following viz.: One sideboard, dining-room chairs, lounges, pictures, rocking-chairs, smail tables, curtains and poles, tapestry and other carpets, bedroom suite, feather beds and piliows, mattresses, one Art Souvenir baseburner with oven, one cook stove (coal or wood), crockery, glassware. (coal or wood), crockery, glassware, wash-tubs, wringer, lawn mower and numerous other articles.

CLARK, auctioneer.

THOMAS

AUCTION SALE, ON TUESDAY, MAY 20th, AT 437 LUFFERIN AVE. NEIL COOPER HAS RECEIVED instructions from F. Sweet, Esq., to sell contents of cottage, comprising in part parlor suite, carpets, dining-room, bedroom and kitchen furniture, square baseburner, Happy Thought, range, oil stove, incubator, sundry other articles. Sale at 10:30. NEIL COOPER, auctioneer. 860

### AUCTION SALE

At Jones' Auction Rooms, Tuesday, May 20, at 10.30 a. m. ONE OPEN BUGGY, 1 CART, 1 LADY'S ONE OPEN BUGGY, 1 CART, 1 LADY'S saddle, 1 harness, 1 piano, 3 organs, 1 Royal Hampton bicycle, 1 Stearns do, 1 typewriter, 2 good baby carriages, 3 parlor suites, 2 mantel clocks, 1 hall stand and chair, 1 gun-case, 1 office table, 2 lounges, 3 bookcases, 1 oak desk, 2 center tables, 3 sewing machines, 3 bedroom suites, 4 bedsteads, springs and mattresses, 1 oak folding bed, 1 fine oak wardrobe, 2 do dark, 2 whatnots, lot pictures, 4 sideboards, 1 dining-table and 6 chairs, 1 cherry mantel, 6 washstands, 3 bureaus, lot trunks, 2 gasoline stoves, 1 lawn lot trunks, 2 gasoline stoves, 1 l mower, etc. J. W. JONES, mower, etc.

NORTHWEST MOUNTED POLICE. RECRUITS WANTED. RECRUITS WANTED.

An Officer will be at the Grigg House, on 26th, 27th and 28th May, for the purpose of engaging recruits for the Northwest Mounted Police.

Applicants must be between the ages of twenty-two and thirty-five and unmarried.

Minimum height, 5 feet 8 inches; minibunks and it was with difficulty that mum chest measurement, 35 inches; maximum weight, 175 lbs. Term of en-

pox and the crowd fled. SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED TO the undersigned; and indorsed for Owen Sound Harbor Works, received at this office until Monday. 26th May instant, for Dredging at Owen Sound, County of Grey. Ont., according to a plan and specification to be seen at the office of H. A. Gray, Esq., Engineer in charge of harbor works, Ontario, Confederation Life Building, Toronto, on application to the Postmaster of Owen Confederation Life Building, Toronto, on application to the Postmaster of Owen Sound, Ont., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted check on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, for three thousand sollars (\$2000), might accommany of the circus sent for new hands and performers.

thousand dollars (\$3,000), must accompany each tender. The check will be forfelted if the party decline the contract or fall to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-accept ance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to

> There was a tremendous rush to the registration booths last night. The work progressed rather slowly during the day, but in the evening the booths and the registrars had difficulty in registering all who desired it. The total

> The work continued this morning, and the booths will be open again tonight. Every Liberal who has not yet made sure of his vote should see that his name is down. No one should let the fact that he voted at the municipal election keep him from making sure. That is no guarantee that it is on this list. Every man who has the right to vote should call at 238 Dundas

if it is necessary to register. CABLE NOTES. Emperor William offers to present to

the United States a bronze statue of Frederick the Great. During the deliberations at Vereeniging Lord Kitchener has guaranteed immunity from attack to all commandos whose leaders are participating in the Madrid will have fifteen contests in

ners to the poor and distribution of

sponsible sureties.

Papers inserting this notice without authority from the King's Printer will not be paid therefor.

DOUGLAS STEWART you can make rapid advancement, is ... Now ...

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ent of Justice, Ottawa, May 12, 1902. 86c-M17.29,J7 PARCEL DELIVERY. CITY PARCEL EXPRESS-OFFICE removed to 154 Carling street. Parcels called for and delivered to any part of city. Telephone 1.295. C. H. Anderson.

Department of Public Works. Ottawa, 13th May

Ne spapers inserting this advertisement

PENITENTIARY SUPPLIES.

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED "Inspectors of Penitentiaries, Ottawa." and indorsed "Tender for Supplies," will be received until Monday, 16th June, in-

clusive, from parties desirous of contracting for supplies, for the fiscal year 1902-1903, for the following institutions, name-

Kingston Penitentiary, St. Vincent de

Paul Penitentiary, Dorchester Peniten-tiary, Manitoba Penitentiary, British Columbia Penitentiary, Regina Jail, Prince Albert Jail.

Separate tenders will be received for ach of the following classes of supplies:

orage. oal (anthracite and bituminous).

Flour (Canadian strong bakers).

10. Leather and Findings.11. Hardware, Tinware, Paints, etc.

Lumber.
 Details of information as to form of

contract, together with forms of tender, will be furnished on applications to the Wardens of the various institutions.

All supplies are subject to the approval of the Warden or Jailer.
All tenders submitted must specify clearly the institution, or institutions.

which it is proposed to supply, and must bear the indorsation of at least two re-sponsible sureties.

DOUGLAS STEWART, GEO. W. DAWSON, Inspectors of Penitentiaries.

2. Beef and Mutton (fresh).

Coal Oil (in barrels).

8. Drygoods. 9. Drugs and Medicines.

Department of Justice

Cordwood.

without authority from the Department will not be paid for it.

Everybody Knows the Value Of

### Oriental Rum and Quinine Hair Tonic.

It cleans the scalp, nourishes the roots of the hair and is a positive cure for dandruff. This tonic stops the hair from falling out, gives it new life, makes the hair grow beautiful and luxuriant.

ONLY 500 BOTTLE.

Cairneross & Lawrence, Chemists and Druggists,

216 Dundas Street, London, Ont. NEW YORK SAYS DON'T

SPIT ON SIDEWALKS Sanitary Code Amendment Forbids It -Applies Also to Public Resorts.

New York, May 17 .- According to an amended ordinance which was adopted by the health board Wednesday afternoon, spitting upon the side-walks or upon the floors of public halls, of tenement houses, theaters, hotels or other public buildings is to be a misdemeanor and the offender will be liable also to pay a penalty of

\$50 recoverable in a civil action by the city.
Other provisions of the new law provide that all tenement owners, hotel men or theatrical managers shall have printed notices stating the law posted in prominent places and that they shall supply sufficient cuspidors. The new rules will go into effect after they have been printed in the City Record for the required two

LEON WASHBURN'S CIRCUS POISONED

weeks' period.

P rformers Critically Ill and Canvasmen Collapse While at Work. Somerville, N. J., May 17 .- Leon Washburn's circus was sidetracked here Thursday with most of the fifty performers and a number of canvasmen ill from some kind of poison. The circus train arrived here in the morning from Easton, Pa. Most of the canasmen were foun din a stupor in their

enough of them were aroused to pitch The street parade this morning was abandoned as the Italian band and many of the performers were unable to leave the train. The afternoon performance was also given up. Several of the canvasmen who had collapsed while at work were lying about the grounds. The faces of two of the men were covered with an eruption. A report was started that they had small-

The local board of health found that the men were poisoned. The physicians of the board also visited the circus train and gave medical aid to the performers, some of whom were critically ill with symptoms of arsenical poisoning. Proprietor Washburn believed his people were poisoned by drinking water at Morristown, N. J., which was carried to the circus by boys who dipped it from a stream said to contain dye from a woolen mill. The manager

REGISTRARS ARE VERY BUSY MEN

Booths Throughout the City Were Crowded Yesterday.

number of registrations was 658. street, or telephone No. 14, and learn

Your Opportunity

connection with the Spanish coronation

festivities. There will also be free din-

and to secure a good position, where

The place is The Western Ontario Shorthand Academy, 76 Dundas street. Mr. Williams, who received his diploma last week, is employed by the Ontario Wire Mattress Company. We secure a situation for every grad-

Principal WANTED-CITY LOAN COMPANY'S stocks. John Wright, stock broker, Drink Grano Cereal Coffee London, Out. 'Phone 693

W. C. COO, C.S.R.,

### WINDSOR FARMER LEAPS INTO WELL Rabbi Hirsch Says "The Sabbath of

Money Matters.

## WIDOW KILLS SON AND HERSELF

Man Mangled on G. T. R. at Merritton-Chapter of Casualties.

Windsor, Cnt., May 17 .- Moses Labute, a farmer, living on the Banwell road, who committed suicide on Wednesday night by drowning himself in a well, was ill with typhoid fever two months ago and had since suffered melancholia. Since his illness money has been his craze. He owned the 12-acre farm on which he lived and made a comfortable livelihood, but he seldom had any money in the house, and this worried him. Labute leaves a wife and seven children. He was 45 years of age, and was born at Tecumseh.

DROPPED DEAD. Ottawa, May 16.-Geo. Bradshaw, a carpenter employed by ex-Ald. Hope-well, dropped dead this morning while engaged sawing a board. Heart failure was the cause of death.

CHILD BURNED. Montreal, May 17.—The 3-rear-old girl of Harry Dunn, of Outrement. received yesterday. She was playing around a bonfire when her clothes ig-

FOOT CUT OFF. Hamilton, May 17.-Harold Marsh, the 10-year-old son of Henry Marsh, tried to cross the street in front of a trolley car Thursday night and fell on the fender. One of his feet was badly crushed by the fender, and it was found necessary to amputate it today at the hospital. It is probable

TOOK PARIS GREEN. St. John, Que., May 17 .- Hubert Mailloux, aged 48 years, died yesterday at Union Hotel from the effects of a dose of paris green, taken during the night. No cause can be assigned for the rash

KILLED HER SON. Burlington, N. J., May 17 .- Mrs. Helen Sharp, widow of Henry B. Sharp, who committed suicide four months ago, shot and instantly killed her 15year-old son on Thursday and with a razor cut her own throat, almost severing the head from the body. The tragedy was discovered yesterday. Miami, Man., May 16 .- D. A. Peters, B.A., an Englishman, aged 34, committed suicide last night. His body was found in a field a short distance from town. It is supposed he took

FATALLY HURT AT A FIRE. Chicago, May 17 .- The lard refinery of Armour & Co. was destroyed by fire yesterday, and during the fire a number of accidents occurred by which Mamie R. Gifford, Harry Jenning Roch were hurt. The loss of the company is estimated by its officers at between \$750,000 and \$900,000. By far the larger number of those who were hurt met their injuries by the falling of a hog-run way upon which they were standing to obtain a better view of

FOUND ON THE G. T. R. TRACK. Merritton, May 17 .- The mangled remains of a man were found on the G. T. R. Railway track, just west of the Merritton tunnel yesterday. From pepers found on the body the man appears to be Ned MacKenna, 622 Pine avenue, Niagara Falls, N. Y., of the firm of Hancock & MacKenna, insur-ance agents, of that place.

#### FIVE POLICEMEN AND FIVE NEGROES KILLED

In a Bloody Battle at Atlanta, Ga. State Militia Called Out.

Atlanta, Ga., May 17. Three policemen and five negroes were killed this morning in Pittsburg, a suburb of Atlanta, in a battle, as a result of the attempt to capture the negroes, who had waylaid and held up a policeman. The state militia have been ordered out with artillery to attack the houses where the negroes have gathered and entrenched themselves. The entire police reserve in the city is on duty. Later it was reported that five po-

The names of the men killed are: City Policeman Tom Grant, City Policeman Ed. Crabtree, County Policeman Bob Osborne, Bailiff Battey.

licemen were dead.

Fatally injured-Owen Heard. The officers burned the house which the negro who was doing the shooting was barricaded, but the desperado escaped to one adjoining. Call Officer Spradin was shot through

the arm by the negro as he darted out of the burning house. Every policeman in Atlanta, armed with a Winchester, is on the scene. The excitement is intense, and there are many

### BURNING BUNIONS.

Do you suffer from bunions? they pain, ache and burn till they make walking almost impossible? Try FOOT ELM in your shoes, and the relief you will get will be almost magicai. FOOT ELM relieves burning bunions, and soothes sensitive corns. There is nothing like it for all troubles of the feet. Price 25 cents a box of 18 powders. Sold by all druggists or sent by mail on receipt of price.

A. STOTT & JURY, BOWMAN-

city from an elevation of 150 feet of the mean annual temperature of



Wood's Phosphodine is sold in London y C. McCallum & Co., and Anderson & elles druggists.

#### THE INSPIRATION OF THE SABBBTH DAY

Suicided Through Worry Over Chicago, May 17.—The Sabbath of the Jews is dead. Let us bury it. God never ordained the Sabbath. It is an institution of man. Only millionaires and peddlers can observe the Jewish Sabbath in these days of activity. Sunday, to all intents and purposes, has become our day of rest.

The inspiration of the Sabbath canbe restored only by participating in the flood of life about us and recognizing as our day of rest the day set apart by the nations in which we live. These declarations were made last evening by Dr. Emil G. Hirsch, in the course of a sermon at Israel Temple, in which he urged the substitution by the Jews of Sunday for the Sabbath

#### THE KIND OF WORK DONE BY PAINE'S CELERY COMPOUND

Mrs. S W. Sullivan, of Orillia, Ont., Had Rheumatism So Bad She Could Not Raise Her Hands to Her Head, and Could Not Walk Owing to Pains and Stiffness of Joints.

Atter the Use of Two Bottles of Paine's Celery Compound Her Agonies and Pains Are Banished, and She Finds Herself as Strong as Ever Be ore.

True merit, prompt and effective results and astonishing cures, have giv-

Paine's Celery Compound is today the only spring medicine asked for and bought by thoughtful and discerning people. For the treatment of serious diseases, such as rheumatism, neuralgia, nervous disorders and blood troubles, Paine's Celery Compound has no

equal. The credft of Paine's Celery Compound has advanced to such a high eminence that among the millions who use it we find the names of millionaires, bankers, professional men, wealthy merchants and women of note. All have made it their chosen remedy for the cure of all chronic diseases and for the banishment of the little ailments that often make life miserable. Paine's Celery Compound, in the opinion of the leading druggists and physicians, has displaced nearly all seventeen people were injured, four of the common advertised medicines of whom will probably die. Jennie Smith, the day. This great work has been stenographer, will probably die; Mrs. accomplished only by merit and gen-Morris Schwader, cut about head; uine cures. Rheumatism, neuralgia Mabel Morse, Mrs. F. H. Fraser, Mrs. and nervous disorders take flight in pound is used for a time. Why delay the work of health building when such a life-giver is within your reach? Test its efficacy this very day. Mrs. Sul-

livan writes as follows: "I was so badly afflicted with rheumatism that I could not raise my hands to my head, and often could not walk owing to pains and stiffness be terminated at any time, it involves of joints. At night I rarely slept owhaustion. I commenced to use Paine's that vicinity. On the other hand, recing to nervousness and feelings of ex-Celery Compound, and soon found myself greatly relieved, and after use of the first bottle my pains and nervous feelings were banished. In order to make the cure complete, I used the second bottle of Paine's Celery Compound, and now I am strong as ever before. I sleep well, appetite is always good, and my digestive vigor all that I could wish for."

### \$1,000 OFFERED IN CASH PRIZES

To Be Given at Toronto, London and Ottawa Exhibitions.

Live Stock Judging Competition-Natural History-Poultry, Photography, Grain.

The Massey-Harris Company, Toronto, are offering \$1,000 in cash prizes for the benefit of the agricultural and horticultural community, with a view to increasing the interest in the industrial exhibitions to be held this fall at London, Toronto and Ottawa. There will be live stock judging competitions, open only to farmers or to farmers' sons under 25 years of age. First, second, third and fourth prizes, of \$10, and in the agricultural sections, the \$7, \$5 and \$3 respectively, will be awarded at the Western Fair at London, for the best judging of dairy cattle, beef cattle, sheep and swine. Three prizes of \$6, \$4, and \$2 50 will be awarded for the best collections of the most injurious weeds, also for the best collections of Canadian flowering plants suitable for cultivation in gardens and school grounds. The competition is open to school children resident in Canada.

Prizes of \$7, \$5 and \$3 will be awarded for the best collection of 350 insects injurious to Canadian agriculture or horticulture. In this natural history competition, the method of mounting, labeling and the general appearance of the collections will be taken into con-

sideration in awarding prizes. The rising of the instrument shelter of the weather bureau in New York give three prizes of \$7, \$5 and \$3, open to all amateur and professional phoabove the street to an elevation of 300 tographers, for the best and most arfeet has caused an apparent lowering tistic agricultural landscape, showing in the picture one or more Massey-Harris machine at work.

This enterprising company has also remembered the wives and daughters of farmers, to whom prizes will be given for the best exhibits of poultry and of eggs. Awards will be made to farmers or farmers' sons for the best bareback riding on horses, which have never won public money in a race. Prizes are to be given for the best sets of plans for farm barns and farm houses, also for the best collection of

Applications and entries should be made direct to J. A. Nelles, Esq., sec-retary Western Fair, London.

### TRADE IS MORE ACTIVE, MOVEMENTS IN THE

But Warmer Weather is the One The Candidates and the Prehibition Thing Needful.

Canadian Industries in Good Form-Over the Border.

Toronto, May 16 .- Bradstreet's trade

review, weekly summary: Canadian trade is a trifle more active, but warm weather is the one thing needed. Industry is active, and railroads and the principal lines generally are active. Failures for the week number 22, against 22 last week, and 24 in this week a year ago. Clearings for the week aggregate \$46,691,614, a decrease of 11 per cent from last week, but a gain of 11 per cent over

last year.
At Montreal this week there has been a fair amount of activity in wholesale trade circles for this season of the year, considering the backward weather. The shipping business is very active, and the railways are busy bringing grain and other produce from interior points for export. Values of staple goods continue to be very firmly held. Mills refuse to make concessions on cotton goods.

Wholesale trade at Toronto has been moderately active this week. A change to warmer weather would make a great difference in the demand for goods in certain important departments of trade. On other wholesale lines trade has been very fair. The conditions of trade are generally healthy. Country remittances are very fair.

At Quebec the cool weather has had

a dampening effect on the demand for summer goods. General trade conditions are healthy, and the prospects generally point to a good summer's trade. Some of the shoe factories are

busy. Shipping is active.

Business at Hamilton is fairly active. Travelers' orders are quite numerous and well distributed, and reports of the condition of business throughout the country appear to be satisfactory. Values of goods generally are firmly held. Payments are fairly good.

There is a good active demand for staple goods at Winnipeg. The outlook for trade is promising, and with a good spell of fine weather trade would show a marked improvement. Trade at the Pacific coast circles has been quiet and collections are dis-

appointing. The prospects for trade, however, are encouraging. The various provincial industries are busy, good wages are being paid, and values are firmly held in most lines. At London this week there has been a fair inquiry in jobbing circles from the retailers, and considerable shipments are being made. The demand at retail centers is restricted by the

fact that farmers are busy with spring work. The deliveries of grain are light for the same reason. Payments are fairly good for this season. Business at Ottawa has been moderately active. The inquiry for goods from the country continues good, considering the weather conditions. The outlook for trade is bright.

OVER THE LINE. tors in the business situation. cessive moisture and low temperature made the crop outlook more uncertain, and much depends on a continuance of prosperity in the agricultural sections. Work was suspended in the anthracite coal mines on Monday, and although the interuption may a vast army of men. The loss in wages must soon be felt by storekeepers in ord-breaking distribution of pay in the Pittsburg region accelerated retail trade, while resumption of woolen and other mills added largely to the active force. The transporting lines continue make splendid exhibits, railway earnings for the first week of May exceeding those of a year ago by 6 per

As was indicated by weekly reports, pig iron production attained a new record for the month of April at 1,503,-326 tons, and the weekly capacity of furnaces in blast on May 1, according to the Iron Age, was 352,064 tons, far surpassing all previous high water

Footwear manufacturers at the east report an increased volume of orders from western jobbers, but wholesalers in the principal eastern centers are placing few fall contracts. In the drygoods market there is evidence of increased buying for fall and next spring, but only small supplementary orders for the present season. Cold weather has retarded jobbing trade at many Bradstreet's report-Conditions of

track lack uniformity and explain irregularity in advices from different sections. The pre-eminent feature is, of course, the favorable character of nearly all crop advices (winter wheat excepted), but even here the improvement since May 1 has neutralized much that was unfavorable before. The shadow overhanging eastern trade in the shape of a general anthracite coal strike, has deepened with the formal suspension of work and the Cool strike announcement. hitherto has retarded retail demand, population has been busily engaged. Hence, present demand has suffered. Cash wheat, flour and corn are all higher on the week; hog products have advanced; hides are at about the highest point in years. The strength of hides furnishes support to leather, which is rather quiet in the east but reports more activity at western points.

Business failures for the week number 190, as against 179 last week; 192 in this week last year; 155 in 1900; 168 in 1899, and 211 in 1898.

### The Death Record.

Toronto, May 17 .- The death occurred yesterday of Stephen Maule Jarvis in his 80th year. Mr. Jarvis had suf-fered from paralysis for a year. He was the third son of the late Col. F. S. Jarvis, usher of the black rod to the legislative assembly of Upper Can-ada. He came to Canada in 1834, and was one of the first boys in Upper Canada College. He was for three years an alderman. He leaves a widow and three sons-Thomas Stinson Jarvis, of New York; S. J. Jarvis, of Fort William, and E. R. Jarvis, of Toronto.

Mr. S. F. Bastedo, deputy minister of fisheries, and Mr. Aemilius Irving, K.C., will represent the Ontario Government at the fisheries conference to be held in Ottawa on May 20. A woman's idea of good luck is to find a pair of hose in the wash that don't need darning

## ONTARIO CAMPAIGN

Question-Notes by the Way.

Toronto, May 17 .- Mr. L. C. Peake, secretary of the Toronto Prohibitory Union, has made public the following letter addressed to him by Mr. W. B.

"Dear Sir,-Replying to your question submitted to me on May 3, I desire to say that I am in hearty accord with the action of the government. My future course will be guided very largely by the results of the referendum on the 4th of December next. W.

"No reply," Mr. Peake states, "has yet been received from the Socialist candidate. Mr. Foy, the Conservative and traffic saturday. Victoria opposition to prohibition and the present bill."

RETIRING MEMBERS. The following members of the late legislature are not in the field for election to the new parliament: Algoma (East) C. F. Farewell, Liberal; Bruce (Center), A. Malcolm, Liberal; Durham (East), W. A. Fallis, Conservative; Glengarry, D. R. McDonald, Conservative; Hastings (North) W. J. Allen, Conservative; Huron (West), Hon. J. T. Garrow, Liberal; Lendox, B. E. Aylesworth, Liberal; Nipissing, Lendox, Labert Laboration of the conservative John Loughrin, Liberal; Parry Sound, W. R. Beatty, Liberal; Peterboro (East), T. Blezard, Liberal; Prince Edward, W. R. Dempsey, Conservative. In addition Mr. T. A. Wardell, former Conservative member and candidate for North Wentworth, died shortly after nomination, necessitating a candidate new to the political

PROSPECTIVE MEETINGS. Monday, May 19.-Premier Ross at

Chatham; Mr. Davis at Strathroy; Mr. Gibson at Walkerton. Tuesday, May 20-Premier Ross at Simcoe (afternoon). Wednesday, May 21-Mr. Dryden at

Wellesley village; Mr. Davis at Ravenshoe; Mr. Stratton at Cobourg (even-Thursday, May 22 (nomination day)

-Premier Ross at Mount Brydges.
Friday, May 23-Premier Ross at
Windsor; Mr. Whitney at Napanee.
Monday, May 26-Mr. Whitney at Massey Hall.
Tuesday, May 27—Premier Ross at
Massey Hall.

Several hundred people assembled

at Tara, on Friday, to hear Mr. Whitney address the electors of North probitionists of South Wentworth have nominated as their candidate Mr. John B. Petit. Mr. Boyd, the North Grey Conservative candidate, and Mr. Whitney delivered addressed at Owen Sound on

Thursday night.

Canadian Casualties in Africa. Ottawa, May 17 .- Lord Minto received the following list of casualties from the casualty department: Dangerously ill of enteric fever, May 14 at Vryburg-2nd C. M. R., Emerson Tiffin; May 14 at Potchefstroom, S. A. C. Edwin Samuel Woods. Please inform

father, Samuel Woods, New Westminster, B. C. Dangerously ill, enteric New York, May 16.-R. G. Dun & fever, at Vryburg-Farrier Surgeon J. Co.'s review: Weather and wages P. Margeson. He enlisted at Halifax, continue the seriously disturbing fac-continue the seriously disturbing fac-Ex-N. S. Tiffin enlisted at Kingston, Ont. SOUTH AUSTRALIA ELECTIONS. London, May 17 .- A dispatch from Adelaide, South Australia, reports that in the general election under the new constitution all the members of the

> practically unchanged, except as regards the Labor party, which has lost three seats. Mr. Barton, the premier of Australia, goes to London free and unin-structed. He will oppose colonial re-

presentation at Westminster.

ministry have been elected. The rela-

#### RICH GOLD STRIKE REPORTED AT NOME

Yielding \$57 to the Ton-Gold in a Michigan Gravel Pit.

Nelson, B.C., May 16 .- A rich strike of gold ore has been made on the Nome fraction, near Ymir, where a vein averaging eight feet in width and assaying \$59 to the ton has been discovered. Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., May 16 .- Gild has been discovered in a gravel pit owned by R. J. Stuart, three miles from this

ed by R. J. Stuart, three miles from this city. Several days ago the workmen uncovered an apparently large deposit of black sand, heavily mineralized with iron pyrites, and a test has now developed the fact that the precious metal is also present in liberal quantity.

Dawson, Y. T., May 16.—The river is now open from Dawson to Labarge. The mail at Hootalinqua is on the way down, and traffic is expected to be open on Saturday.

Victoria Day will be celebrated here with great enthusiasm by races and sports. The funds for the prizes, etc., already amount to over \$3,000.

#### Dangers in Kidney Diseases.

Any person who gives the matter even casual thought will realize the dangers that follow in the wake of kidney diseases, yet it is a fact that but very few people who are afflicted give the subject the careful consideration its dangers demand.

It is a matter of current knowledge that Bright's Disease and Diabetes are considered incurable. This is because even physicians have neglected the care and treatment of these diseases, except in a general way.

Dr. Albert Wesley Kahle, of 190 Delaware avenue, Buffalo, N. Y., has made a specialty of the kidneys and the diseases that beset them. He has mastered the intricacies of these organs and originated a system of treatment that makes cures not only possible, but

eminently probable. First checking the onrush of disease, he applies a system of rebuilding the strength to such a point that the disease may be beaten entirely out. Bright's Disease, Diabetes, and other kindred complaints, respond quickly to Dr. Kahle's treatment, so that the victim finds quick relief while a permanent cure is being effected.

Your Nerves Are Weak.

You sleep badly, appetie variable. You eat, but gain no strength. Morning tiredness makes you wish it were night. When night comes, refreshing sleep is hard to obtain. You're run down, your blood is thin and watery, your nerves have grown weak, the thought of effort wearies you. You need Ferrozone; it makes blood—red. strong blood. An appetite? You'll eat everything, and digest it, too. Strength? That's what plenty of food gives. Ferrozone gives hope, vigor, vim, endurance. Use Ferrozone and get strong. Sold by W. T. Strong & Co. Your Nerves Are Weak.

Halladay's Black Marvel Polish "Marvel Polish" is made on honor. The intelligent study of its use insures utmost benefit and satisfaction. It benefits all leather shoes and is proven best by every test. Marvel Polish is oil, and preserves shoes. never injures them. Sold at the leading grocer.

Charity covers a multitude of socelled sacred concerts. Some men waste a lot of time wishing it were tomorrow. THEY ADVERTISE THEMSELVES .-

public. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills became popular because of the good report they made for themselves. That reputation has grown, and they now rank among the first medicines for use in attacks of dyspensia and billionspace. tacks of dyspepsia and biliousness, complaints of the liver and kidneys, rheumatism, fever and ague, and the innumerable complications to which these allments gave rise. tive strength of the parties remains Truth never dodges up an alley, no

matter whom it meets. If you want your wife to act like an angel treat her like one. As a comfortable seat a good rock-ing-chair beats a throne all hollow.

# Tell Me Somebody

Who Wants To Get Well.

Let Me Tell Him My Way. I Will Pay the Cost, If It Fails.

I want not a penny from you. All I ask is the name of a sick one-simply a postal, stating which book I shall send. I wish to explain a treatment that I spent a lifetime in learning. Then let the sick one decide if he wants it. If he tries it and fails, I will pay every penny of the

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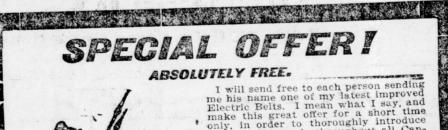
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#### News in a Nutshell.

Lord Minto presented long-service medals to a number of the Governor-General's Foot Guards.

The bylaw for the installation of a Hamilton master barbers held a meeting and decided to advance prices for nearly all classes of their work.

Fire gutted the warehouse, office and workshop of W. A. Case & Co., manufacturers of engineers' and plumbers' supplies. Buffalo. Loss \$130,000.

H. Saxe and D. Levi, of M. Saxe & Sons, wholesale clothiers, Montreal, have been committed for trial on charges of conspiring to defraud their

Moenche's tannery, one of the principal industries of Cataragus, N. Y., was destroyed by fire Friday midnight The plant was valued at \$300,000 and employed 400 men.

W. L. Parish, secretary of the Northwestern Grain Dealers' Association, of Winnipeg, Man., says that from reports received, it is estimated that not Disease. He endured much pain and more than 4,000,000 bushels of wheat remain in the farmers' hands. A special from Charlottetown, P. E.

I., says that a boat containing Frank upset by a squall at Cable Head. Mc-Kenzie was drowned, and McCallum, who clung to the upturned boat, was rescued in an exhausted condition.

Col. Otter, D. O. C., has ruled that no officers in his district shall be allowed to resign their commissions to secure a place on the coronation con-"This is not a contingent of officers," Col. Otter said, "I desire to give the non-commissioned officers and

man every chance." It is understood, says a Toronto dispatch, that negotiations are in progress towards the merging of the Globe Savings and Loan Company with the Investment and Loan Company. The probability is that the latter company will take over the business of the Globe Savings and Loan Company.

the serum treatment of diphtheria is show 3,989 settlers and 677 carloads of in use. In these the mortality is from effects. The number of settlers taken 12 to 13 per cent, whereas in the one hospital where it is not used the mor- 1.684. tality is 64.7 per cent.—Indianapolis

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The Heroism of Living.

live rightly, loyal to truth and cour- a colt gun, maxim and pom-pom, were ageously steadfast to duty, with an honest, constant effort to see truth and our rear. Lieut. Carruthers, with the municipal telephone system at Fort duty clearly and intelligently-that is third and fourth troops, E squadron, William carried by a majority of 272. another and a harder task, says the Nashville American. To die requires convoy, instead of following the conno effort. To escape death is impos- voy into camp, remained near the post sible. But what a fine, brave thing it referred to as an observation post and is to live for the truth's sake, in face sent into camp for orders. The enemy, of the maledictions of the ignorant and the slanders of the malevolent. prepared to attack, and their two guns There is a heroism in such living which the base mind cannot know.

MR. WINKELMAN OF STANLEY

British Columbia Gentleman Who Has Found a Remedy for Acute Kidney Disease.

Stanley, B. C., May 12.-Mr. L. Winkelman, of this place, is enthusiastic over his restoration to good health. This gentleman had been suffering for a long period with Acute Kidney distress, and although he had tried many remedies, he found no abatement whatever in his portion of suffering. At last by the advice of a friend he began men of the third and fourth troops, McKenzie and H. C. McCallum was a treatment of Dodd's Kidney Pills. He was cured, and now he says: "I can hardly express in words the good Dodd's Kidney Pills have done me. For the benefit of suffering humanity as well as to show my thankfulness, I make this statement."

INTERCHANGEABLE MILEAGE. Kansas City, Mo., May 17 .- A sysem of interchangeable mileage, for use on the railroads in the territory west of the Missouri and Mississippi Rivers, east of the Rocky Mountains, and from the Canadian line south to the Gulf of Mexico, has been agreed upon at a meeting of general passenger

agents in this city. BIG INCREASE IN SETTLERS. Toronto, May 17.-The returns of the number of settlers and carloads of effects taken to the west during the nine weeks ended April 29, as given out by In all but one of the Berlin hospitals the Manitoba immigration office here, out during March and April, 1901, was

LORD PAUNCEFOTE'S CONDITION. Washington, May 1.-It was stated at the British embassy this forenoon Pauncefote's condition. London, May 17 .- The foreign office

officials here say there is no truth in the report circulated in the United States that Lord Pauncefote, the British ambassador at Washington, has requested that, on account of the state of his health, his resignation be

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# THE FIGHTING AT

Especially Gallant Stand Made "I have mentioned a few individual incidents, showing the spirit disby Canadians.

COL. EVANS' OFFICIAL REPORT

Rear Guard Attacked by Largely Superior Force - Splendid Stand Made by Carruthers' Party.

Ottawa, May 1.-Militia orders issued today contain a report by Col. Evans on the Kleinhart's River fight:

Lieut.-Col. T. D. B. Evans, C.B., commanded the 2nd Regiment, C. M. R., in the action of Kleinhart's River on the 14th March, 1902:

"31st March-The first and second wing marched with the main body and as escort to the baggage. The object er, and to go into camp within reasonable distance of the above point.

and two guns, who could only be a specially noticed by the officer comfew miles ahead. A few minutes later manding the columns. the enemy was sighted. I was ordered to hold the right wing back until Major Cameron came up with the context of the following morning. Their losses way. The remainder of the column given by one of their surgeons was galloped forward. When the advanced party, composed of about 60 men, at work through the whole night and party, composed of about 60 men, at work through the whole night and reached Lieut. Callaghan, they gal- when we marched out the following loped up to get the guns.

Boers Open Fire.

The advanced party at once dismounted and opened fire, being largely outwounded, and fifteen horses killed. "The main column then came in sight and the Boers' rear guard retired. The Boers' main body, when the main column galloped into view, showed up ing 2,500, and retired slowly towards graves is shown in the sketch herein great force, the lowest estimate bethe low ridges. They appeared to be contemplating an immediate attack on the portion of the column in view. the portion of the column in view.

About this time, however, the convoy division appeared in sight, and as the appeared in sight, and as the wagons were moving across country in line through the night, the affair was over. instead of in column on the road, its appearance with the right wing C. M. with included the flower of the Boer rounding it, gave the effect of a very present with their commandos: Delarge and additional body of troops, larey, Dewet, Kemp, Van Zyl, Potand I believe this to some extent delarge. Welmanner Mans Devillier.

enveloped in a cloud of dust. "On arrival at Boschbull farm, our laagered, wired together, and we commenced entrenching. The enemy outnumbered us by at least 500. A post a night attack the camp was in every "It is easy to die." But to live and of mounted infantry, about 200, with was prepared to meet and repel it." left at the farm, about 600 yards in who formed the rear guard of the now realizing our inferior strength, and pom-poms opened on the camp. From 2 p.m. until 5 p.m. the camp was subjected to a tremendous rifle and shell fire, concentrated from three was driven back by our steady and

well-directed fire. Enemy Used Methuen's Guns "At about 5 p.m. the enemy withdrew. Their artillery fire, though well

directed, inflicted comparatively little damage, as few of their shells exploded. Their guns were those taken from Methuen. The concentration of the rifle fire was very severe, and to this the casualties were chiefly due. "While the camp was being attacked P. E squadron, had moved off to the right of the farm. Sergt. Hodgins. with another party of the third and of Lieut. Carruthers. Still further to the right was a detached post of about 75 mounted infantry. Several hundred Boers swept down on this post on the right, stampeding the mounted infantry, who galloped through the line occupied by our men. Lieut. Car-

fourth E squadron, was to the right ruthers, assisted by Sergt. Perry, Cor-Sergt. Hodgins, whose men were being swept off in the stampede, rallied about ten of them and dismounted to meet the attack.

Splendid Stand. "The splendid stand made by Lieut. Carruthers' party, without cover of any kind and against overwhelming odds, was well worthy of the best traditions of Canada and the whole empire. Before their ammunition was exhausted, 15 out of 21 were either killed or wounded. Sergt. Perry, although hadly wounded, fought until he was fighting until he was shot through the eye. He then threw the bolt of his rifle into the long grass to render it useless to the enemy. Private Evans. although mortally wounded through the bowels, exhausted his own ammunition, secured another bandolier,

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used it up, and as the Boers were making their final rush, he broke his rifle, rendering it useless. Pte. Evans KLEINHART'S RIVER

died shortly after being brought into camp. Pte. Minchin, although wounded in six places, fired his last shot when the Boers were only 25 yards off, and threw his rifle bolt into the

> played by this party, but an equal invincible courage and devotion to duty was displayed by Lieut. Carruthers and every man of the party with him. The coolness and steadiness of the whole regiment in its first action was very remarkable, and the effect of the leavening of tried men, about 25 per cent, was plainly visible. "Our total casualties were about 9 per cent of our strength.

"The total number of losses in the regiment for the day, during the engagement, were 9 killed-8 non-commissioned officers and men; wounded, 3 officers, 39 non-commissioned officers and men; missing, 7 non-commissioned officers and men; horses killed, destroyed and lost, 11; mules killed or destroyed, 22.

#### Medical Corps Were Brave.

"The work of the regimental medical staff and detachments of the 10th Canadian Field Hospital, now attached, deserves special mention. columns marched at 3 a.m. The right In all 200 casualties occurred in our force, and the wounded were dressed and attended to under as severe a rifle the left under Major Cameron, acted fire and a heavier shell fire than any other portion of the camp was exposed to. One patient was killed while his of the march was a reconnoissance in wound was being dressed, and several force to the junction of Brakespruit others received wounds. At least 20 and Hart's River. The remainder of the shells fell within a radius of ten yards division was to follow a few hours lat- of the ambulances, and four of the mules of the Canadian section were killed. Had the shells exploded the field hospital would have been blown "At about 10 a.m. Lieut, Callaghan out of existence. The work of Surand two scouts were sent to the right to look for tracks of the enemy. He collent control and arrangement of the cellent control and arrangement of the struck their trail and sent word back field hospital work for the two colthat he was on the trail of about 500 umns by Surgeon-Major Devine, was

morning. "April 14. - At 11 a.m., in a heavy downpour of rain, I read the burial When this party had gone about three miles they were opened on by a strong Boer rear guard, concealed in the garden of Boschbull farm, just strong Boer rear guard, concealed in the bush about a farm house and clumps of bushes to the right and left.

Were placed at the head of each placed at the head of each were placed at the he grave, and a rough carved tombstone, inscribed, To the memory of the Can-adian Mounted Rifles who fell in acnumbered. Within five minutes this party had two men killed and nine tion here on the 31st March,' surtion here on the 31st March,' surtion here on the 31st March,' surtion here on the 31st March,' surticular in the center of the surticular in the surticul mounted by a maple leaf, in the center of the plot. At the foot of the stone a bottle inclosed a list of the dead, and their position in the grave was placed. The situation of the

"About 12:30 p.m., the mounted men "The force we had come in contact in advance and the left wing sur- army, the following leaders being and I believe this to some extent deceived the enemy, as the convoy was reveloped in a cloud of dust information received, they expected to have been in possession of our camp force went into camp, had the wagons by 5 p.m., and their heavy loss ap parently deterred them from making a further attempt. Had they made

#### ROLL OF HONOR

Names of C. M. R. Men, 2nd Regt Commended for Good Work in Hart's River Fight.

Ottawa, May 17 .- Following is the list of names mentioned by Col. Evans, commanding the 2nd Regiment Canadian Mounted Rifles to the officer sides, but every attempt to approach commanding Cookson's column for good work performed at the engagement at Boschbull on the 31t March, 1902: Surgeon-Major J. A. Devine, 2nd C. M. R.; Surgeon-Major H. R. Duff, 2nd C. M. R.: Lieut. Roberts, 10th C. F. Hospital; No. 52, Pte. H. S. Kelly, 2nd C. M. R. (acting as temporary medical orderly). Catarrh without nervousness is very These officers and this man mentioned rare, but pelvic catarrh and nervousattended to the wounded during the whole engagement, under a constant shell and musketry fire. Lieut. T. H. Callaghan, 2nd C. M. R.; No. 56, Pte. J. M. Todd, 2nd C. M. R.; No. 705, Pte. P. Hendrys (wounded), took up and Lieut. Carruthers' party, about 21 followed the trail of one of the enemy's columns, who had guns with it; Lieut. Bruce Carruthers, 2nd C. M. R., was in command of rear guard of convoy; re- est exhaustion. This is a very commained in rear of camp as observation mon sight and is almost always due to post; his troop, which was extended, pelvic catarrh. was enveloped by a large body of the enemy; he rallied and dismounted his troop (composed of about 21 men), and a disease that can be permanently they fought to a finish against large cured. odds, their total casualties being three killed, twelve wounded and three missing; they are supposed to be dead. No. 157, Sergt. J. C. Perry, 2nd C. M. R. (killed); No. 166, Corp. J. Wilkinand Pte. McCall, kept his men in hand, dismounted them and formed in a half-moon shape to face the Pears half-moon shape to face the Boers. Lieut. Carruthers, rallied his troops; 185, Pte. G. McBeth, 2nd C. M. R., under a heavy fire, assisted Lieut. Carruthers to get the wounded into a place of shelter; No. 175, C. N. Evans, 2nd C. M. R., died of wounds, exhausted his own ammunition after he was mortally wounded, secured another bandolier and used it up, then broke his rifle so that it would be of no use to the enemy, and died after he was brought into camp. Was one of Lieut. Carruthers' party. Lieut. R. H. Ryan, 2nd C. M. R., was shot in the arm, had his wound dressed, immediately returned to his post, and remained there for the rest of the day and killed. Corporal Wilkinson, shot twice the night. Capt. R. G. E. Leckie, through the arm and body, continued Capt. H. E. Thackeray. Lieut. G. H. Kirkpatrick, Lieut. R. Marshall played great zeal in arranging the trenches and wire defenses of my portion of the camp.'

#### Telegraphic Briefs.

Toronto's tax rate is to be 191/2 mills on the dollar. The schools at Lethbridge have had

to be closed on account of a measles Public School Inspector Hughes, of Toronto, is asked to withdraw his resignation, the offer being made to in- 593,565. The increase in almost all rease his salary to \$4,000 and make him superintendent of education for the city.

George Healy, perhaps the best the forest, \$1,450,261; animals and proknown of Grand Trunk station conduce, \$1,749,844; agriculture, \$7,714,275; stables in the Dominion, died at Tomanufactures, \$1,744,716. For April the ronto on Thursday of pneumonia. For increases are: Fisheries, \$398,863; proronto on Thursday of pneumonia. For increases are: Fisheries, \$398,863; pro-85 years he was station constable, and duots of the forest, \$208,238; animais Manufactures ......

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## PELVIC CATARRH.

Always Half Sick Are the Women Who Have Pelvic Ca-

Catarrh of any organ, if allowed to progress, will affect the whole body. Catarrh without nervousness is very

ness go hand in hand. What is so distressing a sight as a poor half-sick, nervous woman, suffering from the many almost unbearable symptoms of pelvic catarrh She does not consider herself ill enough to go to bed, but she is far from being able to do her work without the great-It is worse than foolish for so many

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"I wish to add my testimony to the Miss Nellie Weaver, 2,031 South life-saving value of your most excel-

"I was sick with indigestion and that I thought I would never regain and many kinds of medicine, but trial. I gained in health and strength and consider Peruna the best remedy as it was good for so many ailments as it was good for so many ailments and might be beneficial to me. I sent Mary F. Bartholomew, St. Francis- for a bottle, and I was so weak that I could not sit up in bed. After taking Peruna for two days I was able to sit up and eat anything that I wanted. "I am now well and getting stronger and gaining in flesh every day. Thanks

> MRS. B. F. ELLIS. If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Pe-

Address Dr. Hartman, President of expected to see me well again."- the Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

opened, he was appointed gateman. He \$3,277,391; manufactures, \$348,572. Exwas a veteran of the Crimean war and amining in detail the exports for the

Large Increases in Canada's Ex-

ports and Imports.

Details of the Periods in 1900 and 1901 Compared.

trade for the ten months ending April exports of manufactures occur the fol-30 amounted to \$333,522,149, an increase of \$27,446,220 over the same iron, \$146,000; leather, \$58,000; crease of \$27,446,220 over the same iron, \$146,000; leather, \$58,000; boots pimply or blotchy. That is telling the period of last year. The imports for and shoes, \$10,000; whisky, \$18,000; story in a few words. the ten months, exclusive of coin and metals other than named, \$29,000; orbullion, totalled \$157,779,329, a better- gans, \$7,000; oilcake, \$15,000; house furment of \$14,836,909. For the month of \$12,000. April only the increase was \$3.116.321. For the ten months the exports of domestic products only, excluding coin and bullion, aggregated \$158,190,-071, or \$13,669,168 ahead of the first ten months of the preceding year. For the month of April the exports reached a total of \$13,643,198, a gain of \$4,lines of exorts have been very marked.

in 1896, when the new Union depot was and their produce, \$305,059; agriculture, menth, agriculture makes the biggest showing. The increases are made up as follows: Wheat, \$2,833,000; hay, 000, and green apples, \$11,000. It is quite evident that times are prosperous with the farmers. The grain under the head of animals and their products is accounted for by an increased export of bacon. The growth in forest proof planks and boards. The chief increases in fish products are lobsters; \$37,000; canned lobsters, \$46.-000; dry and salted cod, \$15,000; canned salmon, \$256,000; other fresh fish, \$20,000; pickled herring, \$7,000; Ottawa, May 17.—Canada's aggregate various other fish, \$9,000. Among the lowing: Explosives, \$50,000; household effects, \$54,000; castings, \$16,000; pig will not do it well, and the skir niture, \$11,000; doors, sash and blinds,

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

The detail is as follows for the ten months periods of 1900 and 1901: Imports. Dutiable goods..... \$80,408,129 \$95,372,429 Free goods...... 56,534,291 Coin and bullion... 3,397,929 Total imports....\$146,340,349 26,245,191 8,685,271 23,065,604 24,515,865 Animals and their produce ....... 48,299,828 50,049,772 29,163,033 14,579,22

Miscellaneous .... Coin and bullion... Total exports, do-mestic produce...\$ Total exports, for-..\$144,806,615 eign produce..... Grand total, for-eign trade...... 14,928,965

306,075,929 FATAL FALL FROM SCAFFOLD. Coaticoake, Que., May 16.-While three men were engaged in repairing a house here yesterday afternoon, the scaffolding collapsed and precipitated ducts is attributable to a large export | them to the ground, a distance of 25 feet. One of the men, Octave Garceau, 64 years of age, was killed, and another man seriously injured. The third man, a son of Garceau, caught hold of the staging and escaped injury.

The Kidneys and the Skin. In the spring the kidneys have much o do. If they are weak or torpid, they stimulates the kidneys, cures and prevents pimples, blotches and all cutaneous eruptions. Don't fail to take it.

Auguste Ste. Armand, jun., of Ottawa, was drowned at Roche Capetaine, a point on the Upper Ottawa, near Des Joachims, Thursday.

DR. A. W. CHASES 25c. is sent direct to the diseased parts by the Improved Blower, Heals the ulcers, clears the air passages, stops droppings in the throat and permanantly curas Catarrh and Hay Fever. Blower free. All dealers, or Dr. A. W. Ches Medicine Co., Toronto and Buffale

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THE LONDON ADVERTISER COM-PANY (Limited.) LONDON, ONTARIO.

London, Saturday May 17.

#### MR. WHITNEY'S ATTITUDE ON

THE LIQUOR QUESTION. The Opposition leader, during the referendum debate, charged Premier Ross with cowardice in introducing that measure, and with a great affectation of boldness-after remaining silent and non-committal on the subject as long as he possibly could-laid down what he terms a policy on the liquor question. He has not touched the subject to any considerable extent during the campaign, excepting to condemn the referendum. His own position is alluded to by himself and his friends as sparingly as possible.

Now what does Mr. Whitney propose to do as regards the license problem? He vauntingly asserts that he is "bold enough to be honest and honest enough to be bold." Let us see how much of boldness and honesty can be found in his deliverances on this vital issue. On March 5 he stated in the House that he was prepared to support legislation to reduce the number of licenses, maintain intact the restrictions, remove the commissioners and inspectors from political and party influences, and enforce the license law honestly and with the whole power of

The last item may be dismissed as a mere rhetorical flourish. It is the duty of any government honestly to enforce the law. Taking the first two features of the programme, so far as they mean anything, they are strictly in accord with the policy that the Government has steadily pursued for years. The number of licenses has been reduced from time to time, so that while in 1874 there was a total of 6,185 liquor licenses, in 1901 there were only 2,950. The Liberal Government has always shown itself ready to go as fast and as far as public sentiment would sanction, both in the matter of reducing the number of licenses and increasing the restrictions.

Mr. Whitney's third item is either simply a slur on the Government, as inferring that the license officials are dictated to by party influences - in which case it might well be passed by without further notice-or else, if it is read between the lines, it is a sinister menace to public order and moral progress as importing the introduction of the very worst and most detration of our license system. As it reads it looks harmless enough, but if it is to be read in the light of Mr. Whitney's votes and speeches it is a proposal that should excite the strongest condemnation of all interested in the moral welfare of Ontario.

Mr. Whitney and his following have repeatedly denounced the appointment of license commissioners by the Proa change of the licensing system so as to restore its management to the municipalities. Those who are old )nough to remember the time when this method was in vogue, the prevalence of illicit dealing, the way in which all restrictions were set at naught, and the general rottenness and corruption attendant upon municipal control, will readily understand the bad can be. There is no hope unless he features of such a proposal. Is this is put into power; but what he would what Mr. Whitney's programme do if he got there he cannot tell. He means? What else can it mean in view of his often repeated objections to the ise nothing except that he alone can appointment of these officials by the save the country from the misery into

the liquor traffic, "introduced by Hon. J. which his moribund imagination sees M. Gibson, was before the House, an the people bound. His speeches are amendment was brought in providing bitter diatribes; his public utterances after be appointed in counties by county councils, and in cities and towns and angry tears bedew his eyes. If elected by the municipal electors of such cities and towns." Mr. Whitney voted for that amendment. He has never publicly receded from the position he then took. It must be assumed, therefore, that when Mr. Whitney speaks of removing the commissioners and inspectors from political influences, he means, or wishes it to be understood, that he is prepared to make these offices elective. In other words, the proposition to which he stands committed, as explained and emphasized by his vote, is to make the commissioners and inspector dependent for their positions upon the class who are largely interested in their decisions and the way in which they enforce the

The license commissioners occupy practically judicial positions and the proposal to elect them-to force them to seek the suffrage of the very men whose continuance in business depends on their judgment-to give to every ure of influence the power to threaten positions if they dared to enforce retoo closely-is dangerous

flourish over his boldness and honesty, which are merely attempts to chill is reported from Wichita. A rug ped-resignation.

does not mean this, will he be honest enough and bold enough to say what it does mean? It either means the interpretation which his vote seems to put upon it, or it is a mere high-sounding generality, meaning nothing.

#### CORPORATIONS AND CORRUP-TION.

A few years ago the Ontario Govern

ment imposed a slight tax on corporations, thereby following the example of most other countries. It was not a very heavy tax; so small, in fact, that there has been very little complaint, if any, from the parties affected; but still it has aggregated about a quarter of a million per annum. Most people thought that was a very reasonable tax. Mr. Whitney, however, has in some of his speeches declared himself in opposition to it. And in the same connection he has expressed the belief that these corporations contribute money to an imaginary Liberal corruption fund. We wonder if it ever struck him how ridiculous that sounds. Under a protection policy the parties protected would very naturally contribute towards the campaign fund of the Government whose policy was for their personal benefit. We have heard of red-parlor contributions during the regime of the Conservative Government at Ottawa. Nobody was surprised at such a state of affairs. There are a great many people disposed to be very free in their help towards keeping up a policy that is going to put money in their pockets. But who ever heard of anyone who was taxed voluntarily contributing to assist the imposer of the tax, or to maintain the political party whose policy involved the taxation? Financial corporations are usually managed by shrewd men. They are not at all anxious to be taxed. And there is not much danger that they will contribute to the campaign fund of the political party that imposes a tax on them.

Is Mr. Whitney's promise to oppose the tax on corporations to be taken as a partially veiled bribe to these bodies? Is it a slight hint for them to help provide the sinews of war for him, if they would like to get rid of the corporation tax? Put me into power, says Mr. Whitney, and I will take off your tax. Does he think that will tempt them to supply a little boodle?

#### RESOLUTE ROSS AND WAILING WHITNEY.

No one reading the reports of Mr. Ross' campaign speeches in The Advertiser and Globe, and comparing performances in the Free Press and the Mail and Empire, can fail to note the marked differences that characterize the utterances of the two men. Mr. Ross speaks out with a robust cheerfulness. He is not mealy-mouthed, but he is not abusive. He criticises freely, and at times sharply, the do-nothing policy of his opponents in the Legislature and their representations on the platform; but he does not call them filthy names, and threaten them with unmentionable penalties. He announces his policy clearly and defends it logically. He is proud of the country's past, and hopeful for its future. His addresses are bright and cheerful, and optimistic. He meets the threats and prophecies of his opponents with a smile and a jest. He never loses his temper or his courage. He is a man in the best sense of the word. But Mr. Whitney goes around the country wailing and denouncing. Everything with him is as bad as it has no definite policy, and can promwhich it has been plunged; he alone In 1890, when a measure dealing with | can strike off the chains of slavery in a doleful sound. His key-note is one of despair; there is grief in his heart; he attempts a more hopeful tone when he prophesies success for his party, it is like the whistle of the frightened boy going through the churchyard at

> Contrast the two men and say which is the most suitable leader for a growing young country like ours.

#### DR. ROUTLEDGE IN WEST-MINSTER.

A contemporary declares that "the most desperate tactics" are being employed against Capt. Robson, and that members of the "machine" have been employed to "work" Westminster in behalf of the Liberal candidate. "Stories of despicable smallness and deliberate tells us, "have been employed with the purpose of injuring Capt. Rob-

son's candidacy." Aspersions like these will be resented warmly by the electors of Westminster, regardless of party. Dr. Routledge counts among his friends as many Conservatives as Liberals. and demoralizing in the extreme. It They esteem him highly as a man and concerned in upholding the purity of be the last to countenance any undercivic administration and the mainten- hand or corrupt methods. Many ance of good order and clean public moderate Conservatives intend giving him their votes on personal grounds If Mr. Whitney's license platform and they will not be deterred by atwhich he elaborated with such a tacks on himself or his organization,

#### DAILY PICTURE PUZZLE.



Find three of the King's horses, w ho are ready to return Humpty-Dumpto the top of the wall. SOLUTION FOR YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE-One is above, the other be-

their sympathy for Dr. Routledge by dler called several times at a house that Westminster is being boodled is too absurd to call for comment.

neath the stem of pipe

#### THE LICENSE COMMISSIONERS

The Free Press today qualifies its charge that license commissioners are paid by the hour, and multiply their fees by spinning out their meetings. It admits now that they give their time nominally gratis, but says it is absurd to think they are not rewarded in some way for the trouble and annoyance of their position. That any citizen should perform a public service for nothing is perhaps foreign to our contemporary's notions. The license commissioners of this city have always been men of the highest repute and standing, who would disdain to "milk" a public office and a public trust. Will the Free Press come out boldly and say that Robert Reid, Charles Elliott and J. H. Brown are serving in that capacity merely for the loaves and fishes? Our contemporary also insinuates that commissioners in the rural municipalities pocket a part of the fees paid by the licenseholders. Charges like these are easy to make, and can be bandied about by any irresponsible party. Every farthing of receipts and expenditures in them with reports of Mr. Whitney's the license department may be traced n the public accounts of Ontario. The Opposition used to complain that these accounts were not sufficiently detailed. The Government a few years ago remedied the grievance, and the accounts are now published with such minuteness that Col. Matheson, the financial critic of the Opposition, finds the ground cut from under his feet.

Soldiers' Coats \$175 Each. [London Express.] The accounts of the British army clothing factory for the past financial year were issued recently. The value of the production continues to increase steadily owing to the war, and is returned for the twelve months as £479,324, or an increase of nearly £100,000. Some of the items seem rather high, but all pale before the state coats of the guards. The most is returned as: Household cavalry, £35 14s 54d; foot guards, £32 5s 10%d. It is true the war department can make a shirt for Tommy; for 101/4d, and it is something to their credit. At the same time, it was recently reported from Colchester that some soldiers have no clothing fit to wear in the public streets.

Tramp's Spring Song. [Henry Edward Warner, in Baltimore

News.] I'm the prince of a noble profession, At the head of a genteel procession— Tho' there seems to prevail an impression That a tramp is a sorry thing; But I live with the birds and the flowers, And repose in hay-scented bowers, And kind heaven abundantly showers Its blessings on me in the spring.

drift-I and nature, together-Here and there, with a change of the weather, And I know neither halter nor tether, But I go at my own sweet will; I rejoice in the song of the river, Content with the gifts of the Giver, While others halt, tremble and shiver In their fear for a fattened till.

I live in today, and tomorrow, With its burden or anguish and sorrow, Is alone for the foolish to borrow The pain that they might have missed; And I live where the blossoms, adorning The fields, care and trouble are scorning, And awake with the first blush of morn-

ing, My cheeks by the fresh dew kissed. Aye, tho' it is storming or shining,

I stop not for useless repining—
There's naught in complaining or whining
To appeal to a heart that's free;
But nature and I drink the sweetness of life in its fullest completeness, And time, with its menacing fleetness,

Has no sting of regrets for me.

I can laugh in the face of disaster,
And I bend to no o'erbearing master;
I live as I please, but no faster—
As free as the birds of the air;
I drift—I and nature, together—
Here and there, with a change of the weather,
And I know neither halter nor tether,
And my keep is the wide world's care.

An Admirer of Music

[Washington Star.] "Do you take any interest in music?" said the young woman.

"Of course I do," answered Senator Sorghum. "I have the profundest appreciation of music. One tune from a brass band can, in most cases, get up more enthusiasm among a crowd of voters than half a dozen stump speeches

Sublime Nerve.

[Kansas City Journal.] The most phenomenal case of nerve ever known on the American continent

representing that his opponent is re- At last he wrote and pinned this note ceiving unfair treatment. Nobedy is on the door: "Madam-Kindly remain slandering Mr. Robson, and the charge at home tomorrow forenoon. I want to sell you a rug."

#### Why Not? [London Chronicle.]

A writer in the West End, describing an interview with M. Worth, said that gentleman "farewelled." It is the poet's prerogative to increase the vocabulary, and the following is an attempt in that

I gardened in the evening shade,
And birds around me songed;
Indoors my friends, as sounds betrayed,
Ping-ponged.

'Twas then that Jones came horsing by—
His steed was newly shoed—
He cordially "hulloa"-ed, and I
"How-do"-ed.

So he opinioned till I tired,
And backed him from the theme,
And then of butt'ring cows inquired, And cream.

While thus we conversationed, Time With ruthless footsteps onned,
It darked, we heard the Vesper chime,
From yond.

At last we felt that we must part, "Farewell, my friend," I cried, And he with anguish at his heart, "Good-bye"-ed.

#### Discouraging. [Puck.]

The Messenger Boy-Well, how d yer like mercantile life?" The Office-Boy-Aw, de boss don't

The Messenger Boy-How 's dat? The Office-Boy-Why, he never give me a look when I'm workin'; but just as soon as I start ter loaf a bit, he's Johnny-on-de-spot wit' his eagle eye!

#### Supperless.

[Washington Star.] Now Ruin grins. The fruits of patient toil

Are blasted like a city by the sea. Which ruthless Nature hastens to despoil Amid the Fire King's awful pageantry.

Why have I grimly hoarded, coin by coin, The golden store which now is swept away?
Why did I fondly wait and hope to join For once the happy few, for once be gay?

It was a tender and delicious dream; It makes the truth more grim when awake,
No more with promise bright is life agleam!
All! All is lost! The cook has burned the steak!

#### An Easy One.

[Harvard Lampoon.] Hilo-When did the Free Masons

Bilo-In the stone age, idiot."

The Multi-Billionare. [Toronto Telegram.] The hundred-thousand-dollar man Has long succumbed to fate, And my old multi-millioned friend So fast, indeed, I amoust The grand meteoric flare will usher in t That soon will usher in the brance New Liulti-Billionaire.

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richly colored on the best Scotch Hessian, can be ordered by mail. Send for free sheet of designs to select from. The Wells & Richardson Company, Limited, 200 Mountain street, Montreal, P. Q.

A new car coupling is being tried on a German railway. It lessens the space between the cars to 7.8 inches. Automobiles across the Caucasus for carrying the Russian mail are to supplant the present transport post horses, with changes every ten miles. It has come out that Mr. T. A. Rodger, the general secretary of the Hamilton Y. M. C. A. tendered his resignation some time ago, but it had not been accepted by the directors, who had hopes that Mr. Rodger would

# Monday Great Chances O'Clock

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We are determined to make this THE GREATEST LINEN SALE in the history of this store, and if you read the prices quoted below, you will agree we are not expecting too much when we make the above statement, and the lots we offer won't last long, if good, reliable Linens, Belfast Irish makes, count for anything, at manufacturers' prices and less. NOTE THE QUALITIES AND PRICES.

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Half bleached, 72 inches, Irish Table Linen, extra value, 50c yard. 150 yards to clear, at per yard......39c

#### \$1.00 Bleached Damask 69c

120 yards only, Bleached Table Damask, 72 and 76 inches wide, beautiful new designs and extra quality, made in Ireland, and bleached in Scotland, where the heather blooms. Regular value \$1.00, while they last, per yard......69c

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8 only, Bleached Damask Table Cloths, 6x4 for small table or 5 o'clock tea. Regular 90c to 

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12 only, Very Fine Damask Table Cloths, 7x4 and 8x4, beautiful designs and borders all round. Regular prices \$2.50 and \$2.75, some are slightly soiled, the lot to clear while they 

#### TABLE NAPHINS.

#### 75c Napkins 49c Dozen

17 dozen Damask Tea Napkins, all linen, good size. Regular 75c per dozen, to clear 

#### \$1.50 Naphins 99c Dozen

. 10 dozen Damask Napkins, large size, all linen, assorted patterns. Extra good value at \$1.50 per dozen, to be sold while they last, per dozen, only.....99c

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6 dozen only Damask Dinner Napkins, all linen, fine quality, extra nice goods. Regular value and sold for \$2.50 per dozen, while they 

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Special prices during these days, Monday and Tuesday, in High-Class Table Napkins and Bleached Cloths, also in Silk Cloth and Napkins to match. Goods from \$3.00 to \$8.50 and \$10, at special prices these two days.

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One table Dress Goods, all new, plain cloths and stuff goods, odd lines and broken lots, from season's selling, prices were 75c, 90c and \$1.00 goods, in colors and black, all on one table and your choice of 75c, 90c and \$1.00 goods, for per yd. 50c

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#### The large grain elevator owned by Smith, Hippen & Company, of Pekin, Ill., was totally destroyed by fire Thursday night. The elevator contained 60,000 bushels of grain. The loss is estimated at between \$85,000 and

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CHICAGO, Ill., May 16.—Butter—Easy; creameries, 18c to 21½c; dairles, 18c to 20c. Cheese—Unchanged, 12c to 13c.

DETROIT BEAN MARKET. Detroit, May 17.—Beans were easy at the close, June and July showing losses of 2c. Quotations: May, \$1 60 bid; June, \$1 43 asked; July, \$1 38 asked.

OIL MARKETS.

at \$1 20.

OIL CITY, Pa., May 16.—Credit balances, \$1 20; certificates, no bid.

LONDON, May 16.—Petroleum, American refined, 6%d; spirits, 7%d.

ANTWERP, May 16.—Petroleum, 18 francs.

PREMEN May 16.—Petroleum 6 marks

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

\$\frac{34}{50}\$ to \$\frac{35}{25}\$: a load of export st \$\frac{812}{32}\$. Quotations:

\texporters, choice, cwt. \$\frac{5}{50}\$

\texporters, light. \$\frac{5}{25}\$

Bulls, export, heavy \$\frac{425}{50}\$

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Butchers' cattle, choice. \$\frac{5}{50}\$

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Butchers, bulls. \$\frac{3}{250}\$

Milch cows, each. \$\frac{35}{35}\$

00

export, cwt.....

CHICAGO. May 16.—Cattle—Receipts. 3,500, including 500 Texans; active and steady; good to prime steers, \$7 to \$7 50; poor to medium, \$5 to \$6 50; stockers and feeders, \$2 75 to \$5 50; Texas-fed steers, \$5 50 to \$6 40. Hogs—Receipts today, 27,000; 5c to 10c higher; mixed and butchers, \$6 90 to \$7 30. good to choice heavy \$7 30

\$6.90 to \$7.30; good to choice heavy, \$7.30 to \$7.47½; rough heavy, \$6.95 to \$7.20; light, \$6.75 to \$7.05; bulk of sales at \$7. to \$7.25. Sheep—Receipts, 6,000; sheep strong, lambs strong to 10c higher; good to choice wethers, \$6. to \$6.50; western sheep, \$5.50 to \$6.50; native lambs, \$5.50 to \$6.85; western lambs, \$5.50 to \$6.85; Colorado lambs, tops \$7.30

NEW YORK, May 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,962; steers 10c to 15c higher; bulls and cows steady to strong; steers, \$6 25 to \$7 30; oxen, \$4 75; bulls, \$3 75 to \$5 50; fancy do, \$6; cows, \$2 50 to \$5 02½; cables about steady; shipments tomorrow, 470 cattle, 175 sheep and 6,900 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 719; market active and 25c higher; veals, \$5 to \$7 50; little calves, \$4; buttermilks, \$4 50; city dressed calves firm, at 8%c to 11c per lb. Sheep

calves, \$4; buttermilks, \$450; city dressed calves firm, at 8½c to 11c per lb. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,300; sheep steady to strong; lambs 10c to 15c higher; spring lambs steady; sheep, all clipped, \$620 to \$635; export do, \$660; unshorn culls, \$4 to \$450; clipped lambs, \$6 to \$7.25; unshorn do, \$7.90; spring lambs, \$750 to \$8; by the head, \$2 to \$425 each. Hogs—Receipts, 1,615; firm feeling; state hogs, \$750; mixed western, \$7.

ENGLISH MARKETS.

Holiday in grain.

Beef—Extra India mess firm, 102s 6d.

Pork—Firm; prime mess western, 76s.

Hops (at London)—Pacific coast firm,

Hams-Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs. steady

54s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, steady, 50s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, steady, 52s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, steady, 52s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, steady, 52s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, steady, 52s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 52s 6d; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, quiet 30s 6d;

Lard-Prime western, in tierces firm, 3s; American refined, in pails, steady,

Cheese—Firm; American finest white, old, 57s; do, new, 54s; American finest colored, old, 61s; do, new, 55s.

15e to f4 15s

Butter-Nominal.

LIVERPOOL, May 17-Closing.

Milch cows, Hogs, best, Hogs, light...

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 16.-Oil closed

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large fall-made fancy, 12½c to 13c; do, choice, 11¾c to 12c; do, fair to prime, 11c to 11½c. Eggs—Steady; receipts, 11,-555 cases; state and Pennsylvania, fancy selected white, 17½c to 18c; do, average best, 17c; western storage packings, 16¾c to 17½c; do, northerly sections, regular packings, 16½c to 17c; do, southerly sections, 15½c to 16½c; Kentucky, 15½c to 16½c; southern, 14½c to 15c; dirties, 14c to 14½c; checks, 13c to 13½c. CHICAGO III. May 16.—Butter—Easy: Live Items Culled for Busy People's Information.

The body of Moses Labute, aged 64, of Terumseh, who for three months had been suffering from melancholia, was found Thursday morning in a well on the premises of Dennis St. Louis, Detroit. He leaves a widow and six children.

Mr. Wm. Dyer, of Petrolia, has abandoned his idea of going into the hotel business at Bothwell, and will, instead, rent the Tecumseh House there-from Mr. Wm. Flannagan. Mr. Dyer will assume the keys about May 26. Mr. Flannagan will probably go to the Soo.

The labor element of Wallaceburg is worked up in regard to the importation of Belgians to work in the new sugar factory. Mr. Joseph Marks was called to Wallaceburg this week to organize the local labor men. Mr. Marks sa'd there was a great deal of indignation existing among the townsfolk. The town gave a bonus of \$30,000 to the sugar refinery, and strenuously objects to the importation of alien labor. The report was that 180 additional Belgians were to be brought in. Eleven are already there. BREMEN, May 16.—Petroleum, 6 marks pfennings. PITTSBURG, Pa., May 17.—Oil opened

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

TORONTO, May 16.—The receipts at the cattle market today were 74 loads, with 1,084 head of cattle, 206 sheep and lambs, 1,685 hogs and 52 calves. Today's delivery made up the largest total delivery for a week this season, the total for the week being 285 cars—4,322 cattle, 584 sheep, 2,718 hogs and 329 calves. While the continued heavy runs all week have weakened prices considerably for the light and commoner cattle, business has continued fairly active—for the choice stock, and for these prices have been good. Export cattle sold today at \$6 to \$6 12½, and one special load, bought by W. Levack in the country, cost more money. Wm. Levack bought 150 cattle, mixed butchers and shippers; choice butchers, \$4 40 to \$5 50; picked butchers, equal to light export, 1,075 to 1,150 lbs, \$5 50 to \$5 80; export, \$5 50 to \$6; common to medium butchers, \$4 25 to \$5 10. Crawford & Co. bought 4 loads of butchers and shippers, mixed, from \$5 to \$5 60. Wesley Dunn bought 40 sheep at \$4 40; 25 yearling lambs, \$5 35; spring lambs, \$4 10; calves, \$6 50 each. Thos. Halligan bought a couple of loads mixed, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs, at \$5 to \$5 25. J. Collins bought a load of light butchers at \$4 35. Halligan & Lunness bought export steers at \$6 12½. Quotations:

Exporters, choice, cwt.....\$5 50 @ \$2 00. The Humane Society of the United States will present John Michael, of Windsor, with a gold medal in recognition of the part he played in saving the lives of Mr. Kencil, of Detroit, and his 5-year-old son. While sailing on the hives of Mr. Kencil of Detroit, and his 5-year-old son. While sailing on the river a few weeks ago, Mr. Kencil was capsized by a sudden squall. He and his son would have perished had it not been for the timely assistance rendered by Michael, who put out in a small boat through the heavy sea and rescued the drowning pair. drowning pair.

Allan S. Adams, who deserted his wife Anan's. Adams, who deserted his wife nine years ago, and was not heard of afterward, has returned to Windsor and sought the forgiveness of his wife, which was readily given. A few months after their marriage Adams disappeared. His wife tried in vain to locate him, and finally settled down to a quiet, hard-working life in Windsor. Shortly after her husband's denarture a daughter was ing life in Windsor. Shortly after her husband's departure, a daughter was born to her, and Mrs. Adams has supported both the child and herself since. Today she owns the house in which she lives at 46 Crawford avenue. A few weeks ago Mrs. Adams heard that her husband was in Chicago, and applied to the Chicago police for assistance in locating him. He was finally discovered in a town in Pennsylvania, and upon learning that he was the father of a daughter whom he had never seen, he hastened to his wife. The family will move to Pennsylvania, where Adams has a very good position.

COLD WEATHER IN ENGLAND. London, May 17.-The most unseasonable weather is prevailing throughout Great Britain. The weather reports record snow in Burnham and Yorkshire yesterday and ice in the eastern coun-ties. There was a hailstorm at Newmarket during the racing, and at midnight there was one degree of frost in

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Allover embroidery, \$3.50 and \$4.00 each.

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Beautiful stripes, new cuff and sleeves, 50c and

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Of colored batiste, at \$2.50, \$2.75 and \$3.00

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Beauties, in gray, black and white, all white, linen colored and fancy colors, at from \$1 to \$7 each.

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It is announced that Archdeacon SPECIAL NOTICES Fyans has been appointed by Arch-

bishop Bond, dean of Montreal, in succession to Bishop Coadjutor Car-Archdeacon Norton has been appointed archdeacon of Montreal. Rev. Canon Kerr has been named

#### Notice-We have a large stock of goose feathers on hand, also iron and

brass bedsteads, mattresses, woven wire springs, pillows and cushions, at the Feather Bed and Mattress Cleanarchdeacon, and Rev. J. G. Baylis has ing Factory, 593 Richmond street, north end. J. F. Hunt & Sons. Telebeen appointed a canon Diseases of the Kidneys.

### TO YOUNG WOMEN

A Denver, Colorado, Young Woman recently Wrote a Letter to Mrs. Pinkham, which Aptly Pictures the Condition of a Great Many Young Women. Read What She Says:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM: —This is the first opportunity I have found to write and thank you for the good your Vegetable Compound has done me. I feel better than I have for years. It seems a 'seven days' wonder' to my friends. Where I used to be pitied, everything is the opposite now, and there is not a day but some one wants to know what I have done to make myself

"Before taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I had constant headaches, was constipated, bloated, eyes weak and watery, bearing-down pains, pains in the small of my back and right side; took cold very easily, which always caused intense pain in the ovaries, and I did not want to go anywhere or see any one. I was called cross, but I could not help it, feeling as I did. I could not lift anything or do any hard work without suffering for days afterwards. Menstruation lasted for eight or ten days, the first three or four days being almost constant pain day and night."

Nothing in this wide world has relieved so much female suffering

as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; no medicine can produce

such positive proof of cures and good results; therefore, no other medicine can be "just as good." Office women are frequently afflicted with sickness brought on by constant work in one position. Perhaps in going to the office, they get their feet wet and sit all day long with damp shoes and stockings. Nothing in the world is so injurious. Wet feet, hard work, and confined positions have made invalids of a great many robust and ambitious young women.

A Richmond Girl's Experience. "DEAR MRS. PINKHAM! - I have just purchased a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound but am advised to write you before

"I hardly know how to express myself. At times I feel well, and in less than ten minutes I am actually wretched with headache, that tired feeling, and so nervous that the sound of a door bell will make me start. I cannot walk two blocks without feeling fatigued. Menstruation has never been regular, have a slight discharge of leucorrhoea. I would like your advice, and sincerely hope I may find relief in your medicine." - Mrss CLARA PORTE-WIG. Richmond, Va. (Oct. 26, 1900.)

Statement No. 2.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM: - It gives me great pleasure to thank you for the benefit I received from your Vegetable Compound. "When I wrote to you I could not go up-stairs or walk a hundred yards without being completely fagged out, but to-day I can easily walk two miles, I was also very nervous and suffered from a misery in my back but these troubles are all a thing of the past. I was at a loss to describe my feelings, but now thanks to your Vegetable Compound I am a well woman.
"I advise all suffering women to write to Mrs. Pinkham, and I shall never fail to recommend your remedies to my friends." - MISS CLARA PORTEWIG. Richmond, Va. (March 26, 1901.)

Miss Thompson's Pains are Cured.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM: - I want to tell you what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. For several years I had suffered with loss of appetite, nausea, vomiting, constipation, palpitation of the heart, headache, pains in nearly all parts of the body. My physician said it was only indigestion, but his medicine did not help me any. I began the use of your Vegetable Compound. I have taken four bottles and now those troubles are cured. I cannot praise it enough."- MISS BELLE S. THOMPSON, Box 14,

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in Diseases of the Kidneys, No. 190 Delaware avenue, Buffalo, N. Y., will furnish information free regarding his treatment of Bright's Disease, Cystitis and Diabetes, upon application, either in person or writing to the above

If you have had a long day's work at house-cleaning or have overtaxed your physical strength so as to bring one of those dreadful sick-head aches, take a "HUTCH" and you will feel bright, cheerful and rested. All grocery stores will be closed Sat-

urday, May 24. 'Citizens are requested to do their usual Saturday's trading Thursday and Friday. Thursday will be market day instead of Saturday.

Buy your trunks and bags at manufacturer's prices, and get old ones re-paired. Tackaberry & Co., Richmond

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Every lady should read Mrs. Currah's advertisement on page 13. sends a free trial box of the Famous Orange Lily to every lady who writes

HOW TO CURE ALL SKIN DIS-EASES.

Simply apply Swayne's Ointment. No Internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, etc., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no ether remedy. Ask your druggist for Swayne's Ointment.

Lifebuoy Soap-disinfectant-is strongly recommended by the medical profession as a safeguard against infectious diseases. 22

Many Women Are Not Attractive because of repulsive looking warts on the hands. They can be painlessly re-moved in one day by Putnam's Corn and Wart Extractor. Putnam's is the best corn and wart cure made. Try it. The gray buzzard is said to be the heaviest bird that flies, the young males, when food is plentiful, weighing nearly 40 pounds. The bird is nearly extinct.

IT MAY BE only a trifling cold, but neglect it and it will fasten its fangs in your lungs and you will soon be carried to an untimely grave. In this country we have sudden changes and must expect to have coughs and colds. We cannot savid them but we can effect a cure not avoid them, but we can effect a cure by using Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, the medicine that has never been known to fall in curing coughts, colds, bronchitis and all affections of the throat,

There is a man in Havant, England, who, having been completely bald from the day of his birth, has now started a fine crop of hair at the mature age

When part of his residence collapsed at Montreuil, near Paris, a man went mad with fright under the impression that the last day had come. In the Isle of Man there is a movement on foot to have Manx taught

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A Great Increasing Army

mposed of men and women that spens heart and soul in the vain effort to over-come a lack of vigor in the body. To replace inertia by vigor, to make good red blood that will build up the system, to have strong nerves, you must eat more, digest more, assimilate more. How can it be done? By using Ferrozone. It invigorates, strengthens, possesses magi-cal health-giving powers. Get Ferrozone today from Strong's, and make yourself strong and well.

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Best Hotel Location in the City. Absolutely Fireproof European Plan.

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Twenty principal places of amusement within five minutes' walk of the hotel Family and Transient Hotel. CHAS. A. ATKINS & CO

#### THE MARKETS.

THE LOCAL MARKET. London, Saturday, May 17. Wheat, red, per bu.......80%c to 81%c Beans, per bu......70c to 80c The Market Square and the streets ad-Joining were completely filled with vehicles of every description. The amount of small stuff offered for sale was one of the largest of the season. There was no material change in prices. It was a like material change in prices. lively market, and considerable money changed hands in a short space of time. Grain—Only a couple of loads of wheat offered, at prices quoted. There were about 25 loads of oats offered, with prices about stationery, at \$1 32 to \$1 34 per cwt. Three loads of peas sold at \$5c to 95c per bu.

Hay and Straw—Hay sold quickly, at \$9.50 to \$10 per ton. There were 17 loads on sale. A few loads of straw sold at \$6 per ton, and \$3.50 by the load. Butter and Eggs—Butter was plentiful and prices weak, at 15c to 17c for pound rolls and 15c to 16c per 1b in the crock; prices are not expected to be higher until the cheese factories are in full blast. Eggs were also offered in large quanti-ties, at 11½c to 12c per dozen for crate and basket lots, and 13c for the single Vegetables and Roots-Potatoes were plentiful-in fact, it was the largest amount offered in any one day since last

# Spring Medicine

fall. There were about a dozen large loads and a number of small loads. Sales

Is of the greatest importance. This is the most critical season of the year, from a health standpoint.

It is the time when you imperatively need Hood's Sarsaparilla.

It will give you a good appetite, purify and enrich your blood, build up and steady your nerves, overcome that tired feeling, give mental and digestive strength - in short, will vitalize your whole being, and put you in perfect health.

Don't delay taking it. Don't experiment with others. Get that which trial and test have proved

### HOOD'S Sarsaparilla

Best for Spring - "I have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla when needed for several years and would not be without it in the house. It is an excellent medicine and I neartily recommend its use in the spring and at any time when a blood purifier and tonic is needed." Mrs. F. M. FOOTE, 21 trying Place, Passaic, N. J.

Spring Fever-"I have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla for my spring medicine for years and have always found it reliable and giving perfect satisfaction. In the spring it takes away that tired feeling or spring fever, gives energy and puts the blood in good condition." Miss Erris COLONNE, 1535 10th Street, N. W., Washing-

were very good when the quantity offered is taken into consideration. The market opened firm, at 90c per bag; later on in the day they dropped to 80c. Asparagus sold at 50c per dozen; rhubarb, 20c to 25c; other vegetables are unchanged in price. Cabbage and tomato plants were in abundance, at 15c per box, or two

Wheat, red, per bu. 80% to 81% offered for sale, which is quite a lot for this season of the year. They sold at \$9 to \$9 15 per cwt. Prices are ex-

pected to go lower.
Live Hogs-Mr. D. McIntyre will pay
\$6.75 per cwt for next' shipment from
here. The market is weak. Meats—There was an exceedingly large amount on sale at \$6 to \$8 per cwt for beef, and \$5 to \$7 per cwt for veal and mutton; spring lambs sold at \$4 50 to \$5. GRAIN.

Wheat, white, per 100 lbs. \$1.54 Wheat, red, per 100 lbs. 1 34 Oats, per 100 lbs. 1 33 Peas, per 100 lbs. 1 10 Peas, per 100 lbs. 1 20 Barley per 100 lbs. 1 10 HAY AND SEEDS. 

VEGETABLES. Potatoes, per bag...... 80 Cabbage, per doz..... 75 Celery, per doz..... 35 Cabbage, per doz.............. 

Green onions, per doz...
Green rhubard, per doz...
Green parsley, per doz...
Radishes, per doz...
FRUITS. Apples, per bbl...... 300 Apples, per bag...... 125
Apples, dried, per lb.... 5
DAIRY PRODUCE. Butter, per roll, baskets. 16
Butter, crock, per lb..... 15
Eggs, doz, basket lots... 111
Eggs, doz., new laid..... 12
Honey, strained, per lb... 11
Honey, in comb. per lb... 14

POULTRY. Turkeys, per lb...... 13 eese, each....ucks, per pair....hickens, dressed, pair.... Chickens, live, per pair... 45 MEATS. Dressed hogs, per cwt.... 900 

LIVE HOGS AND CATTLE. Hogs, selects, per cwt... 675 @ 675 Hogs, small, per pair... 500 @ 700 Stags and sows, cwt... 200 @ 400 Fat cattle, per cwt... 450 @ 560 HIDES AND SKINS. Wool, unwashed, per lb... 6 @ Wool, washed, per lb..... 12 @ Tallow, rough, per lb.... 3 @ Tallow, rendered, per lb... 5 @

TORONTO HAY MARKET. Toronto, May 16.—Baled hay—The de-mand is fair and offerings are liberal, at

clearances in wheat and flour equaled 400,000 bu. The seaboard reported three loads taken for export. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 30 cars: ceipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 30 cars; corn, 60 cars; oats, 140 cars; hogs, 20,000

corn, 60 cars; oats, 140 cars; hogs, 20,000 head.

The leading futures closed: Wheat—May, 74%c; July, 74%c to 75c; Sept., 72%c to 73c; Dec., 74c to 74%c. Corn—May, 60%c; July, 61%c to 61%c; Sept., 60%c; Dec., 46%c to 64%c; Sept., 60%c; Dec., 46%c to 46%c; May, 1903, 46%c. Oats—May, 43c; July, 34%c to 34%c; new, 36%c to 36%c; Sept., 29%c; new, 31c to 31%c. Mess pork—May, \$17 22½; July, \$17 35; Sept., \$17 47½ to \$17 50; Jan., \$16 80. Lard—May, \$10 27%; July, \$10 30 to \$10 32½; Sept., \$10 32½; Oct., \$10 30. Short ribs—May, \$7 75; July, \$9 70 to \$9 72½; Sept., \$9 72½.

Cash quotations: Flour steady. No. 3 spring wheat, 72½c to 75½c; No. 2 red, 82c. No. 2 oats, 43%c to 43%c; No. 2 white, 45½c; No. 3 white, 45c to 46c. No. 2 rye, 60%c. Fair to choice maiting barley, 69c to 72c. No. 1 flaxsed, \$1 60. Prime timo-thty seed, \$6 40. Mess pork \$17 25 to \$17 30; lard, \$10 32½ to \$10 35; short ribs sides, \$9 70 to \$9 80; dry salted shoulders. Sc to 84c. Clover, \$8 35. Eggs steady; fresh, 14c to 15c.

Receipts—Flour, 19,000 bbls; wheat, 25,000 bu; corn, 56,000 bu; oats, 123,000 bu; rye, 5,000 bu; barley, 32,000 bu.
Shipments—Flour, 9,000 bbls; wheat, 18,000 bu; corn, 217,000 bu; oats, 262,000 bu; rye, 91,000 bu; barley, 1,000 bu.

rye, 91,000 bu: barley, 1,000 bu. TOLEDO, O., May 16.-Wheat-Fairly Tolebo, O., May 16.—Wheat—Fairly active but weak; cash, 844c; May, 844c; July, 774c; Sept., 76%c. Corn—Fairly active but weak; cash, 62c; May, 62c; July, 624c; Sept., 61c. Oats—Dull but steady; cash, 44c; May, 434c; July, 35%c; Sept., 29%c. Clover seed—Dull but steady; cash, 5074c; Oct., \$5 15; No. 2, \$4 40 to \$4 60; Aug., \$7 50 bid. Timothy, \$3 20.

NEW YORK, May 16.—Flour—Receipts, 17,297 bbls; sales, 3,400 pkgs; flour was firm at the recent advance, but quiet; Minnesota patents, \$4 10 to \$4 25; winter straights, \$3 85 to \$4; winter patents, \$3 90 to \$4 25. Rye flour—Dull; fair to good, \$3 15 to \$3 40; choice to fancy, \$3 50 to \$3 65. Wheat—Receipts, 145,275 bu; sales, 755,000 bu; wheat was firm and higher this morning through the influence of this morning through the influence of this morning through the influence of steadier cables, rains in the northwest, small receipts and covering; May, 81½c to 81½c; July, 81½c to 817-16c; Sept., 79c to 79½c; Dec., 80½c to 80½c, £kye—Steady; state, 62c to 63c, c.i.f. New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 65½c, f.o.b., afloat Corn—Receipts, 8,400 bu; sales, 40,000 bu; corn developed weakness and declined to dear because of few rather water or

corn developed weakness and declined to-day, because of favorable weather, en-larged country offerings and easier cables; July, 671-16c to 67½c; Sept., 65%c to 65%c. Oats—Receipts, 46,500 bu; ontion market ruled dull and easy. Coffee— Firm; nominally higher; No. 7 Rio. 5½c. Lead—Steady. Wool—Quiet. Hops— Outet BUFFALO, May 16 .- Spring wheat-No. northern, 80%c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 90e; No. 1 white, 95c asked. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 65½c; No. 3 yellow, 65c; No. 2 corn, 67%c; No. 3 corn, 67½c, on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 49½c; No. 3 white, 49c; No. 2 mixed, 47c, on track. DETROIT, Mich., May 16.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 87%c; No. 2 red, cash and May, 87%c; July, 78%c.

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新。14·15年的新疆的特殊的一个大学的一种大学的 DAIRY MARKETS.

Toronto, May 16.—Baled hay—The demand is fair and offerings are liberal, at \$10 25 for No. 1 timothy, on track here, Baled straw—The market is steady, with plentiful offerings and a good demand, at \$5 on track here,

AMERICAN MARKETS.

CHICAGO, May 16.—Good crop prospects ruled the quiet grain pits today. Trade was almost entirely professional in character, and although wheat had a few bullish influences, lower prices were the general rule. July wheat closed %c lower, July corn %c to %c lower, and July oats %c to ¼c up. Provisions closed 2½c to 7½c depressed. Local receipts of wheat were 20 cars, 3 of contract grade; Minneapolis and Duluth reported 98 cars, making a total for the three points of 109 cars, against 204 last week and 211 a year ago. Primary receipts were 168,000 bu, against 303,000 bu last year. Argentine shipments were 624,000 bu compared to 776,000 bu a year ago. Seaboard

Colored, old, 61s; do, new, 50s.

Tallow-Firm; prime city, 31s; Australian (in London) 34s.

Cottonseed oil-Hull refined, spot, firm, 27s 6d.

Turpentine spirits-Firm, 34s 9d.

Rosin-Common steady, 4s 1½d.

Petroleum-Refined steady, 7½d.

Linseed oil-Firm, 33s Linseed oil—Firm, 33s.

The imports into Liverpool this week were 107,100 quarters from Atlantic ports, 14,000 from Pacific ports, and 18,000 from other ports.

The imports of corn from Atlantic ports this week were 5,000 quarters. SUGAR. Redpath's granulated t. Lawrence granulated cadia granulated hoenix sugar ..... Yellow sugar
Yellow sugar
NEW YORK, May 16.—Sugar—Raw
steady; fair refining, 2%c; centrifugal, 96
test, 37-16c; molasses sugar, 211-16c; refined steady. Molasses—Steady.
LONDON, May 16.—Raw sugar, Muscovado, 7s; centrifugal, 7s 8d; beet sugar,
May, 6s 3%d.

STEAMERS ARRIVED. May 15. Reported at From Kastalia Father Point Glasgow Siberian, Glasgow Philadelphia Columbia Plymouth New York Manitou London New York New England Queenstown Boston May 16.
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Birmingham...Father Point...Liverpool Birmingham...Father Point...Liverpool City of Bombay......Father Point....Antwerp Lake Champlain.....Father Point...Liverpool Montreal, May 16.—The Allan Line steamer Numidian, from Liverpool, passed Cape Race, westbound, this morning. May 16. Reported at From Auguste Victoria....New York...Southampton Campania...New York...Liverpool Norge....New York...Copenhagen Commonwealth.Eoston...Liverpool Sylvania Liverpool Boston
La Bretagne Havre New York
Switzerland Antwerp Philadelphia
Moltke Hamburg New York
Celtic Queenstown New York
Lucia Queenstown New York

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Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or on margin. Send for vest pocket manual. Long dis-tance phone 1.278. OFFICES-Masonic Temple London

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Southern Pacific. (4%	6433	6434	6433	64%	1
Texas 40%	50/8	40 /2	40	40%	1
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Canada Landed and Nat. Inv. ... 121% Canadian Savings and Loan .... Hamilton Provident.

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SALES: Commerce, 8 at 154½, Dominion, 20 at 244½; Consumers' Gas, 2 at 211; Canadian General Electric, 80 at 210; Cable, 200 at 161, 4 at 160, 5 at 160½; Toronto Railway, 50 at 120, 200 at 119½; Twin City, 25 at 119½, 25 at 119, 100 at 118½; C. P. R., 376 at 127½, 100 at 125, 225 at 127½, 275 and 50 at 127½, 25 at 127½; Dominion Coal, 3 at 125½; C. P. R., new, 8 at 121½; Dominion Telegraph, 8 at 120; N. S. Steel, common, 50 at 109½, 10 at 109½, 25 at 110; London and Canada Loan, 40 at 99¾; British-Canadian, 25 at 67.

#### MONTREAL STOCKS.

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Winnipeg Electric	-::
Montreal Street Railway269	277
West India 70	60
Toronto Street Railway	1195
Halifax Street Railway	
St. John Street Railway	1173
Twin City Transit Railway 1191/2	1183
Richelieu and Ontario	1113
Commercial Cable163	160
Montreal Telegraph1701/8	168
Bell Telephone	168
Dominion Iron and Steel, com 55	543
Dominion Iron and Steel, pref. 95	943
Montreal Heat, Light & Power 101	100
Nova Scotia Steel, common110	1093
Laurentide Pulp100	
Montreal Cotton	127
Dominion Cotton 581/2	63
Canada Colored Cotton 61	55
Merchants' Cotton	
Payne	
Republic	
Virtue	9
North Star	
National Salt, common	
Dominion Coal, common137	133
Dominion Coal, pref	
Bank of Montreal265	255
Ontario Bank	120
Molsons Bank	206
Bank of Toronto	240
Merchants Bank	149
Royal Bank	
Bank of Nova Scotia	
Quebec Bank.	117
Union Bank	123
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Dominion Iron and Steel Bonds 92% 92

SALES: C. P. R., 75 at 127½, 76 at 127½, 100 at 1267½, 100 at 1267½, 100 at 127½, 9 at 127½, 50 at 127½; new, 50 at 122½, 9 at 122, 25 at 1255%; Toronto Street Railway, 25 at 120, 275 at 119¾, 50 at 120, 1 at 119¾, 25 at 119¾; Power, 175 at 100; Cable, 8 at 160, 25 at 160%, 25 at 160%, 60 at 160; Duluth, 100 at 14, 100 at 16; Dominion Steel, 475 at 53½, 25 at 53½, 25 at 53½, 100 at 54, 125 at 54½, 25 at 54½; Dominion Steel, preferred, 50 at 95; Dominion Coal, 25 at 116½; N. S. Steel, 100 at 110½; Twin City, 10 at 119¾, 50 at 119¾, 50 at 119; Street Railway bonds, 100 at 105, 100 at 105½. AMERICAN MARKETS.

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BUFFALO, May 17.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 79%c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 89%c. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 68%c; No. 3 yellow, 67%c; No. 2 corn, 67%c; on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 49%c; No. 3 white, 48%c; No. 2 mixed, 47c, on track. DETROIT, May 17.—Wheat—No. 1 white, eash, 87%c; No. 2 red, cash and May, 87%c; July, 78%c.

NEW YORK May 17.—Butter—Firm; receipts, 4,941 pkgs; creamery extras, per 1b, 22½c; do, firsts, 21½c to 22c; do, seconds, 20½c to 21c; do, lower grades, 20c; state dairy tubs, fancy, 21½c to 22c; do, firsts, 21c; do, seconds, 20c to 20½c; do, thirds, 19c to 19½c; state dairy tins, etc., 19c to 21½c; western initation creamery.

18. Cheese—Firm; receipts, 1,727 boxes; new state full cream, small colored choice, 12c; do, fair to good, 11c to 11½c; do, white, choice, 12c; do, fair to good, 11c to 11½c; do, large colored, choice, 11½c; do, white, choice, 11¼c to 11½c; do, fair to good, 10¾c to 11c; light skims, small choice, 10c to 10½c; do, large choice, 9c to 3½c; part skims, prime, 8½c to 9c; do, fair to good, 6c to 7c; do, common, 4c to 5c; full skims, 3c to 3½c; old state full cream, small fall-made choice, 12½c to 12½c; do, fair to prime, 11c to 12c; do, large fall-made fancy, 12½c to 13c; do, choice, 11½c to 12c; do, fair to prime, 11c to 11½c. Eggs—Steady; receipts, 11,066 cases; state and Pennsylvania, fancy

to 11½c. Eggs—Steady; receipts, 11,066 cases: state and Pennsylvania, fancy selected white, 17½c to 18c; do, average best, 17c; western storage packages, 16¾c to 17¼c; do, northerly sections, regular packages, 16½c to 17c; do, southerly sections, 15¼c to 16½c; Kentucky, 15c to 16¼c; southern, 14c to 15c; dirties, 13½c to 14c; checks, 12½c to 13c.

16. NEW YORK, May 17.—Flour—Receipts, 14,542 bbls; sales, 5.800 pkgs; flour was dull and fafrly steady. Rye flour—Steady. Wheat—Receipts, 89,700 bu; sales, 925,000 bu; wheat was steady during the forenoon, but quiet, being sustained by small spring wheat receipts and showers in the northwest; May, 80%c; July, 805%c to 8013-16c; Sept., 78%c to 78%c; Dec., 78%c to 78%c. Rye—Steady. Corn—Receipts, 11,550 bu; sales, 45,000 bu; option market developed moderate weakness again because of prospective larger receipts, favorable weather and lower cables; May, 67c to 67%c; Sept., 65c. Oats—Receipts, 63,200 bu; options dull but steadied by western manipulation. Sugar—Raw steady; molasses sugar, 211-16c; refined quiet. Coffee—Quiet; No. 7 Rio, 5%c. Lead—Steady. Wool—Quiet. Hops—Quiet and firm.

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#### WEATHER BULLETIN.

Sunday: Mostly Fair; Showers. Toronto, May 16-8 p.m. The weather has been showery in the territories and Manitoba, and elsewher fine. Temperature has been higher in most parts of Ontario and Quebec, but it has remained about the same in other Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 38-70; Kamloops, 48-86; Calgary, 48-60; Qu'Appelle, 44-60; Winnipeg, 46-60; Port Arthur, 46-56; Parry Sound, 34-62; Toronto, 38-63; Ottawa, 44-68; Montreal, 46-62; Quebec, 38-64; Halifax, 40-56. ortions of Canada.

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FORECASTS. Today-Fine and moderately warm. Sunday—Fresh easterly winds; mostly fair; showers in some localities at night

WEATHER NOTES. The weather is showery in the territories and Manitoba, but the rain is moving very slowly eastward, and it is hardly likely to affect Ontario much before Monday. Fairly warm conditions are indicated for Ontario and Quebec. Local temperatures Friday: Highest,

#### LATE LOCAL ITEMS

-The Shirt Waist, the Y. W. C. A. art and cooking classes have closed for the season. -A valuable cow was struck by a street car near Brough's bridge last night. The animal's leg was broken

and it had to be shot. -The National Charities Conference will be held at Detroit from May 23 to June 3. A number of Ontario delegates are expected to attend. -The remains of the late Thomas Turville arrived in the city this morn-

ing. The funeral was held from Ferguson's undertaking rooms to Woodland Cemetery and was private. -The Rev. C. T. Scott will speak at the Sunday afternoon Gospel meeting, in the Y. W. C. A., at 4:15 tomorrow. There will be special music, and all.

young and old will be welcome at 296 Dundas street. Florence Glover, who were seen here Opera Company and the Stuttz Theater Company, and who have been spending a few weeks in the city, left on Thursday to join the Columbia Opera Company at Knoxville, Tennes-

NON-JURY SITTINGS The non-jury sittings of the spring assizes open at 1 p.m. on Monday, before Mr. Justice Britton. The sittings

will be short, as only four cases have been entered. SOLDIERS SAIL.

Col. Macbeth this morning received a farewell telegram from his son, Lieut. George Macbeth. The message was sent just prior to the sailing of the Winnimedian for South Africa. BICYCLE STOLEN.

George Matheson has reported to the police that his wheel was stolen from the front of the London Drug Company's store vesterday afternoon. The wheel was a Spalding, black enamel, with white rims and a Christie saddle.

DEATH OF ALEX. BLAIKIE. Alexander Blaikie, eldest son of James Blaikie, died yesterday at his SHIPS home, lot 30, con. 2, Westminster town- May 17.
Peruvian. ship, after being ill for some time. He 19c to 21½c; western imitation creamery, choice, 21c; do, lower grades, 18c to 19½c; was a prosperous farmer and was well known over the district in which he good, 18c to 20c; packing stock, 17½c to good. 18c to 20c; packing stock, 17½c to resided. His wife and three children

survive him. He was 44 years old. The funeral takes place tomorrow after-noon to Pond Mills Cemetery.

At this morning's police court Annie Shaw was charged with shoplifting at Woods' Fair. She was remanded till Monday, when another charge of the same nature will be heard. Two drunks were fined and one was discharged.

ANOTHER OLD VETERAN GONE. An old veteran, who had seen service in many great battles, died this morning at the age of 66 years, in the person of Mr. Matthew White, of Holman street, East London. He was a member of the 60th British Regiment, and had participated in all the important engagements in the Crimean war, besides going through the Fenian raid. He bore medals for service at all of these places. His wife alone survives him. Almost his last wish was to have the local veterans attend his funeral.

OSGOODE HALL NOTES. In the divisional court: People's Building and Loan Association of London, Ont., vs. Stanley-Judgment (oral) fore issue joined, was made after the pleadings had made the actual issues apparent, and that the discretion exercised by the judge in striking out the that the awful weather has created. jury notice should not be interfered with, as the case is manifestly one which can be better tried by a judge without a jury. W. H. Bartram (London), for defendant; D. W. Saunders, for plaintiffs.

PASSED AT SCHOOL OF SCIENCE. In the list of successful students at the recent examinations at the School metropolis up to that of the provinces, of Practical Science, Toronto, are the until today, when it became slightly bitter trials which Providence has sparnames of Mr. C. G. Williams, of this city, who passed his second year in mining engineering; Mr. H. H. Angus, who took honors in the second is not obscured by rain, is hid by year mechanical and electrical class; Mr. P. M. Yeates, who passed his first as high as the buttresses of Westminyear in the same class; and Mr. H. F. ster Abbey, blot the national gallery White, who passed supplemental examinations in first year statics and and turn the Pall Mall clubs into lumelectricity. The prize in civil engin- ber yards. eering, the gift of Mr. T. Kennard Thompson, C. E., of New York, brother-in-law of Mr. Walter Blackburn, of this city, was won by Mr. W. F. Ratz. rendered perfectly ludierous on ac-

PRESENTATION AT WILTON GROVE. of \$50, as a slight recognition of her faithful work in connection with the might long continue in the good work among them. On Sabbath Dr. McCrae, the pastor, on behalf of Miss Murray, thanked the congregation for their great kindness to her.

NORMAL SCHOOL LITERARY SOCI-

in the assembly hall, Friday evening, place. and proved the best meeting of the term. The following excellent programme was rendered: Chairman's address, Mr. Wm. Geiger; selections, by Harmoica Club; instrumental duet, Misses Lane and Cobleigh; recitation, Miss Currie; piano solo, Miss Rannie; solo, with violin obligato, Miss Cripps; impromptu speeches, by Misses Hall and McIntosh and Messrs. MacEachern, Fairlie and F. G. Dredge; solo, Mr. Hudson; reading, Miss Murdock; solo, Miss Beers; club-swinging, Misses by the editor, Mr. McGugan; critic's remarks, Mr. Brison.

LONDON WOMEN'S SUCCESS.

"Touchstone," in the Toronto Mail today: and Empire, writes as follows of the work of two well-known young London Cooper, in the Toronto College of Music on Thursday evening. Miss Logan's numbers consisted of readings from ANNUAL MEETING Shakespeare, Schiller and Owen Meredith, with a humorous recitation by an anonymous writer, entitled "Mrs. Mc-Duffy on Baseball." The clever young reader is the possessor of a fine voice and an excellent enunciation. She has any amount of passion and dramatic force. Miss Cooper's fine mezzo-soprano voice was heard to good advantage in a tasteful programme, ranging from an erotic melody by De Koven to a composition by Miss Cooper is a vocal pupil of Mr. H. N. Shaw's, and promises to reflect much credit on her instructor. Miss Mary Cadenhead, Miss Nellie Stock-

well, and Miss Chute also assisted. LONDON BOY'S SUCCESS.

The Clinton News publishes the following reference to a former student of the London Collegiate Institute: Mr. Sheldon B. Clement, B. Sc., son of Rev. B. Clement (former pastor of the Ontario Street Methodist Church), demonstrator in the faculty of applied -Mr. E. F. McCrumish and Miss science, McGill University, Montreal, is spending a few days at his home in during the season with the Lyceum Kingsville, prior to his taking a position on the staff of the Canadian Niagara Power Company, Niagara Falls. At the recent convocation of the university, Mr. Clement had conferred upon him the degree of Master of Science. He also received the Tighe prize for original research work in hydraulics. It is indeed gratifying to learn this of our young friend, and goes to show his marked ability. His parents may well be proud of their elder son. We join with his many friends here in congratulating him on the success he has attained and the responsible position which is given him.

#### Groceries Close Saturday.

Those who make a practice of doing their shopping Saturdays will do odist Church: well to bear in mind that Saturday, May 24 (Victoria Day), being a holiday, the grocers and many other merchants will close their stores in honor of the day. Thursday will necessarily be the principal market day of the week.

STEAMERS ARRIVED. Dz:z6. 6. 6. 6. 6. ..... Reported at From Halifax ..... Liverpool

### WHAT OLD LONDON IS TALKING ABOUT

come Preludes to Summer.

WAITING FOR THE SUNSHINE HAS REACHED THE AGE OF 16

Skating in the North of England-What Is Worth Seeing in London Hid by Scaffolding.

London, May 17. - So far as it has progressed in London, rain, snow and hail have been England's harbingers king in fact, as well as in name, havof summer. Never has this been such ing reached the age, sixteen, prescriban inclement spring. Those who have ed by the constitution. come for the coronation sit around in doleful groups, waiting for the sunshine that never comes. The women on appeal by defendant from order of go to the opera and clubs in furs, and the premier, Senor Sagasta: Lount, J., striking out jury notice. the men have long since reverted to Held, that the order, though made be- their winter clothes, so prematurely discarded in sunny April. No amount there was actually

finer and warmer.

HIDEOUS SCAFFOLDING.

What is worth seeing in London that scaffolding. Stacks of timber that run out of the Trafalgar Square panorama

The abbey, that mecca of the Americans in England, is now not only half hidden by enormous stands, but is count of the semi-completed stucco aditecture, in a castellated panoply ex-Nichol and Mr. John Lawson, elders tending 50 yards beyond the door Murray, and in the name of the con-gregation presented her with a purse present it is half plaster and half I make for the felicity of our beloved wood, which has the effect of making | country. the whole abbey and the surrounding choir, and other branches of church work, and expressed a hope that she imitations of the temporary structures imitations of the temporary structures of some exposition.

GETTING WASHED.

Where stands are not being erected, Rothschilds' murky office, in narrow St. Swithin's Lane, is being washed for the first time in many years. All The last open meeting of the Nor- a traversable, beautified London, by mal School Literary Society was held the time coronation actually takes

THE LONDON SEASON.

As regards the London season, of which so much is expected, the fact is, that up to now the town is more empty than usual at this time of the year. More houses are unoccupied, broidery work, is valued at \$18,000. there are fewer private entertain. The king and the queen regent we ments, and trade in the west end is less brisk than in ordinary years.

CANDIDATES FOR PEERAGES. The Associated Press is in a position to definitely deny that either Sir Thomas Lipton, William Waldorf As-Lyle, Dodd and McColl; society's paper, tor or Sir Ernest Cassel (who recently from the heads of these horses. placed £200,000 at King Edward's disposal for utilitarian purposes) will be made coronation peers, as previously reported. To a friend, Sir Thomas said

"A peerage has not beenwoffered me, and, if it should be, I, while appreciating the great honor, would be women: A very charming vocal and compelled to decline. I have no desire elocution recital was given by Miss to get so far away from my friends. Winifred Logan and Miss Gertrude I am quite satisfied to remain as I

Thirteenth Yearly Gathering Will Take Place on Tuesday Next.

held on Tuesday, May 20, at 8 p.m., in the lecture room of the First Methodist Church. When the annual re- gilded arm chairs, beneath a red canports of the work were read last year, opy. even the few strangers present, suggested that everyone be given the opportunity of hearing such interesting were presented at that meeting. This this opportunity will be given, year this opportunity will be given, the public being most cordially invited to attend. Alice Calder Stock and Mrs. Leute will sing. Rev. George Bishop will preside. Miss Florence years, and her address will be well worth listening to. This is the thirteenth annual meeting of the London Y. W. C. A.. It seems the "New Building" is certainly deserved by this time.

#### NOT SATISFIED WITH REFERENDUM and all others present, listened to the

Quarterly Board of First Methodist Church Passes Resolution.

The following resolution was passed last night at a meeting of the quarterly official board of the First Meth-

"That this quarterly board desires to place on record its entire disapproval of the referendum of Dec. 4, 1902, it being framed so clearly in the interest of the liquor sellers as to render it an insult to the temperance people of this province; and we would urgently request the district meeting to petition the approaching annual conference to call upon the friends of temperance within the boundaries of said conference to utterly repudiate and ignore the said referendum, and to seek by other means to secure the prohibition of the liquor traffic in this

### ALFONSO WEARS CROWN OF SPAIN

Snow, Rain and Hail Unwel- Weather Favors Central Day of Coronation Fete.

Characteristic Letter From the Ex-Queen Regent in Regard to Her Ca King Alfonso XIII.

Madrid, May 17 .- King Alfonso attained his majority today, and became

Beautiful weather favored this, the central day of the fetes. The queen regent has sent the following letter to

"On terminating, today, the regency, to which I was called by the constiof festivities, and there are plenty of tution at the time of profound sadness them, can dispel the universal gloom and unexpected widowhood, I feel in the depth of my heart the necessity In the northern part of the country of expressing to the Spanish people my immense and unchanging gratitude for SKATING THIS WEEK, the proofs of affection and support while an automobile trip to Scotland which I have received from all classes had to be abandoned on account of the of society. If at that time I foresaw snow. London itself has been spared that without the loyalty and confidence this last visitation, but, cold northeast of the people I would be unable to winds and perpetual rain fully brought fulfill my mission, today, in looking the unsavory weather record of the back on this period, the longest of all Spanish regencies, and recollecting the

ed us, I appreciate those virtues in all their magnitude, affirming that, thanks to them, the nation has been able to traverse such a profound crisis under conditions which augur an epoch of tranquil well-being for the future. "Therefore, in handing to King Alfonso XIII., the powers which I have exercised in his name, I am confident that all the Spaniards who are gather ing around him will inspire him with the confidence and fortitude necessary to fulfill hopes placed in him. That will be the most complete recompense for his mother, who, having devoted her life to the fulfillment of her duties, dition to the great west door. This is begs God to protect her son, in order a wooden imitation of the abbey arch- that, emulating the glories of his ancestors, he may succeed in giving peace and prosperity to the noble people over where the King will enter, and was whom he will reign tomorrow. I beg of the First Presbyterian Church, apparently designed for the purpose of you to make known to all Spaniards Westminster, called on Miss Maggie making the entrance more imposing, this sincere expression of my profound

THE ROYAL PROCESSION.

The royal procession was formed on the Plaza de Armes (in front of the palace), shortly before 2 p.m., and proceeded to the Chamber of Deputies, where, in the presence of the senators buildings are being cleaned. Even the and deputies, the king took the oath to uphold the constitution. The procession was a spectacle of medieval magnificence. A detachment of the this will doubtless have its reward in royal bodyguard rode in front of the massively gilded charlot, termed the "royal crown," having gilt allegorical has taken to maintain the constitution disposing of all kinds of stock has taken to maintain the constitution disposing of all kinds of stock figures standing out in relief from and laws." mounted by a heavy gilded crown. The gold-plated molded lamps of this carriage were especially striking, being inset with imitation jewels. The hammercloth, a wonderful piece of em-The king and the queen regent were seated side by side in the royal coach, and were accompanied by the Infanta Maria Teresa, youngest sister of his majesty. It was drawn by eight fine speckled grays, in dark red harness, having heavy ormolu ornamentation Immense white ostrich plumes waved

> AT THE HALL OF DEPUTIES. The procession, which emerged from the courtyard of the palace amid the booming of 21 cannon, proceeded through the streets, gay with flags and bunting, beneath festoons of evergreens, to the Chamber of Deputies, before the steps of which had been erected a purple canopy.

A delegation, consisting of twelve senators and twelve deputies, received | boating season on May 24. their majesties at the steps, and, preceded by mace bearers, they were conducted through the ante-chambers, filled with courtiers and others. The OF THE Y. W. C. A. king, queen regent, and the prince and the princess of the Austrias, ascended a platform facing the semi-circular gilded hall, around which the benches were filled to their capacity by senators, deputies, courtiers and ministers. The foreign princes and other The annual meeting of the Young special envoys were seated immediate-Women's Christian Association will be ly to the right of the platform. The king, the queen regent, the prince and the princess of the Austrias sat together in front of the platform, in

As the royal party entered the hall, everyone present arose and remained standing until the queen regent pronounced the words: accounts of the association work as president of the chamber, Senor Vega Armijo, then said, amid impressive si-

lence: "Senor,-The Cortes, convoked by your august mother, are assembled to receive from your majesty the oath, Sims, Y. W. C. A. state secretary of Michigan, will deliver the address of tution, you come to take, to maintain the evening on Y. W. C. A. work. Miss the constitution and laws." Senor Sims is an earnest, clever young wo- Armijo then drew near to the king and man, who has been very successful in held out a Bible, at the same time both college and city association work keeping open a book containing the in New York and Michigan for several formula of the oath. His majesty, placing his right hand on the Bible then uttered the solemn words: THE OATH.

swear by God, upon the Holy Bible, to maintain the constitution and If so I do, may God reward me. If I do not, may he call me to account." The queen regent, the royal party,

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foregoing standing. King Alfonso then again seated himself on the throne, as did all others.

At the same moment the booming of

21 guns was again heard, announcing Commencing rext Thursday, the first to the city that the king had taken the sale will be held, with Mr. A. M. Hunt

BOATING SEASON AT HAND

the others will be put on during the

Landed. Aden, Arabia, May 17.—The German steamer Ehrenfels, of the Hansa Line of Bremen, was lost May 9, in latitude 12 degrees north, longitude 56 degrees east, while bound to Hamburg from Calcutta, from which port she sailed April 26. Part of her crew has been landed here. The captain and forty others who were on board of her left in small boats. Nothing of them has since been heard.

#### SAILED AWAY.

Departure of the First Section of the Fourth Canadian Contingent.

Halifax, N. S., May 17 .- The troopship Winnfredian sailed for South Africa at 1 o'clock sharp this afternoon, local time.

EFFECTS OF MINERS STRIKE WIDELY FELT

Chicago Threatened With a Coal Famine-Other Labor Troubles. Chicago, May 17.—Chicago is feeling the effects of the coal miners' strike. Dealers in anthracite coal have received orders from New York to advance prices almost 10 per cent. As a re- season. V advanced from \$6 85 a ton to \$7 25. Paterson, N. J., May 17.-All silk dyers, helpers and finishers here have been called on to strike by their organizations, and as a consequence all

work performed by them will cease for

an indefinite period at 4 o'clock this

afternoon. Stockholm, May 17 .- The action of both chambers of the Swedish Riksdag being favorable to universal suffrage, the labor leaders have decided to end the strike at 6 o'clock this evening, and the two hundred thousand mer who went out will then resume work. Winnipeg, Man., May 17.-The general committee of the C. P. R. mechanics are asking 321/2 cents on the Pacific division, 3 cents on the Revelstoke division, and 30 an hour on the western division, or an advance of 3 cents. They

afternoon.

An Auction and Stock Mart. An establishment has been opened at 345, 347 and 349 Talbot street for The president of the chamber, ad- the disposal of stock or merchandise dressing the king, said: "The Cortes by weekly sales. The object of the have received the oath your majesty owners is to aid parties desirous of merchandise by arranging for weekly as auctioneer, and continue each Thursday at 1 p.m. Mr. Jas. McGregor is the secretary-treasurer, who will give all information on application.

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET. Toronto, May 1.

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Small, with good demand; market strong, small, strong str Toronto, May 17.—Wheat—Offerings are smail, with good demand; market strong; east, and 1c less f.o.b. cars middle freights. Rye—None offering; price nomithe others will be put on during the week, so that there should be a fine depth of water for the opening of the boating season on May 24.

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The Captain and Forty Other Persons Missing—Part of Crew

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Landed. demand for the choicest grades of daily and creamery; creamery prints, 19c to 21c; solids, 19c to 29c; dairy pound rolls, choice, 15c to 16c; large rolls, choice, 14c to 15c; medium, 12c to 14c; low grades, 9c to 12c. Eggs—Easier, at 13%c.

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Dundas, London, Ont. had their first meeting late Thursday Drink Grano Cereal Coffee

#### CORBETT STILL BELIEVES HE CAN WHIP JEFFERIES

His Dream to Buffalo Reporters.

Some Interesting Information About Senior Lacrosse Teams.

THE BASEBALL SEASON. 'Tis here! 'Tis here! the whirling sphere, The day is mild, the sky is clear; And in our joyous eagerness We quite forget life's toil and stress. And pause to hear each passer say, "Art going to the game today?"

Now all our sorrows are forgot,
The market's roar, the echoing shot
On martial field; we quite relax
Our fears lest we pay too much tax,
And ask, in holiday array,
"Art going to the game today?"

It has been thus since ancient times; The cry was heard in classic climes; Plebs and patricians gathered round The spot where rugged sports were found. "This way for gladiatorial play! Art going to the game today?"

"This way for gladiate."

Art going to the game today?"

-Washington Star. Ye ping-pong players, harken unto

the words of Rev. F. E. J. Loyd, pastor of St. Mark's Church in Cleveland. he looked more like an actor than he Dr. Loyd is preaching a series of sermons on sports and their relation to the Christian religion, according to the Plaindealer, and last Sabbath had to Jeffries said: "While I am out of the something to say about the newly-imported game with the Asiatic name. Dr. Loyd, while being of the opinion get back into the roped arena. Fitzsimthat a moderate indulgence in manly, healthful sports, is not inimical to the apart, and it looks as if there was a Christian religion, nevertheless believes there exists a baneful lack of the sense of proportion among pres-ent-day people; that too much atten-make the match. Now he is in 'Frisco, ent-day people; that too much attention is devoted to games.

"The exaggerated tendency to games at the present time finds a most melancholy illustration," said he to his that case I have instructed my brothcongregation, "in what is called pingpong a kill-time expedient, which no one but an apology for a man or an indolent and trifling woman would resort to. The profession and the practice of Christianity are alike perfectly consistent with a moderate indulgence in games and sports essentially innocent. But that these indulgences should be consistent with true manhood and womanhood should also be postulated. The craze for ping-pong (which even the Chinese minister in Washington calls childish) is a very striking evidence of absolute degeneracy, nor is it necessary for me to say that it is entirely beneath the notice

will land us. Possibly we may find sole burden of our tale, "ping-pong." Is it possible that things will come to field, and Will Calbeck, of the defense, such a pass that we shall think only are billed to help Durham make a try such a pass that we shall think only ping-pong thoughts, and read only ping-pong literature? Consider the poets of the coming ping-pong age, writing such gems as this:

"Mary had a little ping. It's fleece was white as pong; Now Mary did a naughty thing-She pinged her little pong," etc.

Or, if this is not sufficient to im press you, with the gravity of the situation with which we have been brought face to face, take this:

"Ping-pong bell, Pussy's in the well Who put her in? Ping-pong thin; Who pulled her out, Ping-pong stout.'

Devotees of the new game will doubtless classify Rev. Dr. Loyd with the other members of the Royal Guild of Knockers. Healthy-minded people may be led to retort that such fads as ping-pong make the Guild a necessity.

Siever, the big Detroit southpaw who objects to being called 'a Canadian because he once played ball in this town-but who, by the way, has no objection to having a Canadian in the person of Napoleon Lajoie, as team mate-is putting up about as good a quality of baseball as the American League produces. For some inexplicable reason the fans never expect are not disappointed. Siever seems to to play lacrosse with Brantford club payroll, he stands second as a hit three hits out of four times at bat; so stands second with a clean 1,000 to his credit. In his five games he had one put-out, nine assists and no errors. It hander, when the later was on Lon-

"He's a hot-weather bird," Peter used to remark to the representatives in that section of the country and as

The Ex-Champion Tells of of the Knockers' Guild, "but you mark my words: he'll make good." It's a wise old head Peter Lohman carries about.

> The 22nd annual race meeting of the Ontario Jockey Club will open at the Woodbine track, Toronto, on Thursday next, May 22. The first took place in 1881, and was a two-day affair instead of nine, as now. The success of the institution soon became assured and now its annual meetings are looked forward to as the chief event of the year on the Canadian turf. Many lovers of racing in this city will attend the meeting, which opens next week, the chief attraction, of course, being the King's plate, which will, as usual, be decided on the first day. But one London horse, Flaherty's Bobs, has been entered for his majesty's guineas, but local interest in the race is nevertheless very keen.

BOXING.

CORBETT STILL TALKS FIGHT. Buffalo, May 17. - James Jaw Corett, ex-champion of the world, was in Buffalo vesterday, the guest of his friends, the Messrs. Elrick, of East Buffalo. While here "Genteel James" shook hands with many old friends, and was followed about town by a more of street urchins. was faultlessly dressed, and certainly did a pugilist, though he is probably as good in one role as he is in the other. As usual he was ready to talk fight and in reference to his recent challenge ring and on the stage, I would like to shake the footlights for a while and mons and Jeffries seem to have split good opening for me with Jeffries, whom I still believe I can beat, I said talking, I see, to the effect that if Jeffries does not hurry he will go to England and box some man there. Well, in er, now in 'Frisco, to make a match for me with Jeffries for the championship. I'd take a match for the championship tomorrow if I could get it, but otherwise I am out of the ring." Corbett was much interested in the Erne-Gans battle. He expressed surprise that Gans should have won so quickly. "I thought they were pretty evenly matched and rather expected to see the battle go the limit," said

LACROSSE.

ALAS, POOR SHELBURNE! Shelburne Economist: Although the Dauntless lacrosse team of Shelburne will not be found doing business at the acy, as Dr. Loyd insists, goodness only knows where the present wave will land us. Possibly were and series of the defense field, and billed to help London make an attempt of the present wave will land us. Possibly were series of the game. Money, last year's goal-keeper, Pat Kelly and George Bretz, of the defense field, and Will O'Brien of the home field, are billed to help London make an attempt of the present wave will land us. Possibly were series of the game. Money, Batteries—Moriarity, Cross and Jope; McFarlan and Phelps. Umpires, Snyder and Murphy. for senior championship honors. Fred Cornett, of the defense field, and Will ourselves stranded high and dry on O'Brien, of the home field, are booked the shore of driveling imbecility, the for St. Catharines, seniors. Dan Mac-Cartee and Tom McKay, for intermediate honors. Will McKay, inside home, is with the Varsity la-crosse team. Councilor Dennis Madill, has not yet cast in his lot with an outside team, although the Dufferins would like to see him "doing things" on the low-fenced patch of ground down in Tiddley-Widdledy at Orangeville. Fred Scott, the efficient point player, who helped Shelburne land intermediate. honors a couple of years ago, has gone to Brantford. Ciewes, who didn't shine much in the opening games with the Dauntless last year, is with the Tecumsehs of Toronto this year.

LACROSSE NOTES. Woodstock is anxious to see the

Brantford lacrosse team play there on The management committee of the Woodstock Lacrosse Club has appointed Corey Hess coach and captain of the team. The appointment is a popular one and will result in much benefit

The Torontos think they are going Facts to Tickle to the players. to keep Jack Dowling with them, but unfortunately Johnny is pledged to Brantford and he will leave for there just as soon as he returns from Eng-

land, Mr. Fred W. Frank, secretary of the Brantford lacrosse team has received a letter from the Hobart College team of Geneva, N. Y., in which they ask for a game on Saturday, May 31. As Brantford has already promised to play Stratford on that day, the match cannot be arranged.

Ottawa Citizen: The Shamrocks are known to be the champion squealers of a pitcher to be great shakes as a the world, and because these players batsman, and, as a general rule, they have bettered their position by going be a brilliant exception. Of the fifteen the Grifflintown gentlemen can't stand handy stick-wielders on the Detroit for such a loss, and, according to the latest tip, are about to invoke the as-The team's battering average sistance of the C. A. A. U. It is difis .261; Siever's average is .400. Mul- ficult to say what action the C. A. A. lin, the man who leads him, has play- U. may take or what action is within ed in only one game, when he made its sphere. If the men are going to bona fide jobs and have not violated that his extraordinary average of .750 the C. L. A. residence clause they need may be regarded as a fluke. In five not worry about the C. A. A. U. But games Siever has made six clean in the meantime it may be said that singles. In the fielding record he also Brantford has secured two whirlwinds on the home. The western clubs are certainly after the good stuff now.

Toronto Telegram: Morgan Harris, is doubtful whether any pitcher in the India-rubber man from Brantford, either league can match this. All of passed through the city on his way to which vindicates old Peter Lohman's the hamlet today. Morgan says that oft-expressed opinion of the big left- Brantford is to have the team of their lives, notwithstanding the removal of General Westbrook to Toronto. As a clairvoyant, Morgan hasn't his equal

dealer will fit you.

After a few more of our lacrosse last week was the great jumping act teams get through with the Montreal of one Mr. Wright, who in four days Shamrocks there won't be enough left skipped from Cleveland to Brooklyn, of the latter to cut the grass with. and back to Cleveland again, after Brantford has a couple, London is getting Mr. Ebbetts to part with a also there, and the Tecumsehs expect goodly quantity of the coin of the to land one of the Shamrocks' best realm. If Wright and Sheckard were men before many days are over, put in a bag it would be a hard mat-"Jessie dear." \* \* Woodstock is ter to guess which one would fall out not at all alarmed over the line-up of first. the London team. Up in Babytown Detroit News: It would be a good they say "Those Point St. Charles things for the Detroits to go to the players are only intermediates any-They should go and get some way. loud." And then as a sort of after In them they can find several thought comes the remark: "London had better strengthen some if they want to win the championship of District No. 2." All of which shows that the man who simply comes from the east is no longer a great lacrosse player in the minds of a simple people.

BASEBALL. NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Batteries-Chesbro and O'Connor; White

Batteries—Taylor and Chance; Willis and Kittredge. Umpire, O'Day.

At Cincinnati-Cincinnati ... .. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0-3 7 New York ... .. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 5-5 9 Batteries—Hahn and Peitz; Sparks and Bowerman. Umpire, Cantillon. 

Batteries-Murphy and Ryan; Kitson and Ahearn. Umpires, Brown and AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Batteries-Winters and Warner; Wiltse | value of each race, follows: and Powers. Umpire, Carruthers. At Chicago-Batteries—Piatt and Sullivan and Mc-Farland; Powell and Sugden. Umpire,

Johnstone. At Baltimore-Baltimore ...... 0 1 2 0 3 1 0 0 0 0-7 15 Washington ..... 1 1 2 2 1 0 0 0 0 2-9 18 Batteries-Howell, Shields and Robin-son; Orth and Drill. Umpires, O'Loughlin and Sheridan.

Batteries-Wright and Bemis; Miller and McGuire. Umpire, Connolly. EASTERN LEAGUE.

Batteries—Johnston and Diggins; Hastings and Crisham. Umpire, Kelly. At New York-Batteries-Hooker and Shaw; Luby, Woods and McManus. Umpire, Rinn.

At Newark-

man and Toft. Umpire, Egan. NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING

Won. Lost. New York ..... Boston Philadelphia ..... Brooklyn ...... Cincinnati ..... AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING. Won, Lost.

Chicago Philadelphia Washington ..... Baltimore ..... Cleveland EASTERN LEAGUE STANDING. Won, Lost. uffalo ...... Newark Toronto Jersey City.....

the Fans' Fancy

New York has given Brodie the right to look for a job. More players are being caught while napping this year than since the days of Mike Kelly and others of the brainy

John I. Rogers wants his pound of flesh. He says Lajoie must play for

him and that stipend will not exceed \$3,000 per annum. so, and there you are. What's the use Hoffer, who is playing center field for Des Moines, is the young manawho

used to be one of the best pitchers on the Baltimore team. Pratt, the Indian pitcher, signed by Kansas City, was handed his release Monday by Manager Gear. Pratt was the star twirler for the Carlisle school

team last year .. It looks as if Jimmy Collins has just reached the zenith of his ball playing ability. His work with Boston thus far has been on the phenom-

enal order. Fred Clarke, Kitty Bransfield and Claude Ritchey are the weak hitters of the Smoke Town regulars up to date. Jack O'Connor is the leader in the swatting business.

"Rowdyism is a detriment to the game," says John T. Brush, "and if a team can't win and does not play dirty ball, it is deserving of some respect by its followers.' The Pirates have scored three times

as many runs as any other club in the National League. That is enough to convince one that Pittsburg is in a class by itself. Milwaukee critics are lauding the work of McAndrew, and say that he is

one of the best third basemen that has ever guarded the cushion on the left side of the diamond in Milwaukee. According to the Boston players, there is more enthusiasm in old Beantown this season than there has been 4 to 5, 2; Caithness, 87 (Murray), 8 to for years. The National League promises to have the better of the fight there.-Cincinnati Times-Star.

In looking over the Saginaw roster, the name of Rapp is found. He should National League batting averages 1:40%. show that Tenney leads with a percentage of .403, Beaumont has .395, and Smith, of New York, .393. Washington Star: Manager Loftus

needs sympathy and should be prot- 102 (Wright), 20 to 1, 3. Time, :55%. tected from his friends. It was a Second race, mile and 70 yards, self-foolish thing to start the Lajoie-story, ing-Kenova, 107 (Dominick), 6 to 1, 1; as the big player is not wanted here. Ida Penzance, 94 (Helgeson), 7 to 1, 2; The present team is an exceptionally Josie F., 91 (Earl), 5 to 1, 3. Time, high-priced one and will have to finish 1:46%. in the first column to make expenses. Lajole would cost nearly \$1,000 a month miles, selling—Eva Moe, 137 (J. Gormand would prove a poor investment. ley), even, 1; Genne Rose, 132 (Dupee),

Woodstock is ter to guess which one would fall out

Detroit News: It would be a good public library in Cleveland today, as they have no game on, and look over senior experience before they talk so the files of the papers of 20 years ago, tricks, such as trapping the ball, the catcher snapping his fingers and making the umpire believe it was a foul, and quite a few other stunts that would work in well with the hidden ball gang.

PLAYERS SUSPENDED. Chicago, May 16. - Manager Fred Clark, of Pittsburg, and First Baseman Tenny, of Boston, have been indefinitely suspended by the board of control of the National League for 1:05%. engaging in a fist fight on the Pittsburg grounds yesterday. John Brush, who is president of the board, wired James A. Hart today of the in training now.

With the Amateurs.

A CHALLENGE. The London East Victorias challenge any city ball team, average age 17 years. Address challenges to Warren Brooks, 724 Dundas street. Would like to arrange games with the Helena Costume Company and the McCormick Manufacturing Company.

TURY. O. J. C. ENTRIES. The number of entries in each of the 

> King's Plate, 14 miles ......\$1,750 Maple Leaf Stakes, 11-16 miles.
> Woodstock Plate, 1½ miles... 1
> Fashion Purse 1 mile.....
> Toronto Cup, 1½ miles... 1
> Waterloo Handicap, 1½ mile... 1
> Dominion Handicap, 1½ miles...
> Minto handicap, 1½ miles...
> Minto handicap, 11-16 miles...
> Ontario Purse, 1½ miles...
> Liverpool Cup, 11-16 miles...
> Aberdeen Purse, ¾ mile...
> Street Railway Steeplechase,
> 3 miles 3 miles Royal Canadian Steeplechase, 1% miles ..... Hunters' Flat Handicap, 1½ miles ..... Prince of Wales' Steeplechase

Big Race Tracks.

First race, 6 furlongs-Senora Maria, 100 (T. Dean), 13 to 1, 1; Ran After, 102 (Farrell), 12 to 1, 2; Lucy Locket, 105 (W. Waldo) 3 to 2, 3. Time, 1:18%. Second race. 1/2 furlongs—Pure Dale, 107 (Birkenruth), 6 to 1, 1; Filly Deck, 107 (Otis), 4 to 1, 2; Faccarline, 100 (T. Dean), 12 to 1, 3. Time, 581/5. Third race, 7 furlongs—Lecturer, 108 (Mathews), 5 to 1, 1; Dodie S., 98 (T.

Meade), 6 to 1, 2; Drummond, 93 (Davidson), 5 to 2, 3, Time, 1:321/s. Fourth race, 6 furlongs-Brigade, 111 (T. Dean), 3 to 2, 1; Clorita, 109 (Otis), 9 to 10, 2; Haide, 103 (Hoar), 13 to 2, 3. Time, 1:171/6.

Fifth race, 5 furlongs-Bay Wonder, 109 (J. Mathews), 9 to 5, 1; Brookston, 112 (Anstett), 11 to 5, 2; Prodigal Son, 112 (Otis), 13 to 5, 3. Time, 1:05% Sixth race, 11-16 miles-Domadge, 106 (J. Mathews), 9 to 5, 1; Santa Teresa, 99 (T. Dean), 6 to 1, 2; Precursor, 111 (Birkenruth), 3 to 1, 3. Time, 1:51%.

AT LOUISVILLE. First race, 5 furlongs-Early, 113 (Winkfield), even, 1; Mary Lavan, 110 (Stack), 6 to 5, 2; Lady Philura, 110 (Lindsey), 50 to 1, 3. Time, 101. Second race, 6 furlongs, selling-Op-

timo, 104 (Lindsey), 8 to 1, 1; Belle of Mineo, 102 (Miller), 3 to 1, 2; Little Rock, 107 (Cogswell), 6 to 1, 3. Time, Third race, 5 furlongs—Linguist, 105 (Lindsey), 7 to 1, 1; Right and True,

105 (Walsh), 7 to 1, 2; Ben Chalice, 113 (Buchanan), 6 to 5, 3. Time, 1:01%. Fourth race, 6 furlongs, selling-Aules, 104 (Coburn), even, 1; Imp. Judicious, 102 (Miller), 7 to 2, 2; Jigger, 104 (Lindsey), 6 to 1, 3.

Fifth race, mile-Monarka, 107 (Winkfield), 3 to 2, 1; Wain-a-Moine, 100 (Ransch), 4 to 1, 2; Death, 114 (Slack), 11 to 10, 3. Time, 1:41. Sixth race, mile and 100 yards-The Caxton, 101 (Ransch), 7 to 1, 1; Lady Bramble, 103 (Woodard), 25 to 1, 2; Dissenter, 110 (Winkfield), even, 3.

Time, 1:491/2. AT MORRIS PARK. First race, the Zoo hurdle race, 11/2 miles, over 6 flights of hurdles-Valdez, 135 (Mara), 8 to 5 and 3 to 5, 1; Mc-Grathiana Prince, 142 (Heider), 8 to 5 and 1 to 2, 2; Fabius, 142 (G. Herting),

7 to 1 and 2 to 1, 3. Time, 2:54. Second race, the Kinder, selling, for 2-year-olds, last 41/2 furlongs of the Eclipse course—Faust, 98 (Redfern), 7 to 2 and 6 to 5, 1; Squid, 97 (O'Brien), 20 to 1 and 6 to 1, 2; Blue Banner, 105 (T. Burns), 7 to 2 and 8 to 5, 3. Time,

Third race, second Friday, selling, last 61/2 furlongs of the Withers mile-Flirtine, 100 (H. Cochran), 4 to 1 and Knight Templar, 105 (T. even. 1: Burns), 3 to 1 and out, 2; Stella W., 100 (J. Martin), 8 to 1 and 5 to 2, 3. Time, Fourth race, apprentices, last

Roysterer, 115 (Dolan), 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, 3. Time, 1:291/2. Fifth race, last 7 furlongs of With-

(Creamer), 5 to 1 and 2 to 1, 1; H. L. Frank Mack, of Chicago, boxed three Coleman, 97 (W. Murphy), 9 to 5 and rounds. Mack was given the decision. 1 and 3 to 1, 3. Time, 1:29. Sixth race, Bronx Park handicap, Withers mile-Surmise, 98 (G. Thompson), 6 to 1 and 7 to 5, 1; Carbuncle, 114 (Odom), 4 to 5 and out, 2; Fly Wheel, have little trouble locating the slants. 110 (Booker), 4 to 1 and even, 3. Time,

AT ST. LOUIS. First race, 41/2 furlongs-Stand Pat, 104 (Gormley), 13 to 5, 1; Bud Weiser.

AMATEUR CHAMPION INJURED. 102 (Beauchamp), 8 to 1, 2; Sly Boots

Third race, steeplechase, about 11/2 and would prove a poor investment. ley), even, 1; Genne Rose, 132 (Dupee), cussion of the branch story may hurt Carey's work al- 10 to 1, 2; Torreon, 149 (Zeno), 40 to 1, critical condition

a dealer in lacrosse dope he stands at the only thing out of the ordinary 3. Time, 3:05½.

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Fourth race, 6 furlongs—Colonial Girl, 105 (Goodyear), 8 to 5, 1; Helen Print, 104 (T. Walsh), 5 to 1, 2; King Daly, 105 (O'Neill), 9 to 5, 3. Time, 1:14%. Fifth race, 5 furlongs-Scorpio, 117 (Dominick), 5 to 2, 1; Ogle, 100 (Dugan), 11 to 5, 2; Okla, 95 (Louden), 8 to 1, 3.

Time, 1:01¼. Sixth race, mile and 70 yards, selling -Edna Riley, 105 (Beauchamp), 7 to 2, 1; Salinda, 103 (Bell), 11 to 5, 2; Edgardo, 105 (Dominick), 8 to 1, 3. Time,

Picked Up in the Paddock. Just before his death Heir-at-Law,

2:05%, was mated with the great mare Rachel, 2:08%, by Baron Wilkes. A New York dispatch says that Black Fox has been declared out of all engagements, including the Suburban. John W. Schorr denies the rumor that he has given an option on the crack filly, Judith Campbell, calling for \$20,000. Ed Geers' green pacers, Direct Hal

and Dandy Chimes, have worked a mile in company in 2:18, last half in Bob Riddle is getting Aunty Shucks and Esther B. into prime condition at Pottersburg. He has several new ones

Scioto, a 2-year-old sister of the horseman, for \$11,500. An offer of \$500 cash was recently re-flused for a filly only a few hours old 2:091/4; dam by

by Oakland Baron, 2:09¼; dam by Ashland Wilkes, 2:17¼. It is said that Sam Hildreth has remade an offer of \$10,000 for the colt Owenton, by Owas, out of Georgia Kinny, but was refused. It has been decided to rest up King Pepper for the balance of the season, as the horse has not been in good condition for racing this year. C. W. G. Billings has sold Mabel Onward, 2:10¼, to Frank G. Jones, president of the Memphis Trotting Asso-

ciation, who will race her next fall
It is understood that the recent work of Jockey Cochran for the Dwyers has been so unsatisfactory that he will be dropped by them in the future. Among the horses which will start in the Mississippi Valley stakes at St.

Louis today are Sanarzarro, Jordan, Omdurman, Searcher and Hermecia. Jockey Buchanan is back in New York from Paris, where he rode for the Vanderbilt stable. Buchanan will ride only for Vanderbilt in America. Beauchamp and Dominick head the list of winning jockeys at St. Louis Fair Grounds, and they are undoubtedly the best riders at the meeting. Nash Turner is now in New York, having arrived recently from the south. He will ride for William C. Whitney during the balance of

"Lucky" Baldwin's stable reached Washington Park Thursday. In the stable is Cruzados, with which Baldwin is expected to win the American

The steeplechase game has caught on so well at St. Louis again that the officials at the fair grounds are think-ing of billing three hurdle events each The Morris stable received in the

Compute's victory last Saturday. Old England, which finished second, won Winkfield has received a flattering offered to ride for a big eastern stable, but not until his present contract ex-

pires will he ride on the metropolitan One of the promising boys at the Worth track is Jockey Meade. He is landing one or more winners every day and is putting up finishes that borders

Active preparations are now under way for the Latonia Spring meeting. Many of the horses racing at Louisville will be found at Latonia when the meeting opens. It is now reported that Oom Paul's

his owner says that he will be a sure starter in the Brooklyn. tributed among the owners.

purse offered was less than \$400. Green B. Morris heads the list. The pacing stallion William Wallace Scribner, that took a race record of 2:061/4 at Columbus, Ohio, in 1896, was lately sold to Dr. J. C. Parker, of St.

Albans, Vt. William C. Whitney is trying to buy a farm near the Saratoga race track. and it is said that he has made an offer of \$21,000 for a 200-acre place just make up the purse of \$14,000, which outside of the town.

Arab girl; dam of the ex-queen of ton, Ohio, has foaled twin fillies by Axius, son of Axtell. Both are reported alive and doing well. This is especially remarkable, as Arab Girl is 20

years old. Wellington J., formerly figuring among the horses of Mr. Wellington Barnes, of Pottersburg, now owned by Col. Sewell, is being schooled at Toronto. The papers there mention him among the "likelies" in the hunters' flat handicap and the Prince of Wales'

The sister of Star Pointer, 1:591/4. now in Orange county and in foal to 1903 and 1904 she will be bred to Joe Patchen, 2:014. She is owned by George Campbell Brown, of Spring

The adjourned annual meeting of the Wiarton Driving Park Association was held the other evening, when the following officers were elected: President. D. Huether; vice-president, S. A. Perry; secretary, J. H. McDonald; treasurer, J. T. Crawford; auditors, J. McAuley, H. Bottenhorn; property committee, J. B. Ashley, Jas. Hunter, J. H. Fielding; committee on Dominion Day demonstration, Dr. Hough, H. Bottenhorn, J. McAuley, J. Symon, A. Maynes, S. W. Cross, C. F. Campbell

and G. Castner. WRESTLING.

MIKE KELLY DEFEATED. Auburn, N. Y., May 16 .- At an athletic entertainment given at the armfurlongs of Withers mile—Irritable, 113 letic entertainment given at the arm-(Fletcher), 8 to 5 and 30 to 5, 1; King Raine, 115 (King), 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, 2; wrestler, defeated Mike Kelly, a welterweight, of Canada, in two straight The first was given after 22 falls. minutes' work, and the second in ers mile, selling - Swamplands, 98 minutes. Kid Herrick, of Buffalo, and JENKINS IS CHAMPION.

Cleveland, Ohio, May 16 .- Tom Jen kins last night again demonstrated that he is the superior of all the men who have tried to conquer him in wrestling, by throwing Jim Parr, as he agreed to do, twice in an hour. Jenkins secured the first fall in 21 minutes and the second in about 19.

WHEEL.

Boston, Mass., May 16 .- Louis F. Mettling, of Jamaica Plains, the wellknown amateur bicycle champion, was thrown from his wheel by the collapse of a tire at Charles River Park yesterday, while training behind a motor, and is now at the Massachusetts General Hospital suffering from concussion of the brain, and is in a very

### GOSSIP ABOUT VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS OF SPORT

Plate and Its Early Origin.

What Followers of the Ring

Are Talking About at

"Not until after the 16th. He knows I am working here now and can't get away. I am training my brother and Are Talking About at Present.

The various intermediate and junior districts of the Canadian Lacrosse Association have been busy this past talk with him. If he wants to come week in arranging their schedules for the coming season, and now the C. L. A. is all ready to get down to work on the busiest season it has ever experienced. The winners of each district must be decided by Aug. 15, and then come the semi-finals and finals. Some twelve hundred players will be famous mare Imp, has recently been competing in the various games, which has to do sold to S. S. Brown, the Pittsburg only goes to show the popularity the to accept. national game is gaining.

> Next Thursday will see the opening of the Woodbine races in Toronto, and on this day the King's plate is to be run. This stake is one which all Canadian owners strive after, and is the oldest fixture which has been run continuously on this continent. The estimated value is \$1,850. It was presented by the late Queen Victoria and amounted to 50 guineas with \$1,250 added by the club. The distance originally was 1½ miles, but in 1887 it was reduced to 14 miles. It has been run since 1860, when Don Juan captured it. The best time ever made was 2:13 by Seagram's Ferdinand, with Harry Lewis up in 1897. It is purely a race for Canadian bred horses and the conditions read: "For 3-year-olds and upwards, owned, foaled, raised and trained in the Province of Ontario that have never won a race, either on the flat or across country, have never left Canada and have never been for a period of more than one month out of this province." This year competition is unusually keen, and there are many strong candidates. The gram and Hendrie stables are most matter if he lives a thousand years and favored in the betting.

Fifty out of the ninety-seven horses nominated for the American Derby have already faced the flag this year, and have given both to their owners and the public some idea of their capabilities and their chances of capturing the blue ribbon of the American turf. Out of the fifty it is pretty certain that not more than a dozen have much chance to secure the coveted

Abe Frank's position as winter favorite and his 2-year-old performances entitle him to first notice, though his 3-year-old form so far shown place neighborhood of \$7,000 as the result of true he won his first three races, but his finish in the Tennessee Derby, when the Kentucky Derby at Louisville, point to the idea that staying is not his forte or that he is weak-hearted. He is, however, one of the few horses that has carried stake weights, and it may be that the excuses put forward by his stable for his being short and having a sore mouth is legitimate and

Terry McGovern is getting rather anxious for a fight. He is matched to Jim Jeffries and Tom Sharkey, on or before October 15, but the Brooklyn boy wants his conqueror to meet Jim Jeffries and Gus Ruhlin, at During the 153 race days of the Cali-fornia Jockey Club \$453,500 were dis-will not agree to this McGovern thinks

Jim Corbett and Tom Sharkey, fornia Jockey Club \$453,500 were dis- will not agree to this, McGovern thinks Not a he should take on someone else, as he does not care to remain idle that long. In speaking of his coming contest

with Corbett, Terry said: "I cannot understand why Corbett wants to have the match take place in October, when he knows that on any off-racing day we could draw at least \$35,000. Joe Vendig has guaranteed to sell 500 seats. This sale alone would has been offered by the club. course, he beat me fairly and square- Stake, \$20,000; Corbet pulling down the pacers, Bessie Bonehill, 2:05%, owned at Maple Leaf Farm, South Charlescredit due him; but I just want to Frank Erne and Terry McGovprove to him that October is rather late for an open-air contest, and if he would consider Mr. Harris' proposition and fight about Sept. 1 he would be making the best move he ever made.'

Poor Archie McEachern has ridden his last race. Fate ordained that he should end his days on the track, and his tragic death at Atlantic City the every Canadian is his own future, and other day will be learned throughout that of his wife and family, and in this Canada and the United States with a connection we naturally consider the feeling of deepest regret on the part subject of life insurance. Will your of those who knew him either person- wife be provided for in the event of John R. Gentry, 2:00%, will be bred of those who knew him either person-to that horse again this year, and in ally or by reputation. He had done your deal age? A life insurance policy much to bring Canadian athletic prow- your old age? A life insurance policy ess to the public notice and his lament- will help you to do both these things. ed death removes a popular figure from An institution which has made an the cycling world. He was a resident of Toronto.

> reporter describes a six-round bout: passage of arms would not fall short gressive life companies in Canada toof expectations, and the boyers early day. A line to the head office or to made assurance doubly sure. They will bring you full information. threw themselves into the spirit of the | The London office is situated in the engagement with effective results, and Huron and Eie Building, Richmond fought like Trojans every second of street.
> the time occupied in each bout. The Geo. R. Hamilton, Manager Western ability of the competitors was severely Ontario, London. put to the test, and, it must be said to their credit, they never flinched from the grave responsibility imposed pon them. So far as they were able, ney braved the ordeal with the greater end. When it was thought by the of Heintzman & Co. London warespectators that the event would come rooms of this firm 217 Dundas street. a summary termination, the recuerative powers of the scrappers enabled them to renew hostilities with surprising energy. And in this way, fighting for reputation as well as finanial reward, the men continued round after round, struggling on until time brought to a finish a very fine conest."-London Sporting Life. "It won't be necessary for Fitzsim-

mons to come to my door. That fellow's yawp makes me tired," said James J. Jeffries recently, anent Bob Fitzsimmons' latest statement to the effect that Delaney and other agents of the champion will be ignored in the mater of arranging the coming fight, says special from Los Angeles. "Didn't we cancel our theatrical engagements and cross the continent, too, to prove our sincerity, and haven't I been waiting for him ever since?" Jef-

Something About the King's fries continued. "Didn't he sign papers and give his word of honor that he would accept the best bid by March 15? What good were his word and the

papers?" "Will you go to San Francisco to meet Fitzsimmons?" Jeffries was ask-

am his second in his fight with Johnson next Friday, and we have been booked at the park here all this week."

"Do you want Fitzsimmons to come to Los Angeles?" "I am not going to ask him to come here. Delaney is in 'Frisco, and will

here. I have no objections." Jeffries claims there is absolutely nothing for Fitzsimmons to see him about until the latter agrees to some place and club; that he has been made acquainted with all the propositions that have been received from the San Francisco and Los Angeles clubs, and all he has to do is to say which one he wants

The programme for coronation week in London, England, is as follows: Tommy Ryan and Johnny Gorman. Sharkey and Ruhlin.

Kid McFadden and Tokel or Wil-Tommy West and Joe Walcott.

Denver Ed Smith and Bob Armstrong. Harry Harris will also meet the winner of the McFadden-Tokell-Williams bout, and to close up, the winner of the Erne-Gans fight will meet Pat Daly, the best man of his weight in

England. Dr. Ordway says that every man has made a ferfeit deposit of \$500, and in the case of Sharkey and Ruhlin it is said the deposit is \$5,000. Charles White will go to England to

referee the matches. Fighters, like other people, should be taken on the square until they do something crooked, and it is unfortunate that Gans occupies the position of a man who cannot be trusted. No wins every battle he engages in on his merits. Gans will never be able to make the public forget what he did in Chicago the night he quit before Terry McGovern. Since that battle it had been almost proved that there was a big "clean up," and that Gans was the man who made it possible. He has been denounced by the referee of the fight and by the manager of the club which gave the fight. Having "faked" once, the public goes on the supposition that it has no assurance that Gans

will not do so again. To give an idea of what enormous sums were taken in at the gate and his Derby chances at a low ebb. It is some of the large purses offered the boxers in days gone by, the following list, giving the total gate receipts or he was nearly beaten by a selling list, giving the total gate receipts or plater, and his subsequent showings in guarantee hung up in famous ring batthe Gerst Handicap at Nashville and tles since the night James J. Corbett whipped John L. Sullivan for the championship at New Orleans, when he pulled down the magnificent sum of \$45,000 as a purse and stakes, will be interesting. Jim Jeffries and Tom Sharkey broke the record in point of attendance, when they fought at Coney Island in 1899. The gate receipts were

mons, at Coney Island ...... 63,400 at New York city ..... Kid McCoy and Tom Sharkey,

Madison Square Garden Bob Fitzsimmons and Tom Sharkey, at Coney Island; purse... 25,000 Jim Corbett and Kid McCoy, Madison Square Garden .... Terry McGovern and George Dixon, at New York ..... 24,365 John L. Sullivan and Jim Cor-

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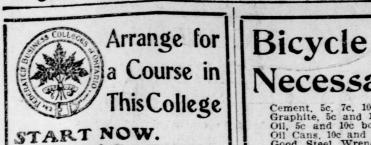
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has secured a situation as traveler for

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-- An Ottawa dispatch says: Permis-

sion is granted the Second Regi-

ment, Queen's Own Rifles, and No. 1

Bearer Company, A. M. C., to visit London, Ont., on May 23, 24 and 25, without expense to the public.

-At the last meeting of the city Masonic Board of Relief, R. W. Bro.

A. B. Greer was re-elected president,

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Strathroy, St. Thomas, Woodstock, Watford and Arkona have been in-

vited to join. -D. D. G. M. R. W. Bro. Dr. Guest, of St. Thomas, paid his official visit to Kilwinning Lodge, No. 64, last evening, and received a cordial welcome at the hands of the members and visitors. After routine work the representative of the grand master was entertained in the banqueting hall, where pleasant time was spent.

The London Pharmacy, -As Judge Edward Elliott has to be in Perth on Monday to give evidence at an important will case, Deputy Registrar R. K. Cowan has been appointed to take his place as presiding officer at the supplementary regis-Your spring suit will be the most satisfactory suit you've ever had, if we do the designing and making. tration sittings for divisions Nos. 2 and 7, which take place on that day. and Mr. M. W. Rossie; "The Enthusi-Mr. Cowan will also hold his own supassts," Mr. Jared Vining, B.A., Mr. T. plementary sittings at the same time. Southcott's, 361 Richmond St LITTLE BUSINESS DONE.

met in regular session yesterday, but The petitioners against the granting of evening the secretary, Mr. E. R. Dena portion of Park avenue townr. John nis, read letters of greeting from sev-Christie will be notified to attend the eral former members of the club, who next meeting of the committee and are now in Toronto and elsewhere. 213 Dundas St. Phone 596. lay their views before the members.

NEARLY AN ACCIDENT. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bayley and child had a narrow escape from injury yes- Mr. terday afternoon. They were driving across the Wharncliffe highway bridge, when a belt line car met them. Without warning Mr. Bayley's horse swerved in front of the car. The motorman instantly reversed his motor, and the car wheels gave a more than usually quick response, thus preventing a nasty acident.

CONCERT AT CHRIST CHURCH. An enjoyable concert was given in Christ Church schoolroom before a large audience, on Thursday night. The Mr. Arthur Gunn. readings of Rev. Canon Dann were received with the applause which they included Messrs. Charles O. Smith, Dr. deserved. The soloists were Misses J. B. Campbell, George Phelps and Mr. Lang, Biers and Cullis, Messrs. For- J. Garfield Smith. syth, Webster, A. E. Galpin, E. Moule, C. Turner and P. Madden and Master "Good authority is pretty well Mrs. French. Mr. Chas. Percy gave agreed that as a rule we eat too a piano solo. Instrumental selections were given by Messrs. Penny Bros. "Arizona" Proves One of the Seaand by Messrs. Hewitt, Weekes and Willsie. Master Jos. Waggoner ren-Eat Johnston Bros', XXX dered a violin solo.

PRESENTED WITH A DESK. At the regular monthly meeting of nourishing foods. 5c a loaf. the London Poultry and Pet Stock Association, the members presented a handsome oak desk to the secretary, Mr. Richard Oke. Since the inception of the association, some twenty years ago, Mr. Oke has filled the important office of secretary in a most acceptable manner, giving his services gratuitously. To his efforts, together with those of the worthy president, Mr. Wm. McNeil, are attributed much of the success of the association. Knowing this, the members took this opportunity of manifesting their appreciation. The address was read by T. F. Kingsmill, jun., and the presentation made by C. A. Stewart.

LECTURED ON WAGNER.

The Clinton New Era says: On Tuesday evening last, W. Caven Barron, principal of the London Conservatory of Music, gave a lecture to a select audience on Wagner's "Lohengrin." The lecture was given at the residence of Wm. Doherty, who kindly placed his beautiful home at the disposal of Mr. Barron for the occasion. Mr. Barron began by explaining the story of Lohengrin, enabling his hearers to understand the scope and principal characters of the opera. Mr. Barron reviewed as much of the work as was possible in the time available, illustrating all his remarks on the piano, of which he has excellent command. In many cases the orchestral colorings were cleverly imitated. Afterwards he played some miscellaneous selections, showing rare judgment in his phrasing, and as the numbers were carefully explained beforehand, they were unusually interesting and instructive. On motion of W. Brydone and W. Q. Phillips, Mr. Barron was tendered a vote of thanks from the assembly.

#### Public Library Additions.

Appleton's Annual Cyclopaedia and Re-

gister of Important Events of the Year King-Reconstruction in Theology. Harnack-Monasticism, and the Confesessions of St. Augustine. Two lectures.
McGiffert—The Apostles' Creed.
Flynt—The Little Brother. A story of

tramp life.

Avebury—The Scenery of England, and the Causes to Which It is Due.

Parsons—According to Season. Flowers in the order of their appearance in the Wheelock-Meatlings of Forest and

Marsh. Fahie-A History of Wireless Teleg-Fahie—A History of Wheles Telegraphy.
Bailey—Cyclopaedia of American Horticulture. Vol. IV., completing the series.
Flower—Policeman Flynn.
Bullen—Deep-Sea Plunderings.
McEvoy—From the Great Lakes to the Wide West.
Lilly—Renaissance Types.
Tiffany (editor)—Letters of James Murray, Loyalist.
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H. Belloc-Robespierre: A Study.
W. G. Collingwood-Life of John Rus-

kin.

Dunbar-The Sport of the Gods.

Howells-The Kentons.

Bret Harte-Openings in the Old Trail.

Marchmont-Sarita, the Carlist.

Major Caskoden-Dorothy Vernon.

Stockton-Kate Bonnet.

Williams-I Devlin-Boss.

### BACONIAN CLUB'S ANNUAL BANQUET

Members Celebrate Its Eighteenth Anniversary

SUCCESSFUL SEASON

End of Year Marked by Brilliant Affair Which Was in Keeping With Club Reputation.

banquet last night, in celebration of its of the production. its 18th anniversary. The banquet was in every way a fitting ending of a year in which the standard of the Baconian Club had been well maintained. The supper itself was excellent, and the songs, recitations and speeches were most enjoyable.

The president of the club, Mr. C. B. Edwards, B.A., was toastmaster, and was assisted by the vice-president, Mr. Frank Lawson. The list of toasts, with the names of those who respond-

ed to them, was: "The King." "Lord Bacon," Mr. Frank Lawson; "The Empire and Its Architects," Mr. C. B. Edwards, B.A.; "The Academicians," Mr. R. A. Little, B.A.; "Obiter Dicta," Mr. C. G. Jarvis; "The Shopkeepers," Mr. John A. Cottam; "Peace or War," Mr. F. E. Perrin; "Our Guests," Rev. Canon Dann J. Murphy and Mr. G. N. Weekes. The recitations and songs were given No. 1 committee of the city council by Mr. W. C. Fergugon, B.A., E. R. Dennis, C. G. Jarvis, A. L. Garthwaite, Herbert Matthews and Dr. David Arnott. Mr. George Phelps was transacted no business of importance. accompanist. In the course of the The banquet was attended by the following, among others: Mr. C. B. Edwards, B.A., Mr. Frank Lawson, Mr. E. R. Dennis, Rev. Canon Dann, G. N. Weekes, Mr. T. J. Murphy, Mr. R. A. Little, B.A., Mr. M. W. Rossie, Mr. F. W. C. McCutcheon, B.A. Mr. A. B. McCready, B.A., Mr. Charles Smith, Mr. D. C. McNaughton, Mr. John Gunn, B.A., Mr. Alex Calder, Mr. E. Hannah, Mr. J. G. Smith, Mr. U. A. Buchner, Dr. D. Arnott, Mr. J. A. Cottam, Mr. Wm. Govenlock, B.A., Mr. H. B. Beal, Dr. George Clark, Dr. J. B. Campbell, Mr. Arthur L. Garth-waite, Mr. George Phelps, Mr. Ernest Atkins, Mr. Jared Vining, B.A., Mr. F. E. Perrin, B.A., Mr. W. C. Ferguson, B.A., Mr. J. H. Dempster, B.A., The committee which, with the officers of the club, arranged the banquet,

### Harry Carson. An instrumental duet of excellence was given by Mr. and MUSIC AND DRAMA

son's Treats at the Grand.

While the company which presented "Arizona" at the Grand last night falls in point of general excellence a little below the one seen at the old Grand a little over two years ago, the performance, nevertheless, proved itself one of the most satisfactory and pleasurable of the entire season. The comparison reflects no discredit on the present company. Rather is it a distinct compliment to them to say that, coming after a combination which contained such clever artists as Eleanor Robson, Theodore Roberts and Vincent Serrano, they have made the play so convincing and enjoyable as it. is. The play itself well deserves the

high praise it has been accorded and the success it has won. Its originality, its strength, its smoothness and continuity of action, its deftness of treatment-all show its creator, Augustus Thomas, to be a master of his craft and probably entitle him to rank as the foremost living dramatist.

Mr. Dustin Farnum and Miss Grace Elliston won golden opinions from the audience for their work in the juvenile roles, which have such a highly important part in the play. Miss Elliston, in succeeding Miss Robson as Bonita, has no easy task, but she has certainly scored a success. She portrayed admirably all the arch winsomeness and coquetry of the character, and all the true womanliness under the laughing girlish exterior. Mr. Farnum was equally effective in his delineation of the impulsive, manly youth, who suffered silently and risked his happiness to save his friend's wife from dishonor. John W. Cope, as lanby, the ranchman, gave the charecter all the hearty and generous

LIGHT "LOOZE."

Do You Drink It?

A minister's wife had quite a tussle with coffee and her experience is interesting. She says: "During the two years of my training as a nurse, while on night duty, I became addicted to coffee drinking, for between midnight and four in the morning, when the patients were asleep, there was little to do except make the rounds, and it was quite natural that I should want a good, hot cup of coffee about that time. It stimulated me and I could

keep awake better. After three or four years of coffee drinking I became a nervous wreck and thought that I simply could not live without my coffee. All this time was subject to frequent bilious attacks, sometimes so severe as to keep

me in bed for several days. After being married, Husband begged me to leave off coffee, for he feared that it had already hurt me-almost beyond repair, so I resolved to make an effort and release myself from the hurtful habit. I began taking Postum Food Coffee and for a few days felt the languid, tired feeling from the lack of the stimulant, but I liked the taste of Postum and that answered for

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bluffness and a breeziness that it needed. Ben D. Deane, as Dr. Fenlon, displayed his possession of an abundance of humor and an excellent command of facial expression. Miss Ada Craven was amusing as the discontented mis-tress of the ranch. Stanley Murphy made a hit in his brief appearances as Sam Wong, the Chinese cook. The other roles were well taken. It was unfortunate that the attendance was The Baconian Club had its annual not more commensurate with the mer-

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SOUSA ON MONDAY. Those who enjoy military music will be rejoiced to learn that Sousa and his band come to the Grand on Monday next. This will be the last opportunity of hearing Sousa and Sousa's music for some years, as the engagements of the band will require their presence abroad and elsewhere for a long season. The conductor promises to provide a bright and seasonable programme.

"ON THE SUWANEE RIVER." Stephen C. Foster's dear old song, "Old Folks at Home," or as it is more familiarly known, "'Way Down Upon the Suwanee River," is the source from which the late W. E. Sterling has drawn the theme and title of his play, "On the Suwanee River," which will be the bill at the New Grand this evening. The play is credited with a healthy atmosphere and an intelligent treatment by the author. The situations are all natural, and there are many thrilling scenes, one of the most dramatic of which is the one where the blind girl is about to cross an old rustic bridge spanning a deep ravine. The villain sees in this situation a quick way to possess himself of the property rightfully belonging to the blind girl, and to this end he removes several of the boards of the bridge, thus making a death trap for her. Just as it seems positive that the girl must step into this trap, her progress is arrested by the singing of the field hands near by. She stops, listens for a moment, turns and retraces her steps. The company to be seen here is most capable one, embracing Stella Mayhew, Katherine Miller, Kate Weston Cherry, Lew A. Warner, Fred Truesdell, Earl Atkinson, Allan H. Clover Leaf Quartet. The scale of prices will be 50c, 35c and 25c.

BLANCHE WALSH. New Grand on Tuesday evening, was born and passed her childhood in New York city, attended the public schools, and subsequently finished at a young ladies' seminary up the Hudson. She determined upon a stage career and joined the Lyceum School of Acting. Her ability was so evident that Marie Wainwright engaged her and cast her for Olivia in "Twelfth Night," which was the first character she ever played on the professional stage. Subsein the leading Bronson Howard's

woman of the Empire Stock Company disadvantage. in various plays, including Paul Pot-"The Conquerors." She also supported Nat Goodwin, Wm. Gillette, and suntide holidays. Sol Smith Russell. Upon the death of Fany Davenport she was chosen among all the actresses in the country to take the place of that great tragedienne, and for two seasons she starred in the Sardou plays, "Fedora," "La Tosca," "Gismonda," and "Cleopatra." historical play, "More Than Queen," playing Josephine, and this year she is presenting two very diverse dramas, the romantic story of the revolution, "Jan-ice Meredith," and an intense emotional drama of Parisian life, "La Madeleine," in both of which plays she assumes the title characters. She will appear here in "La Madeleine."

"MOROCCO BOUND." The latest musical comedy success of the Chamberlyn Amusement Company is "Morocco Bound," which recently closed a brilliant run of three months at the Columbia Theater, Boston, and which is now touring New England, playing to enormous business everywhere. It will be presented here shortly at the New Grand, with the same excellent cast of principals, the same bevy of pretty chorus girls, and the original elaborate stage settings, electrical effects and handsome costumes that gained it success during its remarkably long engagement in the city of culture. The organization is one of sixty people and travels in its own special car. The book is bright, the lyrics delightful, and the musical numbers charming. The merry piece is now in its third year in London ..

#### Prof. Doherty's Advice.

Prof. M. W. Doherty, of the biological department, Ontario Agricultural College, was in the city during the week, making arrangements for the er and peace delegate, containing the carrying on during the present summer experiments with a solution capable of killing and destroying that noxious weed, the wild mustard, so conspicuous on many farms about this district, during the summer months. Last year Prof. Doherty was commissioned by the Ontario Government to conduct experiments in Eastern On-tario. He started at Whitby and worked towards Ottawa, meeting with the greatest of success in destroying dreaded weed, so detrimental to the growing of grain crops.

This season Prof. Doherty will continue the same work in Western On-

The solution used is a mixture of bluestone and water, and this is placed in a tank which is driven directly over the grain when four or five inches high and the solution sprinkled on the leaves. The mustard plant is immediately effected, and three days after-wards it is dead.

This is a cheap method of ridding the farmers of a weed which at present threatens to render valueless any land containing the plants, which take so much moisture and nourishment out of the sail which otherwise would go to strengthen and feed the grain plants. The cost of the chemicals for the colution is but 75 cents for the

sprinkling of an acre.

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MR. CHAMBERLAIN SPEAKS OF PEACE

Secretary May Be Hopeful But Is Not Sanguine.

COMMERCIAL BRITISH

Federation of British Race Necessary-Relief for St. Vincent-Balfour on Steamer Trust.

London, May 17 .- Mr. Chamberlain

met with a great reception on rising to address the annual meeting of the Liberal-Unionist Association at Birmingham last night. His speech had a majority of three-quarters. This been anticipated with the liveliest in- obstruction shelves the question until terest in political circles, as it was hoped he would make some statement with regard to the conference of the Boer leaders at Vereeniging. The colonial secretary did not disappoint this expectation. He said he was hopeful of the results, but not sanguine, thus officially confirming the statement made yesterday. He made the surprising announcement that the government had never insisted on unconditional surrender, perhaps forgetting for the moment that when Lord Roberts was in command in South Africa that was the only basis on which he said he was prepared to discuss peace. BRITAIN'S COMMERCIAL INTER-ESTS.

Speaking with great impressiveness, the colonial secretary added that there must never be a chance for a renewal of the conflict, and the mistake of Ma-juba must never be repeated. This remark was particularly interesting, as he was himself a cabinet minister when the mistake was made. Dealing with other matters, Mr. Chamber-lain said Britain was threatened with the most serious commercial struggle ever known. Their aim must be the federation of the British race.

RELIEF FOR ST. VINCENT. The Mansion House fund for the relief of St. Vincent sufferers now amounts to £14,000. The lord mayor has cabled the governor of St. Vincent Bailey, Harrison Stedman and the a first remittance of £10,000 to cover immediate necessities. The donations included £1,000 from Mr. Carnegie, £525 from the J. S. Morgan Company, and £500 from Lord Rothschild.

Blanche Walsh, who comes to the MR BALFOUR ON THE COMBINE. The projected discussion in the commons on the shipping combine was nipped in the bud by Mr. Balfour yesterday. Mr. Gibson Bowles was particularly anxious for some information. He wanted to know what the law was as to the exact position of the ships in the combination. His contention was that the ships were not enotled to be treated as British and kept on the British register.

quently, with Miss Wainwright, she played Zamore in "The Honeymoon," Queen Elizabeth in "Amy Robsart," Florence Marygold in "My Uncle's Will," Matilda in "Frederic Le Maitre,"

The first lord of the treasury, in advising the members not to raise a debate on the question, said the governmen was in communication with some of the parties most interested in the Grace Harkaway in "Lon- matter, and at the present time could Assurance." Later she was not break silence. The importance of role the question was, he admitted, very "Aris- great, but at this stage it was quite tocracy," and appeared as the leading impossible to say anything without ment satisfied the house, which adjourned soon afterwards for the Whit-

NO TRAINS AT COURT. The King and Queen held their third court last night at Buckingham Palace. Many of the dresses were adorned with natural orchids and roses, while silver was largely used in Last season she appeared in Bergerat's trimmings. A novel feature of the court was, however, the reintroduction of trainless gowns, many ladies making their bow to their majesties in costumes only a shade more gogeous than ordinary ball dresses. The Queen, it is understood, favors the oldfashioned court trains, and at the next court they wil be generally worn

once more. A LITTLE PREVIOUS. No details are to hand regarding the Boer deliberations at Vereeniging. The Daily Mail understands that sufficient indications have transpired to justify the assertion that peace is absolutely assured. The source from which the Mail obtains this information is the same as that which enabled the paper to announce, on April 18, that peace was assured. That was before anything had been said about meetings between

Kitchener and the Boer leaders. The correspondent of the Times at Pretoria says the fact that the Boers are meeting at Vereeniging does not necessarily imply peace. In view of British successes of the past week, it is within the bounds of possibility that energetic continuation of hostilities will be more productive of results than academic discussions among the The Brussels correspondent of the

Times says Leyds has definitely left Brussels and has settled in Utrecht in order to be in closer touch with Mr. Kruger.

The Liverpool Post is informed that a message has been received at Brussels from Lucas Meyer, the Boer leadwords, "Peace is certain."

CARNEGIE MEANT IT

When He Offered to Pay \$20,000, 000 for Filipino Independence.

London, May 17.—When asked whether there was any truth in the published statement that he had offered to pay \$20,000,000 for the Philippine Islands, provided he was authorized to announce to the Filipinos that their independence would be acknowledged ultimately by the United States, An-

drew Carnegie laconically replied:
"Yes, and I meant it.."
The Danish Folkething, by 98 to 2
votes, adopted a resolution in favor of the cession of the Danish West Indies to the UPnited States, on condition that a subsequent popular vote of the inhabitants of the islands shows a majority in favor thereof. The matter was then returned to the landsthing (upper house), which, after a long and spirited debate, rejected the resolution, and, by 33 to 30 votes, reaffirmed the resolution providing for a limited plebiscite and the ratification of the treaty only if favored by after the elections in September, when the government hopes to obtain a majority in the landsthing.

The Trade Conference. Toronto, May 17 .- The conference of boards of trade representatives, which is to be held here on June 4 and 5, bids fair, from present appearances, to be the greatest gathering in the interests of trade and commerce which has ever taken place in Toronto. Thirty-nine boards have already accepted the invitation to send repre-

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# PREMIER ROSS AT

Splendid Turnout in Interest of the Liberals.

6000 BOOM FOR MR. TUDHOPE tentment? (Cheers.)

The Premier's Effective Reply to the Criticism of the Opposition Leader, Mr. J. C. Whitney.

Midland, May 17.-Premier Ross spoke at Midland on Thursday in the interests of the Liberal party and in support of its candidate in East Simcoe-Mr. J. B. Tudhope. The premier was in good form, and his address, es pecially those portions detailing the forward policy was cheered at many points. Mr. Ross also replied to some and was notably effective in depicting the opposition leader's vacillation.

by the Midland brass band and a opment presented to him by the gicrowd of 400 people who escorted the gantic enterprises of Mr. Clergue at distinguished guest up town and along the main street. This was gaily decorated with flags and streamers, and al steal" and a "heinous crime." On among the mottoes flung to the breeze were these: "Remember Ross and Vote for Tudh pe," "The Town is Yours, Paint it Red," "We Wish You All Health and Prosperity."

#### TRIUMPHAL PROCESSION.

The drive was in the nature of a triumphal procession, for, in addition to the music of the band, the air vi- required for the development of New brated to the sound of a dozen whisties Ontario, would it be wise to intrust from the sawmills, factories and lo- him with power if his anticipations comotives of the town, which con-

tinued for some time. Mr. Ross was entertained at lun theon at Edgehill, the residence of Mr. James Playfair. After a short rest, Mr. Ross held, between 5 and 6, a reception at the Queen's Hotel.

When the time for the evening meeting arrived, Mr. Ross and Mr. Tudhope were escorted from the hotel to Jeffrey's Hall by the Midland band, the street being lined by hundreds of people. The hall was decorated profusely with flags, bunting and mottoes. Among the latter were: "Ross and Tudhope—This Combination Will Win," "Send Him Victorious," "Canada Forever." "God Save the King. About 8 o'clock the local electors were join d by nearly two hundred who arived by special train from Orillia and intermediate stations. Mr. F. W. Jeffrey, ex-mayor of Midland, occupied the chair, and in well-

chosen words introduced the speakers. Mr. D. L. White, Mr. Wm. Harvey, of Orillia, and the candidate. J. B. Tudhope, each made timely and effective

#### Hon. George W. Ross.

The rising of Premier Ross was the signal for loud cheers, repeated again and again. Two pretty little girls, sidies passed without opposition. In Velma McGill and Gertrude Preston, the latter case they were resisted. presented him with a bouquet of beautiful roses, and the acknowledgment brought more cheers. I thank you for your reception, Mr. Ross began, for the cheers, for the bouquet, and for the flags and mottoes. It may be your way of taking strangers in, of b.guiling them. (Laughter.) I am very glad to come to East Simcoe, where you are all so hopeful. It is so deligatful as a Canadian to feel that eve. ybody is in good humor, that everybody is prosperous and that there is such a general air of hopefulness all over the land. I visited this town a year and a half ago, when you were opening a great smelter. That was a to the supposed needs of New Ontario red letter day. I have come today mere particularly to say a word on be- himself that he stood in the way of half of the Liberal party, and of our progress? friend Mr. Tudhope. I do not like the way East Simcoe has been acting for the last f-w years. (Laughter.) In fact getting that in the session of 1901 one I have come to the conclusion that it of the conditions of the land grant to was time for a change—(renewed laughter)—and I thought I would come way was the construction of a smelter up and see if you were ready for it, and I think you are. (Cheers.)

A HARMLESS REPRESENTATIVE. You have sent Mr. Miscampbell to us for a good many years. I do not know whether he did you much good or not. He didn't do us much good-(laughter)-and I may say he didn't do us much harm. (Laughter.) tried, but then he was helpless in the face of the good sense of the majorand he has gone to other fields, and I ing to stay, and we are unwilling to who opposed the appointment of don't want to serve.

#### PROSPEROUS AND HAPPY.

I do not think there has ever been a time when there was as much prosper- ate whose confidence he falt he had ty and contentment in Canada; when forfeited? nere have been so few complaints against the government or so few omplaints against the administra-ion of public affairs. (Cheers.) These have yet had from Mr. Whitney is his things did not come by chance. Look change of policy with regard to the ver the province and examine for taxing of corporations. He first anjourself the classes of men, the 15- nounced at New Hamburg that he

the agricultural classes, the working declared that he "was not opposed to classes, the official class, take any in-dustry; there seems to come from none ment that he was "as an absolute and tice and fair play have characterized the action of the government, otherwise there would be complaints here and some spots there, and somebody and sore spots there, and somebody and sore spots there throat. After all, of these any serious complaints. Jus- deliberate falsehood." No doubt he tice and fair play have characterized felt that strong opposition in his own is not the highest claim for credit by tors of Ontario remember that on this a government this fact, that it can for vital question the leader of the op-30 years administer the affairs of a position fronts both ways. Is this angreat pepole like those occupying the Province of Ontario, and at the end that the opposition did not see farther of 30 years find such a state of con-

Mr. Ross then proceeded to discuss the government's record and policy, dealing in some detail with the financial record, the exploration and development of New Ontario, the subsidies, the sawlog policy, which had done so much for Midland and other Georgian government's Canadian policy; the pulp concessions and other matters.

MR. WHITNEY'S UTTERANCES. I have no doubt, Mr. Ross went of you have all watched, as I have done, Mr. Whitney's course during the present campaign, and the various declarations he has made, which, by courtesy, we may be permitted to call his policy. In his first address at Port Hope he told us the opposition had nothing to offer to the country except good intentions, and so far as he has gone he has not got very far of Mr. Whitney's recent statements, away from his original declarations. I can imagine the feelings with which he recalled his denunciations of the Algoma Central Railway when stand-The remier was met at the station ing in front of the remarkable devel-

> Two years ago the proposition of aiding Mr. Clergue was "a phenomen-May 6, quoting his own words, "he expressed amazement at the evidences of progress he had witnessed during the day." No wonder, in discussing his own record with regard to that land grant, he is forced to make the confession that "we could not see further than our noses, so to speak." In regard to any further enterprises Not Intended To Be Regarded Mont Pelee Is Belching Smoke, have been such a gigantic failure? (Renewed cheers.)

A MERE EXCUSE.

Mr. Whitney constantly complains that the bonuses for railway aid are brought down at a late hour in the session, and without any information as to details on which an intelligent opinion can be formed by the house. This complaint is a mere excuse, without any foundation in fact. In every instance the mileage to be bonused is mentioned in the bill, and the points to be connected, or the railway to be extended indicated, and if the grant is Will not more than one-sixth of the entire cost of the railroad to be constructed. it is plain that the risk taken by the government in making the subsidy is insignificant. For all practical purposes it is sufficient that the railway know projected into new territory, either for settlement or containing such resources of forest or mine as are susceptible of development. That information has invariably been afforded. (Applause.) Even his own course in this respect has not been consistent. In the session of 1901 the subsidies for railways were passed through the house as rapidly as the subsidies proposed in 1902. In the former case the sub-

> OBSTRUCTING PROGRESS. Mr. Whitney "defies any person to point his finger to any vote or act of the opposition indicating any desire or intention to stop for one moment the wheels of progress." What did he mean by his opposition to the Algoma Central land grants? By his opposition to the government railway from North Bay to Lake Temiskaming? grant to colonization roads? To the Normal School at London? To the sioner? And to twenty other things that might be mentioned? Are not these recent declarations as most conclusive proof that he felt (Renewed cheers.) thinks now that New Ontario must have several customs smelters, for- the capable of smelting 300 tons of iron ore per day. (Applause.) Again, he asks that a minister of the crown should be especially charged with looking after the resources of New Ontario, forgetting that the commissioner of crown lands is under our constitution already charged with that duty. (Hear, hear.)

CROWN LANDS BUSINESS. So anxious was I when organizing ity of the house. He has thought per- the government two years ago that haps you would not elect him again the commissioner of crown lands should give his whole attention to our do not think they are going to elect northern districts, that his duties were him there from what I can hear confined to the management of our (Cheers.) I am very glad to hear from crown lands and the development of our your candidate. Let me say this, mineral resources, and the splendid without the least degree of exaggera- results of this policy are everywhere tion, that I am more than delighted seen in New Ontario. (Applause.) with the excellent presentation Mr. Does Mr. Whitney want two ministers Tudhope made of himself and his for this purpose? In order that his case. The manliness and straightfor- whole attention might be given to our wardness of his speech will be an ap- forests and our mines, Mr. Davis was peal hard to resist. I do not know relieved of the department or colonizahow a Tory can vote against him. tion roads, and under Mr. Latchford, (Laughter and cheers.) Of course we to whom this department was assignhave been in power for 30 years. That ed, the work of colonization roads has is no fault of ours-(laughter)-you been pushed with the utmost vigor. It have kept us there, and we were will- is a little strange that Mr. Whitney, go if the majority of the people wish minister of education and the complete us to remain. We are the most docile separation of the department of agrigovernment you ever saw-(renewed culture from all other departmental laughter)-if you want us we will duties, would now awake to the imserve you, if you don't want us we portance of developing New Ontario, and in his enthusiasm call for a new minister. (Applause.) Is not this act clearly an apology for his past neglect and a bid for the votes of an elector-

A PRETTY SHARP CURVE. calities or institutions that are dependent in whole or in part for their prosperity upon the government, and al meetings since the campaign openisk if they have any complaints, Take at the states at the same in Catarrh. It can be used while at work, in the church, theater, or street care. Simply inhale Catarrhozone and it cures. Simply inhale Catarrhozone and it cures. Price, \$1.00. Small size, 25 cents. Druggists or Poison & Co., Kingston, Ont.

the tax," and characterized the stateother illustration of his own statement than their noses? (Loud cheers.)

After an explanation of the labor

legislation of the government, and the referendum, Mr. Ross concluded: Is our policy a good one? Have we the qualification of common honesty? Don't swap horses when crossing a stream, as Lincoln said. Size up the two candidates and their policy. If Bay towns, and was a sample of the you want us returned, support Mr. Tudhope. In doing that you will be supporting a good man, that at least tries to do right. (Cheers.) At all events, let us feel that whether this government is sustained or not, there is always in our hearts sufficient pariotism not to forget our country. Remember that Ontario must stand at the front of that great procession of provinces from which the Dominion has carved a destiny which will make us foremost of the greatest empire of ancient or modern times, and in doing your duty towards Ontario you are building up not only the Dominion, but strengthening the right arm, and helping to perpetuate those British institutions under which we have enjoyed such unexampled prosperity. (Loud and prolonged cheers.)

The meeting closed with cheers for

the King, Mr. Ross and "Jim" Tud-

### PRESBYTERIANS' REVISED CREED

as a Substitute.

All Dying in Infancy Are Regenerated and Saved by Christ Through the Spirit.

New York, May 16 .- The special committee on revision of the Presbyterian confession of faith recommends tion 3, that it is not to be regarded as to teaching that any who die in infancy are lost. "We believe," says the report, "that all dving in infancy are included in the election of grace, and are regenerated and saved by Christ through the Spirit, who works when and where and how he pleases."

The committee says concerning the brief statement of the reformed faith that it was prepared "with the view to its being employed to give a better understanding of doctrinal beliefs. and not as a substitute." A brief synopsis of the sixteen articles fol-

"We reaffirm our faith in the everappointment of a good roads commis- living God, infinite, eternal and unchangeable, and in the trinity of the

> "We believe the Holy Scriptures, given by inspiration, to be the faithful record of Christ's revelations, and only infallible rule of faith and

"That the eternal, wise, holy and loving purpose of God embraces all events, so that while the freedom of man is not taken away, nor is God the author of sin, yet in his providence he makes all things work together in the fulfillment of his sovereign design and the manifestation of his glory.

"That God is the creator, upholder and governor of all things, that he made man in his own image, free and able to choose between good and

"That our first parents, being tempted, chose evil, and so fell away from God and came under the power of sin, the penalty of which is death, and that no man can be saved except by

"That all who come to years of discretion can receive this salvation only through faith and repentance, and that all who die in infancy and all others given by the Father to the Son,

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who are beyond the reach of the out-

"That the Lord Jesus Christ is the only mediator between God and man. "That God pardons our sins and accepts us righteous solely on the ground

of obedience, by faith alone, and that this saving faith is always accompanied by repentance. "That the Holy Spirit only is the

author and source of the new birth. "That the church invisible consists of all the redeemed, and that the church visible embraces all who profess the true religion, together with their children. We receive the sacraments of baptism and the Lord's Supper, alone divinely established, together with the Word, as means of

"That the Lord Jesus will come again in glorious majesty to judge the world and make a final separation between the righteous and the wicked. That the wicked shall receive the eternal reward of their sins and the chosen the full enjoyment of eternal

The report on creed revision will not be debated until Thursday or Friday

### FORT-DE-FRANCE **NOW THREATENED**

Fire and Cinders.

#### THE DOCTRINE OF ELECTION THE PEOPLE PANIC-STRICKEN

Nine Thousand Refugees Arrive at City of Fort-de-France-Many Starving-Robbery Rife.

Fort-de-France, Island of Martinique, May 16. - Great flashes of very bright light were emitted from Mont Pelee between 10 and 11 o'clock last night. They were visible from here. Thick, glowing, red clouds, interspersed with flashes of light, were issuing from the ve cano this morning. Showers of cinders, lasting for twenty minutes, accompanied the activity. The people in the districts of Lorrain, Marigot, Saint Marc and La Trinite are panic-stricken.

FORT-DE-FRANCE THREATENED. Paris, May 16. - A private telegram received here via La Guaira. Venzuela, says Fort-de-France (Martinique) is seriously threatened by the volcanic disturbances.

MANY DYING OF STARVATION. Washington, May 16. - Secretary Moody has received the following cablegram from Commander T. C. McLean, of the Cincinnati:

"St. Lucia, May 15. - Six thousand refugees have come into Fort-de-Three thousand have come France. into Kingston. In the northern portions of Martinique and St. Vincent very many people perished; others are suffering for food and water. There is very great difficulty in relieving and saving so many people scattered over large areas. The number of people to be fed and cared for are said to be reduced by mortality. Have coaled here. Return to Fort de-France and St. Pierre today. Will endeavor to recover records of American and British consulates at St. Pierre. If remains of officials are found will bury with military honors.' Later the department received a cablegram announcing the arrival of the Cincinnati at Fort-de-France today. A telegram also was received announcing that the collier Sterling, which took a quantity of stores from San Juan, Porto Rico, arrived at Fort-

de-France today. ROBBERY.

Fort-de-France, May 16.-Looting and robbery are on the increase at St. Pierre and elsewhere, and the authorities cannot cope with the conditions, especially as local political quarrels at St. Pierre are interfering with prac-There are tical harmonious action. refugees at Fort-de-France. The French cruiser Suchet will sail tomorrow with the principal local authorities, who will be landed at St. Pierre, and proceed to the northern part of the island, in the direction of Basse Pointe, and thoroughly investigate the situation. It is feared that pillage is rampant there. Fifty robbers, arrested at St. Piere, have been sentenced to five years' imprisonment. MARVELOUS ESCAPE.

Port-of-Spain, Trinidad, May 16 .-M. Albert, owner and manager of the Lagarrane estate, which lay about a mile northeast of the crater of Mont Pelee, has just arrived here with his family on the steamship Canada from Martinique. He tells a story of a

marvelous escape from death.
"Mont Pelee had given warning of destruction that was to come, maid: "but we, who had looked upon the volcano as harmless, did not believe that it would do more than spout fire and steam as it had done on other occasions. I was in one of the fields f my estate when the ground trembled under my feet, not as it does when the earth quakes, but as though a terrible struggle was going on within the mountain. As I stood still Mount Pelee seemed to shudder and a moaning sound issued from its crater. Then there was a rending, crashing, grinding noise. It was deafening, and the flash of light that accompanied it was blinding. It was like a terrible hurricane, and where a fraction of a second before there had been a perfect calm I felt myself drawn into a vor-

tex. A MYSTERIOUS FORCE. "The mysterious force leveled a row

of trees near by, leaving bare a space of ground fifteen yards wide and more than a hundred yards long. Above and saved by Christ through the Mont Pelee's apex a great black cloud formed, which reached high in the air.

It literally fell upon the city of St.

It literally fell upon the city of St. Pierre. From the cloud came explosions as if all the navies of the world were in combat. Lightning played in and out in broad forks. prevented from seeing the destruction by a spur of the hill that shut off the view of the city. It is impossible for me to tell how long I stood there Probably it was only a few seconds. When I recovered possession of my AND ALSO A LOYAL ADDRESS senses I ran to the house and collected my family, all of whom were panic-stricken. I hurried them to the seashore, where we boarded a small! steamship, in which we made the trip in safety to Fort-de-France. As we drew out to sea in the small steamship Mont Pelee was in the throes of a terrible convulsion. New craters seemed to be opening all about the summit, and lava was flowing in broad streams in every direction. My estate was ruined while we were still in sight of

> ST. VINCENT'S DEAD. London, May 16. - A dispatch from he governor of the Windward Islands, Sir Robert Llewellyn, says: 'The total number of bodies of St. Vincent's dead buried to date is 1,300; in hospital, 130. All immediate wants now supplied. Generous aid received from neighboring colonies. Nine of the best an the chairs occupied by the members sugar estates damaged seriously. All vegetation is destroyed. It will probably revive after rain. Three thousand persons on the relief list. At an approximate cost of £50 daily the relief must continue for some time. The eruptions seems to be decreasing, but lava is flowing. All danger is not yet over."

POISONOUS VAPORS. The sulphuric vapors which still exhale all over St. Vincent are increasing the sickness and mortality among the surviving inhabitants, and are causing suffering among the new ar-The hospital staffs are giving way to overwork, and are with difficulty bearing up, but the news of the dispatch of an ambulance corps from the garrison of Barbadoes, and the statements made that further medical assistance will arrive here shortly, are having a beneficial effect upon all concerned. The stench in the afflicted districts is terrible beyond description.

Nearly all the huts left standing are filled with dead bodies. When it is possible the bodies are dragged with ropes to the trenches, and are there hastily covered up, quicklime being used when available. Many of the dead bodies were so covered with dust that they were not discovered until walked upon by visitors or by the relieving officers or their assistants.

### LEGAL

Likely to Follow Quebec Kidnapping Affair.

The Fugitives Gaynor and Greene Likely To Be Sent to Quebec.

Montreal, May 16. - The writ of habeas corpus which was issued in Quebec yesterday at the request of Mrs. Gaynor after her husband and Capt. Green had been taken on board the tug Spray, was served on Chief Detective Carpenter this morning after the arraignment of the prisoners. That officer has not yet responded to the writ, and a legal battle is likely to fellow over the attempt to secure the release of the prisoners.

WILL BE BROUGHT BACK. Quebec, May 16. - Mrs. Gaynor left for Montreal on the 1:15 train this afternoon, accompanied by Jules Tessier, attorney for her husband. Mr. Parent communicated this morning with Mr. Archambault, attorney-general, to have the habeas corpus writ. which was signed yesterday by Judge Andrews, of the superior court, executed. This practically means that Col. Gaynor and Capt Greene will be brought back to Quebec, but nevertheless a determined effort will be made to have them retained in Mon-

treal. A telephone message was received in Quebec from Col. Gaynor today. He said that he was feeling quite well. and he felt confident that everything would turn out all right.

"We have the assurance of the minister of justice," says the Quebec Daily Telegraph tonight, speaking of the ar-rest of Gaynor and Greene in Quebec yesterday, "that everything was quite regular, and that the only mistake made was in the sensational character of the arrest and abduction." It appears that, according to his reading of existing circumstances it is doubly the law, the moment a warrant was is- precious. It is precious in this, that sued by a proper magistrate, who is also an extradition commissioner, as in the case of Judge Lafontaine, of Monthe arrest could have treal. been made at any time or any part of Canada without the necessity of indorsation by any local judge or magistrate. Referring to the minister of justice, we are in a position to make this statement: "That the arrest was perfectly legal, but that the manner in which it was made was altogether unnecessary and foolish. As far as can be judged the whole affair amounts to what is known in legal parlance as a change of venue, to a piece of impudent sharp practice on the part of Montreal lawyers, which reflects most seriously on our Quebec judges and the local profession. do not know how much Mr. Don-ald McMaster, K.C., has been or will be paid for his wonderful strategy, for which there was no necessity whatever. As we are informed, the warrant issued for the arrest of Messrs Gaynor and Greene might have been executed quietly and in the regular and ordinary way, without any of the sensational accompaniments, which have formed such an exciting local and outside topic. Why, therefore, all this strange performance, for the plublic edification? Simply to transfer from Quebec to Montreal, as a more favorable field for the extradition of the prisoners, whatever pecuniary benefit might be supposed to accrue from the legal handling of the case, which has simply changed the hearing of the extradition proceedings from Quebec to Montreal, which was the object all through. Messrs. Gaynor and Greene are as safe in the sister city until the complaints against them are decided be as asserted, the sooner it is amend-ed the better." as they would be here. But if the law

# HONORS FOR SIR

Pierre was doomed I knew, but I was The Premier Presented With His Own Portrait

Liberal Party Voices Admiration for Its Chief-Mr. Borden Takes a Graceful Part.

Ottawa, May 17.-After the prorogation ceremonies on Thursday, the senate chamber was the scene of a pleasing non-political event, occasion being taken to present Sir Wilfrid Laurier with a portrait subscribed for by his friends and admirers. Most of the cabinet ministers and their wives were present, as well as a good sprinkling of members and senators and their to carry on the warfare, at all events lady friends. The cabinet ladies sat | so far as I was concerned, by methods

of the government when the house is in session. Lady Laurier carried a friends. In this matter I sometimes bouquet of lovely roses, and was much have, perhaps, transgressed, although affected by the tribute paid to her distinguished husband. The galleries of the chamber were filled with onlook- the contrary, I take this occasion, since ers. Sir Wilfrid's entrance was recognized by an outburst of cheers, which was renewed when Mr. W. S. held by gentlemen on this side, the Calvert, M.P., in ringing tones and cordial hand of fellowship, and hope with proper emphasis read the following address:

THE ADDRESS.

"To the Right Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, G.C.M.G., K.C., D.C.L., LL.D., P.C.: "Dear Sir Wilfrid,-We, your friends

and admirers of the Liberal party, beg to present you with an oil painting of yourself as a token of the high esteem and regard with which we hold you. Others have performed a like pleasant duty, but we desire that this souvenir shall specially be our contribution as expressing our loyalty to you as a man and our devotion to the cause you so conspicuously lead. are attached to you personally as well as proud of you as a leader. Your life's work has been given up to fos-tering concord and harmony among all classes of the people, regardless of creed or origin, and your success in that great and noble task will live to your honor and glory, a grand example for Canadian statesmen for all time. Your leadership, when in opposition or as premier, has won our unstinted fealty. You have cemented in both positions, the great Liberal party, of which you are the noblest chief. As you look at this memento, remember that back of it is our ungrudging attachment, and that you can rely on our devotion and at all times feel secure of its continuance. You are again to visit our new King as you visited his illustrious mother. We have no fear that Canada, now as then, will be represented in you with greater glory to our Dominion than it would be by any other Canadian. All faithful Liberals and true Canadians are with you in all your efforts to enhance our common heritage and secure for it greater recognition. Whether the donors accompany you or not, they will all be with you in spirit and will applaud your actions. We will enthusiastically welcome you back, to continue your great work of building up a united Canada, free from prejudice, yal in sentiment and prosperous in all that makes a country glorious.

ings of a long and happy life, of which this great international visit that you are about to undertake shall be one of the most brilliant and pleasant episodes, and that you both will return to your native shores to enjoy the love and esteem of the Canadian people for many long years to come. Signed on behalf of the donors. "W. S. CALVERT."

pray that Providence may extend to Lady Laurier and yourself the bless-

SIR WILFRID LAURIER'S REPLY.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who was received with loud cheers, said: Mr. Calvert, Ladies and Gentlemen,-It is with a very sincere heart indeed that both in my own name and in the name of my wife I accept from the friends, unknown, in the sense that their names are not known to me at this moment, this memento, which is the work of me under any circumstances. Under it is the work of a great Canadian artist. The name of Mr. Forbes is well known throughout Canada and throughout the motherland, and is somewhat famous in the land to our south. It is perhaps with a sense of regret we must acknowledge that although Mr. Forbes is a Canadian by birth, and that his heart is still Canadian, he has taken up his abode in another land. He has done so, I am his birth. Unfortunately Canada, which is still a young country, has not afforded to artists all the help it might have given in the past. I trust that in the future Canadian artists and Canadian talent will receive more encouragement from the Canadian people than has been extended to them up to the present. (Hear, hear.) For my part, it is with some regret I acknowledge that perhaps the government might have done more than it has for the encouragement of native artistic talent. There is a scheme which I have long had in my mind, which might serve to encourage Canadian artists. Perhaps if we were to propose some time in the near future to have these walls adorned by paintings representing Canadian and commemorating the names of Canadian artists, such a proposition would meet with universal favor. (Applause.)

I venture to hope that if the government brings forward such a proposi-tion my friend, Mr. Borden, for whose presence I am especially grateful, will find it possible to second such a motion. Some two hundred years ago the government of the French monarchy instituted a way of encouraging nagive talent by establishing le Grande

Prix de Rome, under which prizes are given to the best students in painting, sculpture, architecture and music. They are sent to Rome for four years, there to study the art to which they are especially to devote themselves. Perhaps this would be too ambitious a scheme for young Canada to under-take. But if something of the kind were proposed I think the Canadian people would respond generously.

ALL CANADIAN CITIZENS With regard to the sentiments which you have expressed in this address. I have only one fault to find. That is they are altogether too flattering to me. It is now fourteen years since I was asked to assume the position of leader of the Liberal party, and I have endeavored since discharge to the best of my ability the duties then entrusted to me. Of course, we all know that in matters of this kind we cannot all feel alike. On this side of the house we hold one set of views, and on the other side they look at matters from a different standpoint. Nevertheless, we differ only in means. We do not differ in purpose, either on one side or the other. What we aim at is the pros-perity and the glory of our country and the great empire to which we belong. (Cheers.) In the dischare of my duties it has been my lot, of course, to have to differ from those to whom I was opposed, but I have endeavored directly inspired by those of the British Parliament-that is to say, treating opponents not as enemies, but as I am not conscious of having done so. If I have done so I hope the example will not be followed by anyone. we are all here on the floor of parliament, to extend to my fellow-citizens who occupy the seats that were long that notwithstanding all our differences, we shall always behave as patriotic Canadians. (Cheers.)

You were kind enough to allude to the part which I have endeavored to play, in so far as I am a Canadian to promote harmony and peace amongst us. This is indeed a very congenial task, and there should be no other one in the parliament, or throughout the broad Dominion. We cannot un-make the history of the past. As to the history of the future, I hope it will continue to be what it is today, that is, prosperity, cordiality, goodfellowship and good will amongst all those whose privilege it is to be inhabitants of this good land of Canada.

(Cheers.) VISIT TO THE MOTHERLAND. You were kind enough to refer to my previous visit to the motherland. am conscious that in this I shall have thrust upon me, perhaps more than ever, a very severe task and a very important one. I cannot hope to perform that task to the satisfaction of all. I cannot hope to be free from misbut you can rest assured I shall endeavor to discharge the duties which are imposed upon me, not simply as the leader of the Liberal party, but as befits the premier of Canada; that is to say, to speak for Canada as a whole. (Cheers.) Please accept my own thanks and the thanks of my wife for this souvenir. It shall occupy a prominent place in my house. I am sorry indeed to say that I have no children to leave it to. were otherwise, but I must accept fate as it is. Some day I hope it will be in the national museum, not with a view of remembering me to posterity, but for the glory of Mr. Forbes, the artist who painted it. Once more accept my sincere thanks, and my sorrow that I cannot find expression ade-

fullness of my heart. (Loud cheers.) MR. R. L. BORDEN. Mr. R. L. Borden came forward in response to a call from the audience and said this was one of the occasions when the opposition had no amendment to offer. He esteemed it a great pleasure to be present. While they fought their battles on the floor of parliament with a good deal of vigor. on an occasion like this all could join in offering hearty congratulations to Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier, and wishing them God-speed on their approaching visit to the motherland. He added his congratulations to those of the gentlemen who had shown their esteem and affection for the premier by

quate to convey to you as I wish the

presenting him with this very valuabl portrait. Mr. Borden then advanced and shook hands warmly with the prime minis-

#### Public Untidiness.

The discovery that there is more of filth, squalor and general slovenliness in a great Canadian artist. It is a gift public places and works, in streets, which would be most acceptable to squares, river-sides, docks, quays, roads and bridges in the United States than in any other country of the first, or even second, rank is a humbling but salutary experience. In what may be called our public housekeeping, in the outward appearance and maintenance outward appearance and maintened by of places and works administered by semi-nublic enterprise, we public or semi-public enterprise, we rank with Turkey rather than with England or Germany. Oriental Japan, tiny Switzerland and slow-going Holland stand far ahead of the United States in this respect, says a writer in the Forum. Our national slovenliness is seen in dirty streets and unsightly water fronts in another land. He has done so, I am sure, not from any choice of his own. Had the choice rested with him he would have remained in Canada and brought up his family in the land of his birth. Unfortunately Canada, which is still a young country, has which abound in so many regions not only illustrate the folly of this semi-barbarous slackness of administration; for they constitute the most costly means of transportation possible, impose a heavy task on avantable. heavy task on every farmer and other resident, and are a clog upon the general prosperity of the regions they traverse. Tidiness and the efficient maintenance of public works cost more in the first outlay than negligence; but they save this excess many times over in the end.

#### Gotham Eats Horse Meat

It is said that horse meat is now being sold at many of the small restaurants in New York. Equine roasts and steaks promise to be on the bills of fare there for some time to come as a natural substitute for the more expensive beef. As yet the substi-tution of the doubtful meat is said to have been attempted only in the cheaper restaurants. It is asserted by one of the downtown eating house proprietors that not one customer in ten or even more is able to detect the difference.

#### IN THE WATCHES OF THE NIGHT.

things that happen on the decks of ocean greyhounds in the dark of night, while a thousand unsuspecting passengers are asleep.

"Some of the strange experiences we

said to a writer for the New York Commercial Advertiser, halting abruptly in ed companionway leading to the stateroms of the sleeping ones, below. figure steals up that companionway, have at least one every four trips or

modern ocean liner." 'Did you see that fellow sitting in the bunker. door of the companionway as you came up? Of course not. But I know he's there, because I saw him follow you of the blades was gone, and a slight He's the suicide watch, put there to prevent people from jumping over- of about a thousand passengers asleep his orders are to follow anyone that and those went back to bed laughing comes up on deck during the night, until satisfied that all is well. If mischief is afoot, it is the business of the watch to interrupt the suspect and get him back to his cabin without a hint of the attempt reaching the ears of the other passengers.

"Only two trips ago we lost a married couple in a desperate case of double suicide. In the gray of a morning they jumped overboard locked in each other's arms, and despite the rumpus on the deck not a passenger ever learned of the tragedy.

"I was on the bridge at the time and was one of the first to see the pair climb up that rail. I knew at once what was up. Standing on top of the rail the man had his arm about the waist of the woman and she had her head lowered into the hollow of his neck, as if to shut out the dreadful sight of the black water. I gave a yell that should have aroused the dead, but they did not hear. Half the watch on deck made a wild dash at the pair, and It seemed as if they would be saved after all. But just as the men got within arm's length the man gave dreadful cry and both plunged back-

ward into the sea. "Instantly there was a clanging of gongs and a ringing of bells for full pulley blocks as the boats were lowerof the things we always expect from family, but was born in Florence, speed astern. On top of this came the ed from the davits, but like so many dead people the 1,200 passengers below Blept through it all, absolutely ignorant of the dreadful thing that had happened over their heads.

KEEPS PASSENGERS IGNORANT. "But, thereby hung a trick. Had the the vibration throughout the ship would have sent every passenger scurrying to the deck in less than five minengines been stopped the absence of rying to the deck in less than five min-If you want to keep sleeping passengers where they are, run your engines backward or run them forward, but never stop them. Keep up

the vibration whatever you do. "Off the banks of Newfoundland we worked that wrinkle to the limit one night after running down a fishing The weather was thick, and we saw the sloop just in time to reverse our engines full speed before the crash came. There was a shock, of course, and a grating and crashing and thumping as our steel keel ground over the little fellow, but not a soul of mething like 1,100 abroard heard the

"We continued backing the engines until we estimated we had reached the trouble.

Hunters Get a Bear That Has Been a Terror

to Idaho Ranchmen.

Big Foot, the gigantic grizzly

the country around Lewiston, Idaho,

for several winters, is no more. He

Holbrook, of Sioux Falls, S. D., a life

Insurance agent, who travels in Idaho

them was L. W. Long, of Spokane

On arriving at Lewiston they found

miles to the southwest of Lewiston.

The snow was two or three feet deep

in that section, but they wandered

coming upon Big Foot's trail. Fin-

ally one of the dogs scared him up.

He was in a hole among some rocks

tributary of Snake River.

away when the race started.

he would turn and run again.

territory, Holbrook and those

killed a few days ago by D. G.

THE KILLING OF

Throughout the watch the officer | place of the collision. Then we sent of the deck paced the high, narrow out boats, and for over an hour hovand told of extraordinary ered about, alternately backing and going ahead to keep up the vibration, and when the boats returned unsuccessful not a passenger had been frightened into coming on deck.

"It is queer what startling interrup-Tellows have in a year of night tions may happen without waking the watches would surprise you,"the officer small army of passengers. One night small army of passengers. One night I was getting ready for my watch when there was a tremendous bang his tracks to point out the dimly light- and a tremor that shook the vessel from stem to stern. I ran out on deck and listened at the head of "Suicides, for example. You'd never the companionway for the first onrush lieve how often, in the dead of night, of feet, but only four men, half-clad and frightened pale, ran up the stairhoping to drop silently overboard. We way, afire with excitement. They saw nothing wrong, and that assured them. so, and if we don't, we think something I helped them along that line, although more often it is a man, but it's rare bulkhead grating into place. I told ing Derwent stands an old mansion red tape. Florence Nightingale called these days that a passenger manages them that big hatch in the lower which possesses a peculiar and abid- a couple of orderlies, walked to the to kill himself from the deck of a hold had been dropped by some coal ing interest, especially to women. This locked door and ordered them to burst heavers while opening a new coal

wreckage with our port propeller, one stretches of smooth-shaven lawn and you headed this way for the bridge. leak owing to the sudden strain had developed near the stuffing box. But He's one of the stewards and that night only four were aroused, at their fears.

"Among the funny incidents of our cruise were the actions of a pair of foreigners who came on deck in their pajamas, with a pair of revolvers, one very chilly morning, and explained that they had an urgent little affair to settle. The second mate was in charge and he sent them to the bow of the steamer. There the wind blows as it blows nowhere, aboard ship or elsewhere, and the cold cuts as it can cut through pajamas and skins only, when backed by the force of a 20 or 30 knot breeze. The new conditions were that the pajama principal who could stick it out longest in front there was to be declared the winner. There was no

duel that morning. "We had a hard time one night with a big, stout woman who had suddenly gone mad and who managed in some way to get into the rigging Each officer took a slip of paper, wrote of the foremast. When found the upon it the name of his choice, and poor creature was almost ready to handed the slip to Stratford. drop to the deck with exhaustion. Men were sent up the mast, but none a strange thing was discovered—the had to lower her with block and fall. two words: Florence Nightingale. She died of exposure next day, but no passenger ever heard of the cause.

MADNESS IN THE STOKEHOLE.

"Speaking of madness, that is one lie awake and brood and think while mistress of the estate of Lea Hurst, the tossing of the ship makes them which was from that time on still more uneasy, and the prospect of home. Here she received most of her the next watch in a temperature of education, pursuing under the best 140 degrees takes the heart out of masters which wealth and social promthem. Then it is that the poor chaps inence could procure, the studies go out of their minds. They rush on which go to make up the ordinary bodies by plunging everboard.

fights among the crew occur. The tory, she could speak French, the darkest time of the night.

"But such things must be kept from these days not only a quick trip with the all the hotel comforts thrown in, but tastes. In this way and by her conspared annoyances, of even also to the most trivial kind. But if you pounded this bridge during the early morning hours for only six months, you could write a book about the things that happened aboard an ocean greyhound at night with never an eyelash of a passenger disturbed by the

Big Foot had killed about twenty horses in the past few weeks. In the paration as any painter's or sculptor's country around where he was killed, the party counted fifteen dead horses. A NOTED GRIZZLY. When Big Foot as cut open 40 pounds of horsemeat was found in his paunch. The place where Big Foot was killed is near the foot of Craig Mountain, between the Clearwater and Snake Rivers. Hopper is a bear hunter of renown and has hunted bears under all sorts of conditions. It was only luck that prevented him from carryfirst to see him, but never got within Nightingale was prepared for her oprange of him. Big Foot weighed portunity and her opportunity had about 1,300 pounds. He was about come. which had been killing off stock in nine feet long and about three high. taken active in the trenches, decimated by No exact measurements were and there was no opportunity to weigh cholera and other filth diseases, by him. He had claws over four inches long. Big Foot had been a pest of the accompanied him returned to Spokane bringing Big Foot's hide with him.

About eight days ago Tom Hopper, the veteran bear hunter of Spokane, and Holbrook went down into Nez people residing in the section where he was killed for several years. Great joy was expressed among the stockmen and farmers when word was brought Perces county, Idaho, to capture the that he was dead. gray terror of the hills. Accompany-

### Value of Honey as Food.

that the grizzly was supposed to be off somewhere in the hills, 35 or 49 Starch and sugar, when eaten, undergo a digestive change before they are around in it for about five days before assimilated. In honey this change has been made to a considerable extent by the bees. It is easy of assimilation, and on a ridge sloping back from the head concentrated, and furnishes the same eleof Captain John Creek, which is a ment of nutrition as sugar and starchment of nutrition as sugar and starchimparts warmth and energy. As a medicine, honey has great value and many
uses. It is excellent in most lung and
throat affections, and is often used with
great benefit in place of cod liver oil.
Occasionally there is a person with whom
it does not agree, but most people can
learn to use it with beneficial results.
Children, who have more natural appetites, generally prefer it to butter. Honey
is a laxative and sedative, and in diseases of the bladder and kidneys it is
an excellent remedy, says Dr. Holbrook,
in Health. It has much the same effect
as wine or stimulants, without their injurious effects, and it is unequaled in
mead and harvest drinks. As an external application, it is irritating when clear
and soothing when diluted. In many
places it is much appreciated as a remedy
for croup and colds. In preserving fruit,
the formic acid it contains makes a better preservative than sugar syrup, and
it is also used in cooking and confection.
In early times, it is said, Palestine
flowed with milk and honey, but we have
far more today than the people of any
age ever had. Honey does not injure the
teeth as candies do. mparts warmth and energy. As a The dogs got right on Big Foot's heels. He started to run. Hopper, who had the dogs out, was about 80 yards The bear ran like a racehorse. Hopper says. For a while he would run, and then he would turn to fight the dogs that were pursuing him. He would chase them for about 30 steps, then Finally he made a detour, and rushed down the side of the ridge. He came within 150 yards of the place where the entire party was camped. Long and Holbrook were in the camp at the time, and when they saw the bear coming Holbrook grabbed his 30-30 rifle, aimed and fired. The bullet pierced Big Foot's heart and he rolled over Another bullet was put through

#### DON'T BECOME AN OBJECT The Birthplace of

his head to make sure he was gone.

Of Aversion and Pity. Cure Your Catarrh. Purify Your Breath and Stop the Offensive Discharge.

Rev. Dr. Bochror, of Buffalo, says: "My wife and I were both troubled with distressing Catarrh, but we have enjoyed freedom from this aggravating malady since the day we first used Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. Its action was instantaneous, giving the most grateful relief within ten minutes after first application. 50 cents. 9 For sale by C. McCallum & Ca.

is a point of rocks, half way up on which a large white cross has been erected. Beyond the point of rocks the sea sweeps inward in a great semi-circle, making a bay, with an-ther point in the distance. The shore of this bay is a broad yellow beach. smooth as a carpet. Where the beach ends and the grass begins a thousand cocoanut palms, all giants, stretch around the semi-circle. Under the palms nestle a score of little stone houses with red-tiled roofs. In the houses with red-tiled roots. In the back yards of these houses, a hundred ing the volcanic formatic island."—New York World. feet back from the water, the moun-

ique. It is one of the most beautiful tain begins, and goes up, almost and quiet spots in the world that presents itself.

"Some idea of the formation of the Island of Martinique may be gained from the fact that, although it is not quite forty-five miles long and only about nineteen miles wide, it has 400 mountains, at least six of which, including Mont Pelee, are volcano Most of the mountains are so heavily wooded that their ruggedness is hid den beneath the verdure, but the island is filled with deep ravines, and in the mountains are high precipices, canyons and similar formations, showformation of the

THE SOLDIERS LOVED HER.

It was a strange, half-worshiping

loyalty that she inspired in all about

her. The amount of work she accom-

plished was prodigious. During the

may still be seen making her solitary

she refused to accept any of it.

tered, and she has been for years a

suffering, if a very cheerful and help-

ful invalid, she has accomplished a

great deal, being always busy writing,

planning and directing the institution

Some Surprising Facts Brought

Out By a Statistician.

Accessories to Be Considered

Wasted.

somewhat eccentric turn of mind has

estimated that something like \$45,000,-

would be relieved for a long time to

this calculation to inquire "whether

the churches generally are utilizing as

fully as they should the vast amount

did and costly edifices, devoted ex-

gance, and it ought not to be."

the uses to which they are put.

successful religious movements

less in costly accessories to the churches, which they do as well, if

not better, without, were turned into

the channels of missionary enterprise

or into the funds for reaching evan-

gelizing the unchurched masses in

our great cities and neglected country

clares:

tinues:

sories.'

districts."

ON STEEPLES

of which she is the head.

MONEY SPENT

"Saint Florence" the men called

#### THE HEROINE OF THE CRIMEA.

In the romantic Derbyshire valley on , ingly locked up, and the hundreds of the banks of the picturesque, wind- sick men denied their use because of is not because of the ancestral wealth it open and distribute the stores. which incrusts its feudal-looking tur-"As a matter of fact, we had struck rets, or sparkles from the broad the hoary tops of the fine old trees about it; nor yet for the exquisite scenery for which this part of England is famous, but because the place, with its calm and peaceful beauty, seems to breathe the spirit of the gentle heroine of the Crimea who has been its abiding genius for three-quarters of a century. On Thursday next the English people will celebrate her 82nd birthday, this tall, white-haired woman, with her fine open face of a nun-like serenity.

Forty years ago, when, at the close of the Crimean war, the English troops, victorious after long delay and much mismanagement, returned their homes, a dinner was given in London to forty of the more prominent officers. Talk turned, as a matter of course, upon the war and some of its heroes. At length, Lord Stratford suggested that it would be interesting to discover who, in the opinion of such a company, was the person whose war-time career would be longest remembered in English history. when the little papers were unfolded could bring her down. Finally, we vote was unanimous! Each slip bore

FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE'S EAR-LY TRAINING.

Florence Nightingale was the daughter of an old and wealthy English Her father's early death left her the curriculum. She became is the Money Invested in Costly Church also, is the time when the ematics, literature, science and men know that it means 'irons' if man and Italian with as much ease caught at the game, so they choose as her mother tongue. To these she added the more feminine accomplishments of music, drawing and ocean traveler, who expects in broidery, and the walls of her home bear many witnesses of these gentle stant ministrations to the poor and the sick in her own neighborhood she laid the foundations for her great life work. From her earliest youth she had resolved to devote herself to nursing. For every woman, she said, has sooner or later some other human life dependent upon her skill as a nurse.

A REAL HEROINE. "Nursing is an art, and requires as exclusive a devotion, as hard a pre-Florence Nightingale pracwork." ticed what she preached. Born to the ease and luxury of a rich woman's life, she yet left her beautiful home and spent ten years studying nursing as an art, first at the great Moravian Hospital at Kaiserwerth, next with the Sisters of Mount Vincent de Paul in Paris. In the spring of 1854 the Crimean war broke out and an English army sailed for Crimea. Florence For months the troops remained in-

official neglect and want of proper food and care. What a passion of mingled wrath and pity was kindled in Great Britain when the story became known of her brave sons lying untended in the hospitals of Scutari, or perishing of cold and hunger in the trenches before Sebastopol! There were 13,000 sick in the hospitals, and the death rate rose to 52 per cent. Four out of every five patients who underwent amputation died of hospital gangrene. Medicines and medical appliances lay wasted on the beach at Varna, while the soldiers perished with wounds undressed, all because of a useless routine. "What the hospitals need," declared Sidney Herbert, "is woman's quick wit, swift pity and faculty of patient service," and heaturned to Florence Nightingale. A vast sum of money had been raised by pop-

one with great powers of administra-OFF FOR THE WAR.

ular subscription, and required some-

On Oct. 21, 1854, she sailed with a band of 38 nurses for Scutari, without any public notice or farewell, for she has a keen horror of parade. The little band of heroines reached Scutari on Nov. 5, the very day of the battle of Inkerman. When the nurses landed, the hospital had 2,300 patients, more than two miles of sick beds, foul with every kind of loathsome disease and vileness. The air was rank with fever and cholera, and the odor of undressed wounds. Before night the wounded from Inkerman were brought in, making the number in the hospital 5,000. Into this great temple of pain and misery moved the delicate form of the high-born English lady, with her band of nurses, and instantly a new intelligence swept through the hospital. Empress Josephine. Dirt became a crime and fresh air a piety. A vast kitchen was organized to supply well-cooked food; a great One traveler, writing of St. Pierre, laundry was created, and a strange cleanliness crept through the hospital. Only one flash of anger, it is said, was "The visitor to the island is reminded on every corner that the Empress Josephine was born in Martinique, at Trois Islets, near Fort-de-France. I went to see both her birthplace and the statue which Napoleon III erected to her memory in the known to have broken the serene calm which masked the iron will of Florence much-needed Nightingale. Some stores had arrived from England. But routine required that they should be public square in Fort-de-France, but going officials had not completed their it is no reminder of Josephine that is going officials had not completed their uppermost when I think of Martin- task by nightfall; they were accord-III. erected to her memory in the public square in Fort-de-France; but

The Globe Sends a Representative With a Wholesale Druggist and a Physician to Look Into the Published Statements of a Well-Known Concern. Some Remarkable Cases Visited.

[Toronto Globe, Friday, May 2, 1902.]

Years ago a far-seeing and advanced scientist stated that one of Nature's elements was the most powerful curative agency known. He prophesied that it would not be long before his contention would be fittingly recognized, and so it is. Schonbein is that scientist-Oxygen is that element of Nature. Ozone is oxygen in concentrated form.

For a long time, after its great value was discovered, medical men need the oxygen or Ozone in gaseous form. Today that system is in use with great success. It is considered the one thing that will sustain the vital spark when lite's oil ebbs low and many distinguished personages have had its application. Her late Majesty, Queen Victoria, Cecil Rhodes and President Mc-Kinley weer given its inhalationa in vain. Alas! It will not produce life. When Rudyard Kipling lay dangerously ill in New York some three years ago, the oxygen gas administrations undoubtedly saved his life.

It is about the newer form in which science has produced this condensed first weeks she is known to have stood oxygen-a form which possesses extrafor twenty hours giving orders. No ordinary power to build up life and work was too coarse or too hard for her. She toiled early and late; she make health, i. e., the Lie spent hours daily in the blood-stained that we have to do with. make health, i. e., the Liquified Ozone,

So much has been talked about Lioperating room, standing with clasped hands and encouraging smile by some quified Ozone-so many cures have unfortunate man stretched on the been given publicity and investigation table. And "when all the medical of- has been so frankly requested by its ficers have retired for the night, she proprietors that a committee of three, consisting of Dr. H. N. Austin, 72 Howard street, Toronto, a representarounds, famp in hand, among the miles of prostrate sick," wrote an eyewit- tive of The Globe and the manager of a large wholesale drug establishment, resolved to make a tour of inspection When the war was over Florence Nightingale returned to her Derbyshire and find out the exact truth of the home as quietly as she had left it. A published claims. A list of names of those who bore witness to the power popular subscription of a quarter of a of Powley's Liquified Ozone to do good million was raised for her benefit, but was courteously given the committee by the manager of the Ozone Company, and every means placed at their Leakage From the Ocean is Probably the was therefore turned into a permanent fund for the training of nurses, with disposal to make a most searching in-Miss Nightingale to administer it. Alvestigation though her health was hopelessly shat-

A STRANGE COINCIDENCE. A strange coincidence occurred at

the outset. The vice-president of the Ozone Company was telling the party and in a few minutes he came out and of rock is almost incone He had suffered from tropical dysen- plastic" this feature of church architecture sicians. The last one had actually ing of lava.

were dispensed with and the amount asked him for his body as soon as

LEAF represented turned into the regular death should render it otherwise usechannels of church beneficence, he be- less. A number of students had actulieves that the religious denominations ally called at his house to arrange to get the body, believing that he would be dead by that time. But Mr. Francis come from the necessity of appealing for funds to carry on this work. "Quericus," a writer in The Christian World (New York, April 26), is led by meantime had been taking Ozone, and when the students rapped upon the door he opened it himself. He continued taking the Ozone, and soon started to work again. That was two years ago, and Mr. Francis told the party that of property in the shape of buildings he had enjoyed excellent health ever and lands in their possession." He desince, without finding it necessary to "The total value of church property take any more medicine. He had recommended Ozone to a number of acin the United States is set down at quaintances, and had yet to hear of \$900,000,000. The greater part of this enormous sum is represented in splenone failure.

GIVEN UP BY HER DOCTOR. clusively to religious purposes and The next case was that of Mrs. open for only a few hours each week. Frederick Tutt, of 36 Amelia street. For the remainder of the time these buildings stand idle and empty monu-Mrs. Tutt had suffered for years with what her doctor had diagnosed as latter is reduced to a state of powder, ments of religious faith and senti-Bright's Disease. He had said that she and thus originate the enormous all this, but nothing more. From a would have to go to a hospital and clouds of fine dust which are ejected. ments, cold, stately, and magnificentundergo a very dangerous and painful Shocks of greater or less severe ones practical and business point of view operation. She had refused to go, and no doubt sound like the discharge of they represent capital that is 'tied up' the doctor had abandoned the case as artillery and give rise to tremors in and largely non-productive. This state of things is prejudicial to the cause of incurable. Mrs. Tutt had suffered ex- the immediate vicinity. In extreme treme pain, had been scarcely able to religious progress. It is repugnant to speak, and had been reduced almost to common sense and enlightened reason; it argues wastefulness and extravaa skeleton. Her friends had expected her death every day. But she had be-And yet if any radical changes are gun taking Ozone on Jan. 6, and soon undertaken in the construction and afterwards a number of large gallstones had been dissolved and removuse of church buildings, "strong opposition will be encountered, based chiefed. Mrs. Tutt was still very weak and y on sentimental grounds and on that emaciated, but had improved so respirit of ultra-conservatism which markably under the Ozone Treatment challenges everything pertaining to rethat she had no doubt of her ultimate ligious institutions." The writer conrecovery. That she was alive at all "The disposition to cling to the old

she credited to Ozone. The case of Miss Louise Dickson, of and conventional forms and uses in church buildings would be just as 926 Yonge street, had been diagnosed plastic material inside of the terresstrong as it is to cling to old and out- as consumption by different physicians. trial shell gets access to the surface is She had every symptom of it-night not entirely clear. evNertheless, it is worn creeds and forms of worship. The thing that has been that it is sweats, the hectic flush, had cough and possible to get some light on the matgeneral debility. She had quit work ter. It is well known that in many which shall be-this is the rule in religious affairs all around. The sentilast July, and had gone to Muskoka. ment underlying all this is not to be regarded lightly. There is wisdom and Upon her return to Toronto she had incurable. But she had begun taking wide and deep enough to admit molsafety in it, but it may be carried to Ozone last January, and improvement ten material from below. The Palisfar for the welfare of religion. After had taken place almost immediately. ades of the Hudson are believed to making all reasonable and needful al-The night sweats had disappeared, the have been formed by such an intruand reverence attaching to old and The night sweats had disappeared, the spirit of veneration and reverence attaching to old and The night sweats had disappeared, the spirit of veneration and reverence attaching to old and The night sweats had disappeared, the spirit of veneration and reverence attaching to old and The night sweats had disappeared, the spirit of veneration and reverence attaching to old and cough had almost gone, the general sion, the adjacent rock on the eastern helpful to religious faith, we believe condition had greatly improved, and face having since been worn away by cal departure should be made in the Dickson she was out taking the air. been observed that many volcanoes that the time is at hand when a radiconstruction of church buildings and west, had been for twenty years a sufferer from an extreme case of eczema islands in the West Indies suggests the even the most insistent defender and contracted while serving in the late probability that it follows a crack of literalist of the orthodox school will pretend that the Bible prescribes the American Civil War. His wife had exact pattern for these structures or the precise uses to which they shall be put. There is nothing absolutely been cured of what had been diagnosed as consumption, so it had been decided to apply Ozone to the eczema. essential to the propagation of reli-Benefit had followed immediately, and gious faith in an altar rail or even a finally a complete and lasting cure. pulpit. Some of the strongest and most That was some years ago, and the disease had never returned. Mr. Banks the world has known have, in fact, had been troubled also with rheubeen carried on without these accesmatism in his left arm, and very sore eyes. Both of these ailments had dis-It would be more in harmony with appeared while he was treating the wise and prudent business manageeczema with Ozone. Mr. Banks bement and the utilitarian spirit of the lieves that the remedy will cure alage, concludes the writer, "if the vast capital now lying almost dead and use-

most every disease. The result of the investigation was eminently satisfactory to everybody concerned. Dr. H. N. Austin informed The Globe representative that it was not his first experience with Ozone. He had treated himself most successfully for biliousness and maiaria and had in addition conducted researches with

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the discovery of the age, and, like may have been limited to a few isomany other physicians, he was using lated points. Just how these vents have it himself, and prescribing it extensively in his practice.

### THEPHENOMENA OF VOLCANOES

Would Melt Any Substance.

Fuse Which Explodes the Gigantic Mines.

[New York Tribune.]

about a case of tropical dysentery | The calamity which has just overwhen one of the party interrupted him taken two islands of the Windward by saying that he knew the man, Wil- group in the Antilles will unquestionliam Francis, of 20 Hamilton street, ably lead to a fresh discussion of the and also that he had given up all hope causes of volcanic disturbance. All of of recovery about three years ago. The the phenomena involved therein are particulars of the case were then given not yet fully understood, and concernand they corresponded exactly with the ing some of them there are perceptible party's knowledge of it, only that the differences of opinion among experts. party did not know that a cure had On at least one point, however, there been affected by Ozone. All he knew is general agreement. At a depth of was that Mr. Francis had been, in his about 30 miles the internal heat of the opinion, about to die and that he had carth is probably great enough to been for some time unable to do any melt every known substance. Confinework, and finally obliged to stay in ment may keep in a rigid condition bed. The party had gone but a few the material which lies beneath the blocks farther when one of the party solid crust, but if an avenue of escape saw a wagen bearing the name "W. is once opened the stuff would soften Francis" standing at the curbstone. and ooze upward. There is a growing The carriage was stopped and inquiry tendency, moreover, to recognize the that it is tired and requires an opporelicited the fact that the wagon be- importance of gravitation in producing tunity for rest and restoration, you longed to the man under discussion, eruptions. The weight of several miles A statistician of a practical and verified all that had been said of him. certainly ought to compel "potentially tery, every summer for eighteen con- crevice that might be newly formed. secutive years until at last he took to Russell, Gilbert and some other au-000 has been invested in ornamental his bed, apparently for the last time. thorities regard this as the chief mechurch building in this country, chief- He had gone through several hospit- chanical agent in an eruption, at least ly in the form of church steeples. If als, and had consulted numerous phy- when there is a considerable outpour-

LEAKAGE FROM SEA.

As to the extent to which water operates there is some lack of harmony among vulcanists. Shaler, Milne and others hold that substance largely, if not entirely, responsible for the trouble. They point to the fact that many volcanoes are situated near the coast of continents or on islands, where leakage from the ocean may possibly occur. Russell, on the other hand, re gards water not as the initial factor, but as an occasional, though important, reinforcement. He suspects that when the molten rock has risen to a the necessary strength and nourishconsiderable distance it encounters | ment. that fluid, perhaps in a succession of pockets, and that steam is then suddenly generated. The explosion effects which ensue are of two kinds.

By the expansion of the moisture which some of the lava contains the cases enough force is developed to rend the walls of the volcano itself. Russell attributes the blowing up of Krakatoa to steam. The culminating episode of the Pelee eruption last week, though not resulting so disastrously to the mountain, would seem to be due to the same immediate cause. To this particular explosion, too, seems safe to assign the upheaval which excited a tidal wave.

CRACKS IN EARTH'S CRUST. The precise manner in which the places there are deep cracks, or "faults," in the earth's crust. Some of become worse, and had been declared them in the remote past have been when the party called to see Miss the weather or other agents. It has Mr. J. B. Banks, 787 Queen street are distributed along similar faults. The existence of a chain of volcanic

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One of the Millions.

Powley's Liquified Ozone or Liquozone, great antiquity, though the issue of as it is known in the United States, is lava and ashes for several centuries been reopened is one of the most difficult questions still left for investigation. Given a line of weakness in the rocks, though, and a susceptibility to fresh fracture is afforded. Professor McGee suggeste that the overloading of the ocean bed by silt from the Mississippi River or other sources may have been the immediately exciting cause of the recent outbreaks. Other geologists have found a similar explanation acceptable in the case of Heat at Center of the Earth eruptions elsewhere. The theory has much to commend it to favor.

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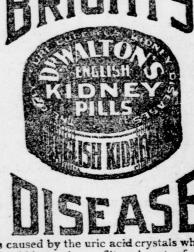
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### QUEER FATE OF WEE LUNG FONG

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After having been sold by her father for \$800 to be the wife of Ling Foy, one of the wealthiest Chinese merchants in New York, Wee Lung Fong, a beautiful young girl from the Celestial Empire has been kidnapped by Highbinders. Freed from the bonds of slavery in her native land and brought all the way to America she knows not peared as completely as though the

and everything was in readiness for town, but the prospective bride could not be found. The news of her disap-pearance was kept from Ling Foy for lear of the results of his rage and disappointment.

Ling Foy has been living in luxury for years. Near Hong Kong he saw time a beautiful slave girl, and found such a place in his heart that after his return to America he decided to purchase her from her father and make her his wife. Then came the question as to how he could evade Chinese immigration act and get her into this country. To accomplish this he enlisted the aid of Marty Martin, known as the King of Chinatown. He was soon engaged to purchase her and get her into this country. Moy Sing Lee, an exceptionally shrewd Chinaman, was engaged to go after her, and he was paid \$500 for services in addition to the \$800 which he gave

the father of the girl. Lee arrived at Victoria, B. C., on the steamer, Empress of Pekin. Three weeks ago he reached New York, and excursion to the old world, as de-Ling Foy was anxious to have the scribed in "Innocents Abroad," and redding take place at once, but was advised that on account of possible danger from the enforcement of immigration laws the girl should be kept in hiding for several days. Ling Foy reluctantly consented, and Wee was taken to Moy Sing Lee's place, where she was kept for a day. Then she was removed to the home of Marty Martin and later was given into the custody of Mrs. Anna Riley, who was paid \$10 a week to care for her. She was cautioned to let no one see her under

any circumstances. Shortly after the news of the approaching marriage gained currency in Chinatown, Ling Foy was approached by a committee of the Highbinders, who asked him to contribute \$1,000 for t general merrymaking among his beople. The merchant flatly refused, uest he would not only lose his received from Mark Twain."

oride but would have considerable For some reason the newly bride but would have considerable for some reason the newly appointed forms should be like a sunset—free to the difficulty with the man who has agent saw fit to write to Manager Irvalli who can drink it in. The Roycroft no distinct belief is that he is not a Shop is for the Roycrofters, and each safe guide for himself. He is not only the longings of human nature we can bear and forbear, off the roy of the roy off the roy o

more thought. But Martin, it seems, placed too much confidence in Mrs. Riley. One night about midnight a carriage stopped in front of her house, and a moment later two men were seen bringing out a woman closely wrapped in long cloak and heavily veiled and blindfolded. The carriage drove quickly away. A Chinaman, who was on opposite side of the street saw what had happened. Late at night, when Martin called to see how the girl was getting along he found the place deserted. Highbinders were at once that the girl was at first taken to be lost in the large Chinese popula-

## TWO LETTERS

They Prove the Permanency of Cures by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

#### The First One. St. Mary's Ferry, Dec. 18, 1895.

Gentlemen: I feel it my duty to you and to the public at large to tell what Dodd's Kidney Pills have done for me. About one year ago I began to suffer with severe pains over the region

get up again. This state continued for some time.

weaker and losing flesh rapidly. My appetite was very much impaired, and at last I was obliged to call able sort of man." in a physician.

time, but I go no better. to despair of life.

A friend advised me to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. I was very skeptical, of his pocket. but was prevailed on to commence a treatment; the first box made me feel

I continued the use of Dodd's Kid- ken" ney Pills until I had used three boxes, spread. and now believe that I have a radical and complete cure, as it is six months since I used any of the Pills, and have had no symptoms or return of the

I know that my cure is due to Dodd's Kidney Pills, as I used no A comparison has been drawn in other medicine after commencing their Norway as to the profit of the fisheries Mr. Hubbard has had himself made use. Yours truly

THOMAS HARRISON. The Second One.

St. Mary's Ferry, N. B., Mar. 24, 1902. What I said in 1895 I can at this moment most emphatically substanti-

THOMAS HARRISON. | Weighs 42,000 pounds

### ANOTHER STORY OF MARK TWAIN

Chicago Insurance Agent.

An Odd Mistake That Came Near Sever- The Author of the Message to Garcia Is Said ing an Old-Time Friendship-A Wine Aftermath.

That Mark Twain ever should have been active in the appointment of a fire insurance agent is almost as funny as some of the things printed in his books. But a Chicago man tells a story in which the humorist acted as sponsor for a Chicago agent, years ago, and came near to severing an old-time friendship as a consequence.

It came about in the summer of 1879, don, would begin business again in the earth had opened and swallowed her. United States after a lapse of nearly burg competition for the Chicago agency was sharp. Companies gener- workers) for the benefit of his own ally had not recovered from the fires pocket!" of 1871 and 1874, and when the Phoenix opening was made certain there were forty-four applications for this agency, the letters going to A. D. Irving, manager for the United States, at New York, most of the letters accompanied by every possible reference available to the candidate.

One of the most insistent of these applicants, having discovered that Manager Irving was a nephew of Washington Irving thought perhaps a literary string might be of service, but in casting about he found that his literary friends of te were not numerous. Then it was that Mark Twain by devious ways, came to his mind. When the applicant was a small boy he had been the pupil of a Sunday he father of the girl. school teacher named Church, who Everything being arranged, May Sing then was a resident of Cincinnati. This man Church had been one of the pilgrims on the celebrated "Quaker City" seizing on this splendid thread of ac-

quaintanceship, the Chicago applicant wrote to Church, explaining that he needed such a letter from him to Mark Twain as would cause Twain to indorse the applicant to the nephew of Washington Irving. Incidentally, as a reminder of what Church should know of him, the applicant recalled to his former Sunday school teacher the fact that he had not been a bad pupil. TWAIN'S INDORSEMENT WAS

GOOD. Soon after this letter was written ter to Twain, and expressing the hope that it would be effective. Later, the New York agent wrote to the applibecause his wife had cost him \$3,000 cant, making him the Chicago agent Later a communication was of the company, and saying that one received by him, conveying the threat of the reasons for the appointment was hat unless he complied with the re- because of the "letter of indorsement

on the girl and gave the matter no "While I am not well acquainted with the applicant, I am thoroughly well acquainted with Mr. Church, and anything he says I will swear to." Manager Irving explained that all the letters received from applicants had been referred to London, and that the London office had laid special stress in deciding upon the note from Mark

Thus it occurred to the Chicago agent that he owed some little mark of recognition to the humorist, and it being the height of winter shooting in Illinois the agent went to a South Wasuspected, and a search at their ter street friend, asking him to send to haunts at once revealed the fact that Samuel L. Clemens, express paid, a all of them had fled. It is believed dozen of the finest prairie chickens to be found in the market. The birds were Philadelphia and later will be spirited sent at once, and not till the next day to San Francisco, where she can easily did the agent write the letter to accompany them. A week later the agent received the following letter from the humorist:

#### A MISTAKE THAT PROVED SERI-OUS.

"Dear, Sir,-Here's fun and more of it! I received your letter of Dec. 21. It no reader can complain that there has got here after the chickens did, and as been an assumption of virtue that did have said that there was nothing unour mutual friend, Robert Law, had not reside in the stuff as it has been been in the habit of sending me a produced and promulgated. This in Christmas present of prairie chickens for a great many years, I jumped to has written has had his hallmark Over Six Years Have Gone By, and This the conclusion he had done it again, stamped upon every page, and its in-Cure Still Stands-Only One of Many and so I went to the telegraph office and wired him my thanks for your as are the motive and intent of the chickens. I want you to see Law and literature and pictures which fail to St. Mary's Ferry, N. B., May 16.— tell him I don't take back any of the win the approval of Mr. Anthony Mr. Thomas Harrison, of this place, thanks I wired. I want him to add Comstock. So frank, undisguised, and has addressed two significant letters those to the old account, but I want to undressed has Mr. Hubbard's motive to the Dodds Medicine Company, To- say to you that those chickens were ever been that his plainness of speech fine, and came just in time for Christmas dinner, and I am glad you got that

agency.' Soon afterward the agent met Mr. Law and proceeded indirectly to compare notes with his friend. "I didn't know till the other day that you were an old friend of Mark

Twain's," said the agent. "Oh, yes; at least, I have been, but of my kidneys, followed by a very I've been reminded in the last few days that he may have entirely too much When I lay down it was torture to gall to keep us in that category for a doing at East Aurora these six or seven

great many years longer."
"Well," remarked the agent, "I had and all the while I was still getting never understood that this was his general reputation; on the other hand, I had suposed him to be a most like-

"This is my kick just now," said Mr. He gave my sufferings a very learn- Law. "I had been in the habit of ed name, and doctored me for some sending Clemens a bunch of prairie chickens every year as the main part I called in several other physicians, of a Christmas dinner. For some reabut it was all no use; my sufferings son I forgot it this year, but it seems got worse all the time until I began that Clemens didn't, for the other day I got this telegram from him"-taking well-worn scrap of yellow paper out

Then the new agent read Twain's letter to Mr. Law, and it was the new agent, too, who paid for a dinner that I passed a stone that had formed in included several bottles of champagne along with the "braised prairie chicthat was the centerpiece of the

> The cows in Belgium wear earrings. The law decrees that every cow, when it has attained the age of 3 months, must have in its ear a ring, to which is attached a numbered metal tag. in the sea and in the rivers, which

> shows that the former are three times as remunerative as the latter. Late hours are apt to tell on a man, but if he is married he doesn't seem to care, just so they refrain from tell-

ing his wife. What is said to be the largest steel I have never had the slightest symp- safe in the world is nearing comple- tending to show that the Roycroft tom of a return of my old trouble. ! tion for a life insurance company at | workers earn much less than similar Hartford. It is to cost \$185,000. It

### TROUBLES OF ROYCROFTERS

Chinese Stave Girl Gained Freedom How He Became Sponsor of a It Is Rumored All Is Not Well In the East Aurora Camp.

to Have Fallen Out With His

For some time it has been rumored that all was not well in the camp of the Roycrofters at East Aurora, N. Y. Whatever the nature of the troubles existing there-and they have been vaguely indicated in several of the radical literary magazines-matters recently came to a head in the eruption of Mr. Michael Monahan, one of Elbert Hubbard's lieutenants, who, it all the way to America she knows not when news became public that the has been said, "was taken to East why, this pretty Chinese girl disap- Phoenix Assurance Company, of Lon- Aurora by the Fra to be the modern ended his career there by hiring the The wedding ceremony had been set fifty years. At that time the strength local opera house and denouncing Eland everything was in readiness for of the company was not known, but as bert Hubbard, in a perfervid speech, the big event in New York's China- it had just settled a big loss in Ham- as a "chattering, posturing prophet,

> In an autobiographical sketch appearing in The Cosmopoltan Magazine "virtue has never been of so extreme a type as to challenge attention," but he adds, "I have never committed capital crimes, and although the blackmailer has recently camped upon my trail, I have chilled his zeal and dampened his ardor by a willingness to' tell all." He continues:

"I am a graduate of the University it really does not count.

helped by women. Horses have been my only extravagance, and I ride horseback daily now, a horse that I one essential thing than half sure of must govern yourself accordingly.

There must be no death in our been harnessed.

might invite to see my beautiful late as much as he pleases, for his also be able to look forward to a rethings. Art is for all—beauty is for many speculations will not interfere all. Harmony in all of its manifold with his few certainties.

sorb and assimilate.' can Printer (New York), who solemnly has more responsibility for himself H. Hepworth. puts it on record that "never since the departure of the great dean of the GREAT GILD OF SELF-ADVER-

TISERS the late lamented Phineas Taylor Barnum," has "Fra Elberto's" peer

been seen! He says further: "It is vain to point out the flaws in the Roycroft scheme. It has succeeded, and its success is its warrant, and the warrant of its prophet and promoter. It is quite useless to assert, as it would be to prove, that the Roycroft books are neither good literature nor worthy bookmaking, but it is easy to prove both propositions with respectto the product of Mr. Hubbard's pen and shop, and the latter against the total product of the shop.

"In one sense there has been no false pretense upon Mr. Hubbard's part. He has always wrought by daylight, and the literary sense only. What the Fra tent and leading has been as apparent has several times of late descended to a plane of vulgarity so low as to make it impossible to refer to instances in decent society, much less quote condemnatory passages."

MR. FRENCH IS SKEPTICAL. Mr. French is exceedingly skeptical in regard to the professions made that all the Roycrofters participate in the benefits accruing from "the very pro-fitable business Mr. Hubbard has been years past." He adds:

against a business man to allege, or even to prove, that his treatment of even to prove, that his treatment of crowned King of Italy with the iron clearness and activity to the brain, his employes is not ideal. That is a crown of Lombardy. The same kind and furnishes full energy for each matter for the man and his employes of virtue is ascribed to this crown as day's work. When you use Malt to settle for themselves. It is, however, competent for the public to take such cognizance of the conduct of a given business as the owner and manager invites by his own descriptions and allegations. \* \* "The benefit is for all,' says Mr. Hubbard. But it is necessary to 'allow for the crawl' when reading the apparently frank avowals of some writers, especially such as set forth how they earn large sums of money and make public pretense of lofty philanthropy. If this declaration be scrutinized, and the whole confession-appreciation be carefully read, it will appear that the bard' are regarded as synonymous by Mr. Hubbard. When he is speaking of the Roycrofters in this way he may mean it in a Pickwickian sense, or as that selfish man of tradition who told his wife: 'What's yours is mine and custodian of 'the common fund of the Roycrofters,' to serve without bonds. Certain it is that a somewhat diligent inquiry has failed to bring to light Roycrofters who benefit by the great prosperity of Mr. Hubbard, beyond the meager wages he pays his craftsmen but some evidence is easily secured workers earn elsewhere." In conclusion, Mr. French makes

is responsible if he is cheated in material and in literary merit. He should know the difference between literature and the product of Mr. Hubbard's pen, and if he does not he must expect sometimes to find sand in his literary sugar. Likewise he should learn the difference between Roycroft dyed 'ooze calf' and the common dyed skins of commerce prepared for and sold to shoemakers, or be prepared to endure the pitying smile of the man who does happen to know. But against the fake 'limited edition' there is no defense but bitter experience. When a publisher advertises his promise to print and sell only so many copies of a book, and deliberately duplicates these 'limited editions' for sale in dif-

fraudulent practice which calls only for sharp condemnation.

"These things that are being said, more frequently and more positively, about the practices of the Roycroft Shop, are hurting Mr. Hubbard, and they are hurting the fine-book trade. It is quite time for an authoritative word to be spoken, either confirming them or condemning the East Aurora enterpirse, or disproving them and justifying the Roycrofters. While I believe the books made by Mr. Hubbard to be inartistic and unworthy of the claims made for them, I do not like to believe that they are not only fustian, but counterfeit and fraudulent fustian.

#### THE HEPWORTH SERMON

A LIVING FAITH.

He staggered not at the promise of | than he can carry, and keeps watch

in faith.-Romans, iv., 20. as a "chattering, posturing prophet, The difference between the man of I can speak with confidence concern-who mountebanks them (the Roycroft faith and the man of no faith is prac-workers) for the honest of his contribution of the contribution tically the difference between paradise my younger years I passed into and and purgatory.

things, just enough to give him a safe very blue in those days, and I got very (March), Mr. Hubbard admits that his anchorage in stress of weather. Long little out of life. I was compelled to creeds are tiresome, and the longer be honest with myself, and was therethey are the more tiresome they be- fore as miserable as I was honest. come. As spiritual helps they are of When at length I found good holding very little value. If a man's theology ground my anchor chain made merry consists of a few simple propositions music as it sought the solid bottom. there is small chance of his having a I wanted little, but I wanted that with controversy within himself, whereas a yearning inexpressible, for there is a complicated creed introduces many a desperation in feeling that you are a points of doubt.

eral post-graduate courses. I have an honorable life, but believes in that tainty. One cares very little what he worked at five different trades enough at all hazards, and stands by it in all does when there is no God visible and to be familiar with the tools, although emergencies, he will make a good citino heaven to go to. With the grave
it would not do to say I am skillful in zen, a loyal friend and cannot miss as the miserable terminus of our any. In 1899 Tufts College bestowed the approval of God. Such a man journey one grows selfish and disconon me the degree of Master of Arts, could not go to any other place than tented. On the other hand, with a but since I did not earn the degree, heaven even if he wanted to, for he horizon line stretching beyond sundoes not belong in any other locality. down one is careful what he does, be-"I have never been sick a day, never In like manner, if a man believes only cause tomorrow he may be sorry. lost a meal through disinclination to in the law of gravitation, but believes eat, never consulted a doctor, never in that with might and main, he will everybody can understand, which apused tobacco, nor intoxicants to excess not put up a building that is likely to peals to the common sense of manor as a habit. I have loved several tumble down and bring him to ruin. kind, to the logic of the business man women—one at a time—and have been What he does build will be strong and the research of the philosopher, is greatly benefited, blessed, inspired and and solid. It may not be specially

broke myself, that has never been sad- a dozen things. And so I venture to There must be no death in our dled by another, and that has never say that if a man is thoroughly con- thoughts, for that is fatal to the devinced that he is in a world governed velopment and discipline of the higher "All the money I make by my pen, by law, and that behind the law is the nature. Nothing makes a man so all I get for lectures, all I make from my books, goes into the common fund of the Roycrofters—the beenfit is for a sure clew to lead him through the immortality must therefore be a fact, all I want no better cleations. Soon after this letter was written all. I want no better clothing, no betthe applicant got a letter from Church ter food, no more comforts and consaying that he had written the letveniences, then my halves and folwhere in which these crocked things veniences, than my helpers and fel- change which comes when he falls where in which these crooked things low workers have. I would be asham- asleep at last. The whole of religion, shall be made straight and these mysed to monopolize a luxury-to take a all that is necessary to keep him in teries explained. Surely there will be beautiful work of art, say a painting the high road to heaven, will lie like a chance in some more favorable clime or a marble statue, and keep it for my a panorama in full view. A few cerown pleasure and for the select few I tainties, and after that he may specularly the light of a larger intelligence. We must

draws some caustic comment from Mr. things easy and a good deal of that lieve if we have time to investigate,

God through unbelief, but was strong in faith.—Romans, iv., 20.

through some of the more radical A man does not need to believe many phases of doubt. The sky was not stray waif in a strange world and that of Hard Knocks, and I've taken sev- If a man believes in little else than you are certain of nothing but uncer-

> A good, plain, square religion which the only thing to set this old world

he can depend on, very little of that cause the hour of rest is not far off. This autobiographic preachment patience and resignation which make There is much more than this to be-George French, a writer in The Ameri- rebellion which makes them hard. He but it will serve our purpose.-George

# SUPERSTITIONS

The Tradition of the Sounding of the Stone of Destiny.

SOME CORONATION

But few people at the coronation will be near enough to test the truth of the tradition that the coronation chair in Westminster Abbey, King Edward's chair, gives out a sound when a legitimate heir to the throne sits in it. In the case of a pretender it is said to The sound comes, it is albe dumb. leged, not from the wooden framework of the chair, but from the stone of destiny beneath the seat. It is as well to know this. Otherwise one might usual in a chair creaking, especially if it were seldom sat upon.

There is a tradition that wherever this stone shall be a prince of the Scythian race shall rule. This was fulfilled when James VI. of Scotland became James I. of England. With the exception of Queen Mary all our British sovereigns have been crowned in it. It was the subject of a special treaty at Northampton, when it was Scotland. Needless to say, that promise to have Jacob's stone at Jerusalem. The Koh-i-Noor diamond is similar- too much insoluble starch. ly said to endow its possessor with the sovereignty of India. It is the private property of his majesty; It was presented to the late Queen by the East India Company. A French traveler mentions seeing it in 1665, when it was

"It is not a very severe indictment valued at £140,000. Napoleon caused himself to be whether the virtue had gone out of it, evils will never annoy your life. or, as was alleged, the crown was not

the original one, but a reproduction, one thing is certain, Napoleon did not wear it long. Though it is known as i the Iron Crown of Lombardy the only piece of iron which it contains is an alleged "nail from the tree cross." St. Peter's chair at Rome, the pontifical throne, so the tradition runs, was presented to the Apostle Peter by a Roman senator, one of the earliest converts to Christianity. Every one will remember what a dis-

terms 'Roycrofters' and Elbert Hub- golden stool. The golden stool is the

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thorne of the monarch of Ashanti. The regalia also includes a golden ax and a golden hoe. The golden ax is carried before the Ashanti ambassador when affairs of more than ordinary importance are in hand. The golden hoe symbolizes the intention of the king to hoe his way through all obstacles. Supernatural powers are attached to all three of them.-Tit-Bits.

## CONSIDER YOUR DIGESTION

Malt Breakfast Food Will Correct All Weaknesses and Irregularities.

Activity, health, happiness and life depend largely on the condition of our digestion. Too many people-young and old-are complaining of their di-

gestion. How is it with you, dear reader? Is your stomach weak and capricious? Do you suffer from indigestion or dyspepsia? If you do, be assured your present daily diet is largely responsible for your ailments and sufferings. promised that it should be returned to From our experience in such matters, we strongly assert that your breakwas not kept. This identical stone is fast is not what it should be for the said to be the one which Jacob used promotion of your health and happifor a pillow. But the Turks also claim iness. You are using food that is too strong, or too heavy or that contains

Have you tried Malt Breakfast Food? If not, begin with it at once, and make it your regular breakfast dish. Its soothing and comforting qualities will soon correct all stomach irregularities in the possession of Aurungzebe, em- and establish a perfect digestive vigor. peror of the Moguls. Her late majesty You will relish it, for it is delicious had it set in a brooch. It has been and appetizing. It is a perfect nourisher and fortifier; it quickly builds up flesh, bone and muscle; it gives is credited to the Koh-i-Noor. But Breakfast Food, indigestion and its

#### An African Night.

From the brush rose the death scream

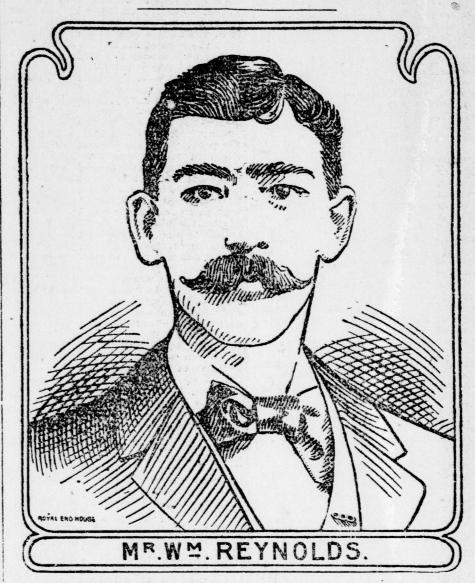
of some animal in the grip of its pursuer, jackals yelped in the distance, or the prolonged howl of the hyena broke out close at hand. A wakeful "boy" turbance there was when the British imitated it derisively; the snores gave resident in Ashanti carried off the place to a renewed murmur of talk. place to a renewed murmur of talk, the askari flung another log on the smoldering fire. Not always did the land lie silent. I have known sleep made difficult by the antics of hundreds of zebra, who thudded hither and thither on the plain like diminutive cavalry, and cried in a succession of little barks, worried, perhaps, by finding the camp between them and their accustomed watering place. In some districts when on wet nights rain had swamped the fires, a zoological garden of "questing beasts" was apt to foregather round the tents. Thus hyenas, jackals, three lions, and a brace of hippopotami contributed intimately to one seance that I wot of, and as the darkness was too thick for vision, that night yielded but scanty peace. Hippo are at all times awkward things, to get reveled other modes before. Morrisburg, Out | up in the tent ropes

## still more damaging charges. He says: "In some measure the buyer of books in responsible if he is cheeted in marin responsible in the country of the country and the country in the coun CURES A C. P. R. BRAKEMAN

Two Years Ago Mr. Wm. Reynolds, Havelock Ont., a Wel Known C. P. R Brakesman, Suffered So from Lumbago That He Could Hardly Move.

Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets Made Such a Complete and Permanent Cure That He Hasn't Had a Twinge of Pain Since.

Mr. A. C. Denike, the Havelock Druggist, Vouches for the Accuracy of the Statements Made.



There are very few people in Havelock, Ont., or vicinity, who do not know Mr. Wm. Reynolds, the popular C. P. R. brakesman, whose picture

About two years ago he was laid up with a very severe attack of lumbago, which caused him excruciating pain, so that to stoop over or turn in

bed was agony. He heard of Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets being a splendid remedy for such complaints as his. He took the Tablets and they cured him. Since then Mr. Reynolds has had no return of his old trouble, and has recommended Dr. Pitcher's Tablets to many men on the road, such as firemen, engineers, conductors and fellow-brakesmen, all of whom, from the nature of their occupation, are liable to bad backs and kidney trouble, and in every instance the Tablets have done good.

Mr. Reynolds' Statement, May 31, 1900.

Mr Reynolds' Statement May 31st, 1900. This is what Mr. Wm. Reynolds had to say about Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets on May 31st, 1900, just after he was cured:
"I had lumbago so sad when I got Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets from A. C. Denike, the druggist, that I could hardly move. It was most painful to turn in bed. There was a dull, nagging aching in the small of my back continually, and to stoop or to assume an upright position after sitting was extremely painful. This was not the only time that I suffered that way; my case was becoming chronic, and the remedies that formerly gave me relief did not help me now in the least. I found, though, that as soon as I started taking Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets they helped me at once. They have removed the whole trouble. I have neither pain nor lameness now. I cannot say too much for them, and I heartily recommend them." (Signed) WM. REYNOLDS.

Mr. Reynolds' Statement, March 29, 1902.

Mr. Reynold's Statement March 29th, 1902. When our representative called on Mr. Reynolds recently he did not hesitate to speak in the highest terms of Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets, and the permanent cure they had made in his case. Said he: "T have never had any return of that lumbago and kidney trouble which attacked me so severely in the spring of 1900. Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets made a complete and thorough cure then, and I have never been bothered since."

Indorsation of Mr. A. C. Denike, Druggist.

Endorsation of a. C. Denika, Druggist Although anyone who knows Mr. Reynolds, would not doubt his statements for a moment, still, for the benefit of outsiders and strangers, we give the confirmatory statement of Mr. A. C. Denike, Phm.B., the wellknown druggist and optician of Havelock, who sold Mr. Reynolds the Tab-

"I am acquainted with Mr. Wm. Reynolds, brakesman on the C. P. R.,

and know that about two years ago he suffered greatly from lumbago and kidney trouble. He purchased Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets from me, and claims that they were the means of curing him, and I believe this to be the case. I understood from him that since Dr. Pitcher's Tablets cured him he has had no return of the trouble." (Signed) A. C. DENIKE.

We would ask you to bear in mind that Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets are not a patent medicine or "quack" remedy, but the formula of the eminent Kidney Specialist, Dr. Zina Pitcher, who for years occupied the position of Professor of Materia Medica and Genito Urinary Disease. in Michigan College of Medicine, Detroit, Mich.

They give prompt relief and permanetly cure backache, lame or weak back, bloating, swelling of the feet and legs, Bright's disease and diabetes (except in the last stages), gravel, brick dust deposits in the urine, scalding or irritation, frequent calls during the day or night, catarrh of the bladder, high-colored and foul-smelling urine, dribbling, cloudy urine, rheumatism, heavy feeling or pain in the head, mist or specks before the eyes, unnatural drowsiness, sense of weight or pressure in the region of the bladder, kidney weakness of old people and children, kidney troubles of women and all forms of kidney disease or derangement.

The Tablets are small, chocolate-coated and easy to take, One Tablet a dose. Fifty Tablets in a bottle. Price 50 cents, or three bottles for \$1 25, at all druggists, or sent by mail. The Dr. Zina Pitcher Co., Toronto, Ont.

#### Baptism of the Airs.

London Telegraph.] No Parisian actress is considered to be in the swim nowadays until she has received the "baptism of the airs."

In other words, the latest fashionable pastime for ladies of the French stage is ballooning. Each fair geronaut, after her first journey to the clouds, treats her envying friends who have not yet been up in the skies to as vivid a piece of word painting as her eloquence can command. It is generally conceded among

ladies who thirst for new sensations that a balloon trip is the most satisfying experience yet imagined, Available seats in aerial vessels are consequently at a premium. It will be remembered that M. Santos-Dumont last summer was overwhelmed with letters from fair enthusiasts who wanted to accompany him round the Eiffel tower, and to marry him into the bar-Before Santes-Dumont was gain. heard of, however, it was, as usual, Madame Sarah Bernhardt, who, sever al years ago, set the fashion for ballooning-as she has given the lead in

Besides amateur lady aeronauts

there is also in Paris quite a phalanx of feminine navigators of the air who might be called professionals--Mesdames Besancon, Surcouf and Mallet among others, the wives of experienced captains of balloons, and Madame Lachambre, whose husband has constructed all M. Santos-Dumont's airships.

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Sir Wilfrid Laurier will leave for a couple of weeks' holidays now that the session is over.



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#### HARVESTING OF FORAGE CROPS

By Cutting Hay Early Two Crops May Be Obtained.

Plants Richer in Preteine in Earlier Stages of Growth-Feed for Dairy Cows and for Sheep.

Mr. F. W. Hodson, live stock commissioner, contributes the following

article on haying. He says: The aim of our farmers in growing forage crops is to produce from a given area as large a quantity as possible of the digestible nutrients in a palatable form. The time at which a forage crop is harvested may affect the crop in three ways, viz .: In the quantity of material harvested; in the composition of the crop, and in the palatability of the fodder. As a general rule it has been found that the greatest amount of dry matter is secured where forage crops are allowed to fully mature and ripen. The only exception is in the case of clovers and other legumes, where the leaves rattle off and are lost, either before or during the process of curing. It does not follow that when a plant increases in its yield of dry matter that its nutritive value has proportionately increased. It is quite possible that changes in texture and composition of the dry substance may offset the greater yield. The dry matter of mature grass contains a larger proportion of crude fibre than the immature. The plant hardens in texture and loses, in both palatibility and digesti-

It is, therefore, usually advisable to begin cutting hay early, and where there is a large crop to be gathered work should begin early in order that it be completed before the grass seeds are ripe enough to shell from the heads of the late cut grass. Chemical analysis has shown that plants are nearly mature. The chief trou-have nowhere to lay his head. What have to contend is the lack tee. of growth than when fully grown or of protein in the rations made up of our common feeding stuffs, and they should recognize the fact that by cutting early, they can get two crops of highly nitrogenous fodder, where they only get one by late cutting. Cutting the first crop even before the heads are fully grown will tend to cause a vigorous new growth and in this way a good crop of rowan is secured. The two crops are more valuable, especially for feeding dairy cows, than one

QUT HAY EARLY.

mature crop on account of the increased proportion of protein. The early cut hay seems more palatable to stock, and weight for weight, more satisfactory. On the other hand by late cutting we secure a considerably larger quantity of carbo-hydrates, which are valuable for feeding, and of crude fibre which is of low feeding For the dairy cows and sheep, grass

should be cut early, since these animals do not relish hay that is woody and lacking in aroma, as is the case with late cut hay. For horses and fattening cattle later cutting is allowable, as these animals subsist mostly on concentrated feed, and hay serves more for "filling," as horsemen say. In tests made by Professors Sanborn and Henry in fattening steers with early and late cut hay, it was found that late cut hay gave the best results. If cutting is delayed too long the stems of the grass become tough and stringy and the seeds scatter from the heads. Such hay has little aroma and lacks palatability if not nutrients. Though an indefinite quantin rendering hay more palatable. When the sun dissipates the dew from the low Oil will be found an excellent dying grass in the meadow, we de- remedy. tect the escaping aroma, because the dew, in rising, carries some of it into field at night. Green colored, sweet consent and a certificate of permission smelling hay is really the best, and is obtained.

prudent farmers will not overlook such seemingly small points as preserving the aroma and preventing bleaching.

#### UMBRELLA DEDUCTIONS

Human Characteristics Shown in the Ways of Carrying Them.

The man who sat nearest the window said he didn't mind the warm weather. "It gives me a chance to see how people carry their umbrellas," he said. "I have such firm faith in my deductions that I wouldn't be afraid to choose a wife with them for a

The woman on his left smiled. "I'm glad I'm not out there in the she said. "You'd be picking street."

"Oh," said the man, "I sized you brella, when it's furled, just like that it in the middle and go forging ahead to the unfortunate pedestrians who go

'Um-m," said the woman. "But look at the third woman in the procession," said the man. "I pity the men folks about her house. I'll warrant they have to get their own breakfast about six mornings out of the seven. I never saw yet a woman who dragged her umbrella along so that you could track her by the trail of the tip who wasn't dilatory and shiftless. She never sews on a button or darns or mends, and her breakfast dishes are seldom washed before 2

"That other woman who is bustling along holding to the top of the umbrella handle like grim death and pointing the top down and forward in a kind of south-by-southwesterly direction is altogether different. She would set the world on fire if it wasn't waterlogged. I am not sure that I'd want to be married to her, either. She'll be too energetic. She'd push everything bericher in protein in the earlier stages fore her, and when she took a notion to clean things up a mere man would she is good for is serving on commit-

"That woman with the gray skirt is a yea-and-nay sort of person. She wants to agree with everybody and carry their umbrellas with the point are fully chronicled in the newspapers

unassertive. "But just look at that girl who spins along, swinging her umbrella around in a circle as if it were a magic wand. I like her. She's jolly and good-natured and gets more pleasure out of life than ten ordinary peo-There's a woman carrying her umbrella across her shoulder like a shotgun. She's a true soldier of fortune and was never known to say die. I can't think of anything that would

the woman, "about that girl who car-average, the King's daily letter bag past mistresses of the mansion, but ries her umbrella horizontally across contains 600 letters, and about half as now that there are more children to the small of her back and catches many newspapers, either end into the crook of her el- etc. Needless to say, this gigantic debow?

fore, but I wouldn't be afraid to wager tary, exercises control. that she is conscientious to a degress and has a heart as big as all outdoors. But here," he added, "comes the most even-tempered woman of the lot. She even it to get hurt in the crowd. That woman is gentle and thoughtful and

For cuts, wounds, rheumatism, stiff ity, the aroma of grass has real value joints, burns, scalds, bites of insects, croup, coughs, colds, Hagyard's Yel-

> Since the illness of young Theodore Roosevelt the practice of going with-

#### the air. This is one reason why hay out hats at the Groton, Mass., school should not remain scattered over the has been abolished, unless the parents'

to tell you that you have absolutely separating the two, because they were thoroughly woven throughout, and it spoiled a pair of blankets on me. Yes, sir, you have! Surely you are mistaken, madam!

it's your fault!

Yes, but I sent what I usually send

in such cases. tomers what they ask for. Had you fibre." named a particular brand of soap you

would have had it. was I to know anything of brands? hands are in a nice plight, too!

not my desire to sell anything that to clothes and hands. blankets and your hands.

trouble, and she lent me a little cut- soap without free alkali, or we must ting, and here it is; you can read it : find it elsewhere.

on Chemistry, Surgeon's Hall, Edin- many soaps are advertised as pure, burgh, describes the destructive pro- that I really took little heed to any perty of soda upon wool very graphi- difference between them.

such as potash and soda, disastrously free alkali. It is guaranteed pure; affect cotton, linen, and wool, he and the makers offer \$5,000 reward to

property of soda in a useful way. the purchase money to any one find-There was a large quantity of new ing cause for complaint. blankets sent to one of our hospitals, the patients to be not so warm as the looking soap, and this Octagon shape is old blankets were, and that led to an very handy. Give me five bars. investigation as to whether the blankets were genuine or not. They looked well, and weighed properly, and I got a blanket sent to me for examination and analysis. We found examination and analysis. We found soon that there was cotton mixed with

out all the kinks in my disposition along with the rest of them."

up a long time ago. You carry an umwoman across the street. You grab with the ends of the handle digging inbefore and follow after." "And what does that signify?" asked

the woman on the left. "Alertness, activity, selfishness and inconsiderateness."

kind."-Kansas City Journal.

#### WHY WOOLLEN BLANKETS WEAR THIN.

A SCENE IN A GROCER'S STORE. Sir, I have just come round myself | the wool, and the question was as to

was only by detaching the fine fibres from each other that you identified the cotton fibre. I fell on the device of I am not mistaken. I sent round using soda. I took a bit of blanket my little girl a few days ago for a good and put it in a vessel with soda, and strong soap to wash out some heavy boiled it there, and very quickly the things. In all innocence I used what wool got eaten away by the soda, and you sent me, and the result is that my there was left behind the cotton as a blankets are just the skeleton of what kind of skeleton-a sort of ghost-of they were. They are ruined, sir, and the original blanket out of which it was taken. I mention this merely to What you usually send! No won- when employed strong by themselves,

indicate to you the pernicious effects of using caustic materials, which, der Mrs. Moore, my neighbor, com- affect woollen articles in this way, and plains of her clothes wearing out; I which, even when not very strong, find you usually send her the same soap. will more slowly, but with equal cer-But, madam, I always give my cus- tainty, tend to destroy the woollen Now, I want to tell you that we

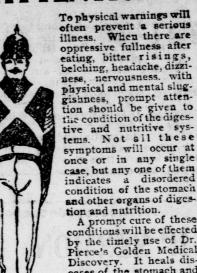
neighbors have had a talk over the Named a particular brand! How matter, and we are not going to have our clothes and hands ruined in this But I know better now, and I know way. Several of our neighbors who what ruined my blankets-and my know have proved to us that Washing Sodas, Potash, Chloride of Lime, and I can assure you, madam, that it is "soap substitutes" are most injurious "Free alkali" will be injurious to either the hands in soaps is practically the caustic soda or clothing of my customers, and I that burns the clothes. Why, you shall be glad to know how you prove dare not keep Caustic Soda in a tin that what I sold you injured your canister; it must be in an earthen jar, or it will even corrode the tin! Now, Well, I was telling Mrs. Neill my it's for you to provide us with pure

"Dr. Stevenson Macadam, Lecturer Madam, you enlighten me! So

I have one, however, that has medi-"After mentioning how strong alkali cal certificates of its freedom from any one who can prove it is not pure, "On one occasion I employed this and further, I am authorized to return

Let me see it! Why, Sunlight which, when given out, were said by Soap! It's a beautiful clean, fresh-

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tems. Not all these symptoms will occur at once or in any single case, but any one of them indicates a disordered condition of the stomach and other organs of diges-tion and nutrition.

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#### THE KING'S MAIL IS VERY HEAVY

Something About the Postman's Daily Delivery at the Palace.

Though the King's daily movements backward and downward are always and the Court Circular, there are many business," upon which the King is eming demands of the public service down alongside him, the horse would bloved every morning, covers a multi-have turned most of its rooms into stand up all night."—Philadelphia Recployed every morning, covers a multitude of urgent matters, from the writ- offices. Surely this great and rich na- ord. ing of an autograph letter to a neightion might provide for its president boring sovereign to the selection of a coronation design; and there are, of course, numbers of official dispatches business man. When the Roosevelt which require the royal signature.

that his majesty preserves a careful if there is to be a guest room the supervision over the answers which children will have to sleep in closets are sent to the hundreds of correspon- or on cots and trundle beds. There has "And what would you say," asked dents daily writing to the King. On an been much complaint on this score by livery needs the assistance of a body often sigh for the roomy house on Sag-"Well," admitted the man, "she is a of private clerks, over whom Sir Frannew one on me. I never met her be- cis Knollys, the King's private secre- family was amply accommodated.

All letters and parcels, with the exrecognized as being "personal to his none have ever been carried out. opened by the secretaries, and distrib- of the nation. uted in boxes, separately labeled, according to their nature and contents. These boxes are then carefully examined and checked by Sir Francis Knollys, and those letters of an urgent character requiring the consideration of his majesty are retained by the private secretary and are laid before the King, who indicates in a few . . . ds his

pleasure concerning them. It is surprising-and has often astonished those in receipt of replies-how rapidly an answer is dispatched from the royal residence. Many a time has next June), and those of a purely com-

ing to the subject of the letter. This much must be truthfully said: The greatest courtesy and delicacy ished the last run at night, would alhave always characterized his majesty's public correspondence, and many instances could be quoted where his secretary has gone out of his way to explain at length the King's objection to some application, or his majesty's reign began the typewriter has been introduced in the palace, and many replies, formal and otherwise, are now typed in violet ink. In the late reign the private secretaries were supposed to, and actually did, write every letter with their own pens, but when Edward blood it becomes enfeebled, and a gen-VII. ascended the throne a modern change was quickly introduced, saving a large amount of time and labor.

All sorts and conditions of people write to the King. Many of the envelopes bear no stamps, as if Buckingham Palace were a government office, and some are boldly addressed in a pencil scrawl.

The East End postmark is a predominant feature; there are many poor people, who, alas! fondly believe the King can redress their grievances and mitigate their woes by a wave of his hand. It is no secret, however, that in several instances, after discreet inquiries have been made, suffering has been relieved in poor districts as the result of a letter to the King or Queen. Usually the channel of relief is one of the philanthropic societies, of which his majesty is either a patron or interested in, to whose office the deserving letter is privately forwarded.-London

Express. China has decided to establish a general postoffice and to turn over the table there is always a place for Ferroadministration of it to the marine customs service under Sir Robert

Hart.

Petersburg are specially addicted to eating horse-meat—the Tartars because they like it, the students because it is

Two classes of the population of St

#### SOME FACTS REGARDING PRESIDENT'S WIDOWS

Wives of Chief Magistrates Live Longer Than Their Husbands.

GENER [Philadelphia Inquirer.]

Lives of presidents remind us that as a rule they are much shorter than those of their wives. At this time there is but one person living who was elected president of the republic, yet there are several widows of presidents and there are fewer now than formerly. Mr. Cleveland and his gracious wife still survive in good health Mrs. Harrison lives, but the Mrs. Harrison who entered the White House in 1889 ended her life there. Arthur was a widower when he became president, but Mrs. Garfield and Mrs. Grant are still living. Mrs. Lincoln lived until recently and it is not long since Mrs. Tyler and Mrs. Polk

Not counting assassinations, presidents elected in the last 60 years have been short-lived, or at least have not long survived their incumbency. Harrison died in office, but Tyler lived longer after leaving the White House than most of his successors. lived but a few months after his term, Taylor died in office and Fillmore did not long survive. Pierce was the youngest man up to his time who entered the White House, and died a comparatively young man. Buchanan was an older man and his demise was not unexpected. Lincoln was assassinated and Johnson died soon after his term ended, just as he was about to take his seat in the senate, the only ex-president so honored. Grant survived his term eight years, Hayes a somewhat longer time, Arthur died a comparatively young man and Harrison, though not young, was supposedly vigorous. McKinley's untimely

death completes the list. The burdens of the office of president are great, and as it usually reached only after many years of labor in field statesmanship, it is not unnatural that the vitality of the incumbent is sapped. In four years McKinley had aged more than a business man would in ten. With the wife of the president the situation is different. There are few months in the year when the duties of hospitality are somewhat taxing to the strength, but during the rest she has no cares and responsibilities except those of a domestic kind. The housekeeping is largely done for her and if she had a comfortable home her years might be those of pleasantness and peace. Unfortunately, the family moves into the White House it It is not generally known, however, will be cramped as never before, and books, circulars, be accommodated than ever before the new mistress of the White House will amore Hill, where, until recently, her

The late Mrs. Harrison worked long to get congress to enlarge the Whit: ception of those which are quickly House. Though many plans were laid majesty"-i. e., which contain a dis- is not likely that congress will much tinctive private mark, mutually prear- longer persist in refusing the commoneuddles her umbrella protectingly tinctive private mark, mutually prear-longer persist in refusing the common-under her arm as if she doesn't want ranged, on the envelope or cover—are est comforts to the chief magistrate

### Animals and Drunkards.

"I've worked around animals more or less all my life until the trolleys did away with horses," said the motor- look about for an interest in life. man, "and I have noticed particularly a correspondent whose letter has been accordingly. A dog, no matter how received by Sir Francis Knollys by the fierce he is, will never bite a drunken first morning delivery, obtained a reply man. He seems to know by instinct the same night, intimating that the when a man is under the weather and first missive has been "laid before the treats him much as he would a child. King." Many letters-those emanating But with a horse it is different. A from cranks, faddists, and notorious horse treats a drunken man with conbeggars, those making impossible re- tempt-doesn't want to have anything quests (such as a seat in the Abbey to do with him. There used to be an er you feel like it or not, and graduold man who loafed around the car ally the mental state will adapt itself mercial character—are never submitted stables, and who, somehow or other, to the bodily expression. to his majesty, but are either agnored always managed to keep loaded up to or stereotyped replies are sent, accord- the nozzle. Some nights he would to say the other day, "I am too much creep into a stall and go to sleep in in love ever to have the blues." the straw. The horses, when they fin-

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#### A SIMPLE REMEDY FOR "THE BLUES"

If You Suffer From Bepression of Spirits Look for an Interest in Life.

Is there any one of the human famfrom that "lothed melancholy" called

"the blues?" If such a person exists he is as rare as the great auk, and he never, never, eats late suppers or looks a thought too often on the "cup that cheers. From whatever cause the blue devils take possession of us, whether from derangements of the liver or nervous system, or from simple ennui, the cure for them is the same, unless, indeed, they are bred by organic diseas which has taken vital hold of the system. And the cure—an absorbing interest or occupation. People who ride their hobbies have the blues. Enthusiastic collectors are also apt to be aggress-

ively cheerful. If you suffer from depression of spirits, then, take the advice of authorities on the subject and Ursula Gesterfeld, in one of her the effect that a drunken man has on books, handles the blue devils without them. A horse hates a man with a jag gloves. She frankly informs the victims that what is the matter with them is but a dog seems to feel that a drunk not that they are "too fine for earth's isn't responsible for himself, and acts coarser uses," and that their delicate natures suffer from contact with the rude, boisterous world, but that they are abhormally selfish, too absorbed in their own sensations to heed the fact that they are enveloping themselves in an atmosphere of gloom which must necessarily depress all about them. Her prescription is to smile, smile; smile in season and out of season; smile wheth-

A charming young woman was heard much in love?" echoed her astonished auditors, surprised at this frank reve-lation. "Yes," she replied provokingly, too much in love with myself. I regard myself as a mirror, don't you see, put on earth to reflect all the joy and gladness of the universe; and so I cannot think of letting myself become obscured and dimmed

ugly clouds as the blues. Ah, never! I am too vain." Charles Newcomb, that coiner of epigrams, says: "There is no stimulant that is more speedy and thorough in grandstand of steel and concrete, which its action than the thrill of joy and is probably the finest in the country. It gladness. It is a natural tonic, and is called the "Palace of the Fans." the entire system responds to its exhilarating vibrations. Anything that arouses confidence in life, with a larger sense of its use and beauty, increases human energy and prepares the best conditions of success in all undertakings. We are never left in life with an entirely empty cupboard. There is always some little portion of fat to eat and sweet to drink, if we will only go our way and look about grief to absorb our thoughts or tears

to blind our eyes and fill every cup with bitterness." There is a very old story about the sedentary life. It improves the appecalled in a physician to see if he could offer any alleviation for the depression from which he suffered. "Go and see Grimaldi," replied the "melancholy

Jacques" in the jester's garb.
Poor clown! He was suffering from the reaction occasioned by the constant effort to be funny. He needed change of thought, interest and occupation. "It isn't the 'unting as 'urts the 'orses, it's the 'ammer, 'a 'ammer on the 'ard 'igh road."

There is an exceedingly bitter tonic that all of us must gulp down sooner or later, and that is that no one cares a straw about our woes. The man who laughs is the man who has friends by the score, whose society is eagerly sought and who is always welcome; but the woman who weeps very soon learns that she must weep alone. sad old earth has need of our mirth."

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Gigantic Stream That Is Little Known Outside South America.

One of the greatest rivers of the world, the Orinoco, is also one of the least known to Europeans. Its sister, the Amazon, has often been described by Wallace and Bates, among others, but Humboldt remains practically the only writer of standing upon the great stream which, rising on the frontiers of Brazil, runs for 2,000 miles through Venezuela, receiving in its course such immense tributaries as the Mela and Apure, and discharging itself by a hundred mouths into the South Atlantic opposite the British island of

The principal entrance, and the only one available for sailing vessels, is the the blood enters the superficial vessels conditions of the simple Scottish peas- hourse. It was the heartiest and most Boca Grande, to the south, into which of the skin and does not return from ant holds good only in regard to the spontaneous thing I witnessed during flow, among other tributaries, the Ara- it. If you would remedy this conditura and the Amacura, the latter al- tion perform regularly this little feat: most coinciding in its course with the Grasp the tip of the nose between the Schomburgk boundary line between thumb and fingers and massage up- of the Dominion. British Guiana and Venezuela. But ward to the root. This method most of the traffic of the Orinoco empties the vessels of used-up blood, passes through Trinidad, where pas- and allows fresh blood to flow. sengers and goods are transferred to sides you are not half as likely to steamers almost flat-bottomed, and be afflicted with cold in the head. reach the Orinoco by the mouth known "One exercise especially designed to as Macarao, the open sea being avoid- prevent a 'bay window' below the ribs ed. It was by that route that the is this: Lie flat on your back, raise writer started in the Apure, chartered one foot and leg to its full height withfor the occasion, on a trip of 500 miles out bending the knee, then the other, up the great river, forming probably alternating the motions, or vary the

of tourists which ever ascended it.

the entrance of the Macarao was ercises the muscles of the abdomen and reached and for fourteen hours we navigated a deep channel, perhaps half a mile wide, whose attractions surprised those who had read of the delta of the Orinoco as a dismal swamp thousands of square miles in extent, moting a vigorous circulation. tenanted only by a few wild Indians, who built their houses in among the about one inch of cold water in a bath trees, by wild beasts and by wild tub. Stand on one foot and rub it trees, by wild beasts and by wild tub. Stand on one foot and rub it ject in writing the book, the author the poems in this edition are classified as follows: Lays of the True little music halls that sprinkle their and undergrowth hide ground which is orous rubbing with a crash towel, and for the most part ooze, covered for the good effects are almost equal to for the most part coze, covered for the good effects are almost equal to half the year by water. The Guaracan walking in dew, recommended by tempt to review the history of the Miss Machar's poems have a true ring midst of their city there stand the re-Indians, many of whom paddled out to Father Kneipp. meet the steamer and beg, in canoes "A fit of blues is a habit that grows roughly hollowed from the trunk of a upon one so rapidly that in a short tree, and who dispute supremacy of time it becomes a disease. Whenever these wilds with jaguars and alligat- I feel an attack coming on, I put on ors are extremely low specimens of hu- stout walking boots and tramp till I manity, though attachment to their can go no farther. This effectually dogs, large, rough-haired and excel- dispells melancholia.

are concealed by magnificent trees longer needed." growing to the water's edge, whose branches may sometimes be touched from the steamer, when she is steered close to the shore in order to avoid the current. Sometimes that splendid parasite, the matapalo, has wrapped trees, and, these perishing, it stands confess to an Irish priest in London alone, showing walls of green and resembling a large ivy mantled tower. Upon this and upon the tops of the tallest trees other parasites fling masses of blossom. A flock of flamingoes makes a brilliant scarlet patch here and there; the sun flashes from parrots of many sizes and various hues: snow-white cranes gaze stolidly from the banks; macaws, green and yellow, or deep crimson on head and breast, fly heavily past; and smaller looked on horrified. "When it comes birds of every color of the rainbow to my turn, Father," she gasped, "for

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Physician Tells How Every Man May Be His Own Doctor.

The Cause of Many Common Ailments and Some Very Simple Ways of Preventing Them.

"Have you noticed," said the physician in his post-prandial rest, "what a tidal wave of Every man his own doctor' is sweeping over the land?" "I suppose you mean," said the other man, who had come to him for a little friendly advice about spring fever, "Christian Scientists and the other

"Not alone that, but the growing tendency to keep well instead of being cured is fast relegating medicine to the

"We must keep up with the procession, even if it robs us of occupation, and I'll assure you, if every man understood giving himself massage he might practically be his own doctor. For instance, half the world either has, or claims to have, liver troubles. A spare five minutes can be turned to excellent account by giving your liver a lift. Place one hand heavily on the right side at the lower border of the in to do the 'frills,' couldn't begin to rigs and rub it down slowly four or five inches. Do this a dozen times, and you will empty the overfull liver of its superabundant contents. This cures heartburn and remedies cramps by removing the acidity from the stomach as well as relieving the liver.

CAUSE OF DYSPEPTICS' WOES. "The food of a dyspeptic remains too long in his stomach, fermenting and causing inflammation. Try helping the stomach get rid of its contents. Place one hand at the extreme edge of the left side immediately under the ribs and slightly overlapping them. Then work it round to the right by pressing the fingers in as hard as you can, drawing the hand across to the right with the other hand, at the same time swinging the body to the right, then to the left. Practice this daily before meals and reasonable food will never 'set like lead' on your stomach.

"Here is a good suggestion for a plethoric, or full-blooded, man. When waiting for the fellow that doesn't keep his appointment, place your hand at the back of your neck where the hair joins it and rub downward. You will thus empty the glands and pre-vent their turning into bolls. Or put you fingers on the neck at the angle of the jaw and draw them firmly down-ward over the course of the jugular This will remove the used-up blood from the brain and make that organ feel light and clear, helping you to keep from getting 'hot under your six collars,' like Kipling's engine.

TO AVOID VARICOSE VEINS. "If you have a tendency to varicose veins when you sit down elevate your The blood will flow out of the turgid veins and give you great relief. By deep friction from the heel upward to the feeble veins.

"If you have a red nose it is because

the first and certainly the largest party exercise by putting the toes under the bed clothes, raising the body to a sit-Six hours after leaving Port of Spain ting posture several times. prevents the accumulation of fat.

TO OBVIATE COLD FEET. "Cold feet, so often found among brain workers, can be obviated by prodiate relief can be had by standing in Well nigh impenetrable forests four minutes. Follow this up by vig-

lent hunters, should be mentioned to "An Oriental philosopher says fast, breathe, and exercise and you will But the passerby sees none of the never be ill, so we might as well achorrors of this great swamp. They cept the situation that doctors are no

#### Terrible Penance.

A correspondent of the London Specin its deadly folds several adjacent tator tells how a young man came to whose experience of the humors of his fellow-countrymen would fill a book. "Well, my man," said the priest, "and "I'm how do you earn your living?" an acrowbat, your riverence." priest was nonplussed. "I'll show ye what I mane in a brace of shakes," said the penitent, and in a moment was turning himself inside out in the most approved acrobatic fashion in and out of the pews. An old woman who had followed him to confession scream or chatter or sing among the the love of God don't put a penance on me like that; it 'ud be the death of

VERY SINGULAR.

"I attended church once upon a time," said De Wolf Hopper the other day, "in a.Rhode Island city and heard a worthy clergyman named Whicher get tangled up in his pulpit lines to painful degree, while the heads of his auditors were bowed in the effort suppress laughter until they looked like rows of tasseled cornstalks bent by the breeze.

"Rev. Mr. Whicher was booming the Sunday school, or rather he was chidmost soothing and most penetrating ing the congregation for its lack of interest in that church annex, and disease germ can live in it. For moved by his admonition, became finding that they did not act as if

"'I never,' he shouted, as he bangpositive and quick cure, while for all throat and bronchial troubles it is ed the pulpit with his fist, 'knew a church pul church which had so many parents with no children.' "-New York Times.

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From the Great Lakes to the Wide

immense interest.

In consideration of the vast entertime," the subject of the volume is aptly chosen. The writer is in no way Dominion. been told. It is all true. You feel that even a permanent orchestra of eloand nature, in these great spaces

swelled heads." Mr. McEvoy is very enthusiastic regarding the Soo and its industries. He gives the items of interest there as follows: 1. Mr. Clergue. 2. The New Bessemer Steel Works. 3. The Algoma Central Railway and the country it is tapping on its route to Hudson Bay. 4. The Pulp Industry. 5. The New Power Canals now in course of construction, both on the Canadian and United States side of the river. 6. The Nickel and Chemical Industries. 7. The Iron Foundries and Machine

Illustrative of the author's characteristic style and of his observative nature, witness the following description of a Manitoba farm. After referring to the farm buildings in an expanse of 480 acres of land, he goes on to say that "in an adjacent yard there were seventeen cows which the farmer and his sons were milking. In the stables were ten or twelve horses, while in the barn some calves called loudly to be fed, and well-bred black pigs came round corners and squinted up at us with inquisitive eyes and interrogative grunts. The cows were standing contentedly amid the smoke of 'smudges.'" After describing the construction of "mosquito smudges," the writer goes on to dilate on the comforts of Western home life, ending with a reference to The Cottar's Satur- taneous impulse ran through our regi-

The writer concludes the series of Canada understand each other, the gave us after Doornkop.' better it will be for all parties concerned. As one travels about he cannot help feeling that the great Dominion is in its infancy. "Everywhere the opening-up process is going on, and in

From Quebec to Pretoria." by W. Hart-McHarg; William Briggs, publisher, Toronto.

periences of Mr. Hart-McHarg, now a are familiar from the fact that they and shout and scramble in the world to leave, and King Edward will take your hat brim, supporting your chin lieutenant in the Rocky Mountain have already appeared in periodicals and anthologies. Here also will be Rangers, late sergeant A Company, found several poems, which have ap- stroll on their broad parade that looks Royal Canadian Regiment. The ob- peared under the author's nom de out upon the tideless Baltic, to sit in ing! And what a contrast to Russia, ject in writing the book, the author plume, "Fidelis." the impression left is not quite cor- of times for not more than three or doings of the Royal Canadian Regi- North; Canadian Wood Notes; Echoes Tivoli gardens—a sort of amusement ment while on active service in South of Life and Thought; Ballads of Love park for old and young Danes. As Africa. The opening chapter is an at- and Labor; Sonnets and a dramatic instance of their amazing slowness of Transvaal and the causes leading up about them, imbued as they are, by a to the outbreak of hostilities in 1899, lofty patriotic sentiment. They are Whatever may be said of the historical value of this brief resume, it will at least serve to refreshen the memory of the reader on a subject, with which he is already more or less familiar. The author is at his best, however, when he is describing the movements and the experiences of his regiment. The hardships and inconvenience on board the Sardinian are depicted with a vividness born of actual experience. About the only redeeming feature of the voyage was the weather, which the writer says was everything that could be desired. The following characteristic passage

> of the battle of Paardeberg: "We bivouacked to the right of the

"About an hour after we had set-

West," by Bernard McEvoy, Toron-

to; William Briggs. This book is the embodiment of & series of letters by Mr. McEvoy, based on a trip from Sault Ste. Marie to Victoria, B. C. The author is a wellknown figure in Toronto journalistic circles. His style is racy and entertaining, making the volume one of

prises at the Soo, the development of the Northwest and the "growing a pessimist. He entertains throughout a hopeful view of the future of the Regarding our inland seas, those great highways of commerce, he says: "Scribblers have scribbled, and stump speakers have exploited their vibrant voices on the theme; premiers have perorated and poets have sung, but when you sail on them you feel that the half has not quent premiers, with the best stump speakers in the country to beat the big drum, and a poet or two thrown tell all, because it is fresh every day, silence and beauty, reveals herself to her worshipers as she is, and carries the mind back to a time when those awful things called civilization and progress had not begun to give men

is taken from the author's description

road, leaving room beside us for the Gordons, who had stayed behind bury their dead. There is not much cheering or hurrahing in a hard campaign. No bands play the weary soldier along on his march. Sometimes the pipes of the Highland regiments struck up, but it was hard work for them, and marching across the rough veldt made it too hard for the men to keep step, with head thrust a little for-ward and eyes fixed on the ground, carrying his rifle the way it suits him best, taking his own step and saying very little, the soldier marches stolidalong, and if he arrives at his destination, he does all that required of him. His joys and his sorrows are indulged in temperately. There was not a cheer from any of the regiments when Cronje surrendered at Paardeberg. 'Hulloa, what is that over there above those trees?" 'Looks like a white flag all right. By Jove, it is, thank God, it's over.' few moments of excitement; a staff officer came galloping up from headquarters, looks through his glasses, and then ejaculates, half to himself: 'It's all right; it's a surrender; they're

tled down to bivouac the Gordons came along, headed by their pipers. We knew they felt about as weary as we did, but when they came to our lines they braced up and swung past to the skirl of the pipes, with the same old dehonair swagger that does duty for church parades in Edinburgh, and is characteristic of the regiment. We had been eye-witnesses of their gallantry the previous day, and a spontroubles are so frequently fatal in their results. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills For Pale People-

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> "Lays of the True North and Other Canadian Poems," is the title of a book of poems by Miss Agnes Moule the future the great influx of popula- Machar, of Kingston. The Canadian publishers are the Copp, Clark Company, Limited, Toronto. The present volume is a second edition, the first edition having been published soon after the Diamond Jubilee in 1897. A marked love of spirits, are a peaceful, each tested it Arcadian happiness for have only to hold your head perfectly This work contains the military ex- number of the poems here presented orderly folk, with no desire to push a few brief hours. But they are about steady, after getting the angle with

Poem entitled "A Winged Victory." procedure I may mention that in the truly Canadian, and will be welcomed years ago it was destroyed. And yet by thousands of readers, who look to the inhabitants of Copenhagen still althe fostering of a Canadian literature. Among the poet's sonnets, under the heading "The Circling Year," is the following apropos of the present

Wreathed in soft mists and bathed in dewy sheen,
Smiling through tears—with brooding,
tender face,
Our May menth comes; and straight with airy grace Each twig unfurls its tufts of shining Soft clouds of verdure break the blue serene; Vague, wandering fragrance fills each bowery place,
From snowy, clustering blossoms that
embrace
The half-fledged boughs which late so

bare had been. soft shadows of the forest-brake White lily-cups pour forth their incense violets and white Mayflowers make A blended sweetness on the balmy air, Whose charmed stillness joyous bird-notes wake, And light and joy and hope are every-

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in

Trained ants are the lastest novelty Berlin. There is a little circus in which these performers appear daily. They dance, turn somersaults, draw the visitor as he drives through the miniature wagons, fight sham batties almost English-looking village up to and perform other wonders. Iowa leads the States in total value

of domestic animals, while Texas ranks esque white building, consisting of second.



# MEETING PLACE

Where Kings and Emperors of Europe Are Went to Go

In Search of Coveted Peace and Blissful Quietude Denied Them Elsewhere.

[London Express.] great river of progress stands the lit- | would never get away again. tle Danish capital of Copenhagen. Its people, save for a certain too strongly their cafes watching the white wings

mains of a stately pile of buildings, now mere blackened ruins. Twelve low this dismal record of disaster to remain an eyesore in an otherwise beautiful city. The very trams of Copenhagen make

the visitor stop and gaze-curious, oldfashioned, cumbrous vehicles, with coverings for the passengers on the top, creep like yellow phantoms round the town. Scarlet-dressed messengers silently along the streets, while blue-uniformed Danish officers clank proudly past. The beautiful English church rises up near the harbor from the old ramparts of yore, and forms a charming picture of simple stateli-

Most interesting of all, however, at this juncture is not so much Copenhagen itself as the royal castle Fredensborg. It is here that King Edward is to stay when he arrives at the Danish capital this week. It is here that the czar and czarina have been spending a short holiday in perfect quiet before they plunge into the pel is cellular. Two tiers of cells run whirlwind of reviews, parades and gayeties that have been prepared for

An hour's distance by train from Copenhagen, situated amid forests of oaks and beeches, stands the "Castle of Peace," as the word Freedensborg signifies. A simple but charming view it is that presents itself to the eye of the castle.

In front of him he sees a picturwhitewashed brick, and shaped somewhat like a horseshoe. The main part of the palace is the center, while on each side branching round a stoneflagged courtyard run two low-storied wings, very rambling and simple to a degree. Within stretch old-fashined passages and medieval low-ceilinged rooms, and quaint wooden staircases lead from story to story, while white-washed cellars are ranged in no particular order along the basement. Up to the main entrance leads a flight

of stone stairs. When their majesties stand three or four carriages, each with a fine pair of horses; on the box expense of maintaining numerous the coachman and footman in brilliant liveries, a mass of scarlet from head Gazette.

to foot. If the czarina-or Empress of Russia, as the Russians prefer to hear her entitled—is going for a drive, a burly, thick-set Cossack, radiant in coat of go geous blue trimmed with ada at the top of the steps, while other servants in red and ary stream, or even of a good-sized yellow are posted by the carriage. The river, it is necessary to make use of same Cossack servant always attends only your eyes and the brim of your her majesty when she goes for a drive; hat. That seems queer, doesn't he was very much in evidence, for in- But it's true, and here is the way to stance, when the empress drove to the do it:

ern Asia on Saturday last. that the late Emperor of Russia was your hat down over your brow until so fond of staying. As a Danish gen- the edge of the brim is exactly on a tleman remarked, their majesties are line with the water line on the other quite safe here from gentlemen of side. Anarchistic tendencies, for were any This will give you a visual angle

ments. The czar and czarina have ing distance on it. To do this you

their place. or Danzig, with its barbed-wire fenc- ward the river. with her ever-present army of police!

#### MEDIEVAL FORTRESS A FORMIDABLE PRISON

Strange Jail is Which Four Hundred and Seventy-Five Murderers Are Confined.

now a formidable prison-house. When state penitentiary board and the govlast I visited it there were 475 prisoners within its walls, all of them murderers. It is an uncanny sensation to look upon nearly 500 human beings each one of whom has taken the life of at least one other human being. One hundred and forty-nine of them were condemned for life, and that meant murder of a brutal and coldblooded description; the remainder were imprisoned for periods ranging from fifteen to thirty years, and that would mean murder with extenuating circumstances-murder the result of inconstancy in a sweetheart, or frailty in a wife, or faithlessness in a friend The confinement is rigorously solitary and cellular; the exercise courts are cellular; there are celular smithies and one above the other, and the prisoner in each, while unable to see his fellow convicts, can, through a long, narrow loophole, see the altar and the priest who is saying mass. As I walked round the ramparts of

the great fortress I could look down into the rows of high-walled exercise courts-not more than ten feet by ten. I should say-in each of which convict was taking the hour of exercise which he is allowed daily. Every prisoner saluted respectfully, and showed his wite teeth in a pleasant smile, glad at the sight of any fresh Italian prisons, are models of good order and cleanliness, and the cheerfulness and natural patience of the Italian temperament does much to lighten the labor of Italian prison officials. The convicts get two full meals of beans, lentils or paste, cooked in lard, and meat on Sundays and holidays. Every prisoner may spend 25 centesimi a day, if he has it or can earn it; therefore wine is by no means an unknown luxury in the prison. The system of rigorous solitary confinement leads to frequent cases of very pretty, especially when the sun is shining. Round the simple courtyard of the Italian government abolishing

criminal lunatic asylums.-St. James

To Estimate a River's Width

[Philadelphia North American.] To measure the width of any ordi

station to proceed to bid adiest to the Russian warship which left for East- the ground runs back level, and, standing at the water's edge, fix your eyes It was in this placid country abode on the opposite bank. Now, move

On the edge of a backwater in the such person to arrive on the island he that may be used on any level surface and if, as has been suggested, the This, then, is the spot to which roy- ground on your side of the river be alty flocks in search of peaceful mo- flat, you may "lay off" a correspondwith your hand, if necessary, and turn What a contrast to a visit to Berlin slowly around, until your back is to

Now, take careful note of where your hat-brim cuts the level surface of the ground as you look out over the latter, and from where you stand to that point will be the width of the river-a distance that may readily be measured by stepping. If you are careful in all these details you can ome within a few feet of the river's

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### FARMING OUTLOOK FAVORABLE

There is a Marked Decrease in Area of Fall Wheat.

Spring Seeding Began Earlier Than Usual This Year.

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reports made to the Ontario bureau of industries by over 500 correspondents

under date of May 1: The November bulletin stated that there was a considerable decrease in the area sown to fall wheat, owing to the ravages of the Hessian fly. It is as the ground contained plenty of satisfactory, however, to note that the moisture, and bud and blade were injury to the crop by the fly so far has ready to respond. been much less than was feared. While a year ago complaints of losses Hessian fly were common in nearly all the counties south of a line drawn from Huron to Wentworth-very extensive damage having been done to the growing fall wheat in the counties bordering upon Lake Erie—only a few of the correspondents now reporting speak in a positive manner of actual injury traceable to the fly, and these injury traceable to the fly, and these reports are confined to odd sections of Lambton and the Lake Erie counties. A considerable amount of fall wheat was sown late to avoid the fly, and this has not done as well as that got in earlier. Several correspondents remark that having sown fall wheat on oat stubble it has done poorly. The greatest injury to the crop so far appears to have been sustained from severe frosts and cold winds just after the snow left the ground, the exposed fields suffering considerably in some quarters. Taking the crop as a whole, however, the prospect is better than

Although more winter rye is being raised than in recent years, the acreage is still comparatively small. That

orable generally, many of them being enthusiastically so. Here and there accounts come in of heaving during the winter or spring, but nothing general has been reported in the way of injury to the crop. As correspondents wrote the prospects for hay were never better, both old and new meadows promising well.

SPRING CROPS. Most of the spring crops were got in comewhat earlier than usual, a number of correspondents reporting seeding as having been practically com-pleted by the 1st of May. In most cases the seed bed was in excellent condition, and the catch has been one of the best for years. As correspondents wrote a considerable amount of the spring grain was above ground, and gave promise of a first-class crop should nothing untoward intervene. The sowing of field peas, however, had been delayed in many instances in

order to escape the "bug."
Correspondents do not agree regarding the state of vegetation on the 1st of May, some asserting that the The following is a summary of the claimed that the season might be regarded as a rather backward one. In many quarters there was sufficient grass for pasturing sheep, but hardly enough for cattle; but it was considered that only a few warm days were needed to make a luxuriant growth,

LIVE STOCK. All classes of live stock have come through the winter in good condition. A few comparatively light forms of distemper among horses are reported in several localities, and in the county the year, and spring work has had only a good effect upon them. Their chief drawback appears to have been a rather lighter ration of oats than ordinarily, owing to the scarcity of that grain. Cattle as a rule, are also in excellent form. Some report them as being rather thin, but none dispute their general good health. Ringworm appeared among several herds in some of the Parry Sound townships, and odd cases of lumpy jaw occurred elsewhere, but with these exceptions there is a remarkably clean bill of health however, the prospect is better than to be shown for cattle. Sheep have was hoped for six months ago. The done exceedingly well, a large number loss from Hessian fly, wire worm, and of lambs having been dropped, which other insect pests has so far been have turned out healthy and vigorous. comparatively small. There are some patchy places owing to trying spring weather and to local causes, and here one there are turned out hearthy and vigorous. The dog is inveighed against by several correspondents as being a nuisance. Swine have also done well as a class. and there portions of the crop have Cases of disease and death among been plowed up or resown to barley, young litters have been reported in but, notwithstanding these drawbacks, several parts of the province, but these there are many fields reported in excellent condition, and in a number of sections a large yield per acre is lookences to the steady way in which bacon hogs have been fitted for the market is a feature of the reports. which was sown last fall came through although straw has been rather scarce limbs and disfigure trees, and the gentlement of the winter in good condition, nearly and the high prices prevailing for every reference to the growing crop coarse grains and mill feed tempted could be desired. There is promise of Fodder generally has been sufficient, many raisers of live stock to feed abundant blossom for nearly every Reports concerning clover are fav- closer than usual. Several correspond- variety of fruit, and if frosts and

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FARM SUPPLIES. There is nothing like unanimity in the reports received regarding farm supplies. Taking the province as a whole, however, there has been a sufficiency or more of hay, and a scarcity of oats. Many correspondents state that there is but little wheat left, although others claim that there is a fair surplus yet on hand. It is safe to say that while there is not as much hay or grain in farmers' hands as usual at this time of the year, other feeding stuffs, such as ensilage, would enable them to put a fair amount of both hay and wheat on the market should extra high prices prevail. Fat cattle are scarce in nearly every section, the high prices ruling having cleared them out early. Many correspondents also report a scarcity of store cattle, although some claim that there are still a considerable number on hand, more especially in the last Midland and Northern districts. In some of the Western counties buyers from the Canadian Northwest bought up a lot of young stock for finishing off. The high price of grain and other feeding stuffs is also given by some correspondents as a reason for the comparatively small number of fat and store cattle kept on hand.

FRUIT TREES. Reports from the districts where the to go through. bulk of our fruit is grown are decidedly optimistic in tone. There have been no ice storms this year to break off

heavy rains keep off during the period of bloom a record year for fruit generally may be looked for. In the counties lying between the St. Lawrence and Ottawa Rivers, however, there has been a serious visitation of field mice, which have swarmed over the orchards and wrought much serious injury by girdling young apple and other trees. A correspondent in Fitzroy states that mice ate 44 rods of thorn hedge on his premises. complaints of mice in the Lake On-tario district came from the county of York, and of the Western Ontario counties Middlesex was the only one to send a report of their presence. Several correspondents in the fuit growing centers expresss fear that the tent caterpillar may do much injury unless actively checked. A few also complain of the presence of the borer. Warnings are also sent in regarding black knot in cherries. It seems strange that so few references are made to the San Jose Scale. Small fruits came through the winter in good condition as a rule, although in some quarters berry bushes were considerably broken down by snow. These reports were all made before the cold dip of May 10, and therefore represent the condition un to that time.

#### His Lesson In Manners.

Oh, how everybody on the car hated

And how glad-glad they all were when it happened! He belonged to the widely-diffused type scientifically known as Juvenilius Squirtus, and he looked the part all over. He was a piece of animated vapidity about 19 years of age. His countenance had about as much expression in it as a porcelain preserve jar. He was spiderishly built, and his spider frame was ornamented with the extreme exaggeration of the new-style dinky sack suit, with flappy, anti-bellum trousers and such outstanding flares to the suddenly chopped-off coat that they looked as if there might be whalebones in 'em. His ram's-horn-rimmed soft hat was

tipped back on his tallowy head to re-veal the beauties of two lovely, wavy spit-locks plastered down on his fore-

There was just enough down on his upper lip to give it that hopeless, wood-ash look.

But it wasn't essentially on account of his looks that the other passengers on the car-most of whom happened to be elderly men and women—hated him from the minute that he boarded the down-town avenue car at Washington Circle. It was on account of the little performance that he proceeded

He plumped himself into the only vacant seat between a couple of mid-dle-aged men, dampened the ends of Home-Building Operations at the be thrown out, as regular as clockhis right hand fingers with his tongue and applied the fingers to the spitlocks, adjusted his crocheted four-inhand with his left hand, pulled down his cuffs with great solicitude for their proper showing, and then gazed around at the other passengers with as much haughtiness as was possible considering the vacuousness of his

Then he had a sudden idea. He dug his hand into the breast pocket of his suddenly ending coat, and pulled out all of the square variety, and they were of all tints—pale blue, honestthe way from the Juvenilius Squirtus and rattlesnakes.

couldn't help but see, for the youth

These gnome-like creatures, which hand, grinning complacently the while. right on smoothing down the spit-

He held the outspread letters at arm's length, so that in every case the suffering passengers across the way, fascinated with the hypnesis of hatred, couldn't help but glance at the super-scription—"Always your Aggie."

members of the genus Squirtus. It happened that all of the men left the car at the 15th street corner, and only women got on at that corner. There were so many of them that they crowded the aisle, but the young man did not leave off his perusal of his correspondence. He leaned back easily in his seat and continued his engaging performance, while the women exchanged glances with each other and gazed at him darkly.

Two more passengers boarded the

car at 7th street, transferring from the South Washington car. One of them was a very old and very little lady, with a delicate, refined face and snowy

The other looked like a plano mover or a prize fighter. He was a rough-looking six-footer of the 200-pound class, with a black sweater beneath his sack coat. He had a buildog face, but a kindly eye, and he looked power-ful enough to pick up a prize heifer

and hurl it into the next lot.

The youth with the tinted letters glanced supercliously at him, as well as at the old lady, and went on read-ing his letters. The piano mover or prize fighter pushed a strap within the reach of the tottering old lady, which she clutched as best she could before the car started again. But when the car started with a jolt and the old lady almost fell down the large individual in the sweater reached over a vast paw and touched the Juvenilius Squirtus on the shoulder.

"Hey," he inquired, "wot's de matter wit' givin' de ol' lady a sit-down f'r The youth with the correspondence gazed with great hauteur at the big man from South Washington and nestled a little more snugly in his seat. When the car started suddenly again at 6th street, once more nearly throwing the old lady to the aisle, the big

man reached the same huge paw over, got a firm clutch on the two lapels of the youth's coat, and, before yanking him out of his seat, said to him: "Egmont, it's you t' read th' rest o' them billy ducks some time when they ain't no trembly ol' ladies a-tryin' t' frame up a balancin' stunt in th' mid-dle of a jolt trap. You t' y'r peds!" and with a sudden yank he pulled the youth out of the seat, scattering his letters all over the floor. The youth picked up the letters, looking real vindictive, but saying nothing, and then he hustled off the car, while the the other passengers were wreathed in smiles,

ing behind a near-by pillar, the birds were seen at work. Their method of excavating was to alight at the entrance of the burrow, and walk slowly into it, kicking a shower of dirt

backward at each step. Long after the bird disappeared from view the little spouts of sand would continue to work. In three or four minutes the bird would come up to the entrance and repeat its trip to the end of the burrow. In this way the entire length

of the passage was probably kept clear, and the loose earth at the inner end gradually heaped up outside. Soon after the burrow was begun, two of the birds mated, and the lone

LED AN UNHAPPY LIFE until removed to another cage. If he Some time ago there arrived at the happened to alight anywhere near the burrow, both of the owners would

jump on him literally "with both feet," When he was removed the two partners settled down to burrowing in earnest, and excavated a large pile of earth. Now began a most amusing courtship and declarations of undying the passengers alongside of and across with "happy families" of prairie dogs affection. They would stand side by side in the entrance of the burrow and chuckle and bow to each other by the hour. Then they would race around and pop up and down the hole like jacks-in-the-boxes. Of course their burrowing operations under ground could only be guessed at, but at last one of the owls, probably the female, remained below most of the day, and when she apeared presented such a

worn and dirty appearance that it seemed probable she was setting. Her partner took up his station or a branch near the entrance of the burrow and dutifully swore at any one who intruded, or promptly conveyed mice and sparrows into the mysterious cavern where his wife was patiently sitting week after week in the dark

If stared at intently he would slowly back down, until in the darkness of the burrow nothing was distinguishable but his two round, shining, yellow eyes, or sometimes, when not frightened and perched on his favorite branch, he would turn his head around sideways until he looked at the observer with head completely reversed. This was quite a common trick, but

AN UPSIDE-DOWN VIEW OF THINGS

has always been inexplicable. A board was placed across the entrance of the burrow as an experiment, but the next morning the little owl was standing beside a new hole higher up, and venting all the wrath in his di-

minutive body on the innocent piece of Week after week passed, and the faithful little owl-wife grew more and more emaciated and bedraggled, until fearing that she would die, it was de cided to dig out her secret. So both owls were shut out of the burrow and a layer of earth removed, then a second and third, until the whole excavation was exposed to view, and it was found that the owls had used their limited amount of earth in the most ingenious possible way. The burrow, as a whole, somewhat resembled a descending spiral. It led obliquely downwards from the entrance, then curved around to the left, and about five feet from the mouth widened into a cir-cular chamber, evidently a kind of dining-room, as the floor was covered with scraps of dried meat and feathers. The tunnel, which was almost circular in section, with hard-packed walls, extended about five feet further, describing a large, gradually descending circle in its course, until it crossed under the upper portion of the burrow, near the entrance. At the extreme end was the nest, merely a second circular chamber, containing two round, white eggs, laid in the bare clay, with a few scattered pebbles around them. These nick in the side, made, no doubt, by a pebble falling from the roof, and so

rendering useless the four weeks' pa-tient incubation of the little owl. The eggs were removed, the clay moistened and pounded up, and the owls, nothing daunted, went to work and made a second burrow, which they used merely as a sleeping-place until transferred to their summer home, a spacious out-door cage, where,

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DR. M. G. McLAUGHLIN, 130 Yonge St., Toronto, Ont. 9am. to 8.30 p.m. 

#### DOMESTIC LIFE OF TWO OWLS

New York Zoo.

The Blighted Hopes of a Little Owl-Wife-Her Wearying Vigil-Three

[New York Post.]

a stack of letters. The envelopes were New York Zoological Park three little were of all tints—pale blue, honest-and-truly blue, pink, lavender, helio-preposterous scientific name, Spcotyta trope, pale green, cream-hued—the cunicularia floridana; or in non-scien-whole repertoire of envelope colors tific English, burrowing cave-owls of used by young women in their cor- Florida. These are first cousins of the respondence. All the envelopes were Western burrowing owls, whose do-addressed in feminine chirography, as mestic affairs have been so interwoven

sorted them over as one would a whist have proved to be very interesting inmates of the birdhouse, are very anout of the stack, depositing the others in his lap, opened it up wide so that all hands across the way couldn't help but see the big superscription of the but see the big superscription at the fag end of the letter, "Yours, as ever, Dottie," and holding it out before him, kept in a small cage they appeared began to peruse it with a self-satisfied rather stupid, standing on one leg grin that was nothing short of loath-some. With his loose hand he kept owlish swear words when disturbed. When placed in more commodious quarters in one corner of the birdhouse, and a quantity of earth and clay placed in their cage, they proved their appreciation of the more con-

genial surroundings by showing their actual habits and characteristics. scription—"Always your Aggie."
"Your sorrowful Susie," "Your neglected Nettie," "Your regretful Roberta," and all that sort of rubbish, to expected of them, and they immediatewhich young women who are not wise ly took the hint and in less than a in their day and generation give utter- week had burrowed out of sight. This ance in their correspondence with burrowing was carried on mostly at night, on account of the many people passing during the day, but several times on rainy days, when the bird-

house was quiet, but stealthily watch-. ....

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great deal with nervous headaches,

dizziness and sleeplessness, and, in fact,

was all run down, pale and languid. These troubles we attributed to over-

study and confinement at school. She

and I can say that we have found this

and she is gaining in flesh and weight."

Mrs. Alfred Woods, 211 Robinson Street, Hamilton, whose husband is in the employ of Messrs. Ennis & Co., states:-

and generally run down in health. Lan- at school and as a result of the nerves guid, depressing feelings would come being affected I was often quite dizzy.

Over me, and at other times I suffered from severe neuralgic pains in the back ment with Dr. Chase's Nerve Food I and languid most of the time. Since has changed all this. My nerves are to health. This preparation seemed to much stronger, my nervous system has

"One of my children has suffered a began using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, treatment exceedingly helpful. It has relieved her of headache, steadied her nerves and built up her system wonderfully. We can see a great change in her, as the color is returning to her face,

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Girls and Women

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of the head. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food can say that I am completely restored using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food I feel very nas changed all this. My herves are to health. This preparation seemed to have stronger, my hervous system have an upbuilding effect on my system been greatly built up, and I have been my head are a thing of the past, and I am no longer bothered with dizzy much benefited by this course of treatment of the past, and I am no longer bothered with dizzy



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### THE HEAVENS DURING MAY

Stars of the First Magnitude Above the Horizon.

Some Planets That Are Visible During the Present Month-The Legend of Orion.

Eight stars of the first magnitude will be above the horizon at 9 o'clock this tude is a trifle more than two and a evening or between 7 and 8 o'clock near | balf times as bright as that (about the the close of the month. Low in the west may be seen Procynon, the Little Dog (Canis Minor), the last of Orion's tude -1, and so on. In this system the splendid train to disappear below the stellar magnitude of the sun is, achorizon. At about the same altitude cording to Prof. Newcomb, -26.4. From in the northwest will be found Capella, this number may readily be computed the Goat, the principal star in Auriga, the Wagoner. Midway between these two bright stars and at a somewhat that the sun gives ten thousand milgreater distance above the horizon are lion times the light of Sirius; ninetythe Twins (Gemini), Castor and Pol- one thousand million times the light lox, the former of which—the more nor- of a star of magnitude 1, and ninetytherly-is a bright second-magnitude one million-million times the light of star, while the latter, being somewhat one of magnitude 6. Were the sun to be brighter, stands in the list of the first removed to twice its actual distance,

In the northeast Vega, or Alpha Ly-rae, which is to be one of the brilliants of the northern evening sky all through the summer months, taking the place its brightness decreasing in the exact which Capella has occupied throughout | ratio as the square of its distance in- carpets, for they will necessarily be in the winter, is now fairly above the creased. It is easy to calculate, there-horizon at 9 o'clock. Vega is the prin- fore, at what distance it would become cipal star in the Lyre of Orpheus. It a star of any given magnitude. The weight per square yard will be eight is the rival in splendor of both Capelhow be seen in midheavens a little south of east. The relative magnitudes the first magnitude, and its light, which may almost be inferred, as the fact is, la and Arcturus, which latter star may of these three stars is a matter difficult to decide, on account of their difference in color. Arcturus is a yellow the interval between it and us. At star, inclined to orange; Capella is of ten times that distance it would bea beautiful straw color, while Vega is come one hundred times less brilliant; of a bluish white.

of the distance from horizon to zenith, stands Spica, the Wheat-ear, in the tance or 480 light years, it would be-constellation Virgo. Like Vega, Spica come a star of the eleventh magnitude, is a "Sirian" or white star, and, though and another removal to the same exless brilliant than Vega, it is one of tent, making its distance 4,800 light the most beautiful of the stellar host. At about three-fifths of the distance from this star to Procyon is Regulus, the principal star in Leo and the jewel in the handle of the "Sickle," which to fix our ideas as to the probable diforms the Lion's head and shoulders. The eighth star of this class now above the horizon at the hour of our obser vation is Antares, in the Scorpion, which faint telescopic stars, or any of them, may be spoken of the main aisle of has but just thrust its lobsterlike are comparable in size with the sun, the famous abbey. Over the dais, the claws above the horizon in the southeast.

THE LEGEND OF ORION. The position of the Scorpion, just rising, while Orion, whom we have been admiring all through' the winter months, has but just disappeared in month it may be looked for a half-hour the west, suggests an explanation of the story anciently told of the way in little north of the west. On the 28th which this mythical huntsman met his it will be at its greatest elongation (andeath. Proud of his exploits in the gular distance) east from the sun—23 chase. Orion, it is said, boasted to degrees 4 minutes-remaining above the Latona and Diana that he could kill him. They sent a scorpion, which eas- greatest brilliancy. ily vanquished the over-confident giant

stellations or not, the fact remains that no sooner does the Scorpion appear, upon the celestial scene, than Orion vanishes from it. Throughout the summer months this slayer of Orion will take his place as the most brilliant constellation of the southern evening

A MIGHTY ORB.

One of the most interesting of our celestial objects now visible is the brilliant star Arcturus. It is a star of the "solar" type. Its spectrum, according to Sir Norman Lockyer, practically identical with that of the sun. This means that it is a body at I tune, to complete the list, far below the same stage of evolution as the sun -a gaseous body enveloped in a "photosphere" of intensely luminous clouds. above which floats an atmosphere made up of gases and the vapors of metals to whose absorptive action are due the dark lines which cross the star's spectrum. As was mentioned last month Arcturus has a large "proper motion," which would seem to indicate that it is a relatively near star. This supposition, however, is not supported by the observations made a few years ago by Dr. Elkin, with the object of ascertaining its distance from us. As a result of Dr. Elkin's careful measures, made with the heliometer of the Yale observatory, astronomers have been driven to conclude that this brilliant orb cannot be at less than eight or ten times the distance of Sirius — about nine "light years"—and is probably at even a greater distance than this. In that case, to shine as brilliantly as it does, its bulk must be fully that of a thousand suns; six thousand suns is the estimate-rather wild, perhaps-which to some astronomers appears to be more probable. At any rate, there can scarcely be a question that this celestial orb is vastly larger than the sun, which, removed to its distance, would probably become invisible to the naked

Some three or four years ago Prof. E. F. Nichols, of Dartmouth College, undertook a series of observations with instrument which he calls a "radiomithe fixed stars. Arcturus was one of oils.

the stars investigated. Although the results were not quite conclusive, they seemed to indicate that the heat received from this star is about the same as would be received from a paraffine candle at the distance of six miles.

THE SUN AS A STAR.

Prof. Newcomb, in his recently published book on the stars, has done some rather interesting figuring based on the stellar magnitude of the sun, as determined independently by three eminent astronomers, taking as its most probable value the mean of the three estimates. In the present system of reckoning star magnitudes the "light ratio" is fixed at 2.512. That is to say,

an average star of any given magnitude is 2,512 times as bright as an average star of the magnitude next below. Thus a star of the first magnibrightness of Arcturus) would be of magnitude 0; multiplying again by this ratio we would have a star of magnithe ratio of sunlight to that of a star of any given magnitude. It is found it would send us only one-fourth as much light as it does now; at three times its present distance, it would be only one-ninth as brilliant, and so on,

following are some of the resulting fig-ures: At 302,000 times its present diswould then be 4.8 years in traversing it would become a star of the sixth In the southeast, at about one-third magnitude at a distance from us of the distance from horizon to zenith, 48 "light years." At ten times that distance or 480 light years, it would beyears, would reduce it to the sixteenth magnitude, making it one of the faintest stars brought into view with a large mensions of the visible universe; but Worcester's contribution on inasmuch as we have no means of telling whether or not these exceedingly

> this figuring THE PLANETS.

Mercury has been an evening star since April 28. By the middle of the or so after sunset at a low altitude a horizon for about an hour and a half any animal they might send against after sunset, and shining with its

pella, made by the writer on several which is the rose, the shamrock, the evenings in June last, led to the conclusion that the brilliancy of the planet was fully equal to that of the star, one of the brighest three of the north-

ern hemisphere. Venus is a splendid morning star, rising two hours before the sun in the exact east. Two hours and a half west of Venus, rising in the southeast at about 1 a.m., is Jupiter; an hour and a quarter farther west is Saturn. Still farther west, preceding Saturn by two hours and a half, is Uranus, near the western border of Sagitarius. Nepthe limit of the naked-eye vision, is about midway between Aldebaran and Pollox, setting at about 10:30 p.m.

#### Why Onions Have Odor.

It is sulphur that gives the onion its termkilling property, and makes the bulb so very useful as a medicinal agent at all times, but especially in ing the brimstone and treacle in oldwhen united to hydrogen-one of the hydrogen, and then becomes a foul-smelling compound. The onion, being so juicy, has a very large percentage of water in its tissues, and this, combining with the sulphur, forms the strongly-scented and offensive substance called sulphuret of allyle, which

s found in all the alliums.
This sulphuret of allyle mingles more especially with the volatile or aromatic oil of the onion. It is identical with the malodorant principle found in asafoetida, which is the symbol of almost all smells that are

The horseradish-so much liked with oast beef for its keen and biting property-and the ordinary mustard of our tables both owe their strongly stimulative properties to this same sulphuret of allyle, which gives them crometer," for the purpose of determin-ing the amount of heat received by us heat and acridity, but not an offensive smell, owing to the different arrangefrom the planets and the brightest of | ments of the atoms of their volatile

#### CARPET FOR ROYAL FEET

It Is Being Made at Worcester for the Coronation.

Designed to Cover the Entire Royal Pathway-Its Sheeny Splendor Is Almost Dazzling.

To the city of Worcester has faller the honor of manufacturing the carpet which is to be laid down in Westminster Abbey on the occasion of King Edward's coronation, says the London Telegraph. The reason of this choice is not immediately apparent, since their are other towns more familiarly associated in the public mind with the carpet weaving industry. But the city on the Severn has been singled out for the distinction on special grounds. A carpet with a rich sheen has been appropriately held to be indispensable for such an auspicious ceremonial, and mohair, a beautifully silky material, with a particularly fine luster, seemed obviously the right article to employ for the purpose.

WILL COVER LOTS OF SPACE. A few figures will serve at once to show what a considerable demand will be made upon the manufacturers. Altogether, the carpet-or, rather, the sections-will cover an area of no less than 725 square yards. The average pounds, so that the total weight will be, as nearly as possible, two and a now reaches us in about 8.3 minutes, that the carpet is designed to cover the royal pathway from the west door of the abbey, through nave and choir successively, right up to the foot of the raised dais, called the theater, in the center of the transept. From the great door to the choir screen it will be laid in three complete sections, totaling 154 feet 6 inches, in point of the bristles in the ear passage. After length, with a width, including border, shaving, he polishes the ear with a of 9 feet. The section from the screen cotton pad, and then a hard-stone rubof 9 feet. The section from the screen to the end of the choir is 24 feet in length, and thence forward to the steps of the theater, where his carpet, polished, like a carving in rose coral. whose bold and richly emblematic detelescope. The calculation may serve sign we shall presently describe, comes to an end, is a distance of 58 feet. But memorable occasion will not quite terminate with the covering of what too much importance should not be sacrarium, and the haut pas behind placed on the last result obtained by the altar will be laid, as is at present supposed, a carpet of precisely the same color—a deep mandarin blue—and differing only from that already referred to in this respect, that it will be plain, instead of figured. This carpet should form an admrable setting for the King's silk carpet, with its gorgeous oriental colors, which it will

> A RICH AND ATTRACTIVE DE-SIGN.

dim. They sent a scorpion, which easly vanquished the over-confident giant
vith its venomous sting.

Whether this story was suggested by
he relative positions of the two contellations or not, the fact remains that

The pattern of the rich blue from blue floor
covering which is to begin at the west
door is, as might be expected, highly
symbolical. A lighter blue of the same
never seen fairly out of the twilight
greatest brilliancy.

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DELIGHTFUL TO WALK UPON. Two things will specially strike those who have the good fortune to see or walk upon this magnificent carpet. One is the extraordinary beauty of its surface. The light throws on it a sheeny the spring, which used to be, and still splendor such as on occasion may be is, in many places, the season for tak- almost dazzling in its brightness. This, of course, is due to the absence of serfashioned houses before sulphur tab- rations, which permits much light to ets came into vogue. Now, sulphur, be reflected. Save pure silk, no other material than mohair would reveal the gases of water-forms sulphuretted same beauty. The other feature is the remarkably spring nature of the carpet. There are many carpets which are deliciously soft. Their pile yields to the pressure of the tread, but they do not recover. The serrations tend to hold them down when once they are trodden upon. Here, again, comes in another characteristic of mohair. If wool is subjected to pressure, each particular piece locks against its neighbor and shows an inclination to remain down. Mohair, on the other hand, thanks to its slipperiness, immediately springs again to the upright position. To tread this carpet is, therefore, to experience the strange sensation of walking on something which yields delightfully to the foot, yet almost recovers itself under the foot before the next step is taken. The pile, it may be added, is three-eighths of an inch in thickness, and the carpet itself half an inch. The aisle along which it will be laid will be covered with boards, so as to get rid of any unevenness in the stone floor. Consequently this product of the Worcester factory will have a fair chance of showing its quality.

#### METHODS OF THE CHINESE BARBER

Complications Which Beset the Celestia Haidrresser.

Chinatown has now two barbers, and the monopoly once enjoyed by Lee Yu of Mott street, is at an end, unless he forms a syndicate with the newcomer, who has a shop on Pell street, says a New York paper. His trade is more complicated than that of his "foreigndevil" colleague, and demands a longer apprenticeship. He shaves with a smaller razor, and for a shaving brush uses what looks suspiciously like a cheap tooth brush. In lathering, he applies a small daub of soapsuds which covers about one square inch. When this is shaved off, he daubs another little tract of skin, shaves, and so keeps on until the task is over. Not only the lower face and neck, but also the temples, forehead the space around the ears, and the lower back of the head, are operated upon. The ears require especial attention. For their treatment, he has an ear razor, no larger than a surgeon's lancet. With this he shaves the fuzz on the back



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own civilization.

of the ear, the down on the front, and ADVENTURES IN FAR-AWAY ASIA ber. According to the tonsorial canons of the East, the model ear is pink and The hairs which grow in the nestrils are removed by tweezers. This operation, painful to an American, has no terrors for John Chinaman. He begins Notable Explorations of a Russian Army Office. tweezering in youth, and at 25 is accustomed to the practice. According to the barber, the hair sacs grow larger

out with but little trouble or smart. Spent Two Years in a Little Known Region and Traveled Over Eight Thousand Miles.

Capt. Kozlov, of the Russian army, has returned to Europe after explorations in Central Asia extending over two years and a half. No more important work and one the hair, rubs it with a six and a hair. No more important work cloth, combs it out, and then braids it with the silk. After the braiding is over, he scents the masterpiece with a very small amount of some perfume. When the customer is in a hurry, this ends the operation. In other cases, he regard through a series of massage through a series of massage.

orders, he has many preparations, His compensation is very good, from either a Western or Eastern point of

t is, in fact, traversed by elevations of oriental extras thrown in, a half dolar. In one respect, he may be imitated by our own tradesmen. He uses towel made of soft silk, which is a with him more than 1,000 samples of the rocks composing these elevations.

After completing their work in the Gobi
the three detachments came together at Si-ning, in the Chinese Province of Kan-Si-ning, in the Chinese Province of Kan-su, in the northwestern part of China proper. The governor cordially received them, helped the party to replenish its stores, and then Kozlov turned to the west and crossed into the mountainous part of Tibet, the little-known region which contains the sources of the Hoang-Ho and the Yangtse-Kiang, the greatest ostonian, who has never sat up since Ho and the Yangtse-Kiang, the greatest of Chinese rivers. He first traveled far west through these mountains to the Valley of Tsaidam, once the bed of a vast inland sea, of which the only remains are now a few saline lakes and marshes. The elevation was great, and the party suffered somewhat from the party of the air. Korlow left four of she was born, despite the gratifying fact that she is a well-made infant. No, this babe is merely the victim of the latest nickel-plated, double-backaction fad, which is bringing up the present generation as a species of infantile convict. Poor baby! Not any rarity of the air. Kozlov left four of his men at Tsaidam to make meteorojumps and cuddles for you, much less logical observations; it happened that it kisses. Only a horizontal position, without a thing to look at, and not a was considerably over a year before he returned to relieve them from this service. A long series of observations of the meteorological conditions in this alsoul to respond to, ah, goo! The sen-timental nurse watches all day, and the mother drops in between four and most unknown part of the world has therefore been secured. Then Kozlov turned to the south among five, to a sort of "afternoon modified

the mountains. He says that in spite of the great elevation of this region, from 14,000 to 17,000 feet above the sea, the country has a fine variety of vegetation, and a rich fauna.

NUMEROUS HERDS OF YAKS AS A REMEDY FOR COUGHS, Hoarseness and Sore Throat Brown's Bronchial Troches are reliable and give the best possible effect with safety. and many bears were seen, three specimens of the latter being brought to Euthe best possible effect with safety.

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T. Ducharme, Chorister French Parish rope in excellent condition. The nomads who inhabit these eastern mountains of Tibet are comparatively few in number, and their only occupation is raising cattle. Kozlov surveyed, in the boat he and their only occupation is raising cattle. Kozlov surveyed, in the boat he carried with him, two of the mountain lakes, Oli Nor and Djoli Nor, where he was surprised to find enormous quantities of fish; in fact, he says all the lakes and other waters in Eastern Tibet abound with fish Church, Montreal. Price 25 cents a box. Less than 1 per cent of Norway is There is now made an opera glass which folds to the thickness of half

with fish.
Continuing his journey to the south he entered a region inhabited by the Golyk tribe, who consider themselves independent both of the Chinese and Tibetans. They were suspicious of the strangers at first, because they feared that the Europeans had come to avenge the death of the French explorer, Dutreuil de Rhin, who was assassinated by them in 1894. Their attitude became quite friendly, however after their fears were allayed. however, after their fears were allayed, and they helped the expedition to re-plenish its food supplies. The little carayan had for many weeks been traversing first the upper waters of the Hoang-Ho and then those of the Yangtse-Kiang, but now they entered the region of the sources of the Mekong, the great river that flows south the great river that flows south, reaching the sea through Cochin-China. The Tibetans in this region firmly refused permission to the explorer to continue his march further in this direction. He therefore struck off to the southwest toward the large city of Tsaimdo, which is ward the large city of Tsaimdo, which is the residence of the spiritual leader of the Tibetan Buddhists, the political head of the people, the Dalai Lama residing at Lhasa, far to the west. Tsaimdo is a great trade center, with a monastery in which live 1,000 Lamas, or Buddhist priests.

On Oct. 18, 1900, the Tibetans, who were bent on preventing the Europeans fro traveling further toward the holy city, TRIED TO LEAD THE PARTY INTO

AN AMBUSH. Fortunately the Russians observed that they were about to be attacked, and secured an advantageous position before the natives opened fire on them. There were only fifteen men in the Kozlov party, but with the best of firearms they had no difficulty in keeping their assail-

ants at bay during the fight that lasted two hours. The Tibetans then fled from the field, leaving twenty dead and fifteen wounded behind them. The ex-

the field, leaving twenty dead and fifteen wounded behind them. The expedition then continued its journey toward Tsaimdo.

They had not gone far before they met an official deputation from the sacred city that had been sent out to talk with the strangers. The chief of the deputation told Kozlev that it was useless for him to persist in attempting to advance him told koziov that it was useless for him to persist in attempting to advance neared to the city. Capt. Koziov assured him that his intentions were pacific; but he was unable to secure permission to advance. The Tibetans drew their hands across their throats as a sign that the Europeans would lose their lives if they tried to advance.

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Kozlov, however, succeeded in securing permission to remain in camp while he opened negotiations with the authorities at Tsaimdo. These pourparlers resulted in some concessions for the explorer. He was permitted to send a small detachment to the east to explore the plorer. He was permitted to send a small detachment to the east to explore the country as far as the Yangtse-Kiang basin. He was also permitted to hunt in the neighborhood of his camp and to make many additions to his collections. He spent three months in this neighborhood enriching his collections of rare specimens. One of his prizes was a

DEER OF HITHERTO UNKNOWN SPECIES. resembles a small roebuck, with a

wn varieties were also obtained. year the expedition startmarauding expeditions against caravans

and Mongol encampments.

The Taguts surrounded the Russians, but the superiority of the European firearms soon secured the victory for the explorers. Again the Taguts prepared for attack, but Kozlov appealed to the Lamas of a great convent in that region, and these priests, fearing that the Russians would burn their villages, promised to persuade the Taguts to let them alone. Thanks to this intervention the expedition continued its journey in peace to

Tsaidam.

The pioneer work of the expedition was over when the comrades who had been left at Tsaidam were again added to the party. The caravan, with its large collections, then returned to Russian territory through Kansu and Mongolia, arriving at Kiachta, on the Russian frontier, in December last.

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#### In Praise of Walking.

"In Praise of Walking," Mr. Leslie Stephen contributes to the Monthly Review a very charming essay:

"The true walker," he says, "is one to whom the pursuit is in itself delightful; who is not indeed priggish enough to be above a certain complacency in the physical prowess required for his pursuit, but to whom the muscular effort of the legs is subsidiary to the 'cerebration' stimulated by the effort to the quiet musings and imaginings which arise most spontaneously as he walks, and generate the intellectual harmony which is the natural accompaniment to the monotonous tramp of his feet. The cyclist or the golf player, I am told, can hold such intercourse with himsels in the intervals of striking the ball, or working his machine. But the true pedestrian loves walking because, so far from distracting his mind, it is favorable to the equable and abundant flow of tranquil and half-conscious meditation.'

But walking has served weightier ck light blue in color and a complete-black head. Its neck is adorned by a agnificent white mane. Squirrels of un-

The literary movement at the end of the eighteenth century was obviously of the travels and experiences of the party will be interesting.

The expedition was organized in 1898 in March last year the expedition start-do north again for Tsaidam. They had not gone far before they were overtaken be scientific work, the others being picked soldiers detailed from the army. On July 27, 1899, the expedition crossed from Russian Central Asia into Chinese Turkestan, and followed the great range of the Altai Mountains into the Gobi Desert, penetrating to the very heart of it. In this central portion of the waste the party separated into three groups for the purpose of continuing their researches in the desert along different routes. They made the interesting discovery that, contrary to the opinion that this part of the Gobi is simply a

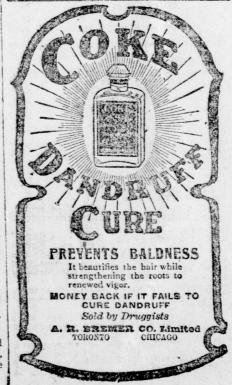
GREAT PLAIN DEVOID OF LIFE, it is, in fact traversed by elevations of the and the party will be interesting to the very selevations of the same time religious, never forgetting to obtain absolution for the deeds of violence and bloodshed they commit in their marauding expeditions against caravans and Mongol encampments.

In March last year the expedition start-do north again for Tsaidam. They had not gone far before they were overtaken between overtaken between overtaken to the same them to the same them to the same the two the country of the varience of walking. Words-worth's poetical autobiography shows to thank Capt. Kozlov for not having attempted to enter that city. They gave him presents for the czar, and assured him of their high esteem.

Kozlov thought that he would be able to return in peace to Tsaidam, but he was mistaken, for while his party was passing through the country of the Taguts, it became evident that he was mistaken, for while his party was passing through the country of the Taguts it became evident that he was "Gedicated spirit." His walking to have trouble with these brigands. The Taguts have already been made famous by earlier explorers. They are greedy, fond of pillage and plunder, but at the same time religious, never forgetting to obt They had due in great part, if not mainly, to the he had measured on his legs, assuming, it appears, that he averaged ten miles a day. De Quincey himself, we are told, slight and fragile as he was, was a good walker, and would run up a hill "like a squirrel." Opium-eating is not congenial to walking, yet ever Coleridge, after beginning the habit speaks of walking forty miles a day in Scotland, and, as we all know, the great manifesto of the new school of poetry, the lyrical ballads, was suggested by the famous walk with Wordsworth when the first stanzas of the "Ancient Mariner" were composed A remarkable illustration of the wholesome influence might be given from the cases of Scott and Byron. Scott, in spite of lameness, delighted in walks of twenty and thirty miles a day, and in climbing crags, trusting to his strength of his arms to remedy the stumblings of his foot. The early strolls enabled him to saturate his mind with local traditions, and the passion for walking under difficulties showed the manly nature which has At the end of the room, separated endeared him to three generations. from it by richly brocaded curtains, Byron's lameness was too severe to moving on rods of polished brass is a admit of walking, and therefore all the unwholesome humors which would have been walked off in a good cross-This famous train reaches Salt Lake country march accumulated in his brain and caused the defects, the morbid affection and perverse misanthropy which half ruined the achievement of western point the Union Pacific offers the most masculine intellect of his

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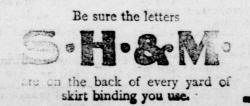
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"Well, yes, I suppose that is the proper name for it," he said, turning off his embarrassment with a short laugh, "but when a woman will berate a man within an inch of his life, rifle his pockets, and shut down upon his having an occasional drink, it's crowding matters rather hard, and it wasn't in my nature to stand such

"Were there any children?" Max inquired, curious to know if the man had kept any track of his family.

"Ahem!" he began, uneesily, "well, I never went back to ascertain whether there was or not. I believe there was a probability that I was to become a father in the course of time; but not being fond probability that I was to become a father in the course of time; but not being fond of children, and feeling that we'd both be better off to go our different ways, I thought it prudent to keep out of her sight. Besides, just then, I was rather short of funds—I'd had hard luck, and couldn't afford to look out for anybody but myself. For two years, or more, ter that I just managed to take care of

story which he had related to him in the presence of witnesses, and thus secure the evidence necessary to prove Laura's claim null and void and force her to relinquish the property she had so fraudulently obtained.

duiently obtained.

He was sure, however, judging from his past history, that it would never do to allow this unprincipled man to suspect how matters stood until he had accomplished his nursues. plished his purpose.

He believed that if he should get wind of the fact that he had a daughter living, and that she had a large fortune at her command, he would stop at nothing to enable her to retain it, so that he might reap personal benefit from it.

might reap personal benefit from it, even to the denying of his own identity. Once let the two come together, before the ends of justice could be accomplished, and he did not doubt that they would ed, and he did not doubt that they would abscond in company, taking all the Remington fortune with them.

So Max concealed his disgust, at his lack of principle, and forced himself to appear interested in his story.

"Pardon me if I seem curious," he said, "but what was the name of the lady whom you married."

whom you married?"
"Well, I suppose she was a Trowbridge
until after the deed was done. She was
called Anna Pomeroy Trowbridge in the town where she lived, and I had our marriage license made out with that name; but I found out afterward that the last name didn't belong to her at all. Her mother had been married twice; a Mr. Pomeroy had been her first husband, and, a few years after his death, she married a widower, with one son, by the

married a widower, with one son by the name of Trowbridge."
"Ah!" thought Max, "then this man whom Laura was seeking—this Joseph A. Trowbridge, was not really her uncle after all, and, under the circumstances, he was very good to her mother;" but, of course, he had as yet no suspicion that Mr. Archibald was this very man, that Laura was conscious of the fact. How very wonderful it all was, he

thought. the statements to which he had just listened, corresponded exactly with Laura's story; names, dates, everything was proved save the identity of the man, m she claims to have been her fa-

It was not strange that they had all been deceived about this one fact, for, as it happened, the other Maxwell D. Remington had been in Europe, traveling for pleasure, during those very two years that this runaway husband had een gambling and carousing in Baden-daden and Monaco. Max was secretly very jubilant over his

If he had not happened to thus marvelously stumble across the man he could see no possible way by which Laura's fraud could have been discovered; but now, he believed that another week would serve to restore to his mother all her former wealth and prestige.

"Have you never learned anything regarding your wife during all these though e cure a mossible.

It is not though e

garding your wife during any years?" Max asked.
"Not a word. I felt that I was well rid of a bad bargain, and I'd better keep out of her way, and not get entangled in the same kind of a net again," was in the same kind of a net again," was in the same kind of a net again, which was in the same kind of a net again, which was in the same kind of a net again, which was in the same kind of a net again, which was in the

"Had you no interest, or curiosity even, o learn whether your child lived?"
The man shrugged his shoulders.
"I believe I have remarked that I was fond of children," he said, indif-

erently.
Something of Max's disgust at this must have been apparent in his face for the invalid gave vent to an amused,

reckless laugh.

"You aren't in the habit of meeting people of my stamp, are you?" he said.

"Well, I don't know as it is strange that you are shocked; doubtless you inherited all your father's 'goody-goody' principles though you must resemble your all your fathers 'goody-goody principles, though you must resemble your mother, for I can't see a vestige of Remington about you; but I told you last night that I had gone to the devil and what could you expect better of a man who was bound, body and soul, to his Satanic Majesty? Aren't you afraid of being contaminated?" he concluded, with

Max did not wish to offend him in any way, so he met the sullen fire in his eyes with a frank smile. so much so, but that I am going to invite you to go home to Chicago with me," he remarked, in a friendly tone.

"You don't mean it!" his companion exclaimed, looking both astonished and

"Indeed I do, sir," Max returned, earn-

But-I haven't a dollar in my pocket." have—several," the young man re-ded, good-naturedly. "And this is the only suit of clothes I bave in the world," the wretch went on.

regarding his shabby-genteel attire with ful countenance. Have you an overcoat?" Max asked, nking more of his comfort than of his

Yes; but that has seen its best days." "Never mind; perhaps we can find a better one in Chiago," returned the young man, cheerfully, and resolving that he would fit him out comfortably when he got heme.

"But—your mother?" began the man. somewhat nervous over the thought of the ting his cousin's beautiful and cultivated wife, while he was evidently both pleased and touched by Max's hospitable invitation.

"My mother is a lady," Max returned, with a thrill of pride and love in his tones; "she will greet you as a lady should, and will do all in her power to

make you comfortable. We are living just now in apartments," he continued, thinking it best to offer some explanation for their present style of living, having recently disposed of our house; but such as our accommodations are I offer you, and will try to make you feel at home." at home."
"That will be a strange kind of feeling

to me, for I've never known what a home is like since I was a child, and then it wasn't the pleasantest place in the world to me," Mr. Remington returned, mood-"Well, at least it will be a place to rest in and build yourself up a little before you resume your business," Max said, encouragingly.

"Business," repeated his companion, with a bitter laugh

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"Have you no business?" asked Max.

"No; I'm a professional character," was the dry rejoinder.

"Indeed! Have you adopted the stage?" Invivided the young man innocently. inquired the young man, innocently.
Again that bitter, reckless laugh smote
his ears, and Mr. Remington made motions with his hands as if he were shuffl-

tions with his hands as it he were shulling a pack of cards.
"That's my profession," he sneered.
"What will your lady-mother think to see you bringing a professional gambler into her home? How do you know but that I will betray your confidence—steal your plate, or anything else I can get hold of?" and his evil black eyes search-Number One. I was at Baden-Baden and Monaco most of the time; you see, I hadn't made a success of my trip, and the firm canceled our contract, so for a while I had to get my living by my wits."

Max understood. The man had spent his time and money—the firm's money, too, perhaps—in gambling at those noted resorts for gamblers.

It was a story that stirred both his anger and contempt. This Maxwell D. Remington—no wonder that his mother's high-minded husband had shrunk from mentioning that he had such a relative—anneared to be perfectly heartless of the loss of valuables—"as for the plate, I will agree to keep that beyond your reach, is such an assurance will be of any comfort to you."

"You're a trump, Maxwell D. Reming-ton, junior, and I'll go," said the strange ton, junior, and I'll go," said the strange

It was a story that stirred both his anger and contempt. This Maxwell D. Remington—no wonder that his mother's high-minded husband had shrunk from mentioning that he had such a relative—appeared to be perfectly heartless and devoid of such an attribute as a conscience, and Max felt impelled to turn his back upon him then and there, and leave him to his fate.

But he had conceived a plan to aid his mother, and it would be necessary to remain upon friendly terms with him if he hoped to carry it out.

He had resolved to invite him to return to Chicago with him; he even intended to take him to his mother, vile as he was, and there manage to have him repeat the story which he had related to him in the presence of witnesses, and thus secure the evidence necessary to prove Laura's Max gave a slight start at this, as he are the evidence necessary to prove Laura's more sensible than the full name."

Max gave a slight start at this, as he recalled how Mr. Archibald had once asked him if he had a relative by the name of Dexter Remington, and upon his responding in the negative, he had remarked that the man would have been no credit to him. no credit to him.
[To be Continued.]

#### BIG GAME IN THE WILDS OF MEXICO

Antelopes, Wild Boers, Mountain Lions, Wild Dogs and Wild Burros.

Mexican Herald.]

A civil engineer recently returned from the hacienda of Jimulco, in Coahuila, an immense property containing over 2,000 kilometers, tells some stirring tales of shooting wild game. Antelopes abound, but great care is necessary in approaching these wily creatures, owing to their habit of always placing one or two on guard while the rest of the herd is feeding. The sentinels, faithful to their duty, remain with head erect, peering and sniffing to the four points of compass and give a swift alarm the moment an enemy appears in sight. Not long since a party of young men were hunting the javali, or wild hog, and, coming up with a number, one of the hunters succeeded in killing one and dismounted to secure it. As he approached his prey a dozen or more javali that were hiding in the tall grass attacked him furiously, and one fastened his tusks in the hunter's heel, Hurls Devance to All Traitors and hanging on like grim death. The others came to their companion's assistance and the brute was killed, but the tusks were sunk so deep into the heel that the hog's jaws had to be pried apart with a gun barrel before the man was Strange as it may seem, the wound closed quickly and with no seri-

ous results. On this same hacienda are both wild dogs and wild burros, the latter being remarkably swift and hard to take. The dogs are said to be large and very savage, with ugly countenances, and extremely long, coarse hair. Some time ago a pup was caught and tamed, developing into a fine watchdog, but though every effort was made to secure a mate for him it has not been

It is not generally realized that the mountain lions of Mexico will attack a man, but several recent encounters show them to be as dangerous for men as for beasts. One of the mozos in a recent hunting party had but one hand, the stump of his left arm bearing witness to a terrible struggle with a lion he had shot and then approached, thinking the brute was dead. gentleman who has hunted in the State of Sonora tells of a certain spring where two men have been killed by lions while camping there for night. These brutes follow a man for miles, like the panther, lured on by the human scent and hopes of finding an opportunity to spring on the traveler. A mountain lion was recently killed in Michoacan that measured three meters

from tip to tip. hunters, especially among military men, but their deeds of prowess are rarely related, this being rather foreign to the Mexican character, which does not lend itself to anything approaching boastfulness. The writer knows of an ardent sportsman, a general, who had one room entirely adorned with firearms and furnished with trophies of the chase. The furniture was covered with skins the feet of the chairs being deers' horns. The arms, dating from the conquest to the present time, were valued at over \$20 .-So far did this general carry his fad for shooting implements that he had a cigarette case made in the shape of a pistol, and in offering his guest "cigarros" pulled a real trigger and shot the tobacco missiles in their

The largest oyster ever found on British shores was dredged up off Christchurch head. It weighed three and one-half pounds and measured

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A Picturesque Functionary of the Coronation.

Challenges Them to Step Forth and Do Mortal Combat

In the scason, as yet brief, that King Edward the Seventh has ruled the British empire he has made manifest in countless ways that little of the pomp and ceremony which sur-rounds his office shall be laid aside. His royal mother was indisposed, at first, perhaps by temperment, and afterwards, no doubt, by the weight of years, to avail herself of queenly prerogatives of this character, but since King Edward's sucesssion there has been, as it were, a prodigious dusting off of coronets and such-like regalia, a resurrection of crimson velvet edged with miniver," of capes "furred with miniver pure and powdered deed. with bars or rows of ermine." King Edward is determined to be every inch a king, and now that the time for his coronation is coming on apace London

is preparing for a ceremony of unequaled splendor.

The Duke of Norfolk, Earl Marshal of England, has already at the King's command, caused to be published minutely detailed directions to the peers and peeresses of Great Britain concerning what they must wear "at the solemnity of the royal coronation.' One interestingly quaint note is struck in these instructions. The earl marshal, describing the

coronets of the peers orders:
"The coronets to be of silver gilt; the caps of crimson velvet turned up with ermine, with a gold tassel on the top; and no jewels or precious stones to be used in the coronets or counterfeit pearls instead of silver

So, having in mind King Edward's revival of royal customs which fell into disuse during Queen Victoria's reign, and his fondness for ceremony, it does not seem unreasonable to expect that he will call for the service of the King's Champion, as part of the coronation procedure, despite reports to the contrary. If other ageold forms are to be revived, it would seem a pity to overlook the King's Champion, because the functions of his office are thrilling as well as theatric. In this day and generation the office is essentially one of peace for all the obligations of his oath to stand ready to engage in mortal combat with whomsoever shall gainsay the right of his sovereign to the throne. It is at the coronation banquet that King's Champion stands out before the assembled royalties, before the peers and peeresses, the chivalry

HURLS DEFIANCE AT ANY TRAITOR, daring him to step forth and slay or be slain. A short time before the

of the empire, and

pear at the door of Westminster Hall. He is mounted upon a milk-white steed, and must be heavily armed; in other years he presented himself in complete armor. With the Champion is a herald, who, as he advances toward the throne,

James Tucker,
A. R. Wardell,
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J. W. Moves

cries out that all may hear, this ringing challenge:
"If any person, of what degree soever, high or low, shall deny or gainsay our Sovereign Lord, King Edward
Secretary of England, Section and Seventh of England, Scotland, and Ireland, Emperor of India, defender of the faith, to be right heir to the imready in person to combat with him,

life the Champion throws down his gauntbrimming with wine, in which the as on our earth.

as the feudal manor of Scrivelsby honorable office. The Champion hapsword arm, his lance grip, or his trig- simply to answer the old lines: ger finger should be at its best; he is forty years old, having been born in 1862. Also he is married, his wife being Frances Anne, third daughter of Charles Bell, of Scamblesby, Lincolnshire. He has held the office of Champion since the death of his father

in 1893. The office of Champion is hereditary in character, and it constitutes the tenure by which the lands of the manor of Scrivelsby are enjoyed. In ancient days the manor was vested in the Marmion family, the strong sons of which were, it is said, hereditary champions to the dukes of Tormandy

BEFORE THE CONQUEST OF ENG-LAND.

Recordshows that the conqueror granted the castle and manor of Tamworth, in Warwickshire, and the manor of Scrivelsby, in Lincolnshire, to Robert de Marmion, to be held "per baroniam," subject to the performance of the duties of royal champion at the coronation of the English sovereigns.

There was no interruption in the descent of the office in the male line for four generations, but in 1292, in the twentieth year of the reign of King Edward the First, Philip de Marmion, the fifth royal champion, died without male issue, and, in consequence, the possessions of the family were divided among the daughters of the house. The manor of Tamworth went to one rates. Buchner, Campbell & Gunn, Si daughter, and the manor of Scrivels- Dundas street. by to another, a much younger one. In course of time complications as to the office of champion arose between descendants of the two women. Lord Freville, great-grandson of the elder daughter, claimed the championship of second course of the banquet follow- Richard the Second by the tenure of ing the coronation is served, it is the Tamworth castle, but, after due concustom for the Royal Champion to ap- | sideration, the distinction was denied |

moke. He was the husband of Margaret, the heiress of Philip de Marmion's younger daughter, the holder of Scrivelsby Manor.

For sixteen generations the cham-

pionship descended in the male line of the Dymoke family. In the seventeenth generation the manor and championship became vested in the Rev. John MAY Dymoke, rector of Scrivelsby and prebendary of Lincoln. When King George the Fourth was crowned the reverend gentleman was, of course summoned to throw down his gauntlet in Westminster Hall and dare the world. However, he preferred a peti-tion to the court of claims, which, in view of his clerical calling, permitted him to act as champion by deputy. His son represented him on this occasion, which was the last time the royal champion was called upon, and the Duke of Wellington acted as an esquire to the knight. The son succeeded his father in 1828 and received a baronetcy in 1841.—New York Post.

#### WOMEN OF MARTINIQUE

Their Love of Gay Colors Exemplified in Gay Costumes.

The women of St. Pierre, who only a few days ago were leading a happy, butterfly life, are said to have been strikingly picturesque and even beautiful. A chatty, recent writer says of

Their love for color is the passionate fondness for brightness of all the races from which they spring-negro, French and Indian. Fashions change not at all from decade to decade, and the only difference between the dress matter of quality, except in the case of the women who act as carriers of fruit and vegetables.

These wear a simple garment, not unlike an empire gown, made with a good deal of fullness and drawn up under the girdle in such a way as leave the limbs free. This gown is always of some vivid hue with which the golden tint of the skin contrasts exquisitely, and as the women are beautifuly formed, the effect is that of draped statuary.

In the well-to-do-class the same pas-

sion for color is shown. Over a loose, white linen garment, richly embroidered with full, flowing sleeves, a gown is worn that is much like that just described, but is of silk or fine muslin. Crimson, yellow, blue or green may be the ground color, on which brilliant flowers of vivifly contrasting shades are printed. This is caught up by a silk sash to a comfortable walking length, and a long scarf of thin silk is draped coquettishly around the shoulders. The costume is completed by a kerchief of gay colors, tied about the head with a conspicuous bow on top, and frequently a large jeweled brooch at each side of the fastening. The women have a stately carriage that I have never seen surpassed. Whether bearing a basket of cakes or fruit on the head, to be sold at the shops and houses, or sauntering down to the water to be rowed about for amusement, their dignity of manner and statuesque beauty of form are fascinating in the extreme.

The better class has some education. and the women study a little music and embroider exquisitely by way of acomplishments. They have musical voices, as a rule and sing sad little creole songs or gay French chansons

very prettily.

They are a cleanly people and utilize the mountain streams to keep the One of the "show" places is the great shower bath in the court of the alms house. The force of the water from the mountain height is immense, and the baths are frequented by many beside the inmates of the houses.

The white population is only a few thousands, so that the only impression that one derives from the street throngs is that of the native popula tion, with its colors and brightness. The two do not mingle in any way, as there are enough of the whites to form a charming society, and the natives cially.-New York Tribune.

#### Are There Men in Mars?

[Chambers' Journal.]

To the popular mind all astronomical perial crown of Great Britain, or that research ought of necessity to be conhe ought not to enjoy the same, here cerned with the important questions is his Champion, who saith that he whether there are men in the moon lieth, and is a false traiter, being and inhabitants in Mars. To the first of these. Astronomy returns a decided and in this quarrel will adventure his negative; there is no life on the moon; and probably no life, either vegetable the throne the herald repeats the challenge at the doorway, midway to the human history. To the second the throne, and thrice, at its conclusion, answer is, we cannot tell. There may be men in Mars and there may not. let, waiting a reasonably long period The conditions of life there do not pre-to make sure that no man takes it clude the existence of human beings. When he reaches the throne there We have in Mars rain and snow, sunbrought to the King a gold cup, shine and gloom, summer and winter,

sovereign pledges his Champion, giv- Perhaps the closing years of the drink. After this the Champion retires, and, by the way, takes the gold enough to reveal towards. ing him the cup that he also may twentieth century will see astronomers cup with him, as a reward for his Mars. Should ever such a discovery Hon. Frank Seaman Dymoke of Scrivelsby Court, Horncastle, Lincolnshire, as the found! be made, I could conceive of none carries with it the possession of this by such hopes, the future lines of astronomical progress is simply and pens now to be of an age when his clearly defined; and that progress is

Twinkle, twinkle, little star, How I wonder what you are, Up above the world so high. This was the problem before our friend who wrote on astronomy one

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