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HE TALKED FOR

How a United States cenator Defeated an Objectionable Measure.

Washington, D. C. , Marsch 5 .- One of the most notable occurrences in the history of Congressional legislation marked the closing bours of the last session of the Senate of the Sth Congress. Senator Carter, of Montana, signalized his retirement from the Sanate, after six years of brilliant service by talking t. River and Harbor Bill to death. He occupied the floor obstructively for nearly thirteen consecutive hours. Although in the consecutive hours, although in the aggregate about three hours of that dr. Carter announced that it was his intention not to permit the River and Harbor Bill to become a law, if his strength should hold out, and at that moment he was in excellent phy-sical condition. With the exception of a brief intermission, while a quorum was being secured, and a recess of half an hour between 10.30 and 11 o'clock, Mr. Carter spoke practically continuously! He yielded the floor only after the ceremony of the induction of Vice-President Roosevelt into office had become velt into office had begun.

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Pashion Shoots Free DECIDE THEY WILL COME TO THE MAPLE CITY.

Dowsley & Co. Have Signed the Contracts With the City - Special Messrs. Crossley and Hunter Meeting of the Council to be Held.

Last night the firm of Dowsley & each year, and the exemption of plant from taxes for ten years. The factory guarantees to employ from 40 to 50 hands the year round, and erect buildings 300 feet long by 60 feet. Several prominent citizens are also taking the same.

The terms upon which the factory tracts Ald. Cowan will ask for a special meeting of the council to prepare the by-law.

LORD SALISBURY'S

STUPID SON OBJECTS

To Recognizing Certain Colonial Marriages and Thereby Makes

London, March 5.-Colonial Secretary Chamberlain is angry with Premier Salisbury's son, Lord Hugh Cecil, a member of the House of Commons, who blocked a bill which had been warmly approved by Mr. Chamberlain, and which proposed to legalize in Eng-

such marriages legal. Mr. Chamber-lain's irritation is keen, because he has lain's frittation is keen, because he has been advised that the new Australian Commonwealth will insist upon the stigma on colonial marriages of this kind being femoved; and, knowing this, the Premier's son persisted in blocking the proposed legislation, which kills the hope of passing or discussions the bill at the proposed resisting the bill at the property of the proposed of the property of t land marriages with deceased wives' sisters which had been contracted in the colonies, where such unions are legal. Lord Hugh Cecil is the Parliamentary champion of the extreme High Church party, which has always fiercely opposed attempts to make

THIRTEEN HOURS. LORD WOLSELEY SCORES THE ARMY SYSTEM HARD.

He Declares the Force Will Never be Efficient Under it-Lord Lansdowne Strikes Back.

fice. Lord Wolseley arose after the Duke of Bedford had done speaking, an unworkable and impossible system. The commander-in-chief had no effective comtrol. Neither had the heads tive comtrol. Neither had the heads tain in a carefully written speech. It is understood he had long meditated it and, that he had phrased it in

consultation with his friends. "My arguments," he said, "are not directed against the individuals, but against the military system which I have honestly tried for five years and have found wanting, and which entails many great dangers not realized by the people of this realm."

Lord Woseley said he had worked with the Marquis of Lan downe and there had not been a single disagreeable in ident. His complaint was that the professional commander-in-chief was robbed of his chief usefulness. the hid to hand over the command and the entire management of the army to a civilian secretary of state, assisted by subordinates with whom he half direct. The responsibility for halt direct. The responsibility for everything rested with the secretary of state alone. The commander-inchief could only bring strongly the wants of the army to the secretary. He had often done so. After that he could do no more. He added; GOVERNMENT CRITICISED.

"Although the warious need; are undisputed, not only are no steps tak-en to meet them, but no one outside of the government is aware that their urgency has been raised. The government has thought it cidvisable for economic reasons to postpone their provision, but yet it will not take the nation into its confidence. That such important demands for men and stores have been put forward by experts and refused. I cannot assert too emphatically. It behooves parliament to devise a plan by which strong ment to devise a plan by which strong representations made and still re-fused should be laid before the nation for it to decide between the experts and the economists. In no other way and the economists. In no other way can we safeguard the empire from great and unknown perils. Many an evening at the end of a day's work I have felt sick at heart when I contemplated the great national cisks deliberately accepted by the government which happened to be in office. Why were they so accepted? Because it was not them politically expedient to ask parliament for money."

ARMY SYSTEM NO GOOD. Lord Wolseley outlined the present system, which he said was entirely unsuited for the army, under which it would never be efficient, and he doubted much if they, would ever have a contented army. have a contented army.

When he accepte dthe office of com-nander inchief he had been told it mandert-inchief he had been told it was proposed to introduce regulations greatly altering the position of future commanders-in-chief. When he learned the nature of these changes they were not to his liking, but her had honestly given them five years' trial, and was convinced they would never make an effective army. Up to 1895 he (the commander-in-chief) was responsible to the secretary of state that the army was thoroughly trained for war. Since 1895 the responsibility has been with the under secretary of state

ford, in the House of Lords yesterday, started a discussion of army matters by asking for information on the military administration and the war office. Lord Wolseley arose after the Duke of Badford bad drag area in more and impaired the war machine. It was an unworkable and impossible system. of departments, and the work and cross reference in all branches had

been largely increased.
"My lords, I need scarcely tell you, said Lord Wolseley impressively, "that our soldiers do not love the war office nor its civilian rulers. I You cannot flout the sentiment of the army without impairing its morale."

LANSDOWNE'S REPLY The Marquis of Lansdowne (th former war minister) replied to Lord Wolseley immediately. He said he was constrained to say that Lord Wolse-ley, during his term of office, had fail-ed to understand his duties. He might at least have warned the government that one army corps was not sufficient to crush the Boers.

explanations of the insignia used, Lord Wolseley might have enabled the government to turn to better account the auxiliary forces of the country. He might have told the government before the South African war that Ladysmith was not a suitable military station. He might have proposed schemes for defensive and offensive operations. Lord Wolseley had restricted his duties; he had not taken advantage of the opportunities at hand. His office system might have been changed to advantage in details, but the main principle of enabling the secretary of state to get advice from his experts at first hand, he was not willing to give up. The misdue to the system, but to the fact that it was not carried out as faithfully as it might have been. The noble lord had failed to appreciate the immense importance of the

ccial duties assigned to him.

The Marquis of Lansdowne, upon the eve of his departure from the war office, had considered a military note Lord Wolseley had addressed, he believed, to Lord Salishad addressed, he believed, to Lord Salis-bury on this subject. He found, to his in-tense surprise, that Wolseley in enumerat-ing duties, had omitted altogether that he was responsible for the mobilization of the army, that the intelligence department was under his special control; that he was charged with the preparation of plans of offense and detense.

The debate will be resumed to morrow. The debate will be resumed to-morrow.

MARCH AND THE LION.

Something Better Than the Old Saw.

The saying about the lion and the lamb in March often proves false, but there is another and a better one which is literally true. When March comes in and finds you taking Hood's Sarsaparilla to purify, enrich and vitalize your blood, you may expect, when it goes out, that it will leave you free from that tired feeling and with none of the boils, pimples and eruptions which manifest themselves because of impure blood in the spring. If you have not already begun taking Hood's Sarsaparilla for your spring medicine, we advise you to begin to-fly. We assure you it will make you feel better all through the coming summer. Something Better Than the Old Saw.

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THE CAMPAIGN.

Start in After Chatham's Sinners.

They Address a La ge Audience in the Vic. .. la Avenue Methodiet

Messrs. Crossley and Hunter held their first week night meeting last evening in the Victoria Ave. Methodist church. The edifice was crowded to the doors and great earnestness and close attention characterized the meeting. The choir assisted at the song meeting. The choir assisted at the song service, which was held from 7.30 to 8 o'clock. The clergy of all denominations, present, were invited to the platform; There were present on the platform besides Messrs. Crossley and Hunter, the Rev. Mr. Locke, the Rev. Dr. Hannon, the Rev. Mr. Walker, and two officers of the Salvation Army. The Rev. Mr. Crossley sang "My Ain Countree," and the Rev. Mr. Hunter read the lesson and explained its teaching.

Rev. Mr. Crossley addressed the large gathering. He took as his subject, Luke, c. 15, v. 10—"Likewise, I say unto you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner that repenteth."

"This lesson taught by these words," said Mr. Crossley is that those who see us working and know what we are doing hence were

Mr. Crossley is that those who see us working and know what we are doing honor us. Heaven is to close we can scarcely realize how close. Stephen, dying, saw paradise ogen before him. When we think of the words of our text, we know that Jesus and the angels are interested in our salvation. There is not one here to-night, unsaved, but a jubilation would be caused in heaven by their repentance.

The text teaches us how loving and art-fully Jesus can rebuke. Instead of Jesus telling the people of sinners not so bad as they were, he spoke in parables and told them stories of the shapherd who had lost one sheep and finding it brought it joyfully to camp and also the story of the prodigal

The text further teaches us to carnestly seek to win others to the side of the Lord. Personally I would rather be on earth than in heaven. I would rather be in Chatham because here I have an opportunity to win sinners to repentance and thus create joy not only in heaven but also on earth.

We all join in an earnest prayer that you may be rectified to God and you are certain of salvation if you repent. As soon as you turn from sin to God you will rejoice.

The meeting closed with a deep and earnest prayer by the Rev. Mr. Hunter.

THE REPORT.

Criticisms of the C. C. I. Teach-

Are not Severe-What the Now Famous

Inspector's Report Referred to. There were present at yesterday's meeting of the C. C. I. Board, the Chairman, Thomas Sauliard, and Trustees Fleming, White, Bell, Battisby and McVean.

The following accounts were passed Chas. D.ngman, \$6.15.

The Ack, \$1.50. T. H. Taylor Co., \$4

Wm. Drayder, \$53.96

Creelman Bros., \$9.75.

Trustee Battisby submitted the reort of special committee on Inspector Seath's report, which was adopted. The report held it was not necessary

to make changes in hall floors, suggested by Inspector, at present, or new gymnasium erected, that the suggested additional time in French and German pronounciation be allotted, that the over-crowding of one aroom complained of would be abated.

In his report on discipline the Inspector remarks that it is not quite so good in some respects as it might be. The principal had ascertained that this referred to the girls being too.

be. The principal had ascertained that this referred to the girls being too moisy in the halls during recess. The suggested engagement of another teacher was not adopted.

Dr. Battisby reported for the committee on the Wilson Taylor investition that his general method was excellent, but there were changes which Mr. Taylor had an reduced in regard to cellent, but there were changes which Mr. Taylor had introduced in regard to the teaching of decimals, and the arithmetical expression of decimals which the committee thought unnecessary and inexpedient. The report proceeds to eulogize Mr. Taylor's abilities and results attained from his teaching, but noted that his manner of addressing the class and pupils was sometimes unnecessarily barsh and forbidding, which was perhaps due to his over-zeal in the work. The committee recommended that Mr. Taylor mittee recommended that Mr. Taylor be asked to rectify this matter, and with the modification suggested thought all dissatisfaction would be allayed.

The report was adopted. On motion of Messus. McVean White a committee, consisting of Trustees Scullard, Battisby and Bell was appointed to draft resolution of condolence to the family of the late O J. O'Neill.

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BINDERD TWINE.

Even that staunch Liberal organ the Montreal Watness banks at the way the binder twine manufactured at the Kingston penitentiary is disposed of.

It says :-"The discussion over Mr. Blair's motion regarding the government's relations with the binder twine business brought to light a strange condition of things, which it would appear that the government twine manufactured in Kingston penitentiary is sold to contractors at a small advance on cost, while the farmers are charged enarly double the cost of manufacture. The premier, while acknowledging that this matter had already been brought to the notice of the government, did not attempt to explain the reason why the farmers should be treated so unreasonably. Surely the premier while on his feet should have offered some explanation of a plain statement of facts which makes it appear that the government and the other manufacturers of binder twine have combined to keep up the prices at which it is sold to the farmers while favored contractors are unduly benefitted."

THE "HELLO" GIRL TO GO.

An American invention threatens to do away almost entirely with the telephone girl and to make every subscriber his own "central." There is now being constructed in a shop at Forestville, Conn., an apparatus with this object in view. It is the design of an electrician in the employ of the Providence Electric Co., of Providence, R. I. Wealthy New York and Boston men, it is said, are promoters of

Under the new system there will be no more "hellos" with central office operators, but subscribers will be connected by means of miniature switch boards and plugs. The lines will be numbered and each subscriber may call anyone he pleases without connection with "central." When long distance connection is required, however, it will still be necessary to call a cen-

tral office as at present The new invention is called the autocommutator. It gives undisturbed direct communication at once and as sures entire secrecy of the conversation. If the station called up is busy the instrument emits a humming sound. All the subscribers are conmeeted with a central station, at which there is a commutator apparatus for each subscriber, which is connected with the live wires of all the other

Every subscriber is supplied with an a battery, instrument consisting transmitter, recei movable dia! with decimal figures This dial revolves round a central pivot, and may be brought opposite any figure desired. A to hed wheel is worked by this diat and connects with the battery, breaking the circuit corresponding to the figure indicated.

The central office commutator is actuated by each emission of current thus produced in the line. An electro megnet at each emission causes vertical rod to ascend one notch. This rod has three horizontal pins, which can be brought in contact with the extremities of all the wires, which are arranged circularly, one alongside the other, in superposed rows at the bot tom of the apparatus. To obtain greater resources in the combinations the two-line wires are used separate

After the subscriber has marked the number of the person he wants he pushes the call bell button and unhooks the telephone receiver. If there in a humming sound he knows that the line is already in use. As it is possible to bring the pins of the commutator rod into contact with all the lines, of which the extremities are at the bottom of the apparatus, this will suffice for about 100 subscribers

THE UNITED EMPIRE CAN COM-PETE WITH THE UNITED STATES.

The London Daily Mail, in an editorial on the "Threatening Aspect of the Steel Trade," says: "The time has surely come to recognize that in an era of the fiercest and most unscrulous competition, the community and the state must stand by the threatened trade, and if national efforts will not suffice, international resources must be invoked to keep in Europe trade that will otherwise go to Am-

How much better would it be for the people of the United Kingdom if the trade goes to Germany, Russia, France and Belgium than if it goes to the United States? The London Daily Mail is apparently giving some coun tenance to a proposal made by a German newspaper that all the countries of Europe should adopt preferential tariffs in favor of each other as

against the United States. But there is not the slightest prob ability that such a scheme will ever be adopted or even supported by a considerable number of Englishmen. The Daily Mail's editorial is simply an evidence of the growing feeling in England that free trade is a failure. The true policy is not to try to form ppean Zollverein, but, to adopt

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But a law of Nature bows to the necessity of keeping the blood pure so that the entire system shall be strong, healthy and vigorous.

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the British Empire. The Empire is so large and its resources so great and so varied that it can be made independent of the rest of the world.

The British Isles are small, their resources are limited, their raw materials are to a considerable extent exhausted. If it were a question of competing with any one state of the American Republic-several of the states are individually much 'larger than the United / Kingdom there would be no question about the British people always being able to hold first place as the greatest industrial power of the world. But they must compete against many states having together a vast area and immerise natural resources.

Let the British people get rid of the idea that British industrial expansion must be confined to the limits of the British Isles. Canada also is British, and a ship from Liverpool can reach Montreal much more quickly than a ship from New York can reach San Francisco. The United Kingdom and Canada combined, to say nothing of the rest of the Empire, can permanently surpass the United States if we will but co-operate. The competition should be between the United Empire and the United States.

THE CAP OF MAINTENANCE.

The court functions, past and present, have developed quite an epidemic of research in antiquarian lore, resulting in many interesting explanations of the insignia used, and be hereditary privileges of the nobles attedning these proceedings. The latest is an explanation of the cap of maintenance, which the Marquis of Winchester carried beside the King Burrows, W. Huff, M. Reeve, P. Dukinson, B. Bains, A. Moore, E. Clemt the opening of palirament. ppears this cap was presented to King Henry VIII. by the Pope, along with he title of Defender of the Faith, he title signifying the assurance that e would maintain as well as defend the faith. Curiously enough, the picture of the opening of parliament, which shows how the cap figured as eing held on the end of a baton by the Marquis of Winchester, is one where the king is bending over to sign he much discussed oath, the scroll be ng held by the Lord Chancellor.

The original cap was given in care of Six William Paulet, whose descendants have ever since been the keep ers of the cap of maintenance. Another quaint custom, when Edward VII. comes to be crowned, is

THE COUGH

left by the grippe is dangerous; it irritates and weakens the throat and lungs. It opens the door for consumption.

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that the Duke of Norfolk will be obliged to hand him a pair of gloves embroidered with the ducal arms. The explanation is that one of the manors held by the Howard family depends for its title on the head of the family presenting the monarch with a right hand glove on the occasion of the

GENESIS OF THE "JOINT."

London Free Press. As to how the "joints" in Kansas -now the object of Mrs. Nation's crusade-came to be so much in evidence is told by a writer in the New York Independent. Most of the towns in the State were ain a bad way financially during the hard times of the early and middle '99's. Taxes were high; valuations were falling off; population was decreasing, and interest on the bonds issued in flush times was becoming a heavy burden. In this financial crisis the joint keeper went to the rescue of the taxpayer, "not for the approbation of Allah, but for gold." The joint keepers were fined, but kept their places open. Then city councils began to hold executive sessions and decide what fine should be imposed. Usually it was either \$50 a month, or \$50 every other month. This lowered the taxes. But Kansas is no longer suffering in a financial way, and can afford to be law-abiding again. The people do not need the revenue any longer, and the moral sense of the community refuses to be "insulted" unless it needs money. Kansas is prosperous enough to reverence the law, and the saloons must go. The only hope of the "joint" keepers seems to lie in a return to hard times, a grasshopper plague, or something of that

MCKEOUGH SCHOOL PUPILS STANDING.

How they Stand-Parents Should Study This List Carefully.

the recent examinations at McKeough school. These educational tests form an admirable estimate of the work accomplished throughout the term by the students. The names are arranged in order of merit. Where the standing is low parents are urged to enquire into the diligence and faithfulness of their children.

Room Ten.

E. Tickner, E. Dyer, J. Wilson, V. Craft, R. Locke, G. Holmes, E. Stripp, H. Fielder, A. Tinney, E. Hutchison, L. ents, C. Holmes, E. Hall, H. Rispin, F. Denn's, G. Simpson, H. Rankin, R. Degge, H. Nagle, G. Groves, R. Peck, S. Glassford, G. Jackson, R. Taylor, F. Ward, R. Parrott, E. Oldershaw, R. Ball, Ed. Morton, G. McDonald, G. Ter-W. Shupe, H. Wemp, S. Taylor, McCann, E. McKenzie, Er. Morton, E. Wemp, R. Tyrrel!, M. Bogart, M. Pratchard, C. Booth, F. Tinney, M. McGuire, F. Smith.

Room 9-R Fraser, C Locke, B Barton, Bounsall, S Holmes, L Atwater, E Leak, R Merritt, M Kerr, N Sparks, H Hutchin-son, M Wood, M Palmer, H Cartier, M Ryan, M. Wood, M. Faliner, M. Caliter, M. Ryan, M. Ardagh, B. Henry, N. Tillson, M. Giassford, P. Smith, E. Ingalls, H. Groves, W. Peck, W. Roberts, M. Burns, J. Reeves, B. Dyer, G. Dyer, H. Pritchard, C. Fitzthomas, B. Wilson, V. Glassford, P. Cornett, L. Colones, C. Brunker, M. Darling, G. C Brunker, M Darling, Butler, M. Hoig, E. Paxton, D. Ward, G. Slagg, G. Cooper, G. Carpenter, M. Cartier. H. Williamson, H. Coatsworth, S. Smith, I. Blackburn, P Brock, M Manning, D Morri-

son, C Clement, E Stanton, C Blackburn, J Sparks, T Baxter. Room 8-G Eberts, A Bounsall, Stevens, E Ife, J McLean, N Warren, Crosby, H Tillson, G Yake, T Darling, M Banning, E Rankin, J Waller, J Watson, I Sauermann, O Moore, H Campbell, G Winter, L Brock, R Waller, S Willmore, H Stark, R Ross, H Paxton, P Grandbois, M Bucke, P Terry, L Terry, M Sparks, N Bowers, J Walker, P Thompson, E Burns, A Watson, L Bowers, S Merritt, A Grow, B Fox, F Sager, B Dyer N Radley, G Oldershaw, R Crossier, J Wright, H Goodland, B French, I Pritchard, O Miller, G. Robert, F Duncan, G Grover, M Hender-

shott, B Yake, M Hind. Faul, L. Bryden, C. Macklem, M. Mc-Auley, E. Key, O. Link, S. Robertson, M. Douglas, G. Barnes, P. Eberts, A. McLeod, M. McCubhan, J. Dangneau, M. Connibear, E. Wasson, M. Fielder, B. At,water, G. Gragg, L. Clements, U. Cooper, M. Ford, E. Watt, M. Black-burn, Heskie Ticknet, W. Hoig, W. Horn, R. Lamperd, M. Middleton, A. Carpenter, E. Eberts, L. Arnold, A. Reeve, J. Monrison, F. Richardson, L. Hyslop, G. Merritt, P. Paps.
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Probably the most tragic state of affairs resulting from the attempted rush of prospectors from Port Valdez, Alaska, into the Yukon Valley in 1898-99 has just been brought to light in the report of Capt. W. R. Abercrombie, Second United States Infantry, in charge of building the Trans-Alaskan military

The Sufferers From Scurvy.

FIEND OF THE ARCTIC

ing the Tranttrail. He says: "After an uneventful voyage of six days anchor was dropped at Port Valdez, Alaska, on April 21, 1899, about 6 o'clock p. m. The scene that followed the arrival of our vestal et Valdez sel at Valdez was one that I shall not soon forget. Crowding aboard the steamer came the argonauts of last season's rush into the Copper River Valley. They now considered themselves full-fledged miners, al-though many of them had never handled either pick or shovel since their entry into the country. A more motley looking crowd it would be hard to imagine. Mackinaw suits of all varieties and colors, faded and worn by exposure to the elements and their long journeys over the Val-dez glacier from the Copper River

They seemed to be sadly demoralized, and from a hurried conversation I had with six or seven I had known the year before I was led to believe that hundreds were dying of starvation and scurvy be-yond the coast range, in the Copper River Valley. Most of those then in the settlement of Valdez had little or no money, but notwithstanding this fact a wholesale orgy was inaugurated 'that lasted until midight, the cabin and decks of the steamer giving evidence of the po-tent influence of the liquor on those who had indulged so freely and who were now lying around in various at-titudes sleeping off the effects. That they had passed a terrible winter was beyond all question of doubt.

"One of the first men from whom I could get an intelligent account of I could get an intelligent account of the condition of things was Quarter-master's Agent Chas. Brown, whose salutation to me was, 'My' God, captain, it has 'been clear hell! I tell you the early days of Montana, were not a marker to what I have gone through this winter. It was aw-

"I noticed in talking to these peo-ple that over 70 per cent. of them were more or less mentally deranged. My attention was first directed this fact by their reference to the 'glacial demon,' One big, raw-boned Swede, in particular, described to me how this demon had strangled his son on the glacier-his story being that he had just started from Twelve Mile Camp (a small collec tion of huts just across the coast range of mountains from Valdez) with his son to go to the coast in company with some other prospec-When half way up the summit of the glacier, his son, who was ahead of him hauling a sled, while he was behind pushing, called him, saying that the demon had attacked him and had his arms around his neck. The father ran to the son's assistance, but, as he described it, his son, being very strong, soon drove the demon away, and trey passed on their way up toward the summit of Valdez glacier. The weather was very cold and the wind blowing very hard, so that it made traveling very difficult in passing over the ice between the huge cre vasses through which it was necessary to pick their way to the sum-

"While in the thickest of these crevasses the demonagain appeared. He was said to be a small, heavybuilt man and very active. again sprang on the son's shoulders, this time with such a clasp that, although the father did all he could to release him, the son was finally strangled to death. The old man then put the son on the sled and brought him down to Twelve Mile Camp, where the other prospectors helped

nim to bury him.
"During the recital of this tale the old man's eyes would blaze, and he wo. d go through all the actions to illustrate just how he fought off this imaginary demon. When I heard this story there were some 10 or 12 other men in the cabin; and at that time it would not have been safe to dispute the theory of the existence of this demon on the Valexistence of this demon on the dez glacier, as every man in there firmly believed it to be a reality. I was informed by Mr. Brown that this was a common form of mental derangement incident to those whom a fear of scurvy had driven out over the glacier, where so many had per-ished by freezing to death."

The condition of these men afflicted with scurvy is described as follows: "They were crowded together, from 15 to 20, in log cabins 12 by 15 feet, in the centre of which was stove. They spread their blankets on the floor at night, and lay down like sardines in a box. Facilities for working there were none. Many of them had frost-bitten faces, hands and feet. Their footwear consisted of tops of rubber boots cut off and manufactured into shoes. Around their feet they had wound strips of gunny sacks in place of socks. Across the cabin were suspended ropes on which were hung various articles of apparel that had become wet in wallowing through the deep snow. odor emanating from the clothing the sore feet of those who were frozen, the saliva and breath those afflicted with scurvy, gave forth a stench simply poisonous to a man who was well, and meaning sure death to one in ill-health."

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THE CENSOR.

Do you find that you have made too many good resolutions? Don't throw up the entire lot because you may weaken on a few.—Cleveland Palin Dealer.

Such a rescue as the French fishermer made of the passengers of the wrecked steamer Russie goes far toward wiping out the memory of the bazar fire in Paris. —Chicago News.

Porto Rican legislature was in the interest of woman suffrage. Some things have no difficulty in following the flag.— Sioux City Journal. We suggest very seriously and ear-nestly that a department of human health with special attention to the stamping out of dangerous national diseases, like con-

umption, should receive immediate ernment attention. The public schools should not be given over to the faddists nor made to assume educational burdens that belong to the home. Already it is impossible thoroughly to teach the children in the lower grades the essentials of a common school education.—Los Angeles Herald.

With a Michigan man dead from being hanged in a joke and an Indiana woman dying from sitting down at a chair that was pullled away, we do not need a didn't know it was loaded case to remind us that some folk are getting too funny for anything but the penitentiary.-Chicago

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Notwithstanding all the rumors to the ontrary, there is no doubt whatever that the diminutive fancy jackets in Eton, bolero, mikado, French guard and similar styles will be in marked favor for the spring and summer seasons. The use of velvet and chiffon choux and

rosettes gains in favor as the gay winter season advances, and when this mode of decoration is not carried to excess, as so many of our prominent fashions are wont to be, it is a very effective trimming.

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to empty combs in hives where the bees have died. Bees cease breeding almost entirely at the beginning of winter, and it is excep-tional if any broad comb is found dur-

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THE ART OF HAPPINESS.

There are minor pleasures whose effect is accumulative and which make up a happy life.

Even in choosing to be miserable w are happy, since there is happiness in every act of choice. Among women the desire to work is

not so common that it should be discouraged. There is a great deal of difference be tween a copy and an imitation.

The misery children make for their parents is well known; the misery parents make for their children not so well. The two great sources of happiness are health of body and strength of mind. In recipes for happiness goodness must always be the principal ingredient.

When people begin to be critical, they cease to be pleasant.-Sarah Grand in Saturday Evening Post.

THE MOVING WORLD.

German manufacturers have found that by gooking molasses dregs, after the removal of the sugar, a potash is won which is preferred to all ther sorts in the soap industry.

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In The Summer

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and blackened by tragedy.

One of the most barbarous of the persecutions against the Christians was begun by Diocletian on Christmas day, A. D. 303, when a church in Nicodemia, filled with Christians, was ordered by him to be set on fire. Every way of egress was barred, and not a single worshiper escaped the flames.
Yuletide in 1066 was a melancholy

time in England, which nevertheless al-ways celebrated it with the utmost eagerness, for Harold, the last of the Saxons, had fallen before the Norman conqueror, and on Dec. 25 of that year William the Conqueror was crowned in Westminster abbey. The occasion was signalized by the slaughter of a huge crowd of Anglo-Saxons outside of the church through a mistaken idea that they had

Exactly two years later there was an uprising of the malcontents in the north-ern counties who hoped to throw off the Norman yoke. William marched in per-son against the rebels and directed a son against the rebels and directed a universal slaughter. His men surprised several garrisons and put them to the sword. Neither age nor sex was spared, and every house in the disaffected resaid that over 100,000 men, women and children perished on Dec. 25, 1068. It was on Christmas day in the year 1170 that Thomas a Becket, the great est English cleric of his day, ascended the cathedral pulpit at Canterbury and preached what may be called his own funeral sermon. The words he made use of so angered Henry II that he let fall those fatal words, "If anybody loved

me, he would rid me of this turbulent Four knights took him at his word, and on Dec. 29 they slew the prelate before the altar of St. Benedict in the northern transept of Canterbury cathedral. On Dec. 25, 1384, John Wyclif died as he was about to preach his Christ-

One of the saddest Christmases known in London was that of the year 1663. The great plague had stricken the city, and the people were dying at the rate of 1,000 a day.—London Mail.

A MERRY JEST. The penniless wanderer sought to obtain the price of a drink from the editor by telling him that he was a

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samuel Soutar, Raleign township, entered the Public General Hospitall held by some 50 snow bound delegates pesterday. He is suffering from the Ottawa convention.

The Inspector's report also alluded to the past

The Ladies' Guild, of Christ Church meet at the residence of Mrs. Davies, Victoria Ave., to-morrow, afternoon at Lenten service will be held in Christ

church to-morrow evening, commencing at 7.30 o'clock, and the Litany service on Friday afternoon at 4.30.

Dog lost-On leb 28th, a black Cockrel female Spaniel, answering to the name Tasso; any one finding the same will please leave with Louis Staniewicz, Planet office, and receive a suitable reward

Miss Eva Payne, stenographer in the Walkerville to-morrow morning, where she will assist in the general offices for a short time. Miss Myrtle Tillson is relieving Miss Payne.

Ernest Connibear, aged 12 years, son of George Connibear, Deleware Ave., passed away this morning. The lad was in the Public General Hospital, suffering from an attack of Bright's

The firemen responded to an alarm of fire at 3.20 this afternoon. The fire ed to be at the residence of Mrs. Burley, Poplar street. The little girl ran to the box at Dyer's grocery and just 21-2 manutes in getting to the box after the alarm was turned in.

Deadly La Grippe

Numbers its victims by thousands, leaves a deadly trail of disease and weakness behind it. You can avert all danger from the deadly malady; you can prevent the disease if you will breathe Catarrhozone. The germ cannot develop where it is used; that is prevention. You can check and destroy its ravages by Catarrhozone by simply breathing it. That is cure. sold in two sizes, 25c. and \$1.00, by all druggists, or by mail prepaid on receipt of price. N. O. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont., and Hartford, Conn.

J OS: Note for 870 00 payable in 7 or 8 no. s d to on or about 2nd of February last, a gnab by Ge roe and samuel Bull's and end read by Wil an leed. Finder is respectivally requested to leave at Merchants Ban hare. Maker and endorsed are notified.

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COMPLAINTS OF DEFECTIVE INTAKES

Board of Health Finds Work Necess tating the Services of the City Engineer.

There were present at yesterday's meeting of the city health board, Dr. R. V. Bray, R. S. Dunlop, W. S. Richrds and O. D. Westman.

In the absence of the chairman, Mr. Westman was chosen to preside. The account of Wilson, Kerr & Pike, \$2 for legal advice in the case

against Senix Bannister, was ordered paid, 'Also the expenses of the M. H. O. to the Ottawa convention, in The medical health officer's report

for the month noted four cases of dephtheria, of which one proved fatal. The prevalence of measles was also nstanced and the fact that many of these were not officially reported. An admirable report was also given of the impromptu convention on tuberculosis held by some 50 snow bound delegates

the countagious diseases of the past month, and also submitted complaints that sewer intakes on several streets were but of order. These had been reported to the city engineer's depart-

Both reports were adopted. The account of Dr. Backus for anti-

oxine, \$3, was passed.

A circular letter was read and referred for investigation. It was from Dr. P. H. B. yce, in regard to the pre-vention and care of small-pox conta-The report of the committee on the

sanitary condition of Queen St. school was submitted, but was withheld from the press until presentation thereof to the school board.

The following estimates were sub-mitted and adopted:

Medical Health Officer's salary, \$200.

Sanitary Inspector, \$480. Scavenger, \$120.

Secretary's salary, \$50. Incidentals, \$50. Totat, \$900. The secretary was authorized to purchase 100 circulars re treatment of consumption, and also stationery

for the health department. HOW ARM YOUR NERVES! If they are weak and you feel nervous and easily "flustered," can't sleep, and rise in the morning unrefreshed, your blood is poor. Strong nerves depend upon rich, nourishing blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes the nerves strong by enriching and vitalizing the blood. It gives sweet, refreshing sleep and completely cures nervous troubles. Begin taking it to-day.

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APPLEDORE.

Following is the report of S. S. No Chatham township, for the month of February. It is based on the regu larity and punctuality of the pupils, together with the results of written examinations held during the month: Class V.—J. A. Lanigan 199, Mary Higgs 26, Mabel Saunders 26.

Class IV.—Annie Craven 202, Ida Arnold 116, Will Austin 35. Class III., Sr.—Arthur Jackson 274 H. Holwell 197, L. Arnold 164, Winnie Krieger 158, E. Holwell 155, Willie Krieger 162, C. Overstreet 86, Sam.

Class III., Jr.-G. Wilcox 150, C. Craven 109, A. Lanigan 70, E. Canniff Class II.-R. Wilcox 83, A. Overstreet 78, E. Hanson 73, J. Hanson 53, E. Austin 40. Pt. 11.—Roderick Jackson 91, Cecil

Jackson 91. Class I.—Ed. Arnold 61, Maude Arnold 53, Geo. Canniff 26, Roy Caniff

Mary E. Wilson, Teacher.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc

GO WRONG.

Police Constable Groves Thinks the Theatre is Largely Responsible.

He Considers Children Under Fourtee Should not be Allowed at Shows Without Guardians

Editor of The Planet,-The question of neglected children is one in which we can express our thoughts in regard to the advancement and proper bringing up of children. I have often been asked the question-what can be done? For many years, with a practical knowledge and close observation, I am going to lan before you my views as to what is being done and my opinion of what should be done. I have come to the conclusion that the theat tre is responsible among a certain class of boys as the ferst step for parents losing control of their children, getting them into the habit of staying out late at night without their ing out late at night without their parents' consent, and causing wonder as to how they get the money to go or by what means they get there. This is a very important statement and I want to make it very plain and put it in such a shape that. I am predated to prove by facts.

very plain and put it in such a shape that I am prepared to prove by facts that such is the case.

When a cheap theatrical play comes to Chutham is it not a deplorabla fact that we see at our schools men giving out tickets to children, boy, and girls, from seven years of age to fifteen. This ticket and five or ten cents will admit them to a matinee. Why should our children be taught at the school the first lesson to attend why should our children be taught at the school the first lesson to attend a play at the Opera House unknown to their parents till they come home, and present a ticket and ask for money? Naturally, a child thinks when't has a ticket the parent should do their part. What a great deal of trouble to parents is caused by refuse. do their part. What a great deal of trouble to parents is caused by refusing their children permission. Parenst, perhaps innocently, encourage their children by allowing them to go, without a thought that they are sowing the seed that will bear fruit and in many cases be the ruin of the children.

Boys are encouraged to play truest.

Boys are encouraged to play truant by distributing show bills, on the promise of a free pass to the plays. What a deplorable fact that all the boys who have been sent to the re-formatory from Chatham are boys. that have attended the theatre. I put this question to one boy who was sent to the reformatory. Why do you steal, and get yourself into trouble? steal, and get yourself into trouble? And the answer was, he wanted money to go to the theatre and get tobacco. There are three brothers at present in the reformatory, sent from Chat-ham. Any time that I was at the opera house I would be pretty sure to see them, and all of those boys were under fifteen years of age. When a man can count boys by the dozen under fifteen on the top gallery of the opera house, knowing some of the boys personally, and that their parents cannot afford to pay their way to such places, do you wonder we have criminals? They get classed among older boys and learn to chew tobacce, What can be done to remedy this will These are facts that cannot be

désputed. I am going to suggest the following in my opinion as what should be done: First, to pass a law prohibiting children under sixteen years of age from all theatrical plays and operas, child ren accompanied by parents not under fourteen years of age. Surely parents that are studying their children's interests would help to pass such a measure. Ask yourselves the following questions: Is it a good beginning to start them so young? Does it make them better scholars? Think of the good you can do by outling a ren accompanied by parents not under of the good you can do by putting a Emit on the poor unfortunate boys who are careless about themselves, and whose parents havt lost control over them. I am glad to say that it's very seldom you see children in the parque or first gallery. There are always good concerts and entertainments for children and you can depend upon it some of them will learn soon enough

Second—That no person be allowed, under a heavy fine, to engage any child under fourteen years of age to distribute show bills for any theatricat play, opera, minstrel show, circus or patent medicine. This will to a great extent stop truancy. Many boys play truant distributing bills on the promise of a pass to the show. The patent medicine man, who comes with a free advertisement, employing boys to help them with a promise of a few cents, because you are aware if a boy playing truant makes 25 cents the parents will receive no benefit and expect their children to have been at school.

Third-That all school children be forbidden from selling tickets for con-certs or entertainments. I might say in regard to selling tickets, I have notired it makes children very bold. We had a case in Chatham that might have been a very serious one through selling tickets.

I will leave it open for anyone to suggest any improvement. I will be ready to give any assistance to what I think is the first step in the right direction. This is a work that all parents should be inferested in guarding as much as excited in the state of the stat in, guarding as much as possible the dange to our boys.

We have a work to do. Let us help th

weak, those that are careless about them-selves, and their children. Where are the workers? Call a meeting. Select a com-mittee to draft resolutions so that we can Yours respectfully, T. GROVES.

DIEU DONNEE MARTIN BURIED.

The funeral of the late Dieu Donnee Martin, who succumbed to pneumonia, took place yesterdsy morning and was marked by an exceedingly large attendance. "Dunnie" was respected by all who knew him and he had hosts of friends in Chatham and his old home at Big Point. All who were able attended and paid their last respects to their dead friend. The Rev. Father Loisele assisted by the choir of St. Joseph's Church, Chatham, celebrated high mass in the church at Big Point. The pall-bearers, all young men from the French settlement, were, Messra. Martin, Leguillier, Beniot, Emery, Emery and Bechard. Dieu Donnee was the second son of the late Moses P. Martin, of Dover. When a lad of 10 years, he entered the seminary at St. Therse, Que, where he received an excellent education. Returning, he entered the College of Pharmacy, at Detreit, and at nineteen years of age he graduated Since then he was in the employ of Ingram & Co., wholesale druggists of Detroit, J. W McLaren, of Chatham, and wholesale drug dealers in Helena, Anaconda and Butte, Montana. Be ides the mother, five sisters and two brothers survive to mourn the death of one of the finest young men that Kent County has produced. They are:—Mrs. Thos. Winwood. Butte young men that Kent Chuty has produced. They are:—Mrs. Thos. Winwood, Butte City; Mrs. Commeau, Mrs. Page, Mrs. James Rankin, Anaconda, Montana; Mrs. Sheff, Big Point, and Dosithee and Jos., of Chatham

THE BRITISH TAKE THREE MORE GUNS

Boers Being Pushed to the Last Ex tremity-Kitchener's Last Despatch.

London, March 5.—A despatch from General Kitchener, dated Pretoria, March 4th, says:—

"De Wet was moving on Phillipolis Orange River Colony, but was head-ed by our troops, and is now march-ing on Fauresmith, about forty miles north of Phillipolis. Babington has north of Phillipolis. Babington has dug up a Krupp, a pom-pom and some ammunition at Landfuntein. Sixteen men of the Victorian Rifles have captured thirty-three Boers and fifty houses at Seacow River. Gen. Dartnell captured a Hotchkiss. Surrenders continue in that district. Overfifty men with a commandant came in March 2nd."

SHOT IN THE WATER. Cape Town, March 4.—A party of British surprised a number of Boers in bathing near Middlebung, and before the burghers could make their escape seven of them were shot.

The Happy Thought Range and Radiant Home Heaters are the best and most economical stoves in the market, and are for sale by John A. Morton

President McKinley was re-inaugurated as president of the United States yesterday at Washington.

There are now ex cases of small pox at La Prairie, and one death from the disease has already taken place. Wm. Wilson, section foreman, and

Samuel Cuthbertson, both of Atwood, were instantly killed by their hand car colliding with an engine. The United States Congress has voted \$5,000,000 for the St. Louis Exposition, but has rejected the vote of \$250,

000 to the Charleston Exposition and the loan of \$500,000 to the Buffalo Ex-Laval students visited the office of Le Journal at Montreal and set fire to the bulletin boards as a protest against an article which that paper published criticising the conduct of the students

at a performance at the monument

National. Friday, March 8th, 1901

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MISS HILDRETH has resumed work and ladies requiring Dresses for Easter would do well to make arrangements at once. Miss Hildreth spent a portion of her holidays in Detroit, studying out the new features for spring, and will be pleased to give any of our customers the benefit of her experience there.

Dress Trimmings

Indications at the present time are that this will be a trimming season. We cannot describe in cold type the magnificent range of Dress Trimmings we have now ready for your inspection. The better way is for you to come in and see them. We think that you will quickly conclude that this store is the place to buy Trimmings at. We sell trimmings as we sell our Linings and Dress Goods, or anything else in this store, at prices which are convincing by their fairness to both buyer and seller. Remember our motto, "NO TROUBLE TO SHOW GOODS."

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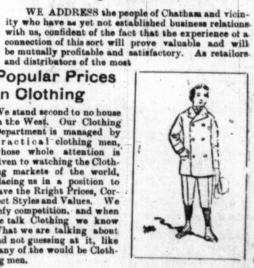
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Popular Prices In Clothing We stand second to no house in the West. Our Clothing

Department is managed by practical clothing men, whose whole attention is given to watching the Clothing markets of the world, placing us in a position to have the Rright Prices, Cor-rect Styles and Values. We defy competition, and when we talk Clothing we know What we are talking about and not guessing at it, like many of the would be Cloth-



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That we want to emphasize in our advertising is its "TRUTH NOT STRAINED, STRETCHED OR GARBLED, BUT PLAIN, UNVARNISHED FACTS."

EVERY MAN has or ought to have an eye to his attire. Fine Clothing is the uniform of success and prosperity every man seeks. To look his position he must have a clothier to help him do it, and a good one at that. We claim first place in Chatham as Clothiers of men of taste. Our Ready-to-Wear SUITS, OVERCOATS and TROUSERS are praised everywhere, because they are models of everything that Clothing should be in correct material, style, fit and finish.

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This means that ninety out of every hundred who suffer from Hesdaches can have them safely and permanently cured without the use of drugs by wearing Glasses.

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l Gal. Cans, \$1,25. 5 Gal. Cans, \$5,75.

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Six heifers, coming 3 years old. Four steers, coming 2 yrs. Three heifers, coming 2. One grade bull, coming 2 One brown horse, five years. One Roadmaster colt, two yrs., partly broken. One trotting sulky, with runner attachment.

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THE POPE'S BIRTHDAY

His Holiness is Now Ninety-one Years of Age.

He Complains of the Calumnies Uttere Against the Church.

Rome. March 5 .- During the recep tion upon the occasion of the anniver sary of the birth and coronation of the Pope. His Holiness made an address in the course of which he said :- "I is one of God's acts of benevotence that, enfeebled by age and fatigues, we do not succumb amidst the diffiuculties which still come to place obstacles before the free exercise of action by the church. Impudence, calumny and other iniquitous means are exercised freely against the church, which attempts only the good of hu manity." After explaining the situawho had acquired importance in the propagation of Christian civilization. "By such importance Catholic France," said the Pope, "is more than ever rich and justly proud. However, she is actually menaced on this account by grave dangers. This, indeed, might be a misfortune and a calamity of the interests of religionn and the country if the tempest which threatens to disperse such serious efforts and such fine hopes does not turn as His Holiness eulogized Catholics in the entire world who are tractible, reverencing the church. His chief regret was the blindness of certain men, and he asked with bitter ness, what would become of future operations if inspired by such principles, which are a bad omen. His Holiness reaffirmed the imprescription ble rights of the Apostolic See, "of which the Pope is not the arbiter but a trustee, or guardian, whose duties are sacred."

TUESDAY, MARCH 12 HE SAYS IT IS NO SCOW

F. B. Jones Disputes the Correct-

To The Planet,-Mr. Andrew Col-

ness of Andrew Coltart's Assertions.

tart has practically knocked a hote in the bottom of the old gunboat. But he, as well as the rest of us, is liable to make mistakes. He says Captain Waddell used this old scow forty Waddell used this old scow forty years ago as a lighter. Singular to relate, the old boat is not a scow, but a properly built vessel, and when afloat must have drawn from six to seven feet of water, as her bottom is sharp moulded and not flat. Henry Dunn, who in his early years followed sailing, remembers distinctly this wreck fifty years ago, and has sailed. wreck fifty years ago, and has sailed by it many times. As I happen to have a double of spikes and a piece of the planking of the boat in ques-tion I can speak with authority when I say the spikes were hand-made and quite different from the spikes used forty years ago. The planking plainly showed that it had been burned, and bored in places with an auger; so it would appear the boat was both scuttled and burnt. From a further examination I found the planking was hewed out of small oak trees and not sawn. As to the depth of the and not sawn. As to the depth of the channel of the viver near Eborts' farm, many people are aware of the fact that three-master yessels have loaded square timber, staves, and wheat at Louisvikle in days gone by. Capt. McCorquodale, an old Chathamite, informed me he had taken many loads of wheat from Louisville about facts file years ago. The position of forty-five years ago. The position of the wreck shows she was run into the bank at an angle of 45 degrees with the shore line. No sensible man would deliberately obstruct the chanwould deliberately obstruct the channel—which happens to be on the side of the river on which the boat lies—by breaking her in the manner described, but would lay her parallel with the bank. Ingram Delmage, eldest son of Squire John Delmage, informed me forty years ago of the many cannon balls and shells he found in the bank close to the wreck, which he knew of at that time. Several employes of the Pikeville mills found shells and cannon balls in the same place. The writer has one of them in his possession at the present time. To place. The writer has one of them in his possession at the present time. To my mind, the evidence all points in favor of the old wreck being one of the gunboats abandoned, burnt, and sunk by General Proctor in his magorable retreat before the American General Harrison during the war of 1812-13. Thankin you for space.

E. B. JONES.

A VALENTINE.

Still lives my love for thee,
O, Daphne mine—
Though grip may rack my bones,
My heart is thine.

Every person is responsible for within the scope of his abilities, and for no more, and can tell whose sphere is the largest, -Gail Hamilton.

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WHY SO MANY FAIL

Reason so Many Cararrh Fem dies are Unsuccessful.

There are few troubles for which are so many remedies and so called "cures" as for catarrh and it may be added there are few diseases so difficult to really and permanently cure. Inhalers, sprays, powders and douches are all applied locally and give temporary relief; often for only a few hours, and it is doubtful if anything like. thing like a real cure of catarrh was

catarrh is a constitutional diseas it is in the blood like rheumatism and it is in the blood like rheumatism and to cure it requires an internal medicine to act upon the blood, to drive out the catarrhal poison from the system entirely, and anyone can readily see that a salve or powder or inhaler which simply clears off the mucous membrane of the nose and throat can have a readily and the read cause of hvae no effect on the real cause of

Catarrhal disease.

The remarkable success of the new catarrh pemedy, Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, is because it drives out of the system through the natural channels, the catarrhal posson, the germs of grip, bronchitis and consumption and causes the hawking, spitting, and causes the hawking, spitting, and gagging because the excessive secretion is no longer supplied when the blood is made healthy from the regular use of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets. The remedy is in the form of large 20 grain lozenges, pleasant and palatable, composed only of wholesome antiseptics and so safe to use that little children use them with perfect safety and benefit if the little one is suffering from colds, croup or cough from ing from colds, croup or cough from

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets have been on the market scarcely one year, yet and success that druggists everywhere in the United States and Canada nov have them in stock and report a con-stantly increasing demand for them.

ization in Michigan to-day is the Hanmer Ladies' Mandolin Orchestra, which, under the direction of G. Arthur Depew, has made a wonderful reputation for itself. The organization, which consists of eighteen members, comprises Several of the best known soloists in Detroit, and the simple fact of G. Arthur Depew being their director is ample guarantee as to the excellence of their work. to the excellence of their work.

This organization will next Friday evening present the third number in the Lyceum Course at the Grand, being assisted by the following artists: Sam. I. Slade, G. Arthur Depew, Miss Florence M. Woolfenden and Lewis E. Vicary.

Vicary.

Lewis E. Vicary is one of the cleverest entertainers in America, an artist of the highest type. His work is deserving of more than passing notice, being original and far superior to most of the so-called "Dramatis Reading" given to the public. There is a purgent wit, and reculiar personis a pungent wit, and peculiar person-ality in all that he does. As an actor, entertainer, singer and dramatist, Mr. Vicary has won international fame. His introduction of musical Declamation this season has already proved

The Queen and Court Chronicle, London, England.—Mr. Vicary's comic reitations were inimitable.

Daily Saratagian:—Mr. Vicary's recitations moved some of his audience to tears, the most profound complinent an artist can receive.

New York Graphic:—Mr. Vicary is omething of an extraordinary genius

He moves you by his intensity, touches you with his pathos, and convulses you with his humor. Mr. George Goodale, in the Detroi for the first time will experience surprise at his peculiar originality.

KILLED ON THE RAILWAY TRACK

Two Young Lads Run Down by an M. C. R. Express Irain.

Iona Station, Mar. 4-Last night

Leslie and Lot McBride, aged 20 and 11 respectively, sons of Alex. Mc-Bride, of Southwold, living four miles north of the village were struck and killed outright by No. 37 M. C. R. express, while attempting to cross the track ahead of her. They were seen by citizens unging the horse to cross, but on account of the snow thawing off the tracks, the cutter evidently stuck and bindered their progress. The horse was just across the track and the cutter was cut loose from him and smashed to atoms, and the un-fortunate victims thrown about ninety feet from the crossing, and death must have been instantaneous, there being no signs of a struggle where they were found lying side by side in they were found lying side by side in in the snow. Parties that saw them trying to cross thought they did so in safety. They were not noticed for about thalf an hour afterwards. abou thalf an hour afterwards.
Coroner Ling, of Dutton, was notified, and was immediately on the scene, and, after making inquiries, concluded an inquest unnecessary. The pasents were notified at once, and the father came to the scene, which was a sorrowful one in the extreme. The bodies were than handed over to the parents, and were taken home to their heartbroken mother and family, who awaited their coming. They leave to mourn their loss father and mother and sister, I home, and a brother, Dr. J. S., of Milwaukee.

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disease germ can live in it. For whooping-cough and croup it is a positive and quick cure, while for all throat and bronchial troubles it is

the best remedy you can use. 17
Vapo-Cresolene is sold by druggists everywhere,
A Vapo-Cresolene obtfit, including the Vaporizer and
Lamp, which should last a life-time, and a bottle of
Cresolene, complete, \$1.50; extra supplies of Cresotene 25 cents and 50 cents Illustrated booklet containing physicians' testimonials free upon request. VaroCRESOLENE CO., 150 Fulton St., New York, U.S.A. Recommended and sold by C. H.

CHATHAM CENTRE,

Man With the Most Marvellous Psy chological Powers Who has Ever Visited Us.

The peerless Hemstreet, Magician, Mind Reader and Hypnotist, played in the Town. Hall here last Saturday night. A very large crowd was present and derived heaps of amusement from the entertainment, if frequent and hearty laughter is any criterion. and hearty laughter is any criterion With a capable professor of the art in charge there is nothing more enter-taining than an exhibition of the mind's power over the body, now dig-nified by the title of hypnotism. This Hemstreet is a clever expon-of the hypnotic art could not be

gainsaid by those present.

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"No, no!" she answered. "There are reasons why it will now be impossible for me to accept the situation offered."

That voice. Had it not too long haunt-

she spoke.
"Believe me, I would not have intruded
"Believe me, I would not have intruded

myself upon you had I dreamed it was you who had inserted the advertisement. I had not even heard of your marriage."
"My wife is dead," he answered. "But stay," as she arose to go. "Tell me how

it happens that you are in necessity. Is Mr. Clayton dead?"

"You mistake," she said. "I did not

marry Mr. Clayton. I am Sydney Vernon

"No. It is a woman's privilege, you know, to change her mind, but my aunt was very angry and at her death she left

me nothing. Your advertisement attracted me. I thought I might learn to love a

"And you will not learn to love my lit tle motherless child?" he asked. "Accept this position, I beg of you, Miss Vernon.

It is only that you should see she is not

left to the mercy of nurses and that she

has some refining care."
So it was at last decided, and Sydney

found the old emptiness of life fled since her heart and hands were full.

She rarely saw the master of the house. One day when she had entered

on some errand into his study she had seen hanging over his desk the fair, pic-

"How soon he learned to love again," she thought. "And I-I whom he so

cruelly condemned—threw aside ambi-tion and wealth for the idol I could nev-

er grasp."
But one evening Mabel stole to the

side of the lovely lady who had won all her loyal little heart.

her loyal little heart.

"Papa is ill," she said. "Did you know
it, Miss Sydney? Won't you go nurse
him like you do me when me is ill?"

"Certainly, darling, if I can do any-

And with trembling steps she descend-

ed the stairs and entered his room. For hours she sat beside him, changing

the cooling bandages upon his brow and fanning his fevered cheeks.

Mabel had come softly in for her good night kiss; then he had fallen asleep,

and she had feared to stir, as she might

"Sydney, why did you not marry Mr.

Had he really spoken or was it her

own thoughts which formed the ques-

tion? No, he was awake now, his eyes

"You have no right to ask me," she said imperiously. "Let the dead past

bury its dead."
"No right perhaps—that I admit, but

answer me all the same. For the sake of all these starving years let me know

"Because I did not love him," she an-

swered; then—"because I found myself weaker than I knew."

"Oh, Sydney, if we had known—if we had known! My darling, was there another reason? Was it because you loved

In his voice there thrilled the truth.

In that moment she knew herself em-

gliding from her chair until she fell back

on her knees by his side, with her beau-

tiful head close pressed against his heart,

while his kisses rained upon her hair, she

"Because I shall love you while life

-A month later there was a quiet wed

ding, when, after six years' cruel waiting. Sydney made the life happiness of the

man to whom she gave herself, a royal

gift, but they always said, with a sigh of deep regret, that in both their lives they had lost-six years.—Spare Moments.

Power of Rank,

One day at the Kremlin in Moscow

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favored with an amusing manifestation

of the all pervading influence in Russian

While looking at objects of interest

she noticed a large, handsomely bound book flanked by pen and ink on a side table. As she opened the book an at-

"Dep't touch that!" he said perempte

"Why not? If you do not wish people "Why not? If you do not wish people ancient doct

to look at this collection of ancient docu

ments-I suppose that is what it is-you

"It isn't ancient documents, and you

are not to touch it," he said, taking the book out of her hands. "It is strictly re-

served for the signatures of distinguished

visitors—crowned heads, royal princes, embassadors and the like."
"Then it does not interest me in the

least, and if you would label it to that

effect no one would care to disturb it," answered the American woman. Soon after she was joined by one of

the powerful officials of the Kremlin who had made an appointment to show

the American lady about. As she went from one object to another with the offi-

cial the attendants bovered respectfull;

in the rear, evidently impressed with the

friendly tone of the conversation. When the round had been made and the official had departed to his duties, the guardian

of the autograph album invited her to

add her "illustrious" name to the list.

She refused, he entreated and at las

tairly dragged her to the table and stood guard over her while she wrote her name. -Youth's Companion.

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Richer than gold from rugged moun-tain sides
Or gems in whose pure depths the

sunlight hides; More precious far than any star/of

feet light,—
gift the poorest heart to God
may bring.

The cost of joy, accepted suffering to —Mary Lee Hall.

'No. I actually haven't the cour

'AN ORDEAL'.

should lock it up or label it, 'Hands off!

life of "official" rank.

tendant pounced upon her.

retorted the annoyed lady.

waken him.

whispered:

lasts."

resting upon her.

tured face of Mabel's mother.

"You did not marry him?"

She shuddered.



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Its evening the weatlest day;
The bluest of skies will grow film.

And merge into clouds of gray;
The hot, burning drought will be broken.
By showers of gentle rain.

And the mists that the showers engender.
Be dispersed by the son again.

The warm winds that drift from the south land Will follow the icy blast That sweeps over meadow and woodland When the snowlakes fall thick and fast. On the meadows, now brown and barren, The daisies again will nod, And the ripe, golden wheat will be gleaming Where the anowdrifts lie deep on the sod.

The weariest lane has its turning

The dawn on the darkness waits.

Through death's portal, so dark and so lonely.

We enter the heavenly gates.

Wrong shall by right be supplanted,

And justice shall triumph yet,

And the flowers of freedom shall bourgeen On the graves of our heroes blood wet.

The hearts that are aching with sorrow

The hearts that are aching with sorrow again shall rejoice and be glad,
The smiles of contentment and pleasure Illumine the face that is sad.
Time heals every wound, e'en the keenest,
Grief fades like the mist away,
And peace floods the spirit once blighted
As the sunlight makes radiant the day. L'ENVOL.

So patience, oh, love, yet have patience,
Endure and be silent awhile!

Endure and be silent awhile!
The darkness you walk in will vanish,
And on you the bright sun will smile.
The night that surrounds you is fleeting,
Though the light in the east dawns not yet; Be patient, oh, love, yet a little,

Be patient and do not forget!

-E. B. Smith in Minneapolis Journal.

SIX YEARS LOST.

A Woman Who Did Not Know the

"What would we live on, Max?" laughed Sydney Vernon, glancing down at her elegant morning dress, with the pretty slipper just peeping from beneath its hem. "It's all very well to eschew the practicabilities of life, but they are somewhat necessary, for all that, and I have never seen any great evidence of economy on your part, and I am quite sure you have not on mino."

Max Bayard tagged impatiently at his before he had asked to be his wife thus

answered him. He had known her long enough to learn to love her with all the strength of his great heart, to worship her beauty, to follow her constantly with his eyes, knowing but one wish, one hope, that she

And she fancied, not altogether wrongly, that his love had met some return. Her eyes had brightened at his coming, her voice had learned to welcome him, until he felt he must end suspense and gain some assurance; the more so that a Mr. Clayton had lately come upon the scene, a rich and chi'dless widower, who evidently looked with favor upon the belle of the watering place and whom her aunt, under whose care she was, if not the young lady herself, looked upon

with favor in return.
"I have never had an incentive to economy," Max said in answer. "I have enough to live on and feed my horses,

"We should be miserable, Max, miserable, both you and I," the girl answered bitterly. "We have not either of us been reared in a school of poverty. I would

"Friends? Never:" he exclaimed. "I am starving, and you throw me a stone. Look into my eyes, Sydney, straight and true, and say you do not love me, and I will go away and trouble you no more,"
The long lashes prooped low on her check.

"I cannot quite say that," she answered, "but I will say more. I promised last night to become Mr. Clayton's wife within six months."

Max Bayard's handsome face grew white to the very lips. A look of deadly anger, mingled with something like loathing, crept into it. Sydney shrank from it as from a blow.

"Don't, Max, don't!" she cried. "I couldn't help it. I am very sorry."
"You could not help it! You are very sorry!" he repeated very slowly. "Could not help what? Toying with me for your amusement—playing fast and loose with your victim or selling yourself, to the your victim or selling yourselt to the highest bidder? Which? You are very sorry for whom? For the man you led

With these words he turned and left her sitting on the sands, the ocean making its low moan at her feet. "Oh, if it would come on and on and swallow me up!" she wailed in echo. "I love him, I love him! Max, you are

right; the man I propose to marry does deserve the pity. But you-oh, my love, you might have spared me your hate! I did it for the best."

Six years had passed-six years fraught indeed with change.
"If she had been but true to herself and me," Max Bayard had thought when but a few months after the event which had driven him from his native land to find forgetfulness in travel a letter had been put into his hand which had followed him from port to port, announcing that he had fallen heir to a fortune which might have challenged Mr. Clayton's in

Its magnitude. "If only she had trusted me," he said bitterly again and again in the lonely hours of the night, despising himself that he could not learn to hate her.

A year afterward he married. His wife was very young and very lovely, but there were depths in his nature that her hand never stirred, and even as she lay with haunting face would come between and mid the caressing murmur of her words would sound the echo of the "might have

But he loved her very dearly and mourned her very truly when, one short year after their marriage, he laid her away in her grave and took up the burden of life again, with the added responsibility of the tiny infant daughter she had left him.

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He—Haven't you told them yet? It was in answer to this advertisPERHAPS YOU DON'T

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That voice! Had it not too long haunted him to be thus easily forgotten? Would he not know it, even though it sounded above his very grave?

"Sydney! you here?" he exclaimed. "Ah, Mrs. Clayton—pardon me; for the moment I forgot."

Then she threw back her veil. Six years had made little change. It was the same beautiful face, but grown very pale, and the lovely mouth quivered as she spoke.

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Gowns made entirely of panne velvet re among the winter fancies. Winter turbans are wide, as a rule, the frim rolling up some inches away from the crown.

It is quite a fad of the winter to have t irbans or English walking hats made of velvet, with fur trimmings to match the stume or redingote.

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Combinations of cloth and corduroy are seen upon a number of the latest Parisian models, designed for walking, traveling and skating costumes.

Velvet costumes made by French ateliers with regular tailor finished skirts are smartest and most elegant gowns that have appeared this season. New hats for bridesmaids' wear are

ormed of white chiffon and ermine fur, with a bunch of shaded roses and a soft white aigret set at one side toward the front of the hat. So many Russian blouses of baby lamb

have been made to wear with skirts of cloth the furriers declare that the tailors and dressmakers have already nearly exhausted their winter supply of the uncut

Lace as a garniture is still greatly favored but more in the form of beautiful half yokes at the edge of the low necked bodice or as oddly arranged appliques and insertions, jacket fronts, flat epaulets and revers rather than in full jabots, cascades or gathered rufles.

Among other elegant creations of French dressmakers are long coats in empire style, formed of the leading shades of finest kid finished cloth, lined with white or very delicate mauve, blue or old rose satin, with standing and cape collars of panne, edged variously with sable ermine, otter, mink or chinchills

BRITON AND BOER

General Buller can point to the present-conditions in South Africa to cor-roborate his declaration that he had a hard time down there.-Indianapolis News.

Every once in awhile something happens which causes one to wonder why emotional persons do not pass resolu-tions sympathizing with the British rather than the Boers.-Chicago Record. A revolt on the part of the Cape Dutch at the present time would be a more se rious matter to England than if it had

occurred a year ago. Have Kitchener's

methods brought on this danger?-Pittsburg Dispatch. In distance and direction it is as if De Wet had moved from Buffalo to the Shenandoah valley, in Virginia, and was now headed for Harrisburg after escaping his foes on the Potomac at Harper's

Ferry.-Philadelphia Press. Lord Salisbury says the war in South Africa must continue until the burghers are whipped. Mr. Kruger says it must continue until his people get their rights. Both sides being willing, there is no apparent reason -by the fight should not

THE KIDNAPERS.

go on.

Had the Cudahy kidnaping been shown on the stage people would have declared that it was too unreal to be believed .-

Philadelphia Inquirer. The kidnapers of young Cudahy should be captured at all costs, not because the boy was the son of a millionaire, but in order to prevent the future kidnaping of any child, rich or pcor.-Pittsburg

Unfortunately Nebraska has no statute against kidnaping, and the law against child stealing applies only to children under 10 years of age. That would not fit this case, as young Cudahy was 16 years old.

The kidnaping of young Cudahy is a natter which calls attention to an exceedingly serious condition of affairs. For some reason or another criminals have become emboldened, and crime of late is distinguished for proposal and shocking brutality.

THE JEWEL CASKET.

The pearl rope rides on the very topmost wave in le monde elegant. Wh once it measured inches it now threatens

to become yards. A watch of new style appears to be coming in. Not only is the case perfectally flat on both sides, but the edge is also flat, the whole having the form of a thin

section of a cylinder. A new and taking style of collar consists of from three to five plain gold chains held in a bar at either end, while close to the lower edge of each chain are attached at short intervals pendants of

garnets, turquoises or pearls. Scarabs are bigger, more ubiquitous and more popular than ever. They are now introduced into belt buckles, brooches, pendants, rings and fobs and are cut in turquoises, opal and their respective matrices, chrysoprase, coral, agate, jade, amethyst, etc., and, letest of all, chal cedony.

FLOWER AND TREE.

Humboldt describes an oak tree which he saw in France which was 90 feet in circumference at the base and was estimated to be 2,000 years old.

The potato, hitherto grown as a tuber under ground, is now being produced like fruit from the stem of the plant. The flavor of these potatoes is excellent. A few years ago there was on a farm near Stuart, Va., an apple tree which

produced at one bearing 130 bushels. It

shaded at meridian 90 feet of ground in Cut flowers will last much longer water if the stalk is peeled. This is especially true in the case of any shrub plant. Succulent stalks may be split up the ends. This process expedites the absorption of water and keeps the plant fresh.

KITCHEN HELPS.

To cleanse a frying pan pour in a littie vinegar, heat it over the fire, and all odors will be removed. If a saucepan after having milk boiled in it is filled with cold water and a

small piece of soda and allowed to boi up the pan will clean quite easily. Don't thrust dishes that have contained eggs, milk, flour or potato into hot water or turn hot water on them. Why? Because the hot water cooks any of the upon the dish, making it harder to wash

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A THEATRICAL COUP. "The other day I saw 'Ten Nights in

Bar-room,' on a Kansas stage.' 'Was it good ?" 'Good ? Every lady in the audience received as a souvenir a little solid silver hatchet."

A HELPLESS CHILD.

A weak and puny child is badly handicapped in the battle of life. It is isolated from the healthy enjoyments of its little fellow-beings. It cannot partake either of their play or their sturdy work and progress in the world; its whole life is embittered by incapacity and weakness.

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Rank and riches are chains of gold still chains,-Ruffini.

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owed Happiness to make her mine, Past towering oak and swinging ivy vine.

She fled; I chased, o'er slanting hill and dale,
O'er fields and meadows, in the purpling vale.

Pursuing rapidity o'er the dashing stream,
I scaled the dizzy cliffs where eagles scream;
I traversed swiftly every land and sea,
But always Happiness eluded me.

Exhausted, frinting, I pursued no more, But sank to rest upon a barren shore.

One came and asked for food and one for alms; I placed the bread and gold in bony palms.

One came for sympathy and one for rest; I shared with every needy one my best, When, lo; sweet happiness, with form divine, Stood by me whispering softly, "I am thine."

H. Wade Burleigh in Monthly South Dakotan.

QUEER FACTS ABOUT COLORS. Why the Sen is Blue In Some Spot

and Green In Others. Did you ever notice that there is no blue food? We eat things green and red, yellow and violet-flesh, fish or plants in all the colors of the rainbow except blue. Many deadly poisons are blue in color, such as bluestone or the deadly tight-shade flower. The color stands in our sking for everything miserable and de-pressing. But this is only one of a thou-

sand queer facts about colors. Heat a bar of iron, and the particles of the metal are set in motion, shaking violently one against another. Presently the surrounding ether is set in motion in arge, slow waves, rolling through the air like the waves of the sea until they break upon our skin and give us the sensation of heat. As the iron gets hotter other waves are set in motion in immense numbers, traveling at more than lightning speed, and these break upon the eye, giving the sensation of red light.

The redhot iron, getting still more heat-ed, throws out other sets of waves still smaller and more rapid-orange, yellow, green, blue, indigo, violet-all the colors of the rainbow. The eye cannot tell one from another. The whele bundle of rays mixed up gives us an impression of white. That is the glow from the "white bot" iron, and such is the light from the will greater brightness of the sun. Sundaht is a bundle of rays of light-red, orange, rellow, green, blue, indigo and violet all mixed together. The mixture of all col-ors is white light: the absence of all col-

ors is utter darkness. Now, pass a ray of sunlight through a drop of water, and the colored rays are split up and thrown in different directions. The sunlight shining through many drops of falling rain after a shower is all split up into colors, and the result is the gorgeous rainbow. The scattered spray of a sea wave, of a waterfall or a fountain makes little rainbows, caused in the

same way. Each kind of light has its own special uses. The red rays of light make the leaves of the trees to grow and hasten all rotting and decay. Moreover, if you cut off the red rays plants will grow with golden brown leaves instead of green.

The sea is blue because the water reflects the blue rays of light, but shallow seas are green because the blue light is mixed with the yellow reflections from sand and stones at the bottom. Green is a mixture of blue and yellow. In this green light of shallow water all seaweeds grow, and for want of the red rays they have golden and tawny leaves. Green and red seaweeds are the exception, and blue seaweeds are as rare as blue leaves. At any rate, land plants grown under green glass ought to turn golden brown, like seaweed. They do. Experiment has shown that under green class plants grow nearly as well

der clear sunlight. Under red glass nearly all plants grow four times as quickly as under white light, grow to four times their usual height and throw out a fine display of green leaves. This is clear proof that the red rays of sunlight cause the green leaves to grow. This discovery will be of immense help to gardeners who want to force their plants and to farmers trying to induce early crops of vegetables.

Blue glass has a directly opposite effect. Plants will neither grow nor die. They languish and yet remain alive. The blue makes them sleep. The effect is exactly that of moonlight and starlight when all plant take their natural

Forth and Back, It struck us forcibly the other day when one of our great scholars spoke of a man as pacing "forth and back." How many times have we heard of

pacings "back and forth?" Though you may contend that this is an unnecessarily small point, yet it is a fact that most people, when starting out to cover a short space. a number of times o not make their first turn backward

like a crab. Invariably do they take a few steps orward, and then, turning, retrace them Hence they go forth and back, and forth and back and so on until their emotion of exercising is over.

And "if a thing's so," to use one of

Koko's never failing reasonings, "why not say so?"

Stop a moment to think of it, and you'll agree that it is ridiculous to start a thing backward and about as easy as to start climbing a tree from the top. Novelists with restless heroes are es

pecially requested to take notice.

Deplorably Cultured. "Dar is sech a thing as bein too smaht," said Miss Miamf Brown.

"Who's too smaht?" inquired Mr. Erastus Pinkley.
"Mistuh Jim Colliflower. He's done studied botany. An when I tole him I 'spected de bunch o' greens over my haid was what de white folks calls 'kissletoe he jes' looked at it an said 'twarn' no sech thing!"-Washington Star.

Keep Cool. You probably get up on your high horse too easily. The next time you think you have a grievance stop and think it over carefully, and be as fair as pos-sible with the other fellow. It may seem impossible to you that you are not always right, but if you are an average person you are probably wrong half the time.—Atchison Globe.

After the Defalcation. "I understand," said the reporter, "that the defaulter's method was very simple.

"Very!" said the bank official with a sigh. "He just took the money!"-Puck. When a man climbs up in his family tree and looks down upon the passing throng, he has outlived his usefulness.

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They had been at the masquerade, where she had recognized him at once. Was it the loud beating of my heart my darling, that told you I was here? murmured he.
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SEVENTH CON., DOVER.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the residence of Wesley Wright on Friday night, last. Dr. McFarlane is rejoicing over the

birth of a son.
Frderick Fussey is in the general hospital recovering from a severe attack of appendicitis.

The Ancient Order of Foresters at Bear Line, are flourishing under the able management of M. Boyle, C. R.

Moss Charlotte Hand spent Sunday last in town.

EAST BRANCH.

I. Shaw has on the bank, a fine display of elm logs.

D. M. Healy and wife, of Croton, to visit the Glass Town. Milton Richardson is on the sick

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Lidster, of Zone,

A young son has come to stay with John Richardson and wife called on Sombra friends on Thursday.

RIDLEY

R. Ridley returned home from De-troit and Leamington.

Jas. Mcgee is on the sick list. Chas Gable was calling on friends here last week. He has gone to Lon-don, where he will be examined for the B den-Powell Police Force in South Africa

Wm. Fellows is the guest of his siser, Mcs. Ed. Ridley. John Brown has gone to the Canadian Northwest.

from Rodney. TUPPERVILLE.

Bryan Holmes has returned from Watford. We are pleased to say that his daughter, Mrs. A. J. Davis, is con-Miss L. Boulton has returned from

pleasant visit with friends at Flor we are sorry to see the snow go-

ing.
Mrs. Ferguson is better, we are glad Mrs. Wm. Holmes has returned from Watford Mrs. DeWolf is rejoicing over the

arrival of a young son. OUVRY.

Alex Goulet has over one hundred thouready for rafting in the spring

Nearly all t e boys in this vicinity attended the shoeting match in Merlin on Friday. An oyster supper was given in onor of the winners in the evening.

Malcolm Toll is spending a few days with

friends at Coatsworth. friends at Coatsworth.
Special meetings still continue.
John Curtis white engaged cutting ice last Thursday on the lake made a mis-step, and took a rather cool bath in eight feet of water. He managed to get out without as-

Stanley Arnoild is recovering from severe attack of la grippe.

Misses Mary Wilson and Josephine Lanigan were visiting in Harwich last

Mrs. Peter McKerrall, who has been at Mount Clemens for the past three months for her health, returned home Monday, slightly improved. Miss Mary Higgs, who has been suf-fering from a severe attack of la grippe is no better.

Benjamin Rothwell, of Harwich, was visiting old acquaintances here las tweek.
Alex, Martin, of Harwich, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. H. Lanigan, Last Tuesday.

DRESDEN

March 5 .- We understand that Peter M. Healy and wife, of Crofon, McEwen has decided to remain here through here recently en route and continue on the Dresden Times staff, instead of accepting a position on the Chatham Banner-News, as formerly intended. The address given by the Rev. Jas.

Livingston in the Methodist Church last night was well attended. Last night Prof. Bergeron delight ed and mystified a large audience the Opera House with his wonderful performance of hypnotism and mind-reading, which was refined and pleas-

ing to all.
The Young People of Christ Church held their regular meeting at the residence of the Rev. A. K. Griffin last night, and spent a most enjoyable

TILBURY.

Mar. 5.-W. A. Hutton was summoned to Napier on Sunday, where his father is

visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Jones. D. Jacobs will move his tailor shop to the rooms in the Anderson block, lately vacated

Mrs. J. Appleyard, of Comber, visited friends here on Sunday.

Miss Nellie Dancy, trained nurse, who was well and favorably known in this village, died on Sunday night at her home in Windfall. Deceased returned from Detroit just a week ago, suffering from pneumonia contracted from a patient.

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WISDOM OF THE HEN.

thing More Than Mere Sitting Re quired to Hatch Out the Little Chicks.

A fresh egg has the yolk perfectly valanced in the middle of the white. Unless it remains thus balanced the chances are decidedly against its hatching. Brooding hens understand that. When filling the nest a hen turns over all the eggs in it before she quits it after laying a new one She knows, too, that in hot weather the sun will addle her eggs, so she chooses a shady nest-spot. But in winter a nest is often made where

the fullest sunshine streams into it.
Brooding is throughout full of quaint surprises. Eggs will hatch if kept at blood heat—98 degrees. But they hatch more certainly and turn out stronger chicks if the tempera-ture is kept continuously after the first week at from 1021 to 103 degrees. Just how it is done nobody knows, but mother hens some way contrive to raise the normal of their bodies to the requisite pitch. Further, they strip the whole breast

of feathers, so the eggs may have the benefit of full heat. Twice a day they turn over every egg in the nest, cuddling them separately up under-neath their beaks, making little soft, half fretful cluckling noises the Hens are most uncalculating egg

stealers. All eggs in sight will be drawn into the nest, though the stolen eggs may crowd out those legitimately there. Still, in a way, hens take stock of what they brood With few eggs they sit prim, with trimly folded wings. With too many they sprawl all over the nest, wings loose enough to let light between the feathers, and frequently turn themselves about reaching for uncovered eggs, and drawing their under-

neath the breast. A hen of average size cannot profitably cover more than 15 eggs. In cold weather 13 is a better limit, although in raidsummer the same hen might brood and hatch 20. Left to themselves the unchecked instinct of egg-stealing with hens is apt to result in a nest full of spoiled eggs. with maybe one or two feeble

Twenty-four hours of brooding makes hardly a perceptible change in an egg. Sometimes in warm weather, there is the least reddish beside the whitish clot 'ir which the germ lies. After 36 hours the clot shows a well defined drop of very red blood. In two days the blood drop has spread to veins and arteries. At the end of ten days the head is fairly well formed, though the trunk is still rugged. In two weeks the chick is recognizable as a chick, and if the shell envelope is broken will quiver all through and feebly move the head. It has, however, no vestige of the fine downy coat it will wear a little later. The

coat forms rather rapidly. The period of incubation for a chicken is 21 days, and for two days before leaving the shell the young fowl is practically perfect. Yet would not live were the shell forcibly removed. It spends the last two days gathering vital force to make its own way out into the world. It hes snug within the shell, the head bent upon the breast, in such a position as brings the beak full against

the shell. The beak is armed with a tiny de tachable piece of horn, flint-hard and set upon the very tip of the upper mandible. At full hatching time the chick presses this triangle against the brittle shell, and breaks a triangular hole in it, possibly a quarter inch across. An hour later chick, having turned itself slightly, presses the beak against a new spot and makes a fresh break. As more air comes in the little creature grows stronger. It writhes still more strongly in its prison, turning always from left to right. In two hours or ten it breaks the shell in two, and slips out into the nest, a

wet and weary sprawler. Egg production varies enormously A hen's capacity is about 400 eggs divided pretty equally through first three years of her existence,

A peculiar old man has died at Vienna in his seventy-third year says The London Express. He died with the reputation of being the

most exact man on record. From his twenty-seventh year kept accurate account of all he bought, and what he paid for it. In the twenty-seven years of his convivial life he consumed 28,786 glasses

He gave up drinking in his forty fourth year, but he continued to smoke constantly, even during his his cigars to 628,713, or an average of 13,667 a year. Of the whole number some 43,500 were given to him; he bought the rest for £2,500,

or about a penny each. Swallows as Despatch Carriers.

The question of employing swallows instead of pigeons to carry de spatches is being considered i France. The aptitude of the swal low for the work is by many held to be even greater than that of the pigeon. They fly to a greater height, and are therefore less exposed to be ing shot, and they travel faster, making good nearly 80 miles at hour, where a pigeon would only get over 50. It is also claimed that are more faithful, intelligent, and have not, on long journeys, to stop to feed, as the pigeon has.

Garden seeds should be ordered now, in order to avoid delay in the spring, as seedsmen find it difficult to fill orders promptly after the win ter is past. The catalogues contain a great many varieties that could be culled out, but they also contain the latest and newest improved. It is where one has a variety that has been tested and found adapted to the soil, it should be retained until the new varieties have been tested on a

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PROBABILITIES.

G. N. W. Special. Toronto, March 5, 10 a. m.—Fresh to strong northwesterly to westerly winds; mostly fair, and decidedly colder. Local snow flurries. Wednesday, fair and decidedly cold. Temperature to-night, near to or below zero in

Mrs. Striker, Degge St., is seriously ill with la grippe.

Robert Chaplin was able to be out for a short time yesterday. The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Chartrand, Head St., passed away on

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, 5th Con., Raleigh, died on Sunday.

Arthur McKay, who had an ab-scess removed from his neck recently, is doing nicely. Chas. Croft entered St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday, suffering from pneumonia.

Sealed tenders are asked for the erection of a two-storey frame house at Merlin. H. D. Cowan and son, of Grand Rapids, Mich., spent Sunday with his parents on Richmord street.

Inland revenue collections at Chatham for February, 1901, \$2,488 92; February, 1900, \$1,681.93; mcrease, \$806.99.

William McCubbin displaced the muscles of his left arm yesterday while lifting a pail of water and at present he has lost the use of his arm. Lost—A memo book containing a number of blank G. T. R. and Wabash tickets that are of no value to the finder. A reward will be paid by leaving it at this office. 2dlw.

John R. Will, son of ex Ald. Fred Will, of Windsor, who removed with his parents to Birtle, Man., so e months, ago, is dead from asthma. Fireman Frank Ryall received a telegram from his brother Charlie stating that he had been accepted for the South African field

e and would leave London for Ottawa to-day. Mrs. Caroline. A. Wescott, of Kings-ville, well known in musical circles as a composer of merit, has placed with her Detroit publishers a new "two-step" which will appear very shortly. Mrs. Wescott has many warm friends in Chathsm who watch her growing success with interest.

James Edward Cornwell, third son o George E. Cornwall, of the 6th Con., Raleigh, passed away yesterday in his 19th year. Consumption was the cause of death. The funeral will be at 1 o'clock Wednesday to the Baptist Church in North Buxton. Interment will take place in the North

Buxton cemetery. The Woman's Missionary Auxiliary of the Park St. Methodist Church, will hold their regular meeting and quarterly tea at the home of Mrs. R. A. Harrington, Lucro'x street, on Wednesday afternoon. Messrs. Crossley and Hunter have kindly consented to be present and take part in the meet-

ists, of Hamilton, have invented a friction brake which is likely to displace all brakes now on steam and electric cars. By its use a car can be stopped within a very few feet when running at high speed, the prin-

ciple being a friction shoe applied to The social evening of the A.O.U.W drew out, despite the many attractions last Friday night, an overflowing lodge room, when one of the most sensible fraternal one of the most sensible fraternal events of the winter took place. With Past Master Scullard in the chair, a No. 1 program, assisted by Bro. E. Jordan's grama phone, with every one present and the ex-cellent committee of arrangements, doing their best to make things pleasant for the inner and outer man. This meeting of the families and the friends of Peninsular Lodge will be remembered as a most pleas-

ing, all-round rounion, which can be proper-The regular meeting of Welington Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & A. M., G. R.C., was held last evening, there being a very good number of the brethren present. The first degree was conferred upon a candidate in an excellent manner and it is very grati-fying to the brethren to see that their recently elected officers have dropped so readily into harness. Considerable ousiness of a routine nature was also transacted. An emergent meeting of the lodge will be held on Monday ev-ening, the 18th inst., for the purpose of conferring the sublime degree of

Master Mason In the legislature yesterday Mr. Lucas, of Centre Grey, asked rovincial Roard of Health and Mayor of Windsor, regarding the small-pox out-break in Essex in 1899.

Mr. Lucas Ssaid he understood such correspondence had taken place, and some blame had been cast upon the medical health officer of Windsor, who as a said result, was dismissed from who, as a result, was dismissed from his position. The Provincial Secretary admitted the facts were as stated, and promised to bring down the cor-respondence.

COYLE REINSTATED The property committee med in the fire hall yesterday afternoon, all the members being present. The committee decided that Fireman Coyle should continued his duties as he has not been derelict no had he been drunk. But they gave him to understand that at the first outbreak of his old trouble he would be at once dismissed. he would be at once dismis

LOOKING FOR REL LOOKING FOR REIGCS.

Reuben Burt and Stephen: mith went up to see what they could get from the old gunboat sunk near Pikeville. The trip was not over successful. Mr. Srath was the only one to obtain anything all he got into the Thames and brought so: a river water home. Mr. Etches and his sans have secured 30, lbs of lead from the week. The lead is in chunks. The pieces bok very much like masses of melsed bullets as if when the ship was fired the bullets and melted and run together.

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A meeting of the members of Christ Church Guild will be he dence of Mrs. Davies, Victoria Ave., to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Tue day evening, March 19th

Grand Irish Concert will be given in the Opera House, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of St. Joseph's Church. Mr. Harold Jarvis, Detroit's favorite tenor; Miss Susan McGill, of London, and other first-class talent have been engaged, and the Concert

promises to be a great success. THEY MOBBED

Himself. London, March 5 .- An infuriated mob at Shanklin, Isle of Wight, yesterterday stormed the platform from which the ex-monk, Victor Ruthven, was delivering an anti-Catholic lecture Ruthven drew a revolver and kept the stormers at bay for a while, but finally turned and fled. During his flight a bullet was discharged, which traversed the neck and issued from the cheek of one of his pursuers. Ruthven was arrested. Ruthven explains that he was alone in the midst of the crowd, and did not fire until he was forced to do so in self defence. The mob bumbard-ed him with chairs and all kinds of Lynch him!" It is hoped that the victim of the shooting will recover. Ruthwen's friends think he showed consdictable forbearance in only shoot-

A petition is in circulation among the legal fraternity, asking the government to appoint Judge Ball to fill the duties of Master-in-hancery. However, the signatures of several legal gentlemen have been refused. It is estood that the government have an appointee of their own in view.

The Governor's Wife a Prisoner.—Mrs. Z. A. Van Luven is the wife of the governor of the county jail, Napanee, Ont., and was a great sufferer from rheumatism. When the best doctors in the com-munity and "specialists" failed to help her, she buried her sceptism of proprietary remedies and purchased South American Rheumatic Cure. 4 bottles cured her.-42 Sold by J. W. McLaren, Chatham.

SEPARATE SCHOOL BOARD.

The regular monthly meeting of the Separate school board was held last evening. Trustees present were: Chairman E. Reardon, Peter Robert, Jas. A. Gordon, Pater Blonde, John Welsh, John E. Stephens and Frank E. Gerter.

Routine business was transacted, and bills from Blonde Bros., J. C. Wanless, and King, Cunningham & Drew were ordered to be paid, as were also the teachers' and januor's salaries for the month of February.

GIRL WANTED-For general housework, Apply to Mrs. Wm. Gorden, Riverside Terrace

WANTED—To hive on farm near Chatham, a un-ried man, well versed in farm work, hust be well recommended F. r such the his hest wages paid Milton Backus. WE MUST HAVE AT ONCE a number of reliable percoss and families in this locality to work for us whole or spare time, Good wages paid. No cavassinc. Write tor position to-day. People's Syndicate, Deph. A, 130 Yonge Street, Toronto.

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OR SALE—5 shares Charbara Loan and Savings Company stock at \$110 per sh re 25 per cent down, he lauce on easy torms. Apply Planet Office, 41 wif

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Avenue, \$600 wil buy 6 Lote in one
block on Maple Street, Apply at Planet Office.

SUREP FOR SALE—One fine ram and twent ewes, all long wooled, and believe at with in about middle of April. The oldest will be this spring and the youngest two this spring, full partitudes on a total 4.000, 8. Chatham 7.

WANTED—Bright men and women can duction by Lord Duferin. A Phriling Sales marve ous. The Queen as girt, wite, march. Reade like a romance. Grandly Big commission. Borks on time. Lette

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