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ATWOOD, ONT., FRIDAY, SEPT. 25, 1891.

Perth County Notes.

The I. O. F. of Staffa, intend holding a ball and supper in a short time. Newton is going to have a gala day this fall on or about the first of Octob-

H. Jack, of Newton, shipped a car load of hogs to Toronto, on Friday 11th

The Anderson people are talking of starting a literary society for enjoyment during the fall and winter months.

The attendance at the St. Marys Colegiate Institute is over 160. This is legiate Institute is over 160.

an increase on last year at this time. An unusually large number from Mitchell and vicinity attended the Industrial Exhibition at Toronto last

The Edison General Electric Company have closed a contract for a complete incandescent plant for the Classic C. flour mill.

Wm. J. Hamilton, of Milverton, has left for Montreal and will enter McGill College to complete himself for the ministry.

There are cases of diphtheria in three families in Stratford but it has not been found necessary to close the

The amount of water consumed in Stratford Saturday, Sept. 12, according to the Water Supply Co's register, was 955 103 gallons of the Water Supply Co's register, was 955,192 gallons.

J. H. Flagg, the champion temperance advocate of Canada, is attending the annual meeting of the council of the Dominion Alliance, now in session at

The Rev. A. H. Drumm, of Avonton, was married at Georgetown on Sept. 10. On his arrival home a reception was tendered him by the congregation at the Temperance Hall.

St. Marys papers should shut down on ministers blowing their own horn. So much self praise lowers the dignity of the pulpit, as well as exposes the weakness of the individual.—Mitchell Advo

Wm. Dunbar, of Newton, had the misfortune of having his hand badly lacerated on Thursday, Sept. 17, while unloading peas at Mr. Dayidson's with the hay fork. He had it caught in the

the hay fork. He had it caught in the pulley.

The "Patent Reversable Harrow Tooth and Clip" swindler has been in Milverton vicinity and in consequence W. H. Dorland and Mr. Upton have been relieved of some of their hard earned cash.

Mr. Oslar, has been retained by the

earned cash.

Mr. Osler has been retained by the petitioner against Mr. Trow's election in South Perth. Curious reyelations will come to light at the trial, in which many prominent men in Mitchell, Stratford, and St. Marys will figure.

The lumber business under Wm. Mc-Donald's efficient management has grown to such proportions that he is grown to such proportions that he is now having a siding run into his yard at Newton for the better accommoda-tion of himself and his customers. Up to the present date he has unloaded be-tween thirty and forty car loads here

year, succumbed to an illness that had troubled him for a number of years. He came to this country in 1839, and settled on lot 1, con. 4, Logan, the following year. The respect and esteem in which he was held was evinced by the large concourse of friends and neighbors who assembled to pay the last tribute to one who was always ready to lend a hand to his fellow beings. His family numbered four, only two of whom survive—Michael Collins and Mrs. E. Brown.

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Huron County Notes.

Morris Branch fall show will be held at Blyth on Oct. 8th and 9th.

Ethel has a new livery stable now, managed by Ephraim Cober. He keeps three horses and outifts.

Bluevale is to have a gala day on Sept. 26th. Liberal prizes will be given for baseball, footbal and other sports.

We regret to learn of the death of Henry Waters, of Egmondville, which occurred on Tueslay night of last

week.

Miss Marie Casson, daughter of Rev.
Mr. Casson, Seaforth, left the other day
for Cobourg, where she is taking a term
at the Ladies' College.
On Sunday, Sept. 13, while moving
about the house, Mrs. Mountcastle, of
Clinton, had the misfortune to fall
down and break herthigh bone.

Mr. Block, who has a successfully.

Mr. Black, who has so successfully operated the grist/mill at Gorrie, has bought the Wroteter mill and commenced operations last week.

Charles Chisholn, who went to St.
Thomas with the Goderich volunteers,
won the prize for the best target marksman in the saic company. Bravo, Charlie.

Charlie.

Messrs. Duff and Stewart, of Bluevale, have manufactured about 80,000 broom handles fer Mr. Thompson, of Teeswater. It tales a good deal of rattling to make 80,000 stocks smooth.

Mrs. M. Raymann, sr., cf Cranbrook, died very suddenly Sept. 11. She was at one of the neighbors the evening before and on her way home took a paralytic stroke and died next day about

noon.
Eleven Councils of the Order of Royal Templars of Temperance of the county of Huron were represented at a meeting for the formation of a District Council held in the Oddfellows hall, Seaforth, last week.

We are pleased to lease that H. I. Strang, B. A., the well-known and popular head master of the Gederich High school, was elected a life member of the West Huron Teachers' Convention, held at Clinton last week. held at Clinton last week.

It is said, to the disgrace of Morris township, that two women who were living in the same house lad a hand-tohand fight not long since and the husband of one of the puglists was an orlooker. This is surely not an evidence of the enlightment of the 19th century

dence of the enlightment of the 19th century.

When returning fromchurch Sunday evening, Sept. 13, a vicious horse grabbed a prominent East Wawanosh lady by the shoulder and shoot her till unconscious before the owner could get it under control. The young lady did not receive any dangerous wounds, but she thinks she had an exceedingly narrow escape from mortal injury.

Here is a novel penalty. Information was laid by the officers of the Salvation Army, Clinton, against a youth named Cassels, on a charge of disturbing the services. The case came up before Reeve Manning, who found the prisoner guilty, but instead of imposing the customary fine, he made him pay the costs and take the pledge to remain sober, a fine to be levied if at any time while in town the prisoner violates his pledge.

The editor of the Expesitor has to

this season.

Rev. Robert Kerr, Rector of St. George's church, St. Catharines, who is well and favorably known in Mitchell, will preach harvest thanksgiving sermons in Trinity church, Mitchell, on Sunday, Sept. 27. The church will be decorated with grain, fruit, etc., for the decorated with grain, fruit, etc., for the occasion. Next evening a festival will be held in the town hall, at which interesting addresses will be given.

The editor of the Expesitor has to thank Robert Jamieson, the genial proprietor of the Golden Licn store, Seaforth, for a "sprig of shillaly," in the shape of a genuine black thorn cane, direct from Ireland, which Mr. Jamieson brought with him on his recent return from the old country. We presume it is intended as a convenient and it is intended as a convenient and it is settled in his very comfortable. prietor of the Golden Licn store, Seaforth, for a "sprig of shillaly," in the shape of a genuine black thorn cane, direct from Ireland, which Mr. Jamies on brought with him on his recent son brought with him on his recent return from the old country. We presume it is intended as a convenient and convincing instrument with which to pound political economy into the craniums of recalcitrant Tories at election were implicated gave them courage.

West.

Rev. John. Ross, B. A., is preaching spretted.

Preachers are as a rule very canny. Now they are denouncing the boodlers in great shape, but it is worthy of note that they were mum on the subject of Ottawa boodling until the Quebec scandal came up. The fact that both parties were implicated gave them courage.

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Mrs. Agnes Hay, formerly of Fullarton, relict of the late Wm. Hay, died at Elderslie, near Paisley, on Aug. 22. Deceased and her husband came to Canada in 1821, and settled in the township of Dalhousie, where they remained over twenty years, and then left and went to what was called the Huron tract, when her husband died, having bought 200 acres in the township of Fullarton; she then lived with her oldest son, william. In the meantime a son and daughter went to Paisley and engaged in business and a few years after she went with her.

The price of eggs in England is of market has been closed to us. D. D. Wilson, of Seaforth, recently sold a cable dispatch stated, at 8 shillings per long 100 (10 dozen), about 10 cents per long 100 The price of eggs in England is of

sand a few years after she went with her son who bought some land in Elderslie.

The Revising Barrister for South Perth has fixed the following dates for courts in connection with the revision of the Dominion voters' lists for this riding:—Fullarton, at township hall, on Tuesday, Oct. 6th. Hibbert, at township hall, on Thursday, Oct. 8th. Downie, at township hall, on Saturday, Oct. 10th. Mitchell, at town hall, on Monday, Oct. 12th. Usborne, at township hall, on Tuesday, Oct. 13th. Blanchard, at township hall, on Tuesday, Oct. 13th. Blanchard, at township hall, on Wednesday, Oct. 14th. St. Marys, at fire hall, on Friday, Oct. 16th. The last day for giving notice for additions to or removals from the lists are: Downie, Sept. 26th; Mitchell, 28th; Usborne, 29th; Blanchard 30th; St. Marys, Oct. 2nd. All notices to be sent to E. Sidney Smith, revising barrister, Stratford, and notices have also to be sent to all names appealed against.

Sized eggs.

The action of Ronald vs. the town of Sault Ste. Marie, which was tried at the spring chancery sittings at Goderich, and the contract became the prince of a steam fire entitle well known Brussels manufacturer, of the spring chancery sittings at Goderich, will be remembered as of general inters. Two salt Ste. Marie, which was tried at the spring chancery sittings at Goderich, and the spring chancery sittings at Goderich, and the well known Brussels and interest the well known Brussels manufacturer, of the spring chancery sittings at Goderich, and the membered as of general inters. West Oxford, near Woodstock, had been suddenly killed. He was a younger brother of Samuel Rivers, of this suddenly killed. He was a younger brother of Samuel Rivers, of this place.

On Sunday, 27th inst., at 3 p. m., the membered as delevant fire engine and its appliances and interest thereon, or in the alternative for specific performance of an agreement to purchase the engine by delivering debentures, the Methodist church, where Rev. G. F. Salton will preach the annual Society serior of the pa The action of Ronald vs. the town of

Logan.

Next Sunday Rev. Mr. Brandon will deliver an address to the children. Sub-ject, "Gathering honey."

Mrs. Davey, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Emma, spent last week visiting friends and attending the fair in Goderich.

A meeting of the Missouri Synod is to be held in the Lutheran church on the 6th con. It is to be continued all this week and some twenty ministers are expected to be present.

Mrs. Pride, of Atwood, who has been ill at her mother's for some time has regained her usual health.

A number of people from around here attended the opening of the new Lutheran church at Monkton last Sun-

A new bridge is being built across the creek on Mr. Struthers' side road. At present the road is scarcely pass-

John Whitney, who was one of the old residents of Mornington, died last Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Whitney had suffered for more than two years from cover as well as a convolution. had suffered for more than two years from cancer, as well as a complication of of other diseases, all of which he bore with Christian fortitude and patience, His whole life, indeed, in health as well as in illness, being an example of Christian rectitude. The deceased came to Poole from the eastern provinces in the year 1848. He was twice married, his first wife being a Miss Hunter, a sister of Mrs. Wm. Scott, of Poole, and his second a Miss Coulter, of Milverton. A family of two sons and one daughter survive him. For years before his death deceased was a devoted and consistent member of the Methodist church and his death is generally regretted.

Two cents on the dollar will be the rate of taxation in Brussels this year.

Edison's wonderful phonograph will be one of the attractions of the East Huron fall fair.

Workmen are building the stone wing walls at the south end of the iron bridge at Brussels.

W. Roddick was away on a holiday outing to Oshawa, Cobourg, Rochester, and "round" and got back on Tuesday of

Donegal.

Try THE BEE for the balance of the 25c, only.

David Edgar, wife and family, of Ayr, were visiting friends in this vicinity last week.

Everybody is busy threshing this weather and comments on the big yields of grain are numerous.

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St. 396.

A very successful Sabbath school entertainment was held in the Logan church on Tuesday evening last. Rev. Mr. Tully and Mr. Nethercott, of Mitchell, addressed the audience on Sunday school work; Mr. Hord gave one of his select readings, and besides other recitations well rendered, the choir poured forth in its usual hearty manner, altogether making a very enjoyable evening. The receipts netted \$31.

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his countrymen.

It is reported that W. A. Miller, formerly a brakesman employed on the G.
T. R. here, was killed out on the Montana Central Railroad recently. He was a young man of bright promise and his untimely demise is much to be regretted.

THE Kingsville Reporter tells of a man catching eight fish with four lifts of the line. Guess he was "lyin."

Atwood grain and produce market is beginning to boom. Farmers know where they get the top price and satisfactory dealing.

Mrs. Duncan, an elderly woman was struck by an incoming train on the Goderich track Wednesday morning and was knocked insensible. She was picked up and carried to her home and medical aid summoned but to no avail medical aid summoned, but to no avail. Her skull was fractured. She is not expected to recover.

The Progress of Prohibition.

George Crooks expects to become a resident of Brussels next spring and with that intention has purchased a foluse and lot from T. Watson, sr., of Harriston.

The following extract is from the report of the Executive Committee of the Ontario Branch of the Dominion of Canadiance: "The present position of the prohibition cause in the Province of the Division of the prohibition cause in the Province of the Division of the prohibition cause in the Dominion of Canadia and a very large pupportion of played a match with the home club and associates at their fall fair. The result was a draw, I to I.

A telegram was received here on Thesday, Sept. 8, intimating that Wm. Rivers, who resides on his farm in West Oxford, near Woodstock, had been suddenly killed. He was a Younger brother of Samuel Rivers, of this place, and the prohibition of the suddenly killed. He was a Younger brother of Samuel Rivers, of this place, of the world what it is to be eightly-two years young than forty years of the polymer of the Division of the Prohibition of the Prohibition

COMMUNICATIONS.

Poultry for Profit.

To the Editor of THE BEE.

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Dear Sir.—Which is the most profitable breed of poultry for this climate? Well, now, I am going to give you my opinion on the matter this week and I hope somebody will be kind enough to give me their opinion next week. I have had a good deal of experience with poultry and have found out that there are crosses which are as good if not better than any breed by itself. Now the Brahmas are a good large fowl for the table, but they eat too much and take too much of their time up in setting, instead of laying. The Leghorns and Spanish are too small and hard to fatten and are too tender to stand the winter. The Games are easy kept, always fat, splendid layers and very hardy. Plymouths are too much for setting; the Hamburgs are about the same as the Games only smaller; but taking it all through, I think the Games crossed with any other breed, can cap them all, and if people would try this, they would find a great difference both in the laying and size.

Listowel, Sept. 21st, 1891,

The Methodist Ecumenical Council.

The arresting of a number of young lads for stealing plums had a wholesome effect upon others so inclined.

Archie McIntosh, of Listowel, was the purchaser of the American house, this city. Wednesday, the consideration being \$7,100.

N. P. Buckingham, B. A., a clever young man, and son of Wm. Buckingham, has decided to engage in the practice of his profession as a barrister and solicitor at Boissevain, Man.

A lady of this city is the proud possessor of a clock, all of the works of which are made of wood, that is 150 years old. It is quite a curiosity and keeps excellent time.

While working aboutsome machinery in Porteons & McLagan's furniture factory, Stratford, on Saturday Sept. 12, a boy named Martin Seiferle had stwo fingers on his right hand taken off.

The truant officer is making it quite interesting for those children who prefer playing "poke" to going to school one or two of them have been locked up in the coop and others will be served in a like manner.

W. C. Babcock, of Stratford, has just heard from W. H. Milhain, that the official reports place the proposable out of winter apples this year in Prince Edward County alone at a ½ million barrels. The buyers there are paying "soce per barrel.

Winson Stephano, an Italian scissorigrinder, who has labored in Stratford and vicinity for the past six years in ethat useful capacity, left on Saturday, Sept. 12, for "Sunny Itlay," where he will engage in evangelistic work among his countrymen.

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THE August cheese from the various factories in this locality was shipped Wednesday. 10c. per pound was realized, Newry factory, we understand, receiving a slight advance on this

"Music," he murmured; "and—and—"
"And scrubbing and sweeping, and washing and ironing, and churning and breadmaking, and cleaning dirty pots and
kettles," said Patty, with elaborate distinctness.

"His brother was not murdered," Mr.
Yelverton replied. "Many people thought
so, of course—people have a way of thinking the worst in these cases, not from malice,
but because it is more interesting—and a
tradition to that effect survives still, I am
afraid. But my uncle's family never suspected him of such a crime. The thing was
not legally proved, one way or the other.
There were strong indications in the position
of the gun which lay by his side, and in the
general appearance of the spot where he
was found, that my uncle, Patrick Yelverton, accidentally shot himself; that was
the opinion of the coroner's jury and the
conviction of the family. But poor Kingscote evidently assumed that he would be accused of murder. Perhaps—it is very possible—some rough-tempered action of his
might have caused the catastrophe, and his
myther than the same effect as fear
in prompting him to efface himself;
Anyway, no one who knew him well believed
him capable of doing his brother a mischief
wilfully. His innocence was,
proved by the fact that he married
him capable of doing his brother a mischief
wilfully. His innocence was,
proved by the fact that he married the head
proved by the fact that he married the scaped to London; and, wherever he went
to, he took her with him. She disappeared
a few days after he did, and was lost as
completely, from that time. The record
and circumstances of their marriage were
discovered; and that was all. If would
not have married him—had he been a murderer."

"Do you think not?" said Elizabeth.

"That is always assumed as a matter of

Do you think not?" said Elizabeth. "That is always assumed as a matter of course, in books—that murder and—and other disgraces are irrevocable barriers between those who love each other, when they discover them. But I do not understand why. With such an awful misery to bear, they would want all that their love could give them so much more—not less."

CHAPTER XXV.

OUT IN THE COLD. Paul Brion, meanwhile, plodded on in his

Paul Brion, meanwhile, plodded on in his old groove, which no longer fitted him as it used to do, and vexed the soul of his benevolent landlady with the unprecedented shortness of his temper. She didn't know how to take him, she said, he was that cantankerous and "contrary;" but she triumphantly recognized the result that she had all along expected would follow a long course of turning night into day, and therefore was not surprised at the change in him. "Your brain is overwrought," she said, soothingly, when one day a compunctuous spirit moved him to apologize for his moroseness; "your nervous system is unstrung. You've been going on too long, and you want a spell. You just take a holiday straight off, and go right away, and unstrung. You've been going on too long, and you want a spell. You just take a holiday straight off, and go right away, and don't look at an ink-bottle for a month. It will save you a brain fever, mark my words." But Paul was consistent in his perversity, and refused to take good advice.

Both the control of t

shining sea of heads below. "I have been brought up to other accomplishments."
"Music," he murmured; "and—and—and—and washing and srubbing and sweeping, and washing and ironing, and churning and breadmaking, and cleaning dirty pots and dered brother!" exclaimed Elizabeth, in

and expressive terms. It was her penance, and it did her good. It made her feel that she was genuine in her worthiness, which was the great thing just now; and it made her feel, also, that she was set back in her proper place at Paul Brion's side—or, rather, at his feet. It also comforted her, for some reason, to be able, as a matter of duty, to disgust Mr. Smith. But Mr. Smith, though he was a "new rich" man, and not given to tell people who did not know it what he had been before he got his money, was still a man, and a did not know it what he had been before he got his money, was still a man, and a shrewd man too. And he was not at all disgusted. Very far, indeed, from it. This admirable honesty, so rare in a young person of her sex and charms—this touching confidence in him as a lover and a gentleman—put the crowning grace to Patty's attractions and made her irresistible. Which was not what she meant to do at all.

CHAPTER XXVII.

Some hours carlier on the same evening, Eleanor, dressing for dinner and the ball in her spacious bedroom at Mrs. Duff-Scott's house, felt that she, at any rate, was arming herself for conquest.

Elizabeth came in to lace up her bodice

Elizabeth came in to lace up her bodice— Elizabeth, whose own soft eyes were shin-ing, and who walked across the floor with an elastic step, trailing her long robes be-hind her; and Eleanor vented upon her some of the fancies which were seething in her small head. "Don't we look like brides?" she said, nodding at their reflec-

things are not always what they seem, and, as a matter of fact, the life histories of a large majority of us are made up of just such

CHAPTER XXVIII. WRITE ME AS ONE WHO LOVES HIS FELLOW

MEN. Presently Mrs. Duff-Scott, suitably en Presently Mrs. Duff-Scott, suitably enthroned, and with her younger girls already carried off by her husband from her side, saw Mr. Yelverton approaching her, and rejoiced at the prospect of securing his society for herself and having the tedium of the chaperon's inactivity relieved by sensible conversation. "Ah, so you are here!" she exclaimed cordially; "I thought balls were things quite out of your line." "So they are," he said, shaking hands with her and Elizabeth impartially, without a glance at the latter. "But I consider it a cutty to investigate the customs of the

a glance at the latter. "But I consider it a duty to investigate the customs of the country. I like to look all round when I am about it."

"H-m-that's not saying much.

"H—m—that's not saying much. You don't mean to tell me, I see. Talking of the country—look at Elizabeth's bouquet. Did you think we could raise lilies of the valley like those?"

He bent his head slightly to smell them. "I heard that they did grow hereabouts." he said; and his eyes and Elizabeth's met for a moment over the fragrant flowers that she held between them, while Mrs. Duff-Scott detailed the negligent circumstances of their presentation, which left it a matter of doubt where they came from and for whom they were intended.

"I want to find Mr. Smith," said she; "I fancy he can give us information."

"I fancy he can give us information."
"I don't think so," said Mr. Yelverton;
"he was showing me a lily of the valley in his button-hole just now as a great rarity in

en it flashed across Mrs. Duff-Scott

these parts."

Then it flashed across Mrs. Duff-Scott that Paul Brion might have been the donor, and she said no more.

"Let us go and practise," he said, and straightway they passed down the room, threading a crowd once more, and went upstairs to the gallery, which was a primeval forest in its solitude at this comparatively early hour. "There is no reason why you should dance if you don't like it," he remarked; "we can sit here and look on." Then, when she was comfortably settled in her cushions under the fern trees, he leaned forward and touched her bouquet with a gesture that was significant of the unacknowledged but well-understood intimacy between them. "I am so glad I was able to get them for you," he said; "I wanted you to know what they were really like—when you told me how much your mother had loved them."

"I can't thank you," she replied.
"Do not," he said. "It is for me to thank you for accepting them. I wish you could see them in my garden at Yelverton. There is a dark corner between two gables of the house where they make a perfect carpet in April."

She lifted those she held to her face, and sniffed luxuriously.

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CHAPTER XXIX.

shoulder, and there let herself loose from all restraint. "You know what is the matter," she sobbed; "you know as well as I do what is the matter—that it is Paul Brion who worries me so and makes me so utterly wretched."

"Paul Brion! He worry you, Patty—he make you wretched?"

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"You have always been delicate and considerate, Elizabeth—you have never said anything—but I know you know all about it, and how spoiled I am, and how spoiled everything is because of him. I hate to talk of it—I can't bear even you to see that I am fretting about him—but I can't help it! and I know you understand. When I have had just one good cry, "she concluded, with a fresh and viblent burst of tears, "perhaps I shall geton better."

Elizabeth stared at the wall over her sister's head in dumb amazement, evidently not deserving the credit for perspicacity accorded to her. "Do you mean," she said slowly, "do you really mean—"

"No," said Patty, "he will never think I was so disgusting as to think that of him. But it is as bad as if he did. That at least was a great, outrageous, downright wrong, worth fighting about, and not the ritified.

was a great, outrageous, downright wrong, worth fighting about, and not the pitiful shabby thing that it appears to him.

CHAFTER XXX.

THE OLD AND THE NEW

"My dear," she said, in desperation,
whatever you do, you must not begin to
ask questions of that sort. We can never
find out the answers, and it leads to endless find out the answers, and it leads to endless trouble. God's ways are not as our ways—we are not in the secrets of His providence. It is for us to trust fim to know what is best. If you admitted doubt, Elizabeth, you will see that everything will go. Thousands are finding out that now-a-days, to their bitter cost. Indeed, I don't know what we are coming to—the 'general overthrow,' I suppose. I hope I, at any rate, shall not live to see it. What would life be worth to us—any of us, even the best off.

worth to us—any of us, even the best off— if we lost our faith in God and our hope of immortality? Just try to imagine it for a Elizabeth looked at her mentor, who had

Elizabeth looked at her mentor, who had again risen and was walking about the room. The girl's eyes were full of solemn thought. "Not much,' she replied, gravely. "But I was never airaid of losing faith in God." When it was all over, Elizabeth put on her hat and valked back through the patterning with the Must be streat the average of the patterning with the Must be streat the same heart of the streat th tering rain to Myrtle street, heavy-hearted and heavy-fosted, as if a weight of twenty years had been laid on her since the morn-

ing.
"Patty," she said, when her sister "Patty," she said, when her sister, warmly welcoming her return, exclaimed at her pale face and weary air, and made her take the soft that Eleanor had vacated, "Patty, let us go away for a few weeks, shall we? I want a breath of fresh air, and to be in peace and quiet for a little, to think things over."

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"So do I" said Patty. "So does Nelly. Let us write to Sam Dunn to find Nelly. Let us WING us lodgings."
CHAPTER XXXI.

and horror. "In the middle of the exhibi-

and horror. "In the middle of the exhibition—and a parliamentary crisis coming on
—it would be quite impossible!"

"I don't know—I don't know. I fancy
'impossible' is not a word you will find in
his dictionary," said the old gentleman encouragingly. "When he hears of our little
arrangement, he'll want to take a hand, as
the Yankees say. He won't like to be left
out—no, no." out—no, no."

The polite old man looked as if he were

The polite old man looked as if he were scarcely equal to the weight of the honor and pleasure they conferred upon him. He was excessively happy. As the hours and days went on, his happiness increased. His punctilious courtesy merged more and more into a familiar and paternal devotion that took all kinds of tooking shares; and he into a familiar and paternal devotion that took all kinds of touching shapes; and he felt more and more at a loss to express adequately the tender solicitude and profound satisfaction inspired in his good old heart by the sojourn of such charming guests within his gates. To Patty he became especially attached; which was not to be wondered at seeing how assentials he was especially attached; which was not to be wondered at, seeing how susceptible he was and how lavishly she exercised her fascinations upon him. She walked to his office with him in the morning; she walked to meet him when he came hastening back in the afternoon; she read the newspaper (containing Paul's peerless articles) to him in the evening, and mixed his modest glass of grog for him before he went to bed. In short, she made him understand what it was to have a charming and devoted daughter, though she had no design in doing sono motive but to gratify her affection for Paul in the only way open to her. So the old gentleman was very happy—and so were they.

they.

"Let's see," he said one evening, a few days after their arrival; "I suppose you have been to the caves too often to care to

have been to the caves too often to care to go again?"

"No," said Elizabeth; "we have never been to the caves at all."

"What—living within half-a-dozen miles of them all your lives! Well, I believe there are many more like you. If they had been fifty miles away, you would have gone about once a twelvemonth."

"No, Mr. Brion; we were never in the habit of going sight-seeing. My father seldom left the house, and my mother only when necessary; and we had no one else to take us."

"Then I'll take you and me will see the service of the service

take us."

"Then I'll take you, and we will go temorrow. Mrs. Harris shall pack us a basket
for lunch, and we'll make a day of it. Dear,
dear, what a pity Paul couldn't be here, to
go with us." go with us The next morning, which was brilliantly

The next morning, which was brilland, fine, brought the girls an anxiously-expected letter from Mrs. Duff-Scott. Sam Dunn, who was an occasional postman for the letter from Mrs. Duff-Scott. Sam Dunn, who was an occasional postman for the solitary house, delivered it, along with a present of fresh fish, while Mr. Brion was absent in the township, negotiating for a buggy and horses for his expedition. The fairy godmother had given but a grudging permission for this villeggiatura of theirs, and they were all relieved to have her assurance that she was not seriously vexed with them. Her envelope was inscribed to "Miss King," but the long letter enclosed was addressed to

Comp'ny's Coming.

Ma, she's dreadful busy a-hurryin' round the house,
An' boys are in the way, she says—0, mercy!
what a touse!
I can't sit here, I can't sit there, or even whittle a stick,
Without I hear this same old cry, "Move out o' the way there, quick."

O, what's a fellow to do, and where's a fellow

whats a reliow to do, and where's a fellow to go?

And how can he keep on living when his mother treats him so!

But she wants me round the house an' keeps me jest a running
On errands o' hers—'cause why? Why comp'ny's coming!

It's awful to be a boy when you're the only With just a little sister or two-it ain't no kind of fun.
It's downright mean—that's what it is—to keep
me flyin'so—
Upstairs, down cellar an' out to the barn—
"Here, Johnnie, shovel the snow!"

Johnnie, bring in the wood-box full an' run an' gather the eggs." Or, "Idn an' gather the eggs,"
Johnnie, run down to the grocery store!"
That this house moves on, now I tell you—an'
they're forever running,
But more especially days like this, 'cause why?

humming never I know by the way ma acts, that there's some comp'ny coming! -Our Little Men and Women

VICTORIA ON THE MOVE.

It Costs the English Queen a Nice Little Sun to Go Visiting.

Many times, says a writer in "Frank Leslie's," I have seen items in the American papers which said that the Queen of England travelled very plainly; that her private carriage was no better than any other first-class English carriage. I wish right here to say that these reports are based upon no authentic evidence. An official of the Midland road took me into the Queen's carriage as it stood in St. Pancras 1 tation, and I as it stood in St. Pancras itation, and I must say it is as fine as any Pullman car ever built—and that is saying a good deal. The walls of the saloon are of satinwood, highly polished. The cushions are of white silk, embroidered in gold thread. A garter containing her motto, "Honisoit qui mal y pense," surrounds her initials, V. R. Her large chair—and it is a large one, too—is at the back of the carriage and faces the engine. At her hand is a silver plate in which are electric annunciators, pressing upon which as it stood in St. Pancras station, and electric annunciators, pressing upon which she can call her different attendants who occupy another compartment. Three other easy chairs are in her compartment, besides a satin wood table about six feen long and three feet wide, upon which are piled the latest English, French. German and American periodicals. The carpet is of velvet, and in a good state of preservation considering. in a good state of preservation, considering it has been in use for over fifteen years.

The curtains at the windows and The curtains at the windows and a portiere are hung on silver poles.

The door handles are solid silver, and the whole saloon has the appearance of solid luxury. Victoria, herself, selected the furhings, which are said to pattern after the ite drawing-room at Windsor castle mishings, which are said to pattern after the white drawing-room at Windsor castle. The whole saloon with fittings cost between \$30,000 and \$35,000. The carriage is about half the length of the ordinary American railroad car. At first sight the carriage impressed me as being gaudy, but this idea wore away in a moment. The railway official informed me that the Queen paid about \$1.90 per mile for travelling, besides first class fares for every one in her party. As class fares for every one in her party. A motion was in a position to know, this explodes other reports that the Queen and her suit always travel free.

The Mannlicher Rifle. The recent fighting in Chili has been watched with a great deal of interest by army and navy officers the world over, because it is the first war in which modern of small calibre have been used Congressionalist army was furnished the Mannlicher rifle. This modern arm of precision takes a cartridge about the arm of precision takes a cartriage about the size of an ordinary cigarette, which is charged with an explosive aptly described as the "first consin to gun cotton." The projectile is a slender missile of steel, nearly two inches long, and but three-tenths of an inch in diameter, covered with a thin coat of copper—which, being an inch in diameter, covered with a thin coat of copper—which, being soft, allows the projectile to follow the rifling of the barrel ways. with less wear to the gun. These long, thin, steel messengers of death were hurled at Balmaceda's troops at the rate of 40 to 60 shots per minute, with such effect that at Balmaceda's troops at the rate of 40 to 60 shots per minute, with such effect that single bullets frequently went through two or three men at a time. The warfare of the future will be conducted with small calibre arms of a type similar to the Mannlicher. Had the Union armies in the rebellion been furnished with such arms, the Southern Confederacy would have collapsed within a year. Flesh and blood cannot stand the pitiless rain of these steel prowithin a year. Flesh and blood cannot stand the pitiless rain of these steel projectiles, fired from a rifle which is effective at a mile's distance.—Toledo Blade.

What Women are Buying.

Openwork jet belts. Persian figured batistes. New velvour table covers. Windsor ties of silk canvas. Turkish embroidered d'oylies.
Silk maslins in chintz designs.
Pale lettuce-green suede gloves.
Bordered satin-striped curtains. Summer mantles of colored crepon. Belts of snake skin highly polished Fall dresses of brown and navy-blue. Coque fans edged with jet nailheads. Aigrettes tipped with peacock's eyes. Figured silks having diagonal effects. Turkish printed cottons for draperies White sude gauntlets bound with tan.

Lace, crepe and chiffon ruches and bo
or the neck.—Dry Goods and Fashions.

The General Manager of the Northeast-ern Railway of England, resigned recently after a long term of service with the company. He was thereupon made a director of the company and given a present of \$50,000 in recognition of his services. pany. of the

PUTTING UP PEACHES.

Delicious Dainties for One's Sweet-Tooth

in Winter-Peach Sweets and Pickles.

That this house moves on, now I tell you—an' they're forever running.

But more especially days like this, 'cause why? Why, comp'ny's coming.

I always have to wait around till the old folks all get through,

An' then take what's left over for me an' try to the generally goes 'bout far enough, but it's lonesome eating alone.

An the nicest part o' the chicken's gone an' they've broke the wishing-bone.

An' the biggest piece o' cake is took an' the frosting's tumbled off.

An' the nuts an' apples is mighty scarce, an' they've mussed the table-cloth.

O, dear! I think it's awful! it sets my head a humming

Whenever I know by the way me acte. seives in the sun; turn the peaches occasionally, so that they may dry evenly as the syrup runs from them; protect the fruit from the dust and expose it every day to the sun until it is dry enough to pack in wooden boxes, with sugar dusted between the layers; keep it in a cool, dry place.

OLD-FASHIONED PEACH PICKLE. Weigh sound peaches—allow half their weight of sugar—and to seven pounds of fruit, three pints of vinegar, half an ounce each of stick cinnamon and allspice, two blades of mace and half a dozen cloves stuck into each peach after they are carefully brushed and pricked with a large needle; steam the peaches with a straw will pierce brushed and pricked with a large needle steam the peaches urtil a straw will pierce them and put them in jars; boil the vinegar, sugar and spice for five minutes; pour them hot over the peaches and seal the jars at once.

Allow a quart of molasses for each peck Allow a quart of molasses for each peck of peaches, and enough water to cover the peaches; peel the peaches if they are so preferred, or only remove the pits; boil the peaches in water for about fifteen minutes, then add the molasses and mine to teste. then add the molasses and spice to taste; stir often enough to prevent aticking, and slowly cook the peaches until a smooth pulp is formed; cool it and keep it in a dry place closed from the air.

PEACH PULP

Peel perfectly ripe, sound peaches, mash them through a colander or coarse sieve with the potato-masher or a wooden spoon and spread the pulp thus prepared about with the potato-masher or a wooden spoon and spread the pulp thus prepared about a half-inch thick upon a smoothe, clean board, on a marble pastry slab or on large platters. Expose the pulp to the sun. When it is properly dried dust it with fine sugar, roll it up and inclose it in paper.

PEACH PLATES.

Peel and mash ripe peaches through a sieve, mix with the pub one-fourth its weight of light-brown sugar and stew them together three minutes after they begin to boil; then spread the preserve on the plates, making it nearly an inch thick, and every day set the plates in the sun where no dust can gather until the preserve is nearly dry. day set the plates in the sun where no dust can gather until the preserve is nearly dry, turning it as it dries. When the peach pulp cleaves away from the plates freely dust it with fine sugar, lay it with paper between in paper or wooden boxes and keep it in a dry, cool place.—Chicago News.

Boys, Don't be Cheated.

Boys, would you like to be cheated? No, you would not. Then be careful. Not only keep a sharp lookout that others do not cheat you, but be very careful lest you cheat yourselves. There are hundreds of boys who are trying to persuade themselves into the belief that tobacco and beer are good for them—that it is smart to chew tobacco, to smoke cigars, to hang around saloons, and drink beer; but, oh, how woefully they are cheating themselves!

fully they are cheating themselves! Would you like to smell like an old, strong pipe? Would you like to be a man walking around with war walking around with war walking around with walking around walking around walking around with walking around walking strong pipe: Would you like to be a man walking around with your mouth and beard all besmeared with filthy, stinking tobacco spittle? Would you like to be a More care is necessary. loathsome, blear-eyed, bloated, drunken old beer-drinker. No, you would not. But there are a great many such men in every city and town. Once they were nice clean, bright, happy boys like you are. How did they become so degraded, loathsome, and filthy? Why, when they were boys like.

More care is necessary in the use of a gun in a boat than elsewhere; the limited space, confined action and uncertain motion making it dangerous at the best. If possible, no more than two persons should occupy a boat, they become so degraded, loathsome, and filthy? Why, when they were boys like.

Always clean your cun thoroughly a soon city and town. Once they were nice clean, bright, happy boys like you are. How did they become so degraded, loathsome, and filthy? Why, when they were boys like you, they cheated themselves into the belief that it was a nice, smart, manly thing to chew, smoke, and drink beer, and now they are what they are

are what they are.

Boys, resolve to be a little too smart to cheat yourselves like that. The most silly, senseless, stupid cheat is the boy who cheats himself in that way. Don't do it, boys, don't. - Selected.

In the World's Biggest City.

English railways earn over \$3,750,000 About \$1,000,000 worth of articles are pawned in London every week.

London theatres issue something like 50,000 free passes every year. The street accidents in London last year numbered 5,728, of which 144 were fatal.

A carrier pigeon taken from the vicinity of Berlin to London, having escaped, flew direct to its old home.

Over thirty-five tons of documents de-posited at the British Public Record Office have just been destroyed, as of no

The Willing Patient.

Mudge (who has sworn off)—Doctor, I stepped on a banana peel and received a pretty hard fall. I am afraid I have broken

\$50,000 in recognition of his services.

It is said a combine is being formed by the type founders of the United States, with a capital of \$18,000,000

The skeleton of a gigantic man, measuring feet 6 inches in height, was found near the Jordan River, just outside Salt Lake in Fleet street, London, eleven of which are dailies.

FALL PLOUGHING BEFORE MARKETING CROP

A Method Which Will Assist Manitobans to

in Winter—Peach Sweets and Pickles.

For crystallized peaches weigh peaches that have been peeled and quartered and allow one-fourth their weight of sugar for the peaches, sugar and enough water to cover the bottom of the kettle over the fire and cook them slowly until they can be pierced with a straw; take the peaches from the syrup with a skimmer, roll each piece in dry, granulated sugar, and lay them a little apart upon sieves or dishes; they must be protected from dust, sun and flies, and kept in a current of dry, warm air; turn the peaches several times a day, and as they dry dust more sugar over them until they are quite free from moisture and look like other crystallized fruit. Pack the peaches in layers in wooden boxes with white paper between them, and keep them in a dry place.

Peace Figs.

Aveid Summer Frosts.

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The yield this year will be enormously large and will grade well, notwithstanding fall that has been said of the frosts; in addition, prices promise to rule fairly high. There are store bills to pay, mortgages to be met and implement dealers to be reckoned with. The temptation will be great to thresh and market as fast as possible to meet these demands, and to realize the pleasure of a handsome surplus that will remain to the farmer. The crop is so heavy that the whole fall season could be more than exhausted in disposing of it. But let not the temptation draw the farmers away from the importance of attending to their fall ploughing. In the end that will be better for them and for all others concerned, unless it is indeed to sit down content with this season's crop. But no one will do that. There is another year coming, and the prudent will prepare for it. If the threshing and ploughing together no one will do that. There is another year coming, and the prudent will prepare for it. If the threshing and ploughing together cannot be done, let the threshing go and attend to the other. The threshing will keep, but the ploughing will not. It is a waste of opportunities to throw the latter over until the spring, which has its own demands and necessities. A few weeks will make little difference to anyone in the marketing of the present crop, but they marketing of the present crop, but they may make a very vast difference in the extent and growth and maturity of that of next season. There is another consideration, however. The wheat market is strangely unsettled, and it is difficult for a novice to follow and understand it; but there is one thing the most inexperienced of us can comprehend. There is an unusual shortage in the world's construction. shortage in the world's supply, and the natural effect of this condition will be to enhance prices. From a view of the whole situation as it appears in the light of comsituation as it appears in the light of common sense, it seems reasonably certain that the Northwest farmer who allows his threshing to stand while he devotes all the time necessary to his fall ploughing will not only be better prepared for next year, but will find better prices prevailing when he comes to market the crop of this year. But even if this were not to be the experience, the preparation for next year will find its own recompense: The farmer who works with his head as well as his hands will vastly prefer to take the chance of the market two prefer to take the chance of the market two or three months hence than to neglect the work necessary to give him a good start next spring. This much can be said withnext spring. next spring. This much can be said with-out advising or being understood to advise farmers to hold off their threshing merely in

farmers to hold off their threshing merely in the hope of a rise in prices.

But whatever influence, or inducement, or temptation there may be to the contrary, we would strongly advise all farmers not to neglect their fall ploughing. Their stacks will not run away, and buyers in plenty will be here whenever the wheat is forthcoming; but time lost in the fall in the preparation for next year's seeding cannot be made up in the spring. Instead of waiting for the frost to get out of the ground in the spring to permit of ploughing, the seed should be in and growing, and making all possible haste towards maturity against the coming of that unpropitious period in the late summer that is always attended with anxiety if nothing else.—Winnipeg Free Press.

HOW TO HANDLE GUNS.

Advice Which Boys and Many Old People Should Heed.

Having been asked by friends frequently for advice for their boys in handling guns, says a writer in "Forest and Stream" I send you a digest of same. Perhaps, as the shooting season will now be on soon, you might think them worth publication:

Empty or loaded, never point a gun towards yourself or any other person.

When a-field, carry your gun at the half-

When a-field, carry your gun at the half-cock. If in cover, let your hand shield the hammers from whipping twigs.

When riding from one shooting ground

When riding from one shooting ground to another, or whenever you have your gun in any conveyance, remove the cartridges, if a breech-loader, it being so easy to replace them. If a muzzle-loader, remove the caps, brush off the nipples, and place a wad on nipple, letting down the hammers on wads—simply removing caps sometimes leaves a little fulminate on the nipple

Lucky Lord Roseberry.

The London Evening News and Post says:
"To him that hath shall be given' might the Earl of Roseberry well cry. By the death of his stepfsther, the Duke of Cleveland, he succeeds to the Battle estate in Sussex, which is worth over £7,000 a year—to say nothing of the famous Abbey, and the right of presentation to the peculiar deanery of Battle, an ecclesiastical office which, like the deanery of Bucking in Essex, and of Stamford, is exempt from all external jurisdiction. Lord Roseberry has been lucky all his life. He came into £25,000 a year of his own right before he was of age; he married the only child of Baron Meyer Rothchild, who brought him landed estates and money in millions; and now he caps his good luck by coming into the Duke's Sussex property. There will be rejoicing in the Gladstonian camp, for the Earl of Roseberry, with the exception of the late Lord Wolverton, helped financially more than any other peer the Home Rule candidates in the 1886 election; and thus far age has not withered his admiration for the G. O. M., in whose last Ministry the Earl, as Foreign Secretary, was one of the few Ministers who did not make a mess of it.

pretty nard fail. I am arraid I have bloading my wrist.

Dr. Bowless—Let me see. No, there is nothing broken. Just bathe your wrist in whiskey four or five times a day and you will be all right.

Mudge—Er—doctor, hadn't I better be carefully examined for internal injuries, too?

BACHELOR TAXING.

Wyoming Women Abusing Their Newly Acquired Privileges.

The new states are full of fads and fancies, and it is impossible to suggest any legislation that they are not willing to try. Wyoming is the latest in the experimental line, having just passed a law placing a tax of \$2 a year on all bachelors over thirty, the manifest purpose being to compel them to get married. Wyoming is a great state for women and has a high admiration for the weaker sex, but is not this carrying it a little too far? It has granted women the the weaker sex, but is not this carrying it a little too far? It has granted women the right of suffrage and the right to sit on juries, and this new anti-bachelor law is regarded as a natural sequence of female voting. Of course, the women like the law and Kate Field speaking for them, says of it.

of it:
"Whether the fact that women vetc "Whether the fact that women veto there has anything to do with this new departure I don't know, but why isn't it a just tax! Society says to a woman: It is your business to be married as soon after you have made your debut as possible. Otherwise you'll be called an old maid, than which there can be no epithet more odious. But you can't choose a husband. That would be most unwomanly. You must wait to be asked. * * Just so long as women are taunted for living in single to be asked. * * * Just so long as women are taunted for living in single blessedness, just so long ought unmarried men to be taxed. This tax ought to begin at the age of 30 and doubled every five

This is a feminine view of the matter, but This is a feminine view of the matter, but a very silly one. It would be silly in any state. It is especially so in Wyoming, where there is a large excess of males in the population, and where it is impossible for all the men to marry, even if they wished to, as there are not enough women to go round. It is true that women might be imported for this purpose, but a large proportion of the men of Wyoming cannot afford this, or do not care to try this "pig in the poke" business, and engage themselves to women before they see them.

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In no State in the Union do women have greater opportunities and privileges than in Wyoming. They have been given the elective franchise, they have been placed on a perfect equality with men on all questions of right and privilege, and they have no trouble in picking husbands for themselves, for no woman goes to Wyoming who is not trouble in picking husbands for themselves, for no woman goes to Wyoming who is not besieged by admirers. Under such circumstances it is more than unreasonable that men should be taxed for not marrying when there are no women for them to

marry.

The law, moreover, seemes to be thoroughly deficient in sentiment, for it refuses to take into consideration the fact that a man may not be able to get the girl he wants, but tells him that if he fails with Mary, he must at once try his fortune with

liberties, that is becoming so common now-a-days as to attract no surprise whatever. The Gevernment has undertaken to regulate

It is, indeed, a surprise that no attemp It is, indeed, a surprise that no attempt has been made to renew the curfew laws; but we suppose that the women who are in control of Wyoming will re-enact this at an early day, and require the men whom they have compelled to get married to be home at 9 at night and not linger too late at the lodge.—New Orleans Times-Demo-

LOOKING FOR ISLANDS.

A British Fleet Bunting New Territory in the Pacific Ocean.

It is reported that Great Britain has It is reported that Great Britain has a naval expedition in the Pacific for the purpose of "discovering" and annexing islands that belong to nobody in particular except the inhabitants. The officers of the expedition have recently hoisted the British flag over the lovely island of Labreton, lying near the Phillipines. It is said that this year they have added at least half a dozen islands to Her Britannic Majesty's dominion, though they have failed to keep dozen islands to Her Britannic majesty of dozen islands to Her Britannic majesty dominion, though they have failed to keep the rest of the world informed of their pro-The German explorers who have ying to rival the British have met

The stooped man smiled and got up.

"Come," said the speaker, still more importunate, "you're not going to get up, are you? If she thinks she's equal to a man let her stand. Give her a dose of her own medicine." portunate.

But Mrs. Lease had taken the man's seat. greatly to the discomfort of the other, who wanted to see her stand. Next day he met

wanted to see her stand. Next day he met the stranger on the street.

"Hello!" he said, "you'se the man that gave up your seat to Mr. Lease. You missed a good chance to take her down a little. There wasn't another man in the car who would have given way. Wasn't impolite, you know. Just a little joke. What made you get up? Dil she hypnotize you?"

you?"
"See here," said the man addressed, "I guess you don't know me."
"Can't say that I do. Who are you?"
"I'm Mr. Lease."

A bill has recently been introduced into the Prussian Parliament which provides that every person adjudged to be an habitual drunkard shall be put under the care of a guardian, who shall be held responsible for him.

-There are 350 v canoes

SUSPENDED ANIMATION, OR FRAUD. Mindoo Anchorite Boxed up for Dead for Forty Days.

Forty Days.

My first acquaintance with the narrative dates from my boyhood. About the time of the occurrence I heard it related by my father, and his authority was the well-known General Avitable, Runjeet Singh's right-hand man, who was present. Those facts are that a certain "joghee" (Hindoo anchorite), said to possess the power of suspending at will and resuming the animation of his body, was sent for by Runjeet suspending at will and resuming the animation of his body, was sent for by Runjeet Singh, and declining to obey was brought by force into the tyrant's presence and ordered to give, under pain of death, a practical proof of his supposed power. He submitted perforce. He was put by his disciples through certain processes, during which he became perfectly unconscious; the pulses ceased, his breath did not stain a polished mirror, and a European doctor who was present declared that the heart had ceased to beat. To all appearances he was as dead as Queen Anne. the heart had ceased to beat. To all appearances he was as dead as Queen Anne. In this state he was put into a carefully made box, the lid was closed, and sealed with Runjeet Singh's own signet ring. The box was buried in a vault prepared in an open plot of ground under the royal windows at Lahore, and the place was guarded day and night by Runjeet's own guards under General Avitable's own supervision. Sun and rain came and grass sprang up. Sun and rain came and grass sprang up, grew, and withered on the surface over the grave, and the sentries went their rounds, and the joghee's disciplas and friends were and the jognee's disciplas and friends were all kept under careful surveillance, not to call it imprisonment. After forty days, in Runjeet Singh's own presence, the vault was uncovered and the box extracted from it with its seals intact. It was opened, and showed the joghee within precisely as he had been placed. He was taken out, dead still, to all appearance, but the body still, to all appearance, but the body incorrupt. His deciples were now brought to manipulate the body in the manner which he had taught them, and which he had publicly explained before his burial. He revived, as he had said he would, and was soon in as perfect health as when he had soon in as perfect health as when he had suspended his life. He refused all gifts, and retired to his former retreat, but shortly afterward he and his disciples disappeared. It was not safe for such a man to live jurisdiction of so inquisitive and jurisdiction of so inquisitive and arbitary a ruler. Runjeet Singh cared little for human life, which was his toy or plaything. No one who knows his historical character will for a moment admit that he would let himself be deceived or played upon in a matter on moment admit that he would let himself be deceived or played upon in a matter on which he had set his heart. Each scene—the suspension of life, the burial, the disinterment, the reviving—took place in the tyrant's own presence and before hundreds of spectators in open daylight, and with every precaution that absolute despotic nower could command. Runjegt eared little Ann.

As for the interference with rights and liberties, that is becoming so common nowadays as to attract no surprise whatever. The Gevernment has undertaken to regulate by laws, the morals of the community and private life.

It is, indeed a surprise the second of the community and private life.

TALKS WITH GIRLS.

The Kind of Man Who Makes Home

Happy.

It isn't the man who tries to flirt with every pretty girl he sees.

It isn't the man who thinks more of his mustache and white hands than he does of anything else in the whole wide world, unless it is his clothes and polished boots.

It isn't the man who is contented to have no business on his mind that he can shirk out of, and who is willing to depend for support on "father."

It isn't the man who is an eloquent, graceful talker among friends and whose family

It isn't the man who is an eloquent, graceful talker among friends and whose family never hear a civil answer from his lips.

It isn't the man who hurries ahead of you up the elevated steps, leaving you to climb wearily up as best you can, and who is not solicitous as to whether you s't or stand.

In short, the only man who can really make home a paradise on earth for a woman is the man who loves her so well he is ever solicitous for her every comfort; who thinks of herwelfare before he does of his own, and who has a love for his mother, his sisters, and the home of his boyhood.—Young

on nipple, letting down the hammers on wads—simply removing caps sometimes the leaves a little fulminate on the nipple, and a blow on the hammer when down discharges it.

Never draw a gun toward you by the barrels.

More care is necessary in the use of a gun in a boat than elsewhere; the limited space confined action and uncertain motion making it dangerous at the best. If possible, no more than two persons should occupy a boat. Hammerless guns are a constant danger to persons boating.

Always clean your gun thoroughly as soon as you return from a day's sport, no matter how tired you feel; the consequence of its always being ready for service is ample return for the few minutes' irksome labor.

Lucky Lord Roseberry.

The London Evening News and Post says:

"To him that hath shall be given' might the Earl of Roseberry well cry. By the death of his stepfsther, the Duke of Cleveland, he succeeds to the Battle estate in Sussex, which is worth over £7,000 a year-to say nothing of the famous Abbey, and the right of presentain to the peculiar deanery of Battle, an ecclesiastical office which, like the deanery of Battle, an ecclesiastical office which, like the deanery of Battle, an ecclesiastical office which, like the deanery of Battle, an ecclesiastical office which, like the deanery of Battle, an ecclesiastical office which, like the deanery of Battle, an ecclesiastical office which, like the deanery of Battle, an ecclesiastical office which, like the deanery of Battle, an ecclesiastical office which, like the deanery of Battle, an ecclesiastical office which, like the deanery of Battle, an ecclesiastical office which, like the deanery of Battle, an ecclesiastical office which, like the deanery of Battle, an ecclesiastical office which, like the deanery of Battle, an ecclesiastical office which, like the deanery of Battle estate in the sease time a man in the corner started of the word, sad previously gained in the Marrel Post the with have more with which have method the British have method the British have method

Awful Possibility!

"When will I get my divorce?" asked Hostetter McGinnis of a prominent New York lawyer.
"The District Court will not convene for

several months, so it may be three months before you get your divorce from your better half."

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"Three months! By that time I may
"Three months! For with Sarah. For have had a reconciliation with Sarah. For heaven's sake, hurry up things, and save me from the fate worse than death."—Texas Siftings:

A Satisfactory Explanation.

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Mr. Greenough—It seems to me that was pretty light ton of coal you sent to my house to-day, Mr. Coke.

Coal dealer—Why, that load was of the best quality, sir; full of gas and tar, you know, and those things don't weigh much.

Mr. Greenough—Oh, excuse me; I had orgotten that.

The Sultan of Morocco has directed that young girls shall no longer be publicly sold in the markets of Fez and other towns.

orgo tten that

—San Francisco's cable system is greater by fifty miles than that of any other city.



R. S. PELTON. PUBLISHER.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1891.

WE were surprised the other day to learn that Atwood's postmaster receiv ed no rent from the P.O. Department for his office accommodation. Upon enquiry he informed us that the Department allowed no rent to offices not transacting over \$800 business yearly. This is surely a new departure in conducting public business, and, to our mind, decidedly unjust. Why should a postmaster furnish public accommodation free, while others receive rent, on the ground that their offices do more than \$800 business? It is a conundrum that justice and reason play no part in either propounding or solving.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

mills on the dollar.

Crossley and Hunter began revival services in Paris last Sunday.

An ingenious Yankee has invented a machine for producing rain.

A 75 lb. salmon from British Columbia was one of the attractions at the Toronto fair.

Cardinal Manning has been ordered to ease all kind of work on account of age and failing health.

R. Murray, 10th line, East Zorra, has young apple tree in full bloom. This is a rare occurrence.

The Alliston Herald says that an Agdala farmer has had six hundred bushels of barley from twelve acres of

Rev. W. H. Gane, pastor of the Methodist church, Amherstburg, Ont., has been admitted to a course of post-graduate study in Otterbein University,

Mr. Montague, London, has a Craw-ford peach tree, seven years old from the seed, which this year bears a magnificent crop of luscious fruit, the admiration of the whole neighborhood.

Isaac Groff, Waterloo, recently shipped for the old country markets a cargo of 860 sheep, weighing on an average 162 pounds. This was the finest lot of sheep shipped from Montreal for years, and were purchased from farmers in Waterloo, Wellington and Peel.

Mrs. Donold Patience, of East Nis Mrs. Donold Patience, or East Nissouri, received information the other day from Roderick Scott, Solicitor, of 42 Union street, Inverness, Scotland, that through the death of a cousin she had fallen heir to the estate of her uncle, Colin Reid, with whom she lived for a number of years when a little girl.

A "Chicago detective agency" is flood-A "Chicago detective agency" is flooding the country with circulars in which they inform their readers that for \$10 they will secure the appointment of the victim as a detective to work at the world's fair. The offer is a swindle pure and simple, and a bit of good advice is, if you have \$10 to lose, tie it up in something else.

Captain Hays had a peculiar experience when checking his baggage at Seaforth for St. Thomas. A young lady claimed his trunk and wanted it checked for Wingham. She could not be persuaded that she was mistaken until Cantain Hays, organd the trunk of the could not be persuaded that she was mistaken until Cantain Hays, organd the trunk of the could not be persuaded that she was mistaken until the could not be persuaded that she was mistaken until the could not be persuaded that the could not be persuaded that she was mistaken until the could not be persuaded to the persuaded that the persuaded not be persuaded to the persuaded not be persuaded to the persuaded not be persuaded not Captain Hays opened the trunk un-packed the contents, and asked the lady to don a "soger" uniform and come to

There is great religious excitement at Sydénham, a village near Kingston. The actions of Free Methodists in the village hal created so much disorder that they were put out of the building. They then went to a vacant field, where a "corset" meeting was held. A bonfire was started and women threw their corsets on the blaze, crying: "We will die as God made us."

STRAYED

TRAYED on the premises of the undersigned, lot 12.con. 15, Elma, on or about the 19th of Sept., 1891, a yearling bull, red in color. Owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take it away.

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SHEEP LOST.

OST, on or about June 15, 1891, three ewes and four lambs from lot 16, con. 5, Elma. One ewe had two lambs; the ewes have pig rings in their left ears, also two lambs have pig rings in their ears. Any person giving information as to their whereabouts will be liberally rewarded.

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THOS. E. HAY,

LOUIS HEIBEIN, Atwood, P. O., Ont.

STRAYED

TRAYED on the premises of the undersigned, lot 34, con. 16, Elma, on or about July 12, 1891, a yearling steer, red, with white spots here and there on the body. The owner is requested to proye property, pay charges, and take it away.

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OTICE is hereby given that a Court will be held pursuant to the Ontario Voters' List Act, 1889, by His Honor the Judge of the County Court of the County of Perth, at Ioerger's hotel, Atwood, on the 8th day of October, 1891, at One o'clock p.m., to hear and determine the several complaints of errors and omissions in the voters' lists of the municipality of Elma for 1891.

NOTICE.

Elma for 1891, All persons having business at the Court are required to attend at the said time and place.

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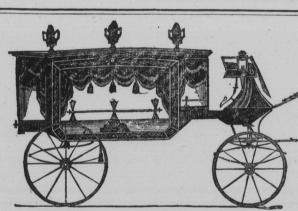
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PARTIES who have been over the country, state that a much larger area than usual is being sown to fall wheat. The work is being done under favorable circumstances, as the ground and weather are favorable.

WM. LOCHHEAD B. A son of Deputy. soap, in fact almost any kind of Reeve Lochhead, was elected the other day President of the Galt Collegiate Institute football club. This club is conceded to be one of the crack teams of Ontario, and has a provincial-wide reputation.

Atwood Drug & Book Store.

Town Talk.

PROTESTS against the election of 64 Grits and 45 Tories are to be heard this

MUSICAL instruments of all kinds for sale at Lamont's musical emporium, Listowel.

Turn out to the Atwood fair next Tuesday, Sept. 29. Let us have a rous-ing crowd and an unprecedented ex-

Call at Lamont's musical emporium when in Listowel, and see the Hoerr piano, one of the linest instruments in the Canadian market.

MISS MAUD HAWKSHAW has been confined to her room for the past two weeks with a severe attack of illness. She is slowly recovering, we are pleased to hear.

SATURDAY a partridge flew on Mrs. Harvey's store. The temptation proved too much for J. Sanders, who let bang, and the next instant the bird was lying at his feet. It was a dandy shot.

THE death is announced at Lin Ching. China, of Donald Marshall, the infant son of Rev. Jonathan and Mrs. Goforth, missionaries of the Canada Presbyterian church. Mrs. Goforth is also very

A CANTATA, entitled "Queen Ester," will be given here about Dec. 25th. It is being gotten up by Miss Climie, of Listowel, and about 40 characters will be required to reproduce this beautiful court scene in Biblical history.

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H. Pope Sundayed in Drayton.

E. Brokenshire left for his home in Exeter Monday.

THE Presbyterian pulpit will be filled by J. H. McBain Sunday moming. He will also preach at Monkton in the after-

All the latest vocal and instrumental sheet music can be had at Lamont's music rooms, Listowel. Call in when in town, J. H. McBAIN was renewing old acquaintances in Brussels and Grey township last week. J. H. taught school in Grey some years ago.

YEARLING bull strayed. See adver-

MISS EDITH HOPE is visiting her uncle, Geo. Hudson, of Cranbrook.

In aid of the Methodist church Sunday school, a tea meeting will be held in about three weeks time, date and fuller particulars of which will be given later.

ELSEWHERE will be read with interest and profit J. L. Mader's fall announcement to the public, As will be seen he has stocked his store with full lines of dry goods, groceries, boots and shoes, etc. This is the season of the year when people make their fall and winter purchases, and before doing so inspect J. L. Mader's goods and consult his prices.

prices.

JAMES STEWART is slowly recovering under Dr. Rice's skilful treatment.

THE Saturday excursion rate for Kineardine and Goderich is off for the balance of the season.

A NUMBER of the Germans of this locality attended the Lutheran church opening at Monkton Sunday.

Business men are locking for the season.

Prices.

VOTERS' list Court of Revision will be held at Ioerger's hotel, Atwood, on Oct. 8, 1891. The court announced to be held on Tuesday of this week was postponed till the above date by order of the Judge. Parties having business with the court will do well to make a note of the date. If your name is not on the voters' list see that it is put on at this Court of Revision.

WE are willing to

locality attended the Lutheran church opening at Monkton Sunday.

Business men are looking forward to the fall trade, which commences next month, with hopeful expectations.

Beautiful pianos and organs, every make, for sale on easy terms at Lamont's musical emporium, Listowel.

R. M. Ballantyne was in Toronto last week on business. Look out for something startling in his advt. next week.

The Presentation pulpit will be filled.

SIM FAX.—The Canadian Order Foresters, of this place, purpose giving a concert in the Town Hall, on Friday evening, Oct. 9. They have secured for the evening Canada's comic vocalist, Sim Fax, Mr. Mason, the favorite comedian, of Wingham, and D. Lamont, of Listowel, the latter being well and favorably known to many of our readers. Admission, 25c. and 15c. It is scarcely necessary to add that a rare musical feast is promised our people on the above evening.

Listowel, and about 40 characters will be required to reproduce this beautiful court scene in Biblical history.

At a meeting of the London City Council the city solicitor was instructed to prepare a by-law prohibiting the sale of tobacco to minors in accordance with the act relating to the same, and to fix a sufficient penalty to ensure the carrying out of the by-law. This is a wise move.

Let it be understood that the exhibits for the inside department of the biblist for the inside department of the Elma fall fair must be entered with a sufficiency of the condend to be the largest load of the carrying out of the by-law. This is a sibility of the inside department of the load of flax weighing three tons. This is conceded to be the largest load of the carrying out of the proper to make it go.

HENRY HARRISON, who has been make, Palmerston, is engaged with H. Pope at present. He is a steady young fellow and we wish him success.

The other day John Coghlin delivered to Livingstone's mill, Listowel, a load of flax weighing three tons. This is conceded to be the largest load of the properties of the above evening.

ANNIVERSARY SERMOMS.—Rev. Prof. C. H. Newman, L. L. D., D. D., of Mc. Master University, preached able sermons in the Baptist church Sunday afternoon and evening. His discourse in the evening on "The parable of the sower," was an able exposition of the practical lessons contained therein. The congregations, both morning and evening, were large and appreciative. The rev. gentleman is one of Canada's ablest divines, and Professor of History in McMaster University.

Coscreve Family.—This renowned

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"BEAUTY and Wisdom—Which?" is the subject for debate at the Y. P. A. meeting next Friday night J. W. W. Ward, S. Shannon, T. M. Wilson and E. E. Harvey, will be the speakers. It from isest to be a lively subject for dissemble family a hearty wellowing were invited to attend the meeting on Friday night next.

The official announcement of Lady The District of the program is the provision of the strongest and most clever entertainments ever brought before the public. The Canadian press speak every highly of these talented musicians, and those who attend may rely upon hearing something above the average a day preciative. The rev. gentleman is one of Canada's ablest divines, and Professor of History in McMaster University.

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The official announcement of Lady Macdonald's elevation to the peerage is made in the Official Gazette, published in London. The announcement reads: "That the Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the great seal of the United Kingdom of Great Briton and Ireland, granting the dignity of a baroness of the said United Kingdom to Susan Agnes, Lady Macdonald, widow of the Right Honorable Sir John Alexander Macdonald, G. C. B., Prime Minister of the Dominion of Canada, by the title of Baroness Macdonald, of Earnscliffe, in the Province of Ontario, and Dominion of Canada, and at her decease the dignity of a baron to the said United Kingdom to Susan Agnes, Lady Macdonald, of Earnscliffe, in the Province of Ontario, and Dominion of Canada, and at her decease the dignity of a baron to the said United Kingdom to Susan Agnes, Lady Macdonald of Earnscliffe, in the Province of Ontario, and Dominion of Canada, and at her decease the dignity of a baron to the said United Kingdom to the baron to the said United Kingdom to Susan Agnes, Lady Macdonald, of Earnscliffe, in the Province of Ontario, and Dominion of Canada, and at her decease the dignity of a baron to the said United Kingdom to Susan Agnes, Lady Macdonald, of Earnscliffe, in the Province of Ontario, and Dominion of Canada, and at her decease the dignity of a baron to the said United Kingdom to Susan Agnes, Lady Macdonald, of Earnscliffe, in the Province of Ontario, and Dominion of Canada, and at her decease the dignity of a baron to the said United Kingdom to Susan Agnes, Lady Macdonald, of Earnscliffe, in the Province of Ontario, and Dominion of Canada, and at her decease the dignity of a baron to the said United Kingdom to Susan Agnes, Lady Macdonald, of Earnscliffe, in the Province of Ontario, and Dominion of Canada, and at her decease the dignity of the Dominion of Canada, and at her decease the dignity of the Dominion of Canada, and at her decease the dignity of the Dominion of Canada, which there the Dominion of Canada, which the Sus

PELTON.—In Atwood, on Tuesday, Sept. 15th, the wife of Mr. John Pelton, of a son.

ALTAR.

BURKE—GRIERSON.—In Elma, on Sept. 9th, by Rev. J. Livingstone, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Joseph Burke, to Miss Mary Ann. daughter of Mr. Geo. Grierson, all of Elma.

of Elma.

McCrae—Smith.—In Elma, on Tuesday, Sept. 22, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. Mr. Park, of Listowel, Miss Maggie, eldest daughter of Mr. Robert Smith, to Mr. James McCrae, of Trowbridge.

WILSON—CARNEY.—On Wednesday, Sept. 2nd, 1891, by Rev. J. C. Wilmott, M. A., at the Methodist church, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Rev. Joseph E. Wilson, B. A., L. L. B., of Hornings Mills, Ont., to Fanne B., youngest daughter of W. H. Carney, Sheriff of Algoma.

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Elma, Atwood, Sept. 29.
Palmerston, Sept. 28 and 29.
East Huron, Brussels, Oct. 1 and 2.
North Perth, Stratford, Oct. 1 and 2.
Western Fair, London, Sept. 17 to 26.
North Waterloo, Berlin, Sept. 29 and

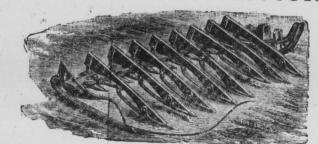
Northern, Walkerton, Sept. 29 to Oct. 2nd. Peninsular Fair, Chatham, Sept. 29 to

Latest Market Reports.

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TORONTO GRAIN MARKET.		
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	Barley 43	45
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A London cable says: On August 22nd Catharine Dennis, aged 16, a servant at the Ivy Green tavern, a small and little-frequented inn near the manufacturing town of Linthwaite, was found murdered. She had been left alone by her mistress, the other members of the family being absent on various business and there being no guests at the time. A neighbor who chanced to call found Catharine dead on the floor covered with blood, the furniture and walls of the room being also spattered with blood.

Finally it became known that a man named Stockwell had been eating a meal in the kitchen of the tavern when the landin the kitchen of the tavern when the landlady left, and that he had been missing from his usual haunts since that time. Last night Stockwell, unable to longer endure the pangs of hunger, left the place in which he had been hiding and crawled unobserved to his mother's house. The poor old woman was shocked at his ghastly looks and wild manner. She besought him to tell her the truth, and he related the tale of his crime and flight. He said that finding himcrime and flight. He said that finding him-self alone in the house with Catharine, for whom he had conceived an ardent passion, he could not resist the temptation to make he could not resist the temptation to make advances to her. When she repulsed him he lost control of himself and attacked her. deavored to silence her cries, but being unable to do so he snatched up a knife and stabbed her time and again until she ceased

to struggle.

It was only when her lifeless form dropped from his grasp that he realized that he was a murderer and fled in terror. He hid in the nearest clump of woods, and before he could leave it the pursuers were around him. While the whole population was on the lookout for him he was lying in ditches on the heath or concealed in marshy spots on the neighboring moors by day, and often overheard his pursuers discuss plans

for his capture.

All that he could find to eat were herbs All that he could find to eat were herbs and wild currants, which formed his entire diet for seventeen days. Hunger and remorse tormented him into visions, in which he says he saw the bleeding form of his victim, as if the horrible tragedy were being again enacted. He felt himself growing mad, and, unable to longer endure the totures which racked him in body and mind, he turned his steps last night toward his mother's home.

his mother's home. The sorrowing mother was nearly prostrated by the recital. There was only one course for her to pursue, however. Concealment was impossible, even had she felt equal to the task of attempting it. She sent for the officers of the law, who came to the house and placed Stockwell in custody.

A NICE OPERATION.

A Man's Leg Saved by Engrafting Guinea Pig Flesh.

Pig Flesh.

A Vancouver despatch says: Some two or three months ago, it will be remembered, the engine of a freight train went through a burning trestle not many miles from Vancouver. The fireman was killed and Engineer Morse was badly burned, principally about the legs. He was taken charge of by the docters near where the accident happened and was given the best of care and attention, but the wounds were very deep and refused to heal. As a last resort it was decided to try grafting, and for this purpose two healthy young guinea pigs purpose two healthy young guinea pigs were got and parts of their flesh transferred to the man's legs. The operation was a

But the groom came not Thirty minutes passed and still he was absent. The bride looked lovely in her wedding robes. Another half hour had flown,

A Half-Dozen Medical Don'ts.

Don't frighten children for the fun of it. Don't get excited; compose your thoughts

Don't shout in or close to a person's ear It may cause deafness.

Don't leave liniment in a drinking-cup by the patient's bedside; he might drink it, mistaking it for water or his medicine. Don't neglect the set-bowls in the sleeping-room. Pour hot soapsuds down once each week. Keep the taps closed when not

Don't allow a poultice or any dressing to remain on a patient until it becomes cold and clammy, but change it as often as directed by the physician.—

Household.

drawn out.'"
"You may have the next waltz."

-Uncle Sam has 64,391 post-offices.

BRITAIN WANTS JUSTICE.

If She Does Not Get it from the An Unknown Schooner Runs up Against the Big Chinese She May Fight.

Evasive Answers to Plain Questions Burned Ten Thousand Telegraph Poles and Drove the Workmen Off—A Mis-sionary Murdered—More Riots Looked

A San Francisco despatch says: The steamer China, which arrived to-day from Hong Kong and Yokohama, brings advices from China to Angust 30th. Sir John Wolsom, the British Minister, has protested strongly against the dilatory manner of the Chinese Government, asking first why an edict on the subject of the riots was not despatched through the empire by telegraph. Second, why the Wuhu magistrate who tried to stop the riots was degraded, while his superiors, who did nothing, were not punished; and third, why the punishment of the guilty at Wusuch was delayed.

The Chinese Government sent the questions to His Excellency Lei Chung Chang to be answered. Chang replied: (1) It is not the custom of China to send edicts by wire; (2) the magistrate was degraded for other reasons, and (3) the rioters had been punished, two being executed and the others otherwise punished.

other reasons, and (3) the rioters had been punished, two being executed and the others otherwise punished.

The North China News, commenting editorially on the answers, says the first is merely a subterfage. The case was too serious to admit of delay caused by the use of messengers. As for the second reply, it was stated at the time that the magistrate was degraded as a concession to the natives, who had denounced him for doing his duty in the affair. The reply is a palpable evasion and only shows that China cannot be depended on by the foreign powers. As for the execution of two culprits this is unsatisfactory, as coming far short of the requirements of Chinese law in cases of murder among themselves. Murders of foreigners must not be punished more lightly than the murder of Chinese. Lord Salisberry added to his three questions a demand that Hunan, which is the hotbed of anti-foreign sentiment in China, be opened to trade, coupled with a threat that if China could not control her own people the foreign powers would take the matter in hand. To could not control her own people the foreign powers would take the matter in hand. To this the viceroy replies that China is per-fectly able to control her own people. The conclusion is that if able she must be un-

willing.
The News adds:—Meanwhile the powers do not intend to be satisfied with these replies and with what has been done by the Chinese Government so far in the way of punishment and reparation. They have sent China what is virtually an ultimatum, and will not take any inadequate reply England's action is understood to be backet

England's action is understood to be backed by other powers, and it is thought force will be used if China is not conciliatory.

Over 20,000 people assembled at Lung Chow, in the Province of Hunan, recently, to prevent workmen from putting up telegraph lines. Ten thousand poles were burned and the men driven over the boundary. A society has been formed to keep the telegraph out, and a mob is still on the watch at New Chong.

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Dr. Greig, a missionary doctor, has been assassinated by soldiers. The matter has been placed in the hands of the British consul. It is thought this is not connected with secret societies. Reports from Foo Chow of the killing of missionaries up the country prove to

be false.

The German Roman Catholic Bishop of Shan Tung has returned from Pekin to Tien Tsin. It is said His Excellency Li Hung Chang told him the late riots are only forerunners of more serious trouble and hinted that he hoped the bishop would be moderate in demands when he returned to Shan Tung.

were got and parts of their flesh transferred to the man's legs. The operation was a success and the man's legs at once began to heal. As soon as he was fit he was taken to Montreal, and the last word is that the burned limbs are now almost well, and the flesh of the guinea pig has become part of the man and is quite firm and healthy.

A California Romance.

Miss Rillie Lee, a pretty girl and an heiress, came near making a very grave mistake in Los Angales, Cal., a few days ago. She was engaged to be married and the day and hour had come. But the groom came not.

Thirty minutes passed and still he was absent. The bride looked lovely in her wedding robes. Another half hour had flown, and the expectant bride's sister slipped out of the house and sped away. A rival for the hand of Miss Rillie Lee was attending to his work and feeling awfully blue over the fact that he was not the chosen one. The young man was quickly told that the field was clear. He made a hurried toilet and flew to the presence of the waiting party. When he arrived there were cries of "Dick," "Rillie," and the next minute the two lovers were locked in each other's arms. "I nearly made an awful mistake," sobbed the bride. The wedding went off in fine style, but just at the close a letter came from the mother of the absent young man saying she did not approve of the match and had prevented her son's appearance.

**Half Preventible 100 on the was and that the groom came not. There has for long been a legend that the Chinese are to be credited with the invention of the mariners' compass. But this claim of theirs, like the discovery of roast pig and the use of gunpowder, has never been put to the test of literary research. It is, therefore, pleasant to learn that an exhaustive inquiry just made proves not only that they invented the most important implement in navigation, but that Europe copied it from them. Four centuries before the Christian era, a Chinese author mentions of the sar is no all clearly that they invented the most important implement in navigation, but that they invented the most important implement in navigation, but that they invented the most important implement in navigation, but that they invented the most important implement in navigation of the sar is the close a letter came from them. Four centuries before the Christian era, a Chinese author mentions of the sar is real to define the compass, bitherto used to indicate the position of the stars in calculating nativities, assumed its present form. At first, the first of the sar is the close of the compass. Early Use of the Compass. assumed its present form. At first, it floated on water supported on a piece of wood, the pivot being an improvement copied from the Japanese, who again had learned this nicety from the Portuguese. But long before the compass was used in Europe, the Arabs trading to China employed it on board their dhows, and from them undoubtedly the invention reached the western barbarian, and was forthwith improved upon. The Arabs, however, used the western notation to mark the quarters and intermediate points of the horizon. When, therefore, themariners' compass was adopted by them, the Chinese system of twenty-four points, resting on the old astrological division of the horizon into twelve double hours, was not communicated. hours, was not communicated.

A wife, living on the outskirts of San A wire, riving on the outskirts of San Francisco, wanting to send information of the sudden illness of the baby to her hus-band, whose place of business was five miles distant, entrusted the message to one of the family's carrier pigeons. The bird "I only alluded to you as 'sweetness long of the house.

"Will you give me the next waltz, Miss Long?"

"I wonder how you can ask it? Didn't you make some jocular remark this evening about my being so tall?"

"I only alluded to you as 'sweetness long of the family's carrier pigeons. The bird not only delivered it safely, so the San Francisco Examiner relates, but brought husband tied to its leg. All this was done in about twenty minutes, or less time than it would have taken a physician to journey to the house.

An expert electrician asserts that an electric train making 125 miles an hour would require 7,000 feet in which to come to a standstill.

COLLIDED WITH THE ARIZONA.

Steamer and is Lest.

THE ARIZONA NOT MUCH DAMAGED.

A Queenstown cable says: The Guion Line steamer Arizona, from New York September 5th for Liverpool, arrived here today in a battered condition. The passengers report that early on Sunday morning, Sept. 6th, while the vessel was in a fog but steaming rapidly an unknown sailing vessel, believed to be a large coasting schooner, struck with her stern on the Arizona's port quarter. The passengers, who were in bed at the time of the accident, were awakened by the shock and noise of the collision and rushed on deck. It was seen that 30 feet of rails and a life boat had been smashed, that the deck was damaged, and that several plates had been bent. Owing to these ominous evidences of a collision, it to these ominous evidences of a collision, it was at first believed that the conse-

to these ominous evidences of a collision, it was at first believed that the consequences of the accident were more serious than proved to be the case. The passengers were much alarmed, and life belts were prepared, but the fears of all were soon allayed. The Arizona for a long time searched in vain for the unfortunate sailing vessel. Part of her bowsprit was left on the Arizona's deck. From wreckag seen it is feared she foundered.

One passenger makes the following statement: After passing Sandy Hook weentered a haze, which later became a dense fog. The fog-horn was kept blowing. About 11 p. m. a loud report like the bursting of a boiler startled the passengers, who rushed on deck. The captain, who was on the bridge, ordered the engines reversed at full speed. He assured the passengers that the steamer was all right and ordered them below. Afterward the officers stated that a three-masted schooner had struck the Arizona on the portside almost arridation. below. Afterward the officers stated that a three-masted schooner had struck the Arizona on the portside almost amidships Arizona on the portside almost amidships and then disappeared. The fog steam whistles and fog-horn were kept going long after the collision, but nothing was discovered. The steamer's pumps were started, but no water was found. So violent was the collision that passengers sleeping on the damaged side of the steamer were thrown from their berths.

A WARNING TO CHICAGO.

Take a Lesson From Paris and Don't Call Down Heaven's Wrath.

We do not remember whether at the time of the construction of the Tower Eiffel any body was sagacious enough to point out the fate of the projectors and builders of the Tower Babel as an awful warning, but if it Tower Babel as an awful warning, but if it wasn't done some prophet has apparently lost a good chance to score. It is not that a confusion of tongues has resulted among visitors to the Eiffel tower, though the polyglot inscriptions in the elevators might easily have brought about that consummation through the intemperate efforts of the curious to read them. The judgment which has overtaken the city of Paris is of a different nature, and as befits the times, wears a more scientific cast.

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French meteorologists now boldly declare that M. Eiffel's prodigy has entirely ruined their climate. Thrusting its proud head up into the clouds, it attracts the electric forces of nature, which come and perform their terrifying gambols around its metalic summit and cause every manner of aerial disturbance in their power. It behooves us to study these significant phenomena closely, for we are not only projecting, planning and raising buildings which may it urn out Babels—they are certainly not intended for Bethels—but Chicago is promising herself a tower of herown. If a judgment follows the building of a tower Chicago it will doubtless be appropriate. moderate in demands when he returned to Shan Tung.

Gold mines have been discovered in the Ching Chen district of Keynerd in the Ching Chen district of the Ching C

A duke, walking in his garden one day, saw a Latin copy of a great work on mathematics lying on the grass, and, thinking that it had been brought from his library, called some one to take it back.

"It belongs to me, your grace," said the gardener's son, stepping up.
"Yours!" cried the duke. "Do you
understand geometry and Latin?"
"I know a little of them," answered the

ov modestly.

The duke, having a taste for the science began to talk to the young student, and was astonished at the clearness and intelligence of his answers.

But how came you to know so much? asked the duke.

" One of the servants taught me to read." answered the lad: "one does not need to know anything more than the 26 letters in order to learn everything else one wishes."
But the nobleman wished to know more

"After I learned to read," said the boy, "the mason came to work on your house; I noticed the architect use a rule and compasses, and made a great many calculations. 'What was the meaning and use of that?' I asked, and they told of a science called arithasked, and they told of a science called arithmetic. I bought an arithmetic and studied it through. They then told me there was another science called geometry. Then I found that there were better books about these sciences in Latin. I bought a dictionary and learned Latin. I heard there were better ones in French. I got a dictionary and learned French. It seems to me we may learn everything when we know the 26 letters of the alphabet."

They are, in fact, the ladder to every science. But how many boys are contented

Three thrones in Europe are now occupied by children—those of Spain, the Nether-lands and Servia.

CARLYLE WAS REFRESHING.

How the Sage of Chelsea Rid Himself of

A certain successful literary man once granted an interview to a young gentleman. The youth began to talk about his accomplishments and his opinions, his autobiography from the age of 15, and the doomed author soon saw that only main force would make the terrible gabbler cease. For two mortal hours did this torturer chatter on to his own entire satisfaction. The host, dwelling in a secluded place, had not the heart to turn his guest out into the snow to wait two hours for a train, so he snow to wait two hours for a train, so he suffered and suffered, until at length, in a spasm of acute boredom, he said:

spasm of acute boredom, he said:
"Mr. Blank, your train goes in two
hours' time; you will find all the week's
papers on your right; I am compelled to
start to work!" and thus procured a respite
from the guest's dising!

from the guest's drivel.

Another rather distinguished man had Another rather distinguished man had one evening a visitor who began to speak about a certain branch of science. The host, perhaps a dozen times in the space of two hours and a half, gave a preliminary "Hem!" because he wanted to say something, but the bore waved him down with a suave "One mement, if you please!" What the gagged man wanted to say, and eventually did say, was that his caller's lecture, though interesting, was perfectly familiar to him.
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Such a statement would have disconcerted a man who had taked with one even flow for the space of 150 minutes; but not at all. With the placid confidence of the thoroughpaced bore he sweetly remarked:

"Ah, well, you see how copiously I can talk on that subject. Next time I call you shall see that I can be quite as fluent on another branch of knowledge."

The second call has not yet taken place. When we hear of eases like those above cited we are tempted to wish that all men had something of Carlyle's rudeness. The mighty Thomas was bidding "good-bye" to very conceited young man who had favored him with a long sermon on things in general; he went politely to the door and said:

"Well, Mr. Bland, I've received.

said:

"Well, Mr. Bland, I've received ye for the sake of your father. Now, good by; and I easnly hope I'll never see ye again!"

On another occasion Carlyle looked in a passionless way at the visitor who had been holding forth for ever so long and said:

"Man, but ye're a puir creature."—Irish Times.

18-KARAT TRUTHS.

Strung Like Gold Beads on a Single Thread. A bad man is worse when he pretends to

e a saint. Those who make the worst use of their time most complain of its shortness. Few people are more virtuously indignant than the cheat when he finds himself outwitted.

Fortune has often been blamed for her blindness; but fortune is not so blind as men are.

The more one endeavors to sound the lepths of his ignorance, the deeper the asm appears.

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The best way to live is to cast away roubles and contentions, which cannot be

cured by fretting. The history of the past is a mere puppet show. A little man comes out and blows a little trumpet and goes in again.

Rothschild's Maxims.

The elder Baron Rothschild had the walls of his bank playcarded with the following curious maxims Carefully examine every detail of your

Be prompt in everything.

Take time to consider, but decide posi-Dare to go forward.

Bear trouble patiently. Be brave in the struggle of life. Maintain your integrity as a sacred thing. Never tell business lies. Make no useless acquaintances. Never appear something more than you

Pay your debts promptly. Shun strong liquor. Employ your time well.
Do not reckon upon chance.
Be polite to everybody.
Never be discovered. Never be discouraged.

Then work hard and you will be certain succeed.

Children's Ears.

Mothers are becoming agitated over the question of children's ears. It is being suggested that flaring ears are now very much more common than formerly, and the prevalence of these ungraceful head appendages is ascribed to the discarding of the caps which our grandmothers, some of our mothers, inascribed to the discarding of the caps which our grandmothers, some of our mothers, indeed, wore night and day. What the race has lost in aural beauty, however, it has certainly gained in immunity from head colds during infancy, as these caps kept the little pates they inclosed in a condition of tenderness and susceptibility that made them easy prey to draughts. Mothers and nurses may avoid disfigured ears by a little watchfulness of their manner of putting their charges in crib or bed. For such watchfulness of their manner of putting their charges in crib or bed. For such youngsters as may have escaped such care and thus come into the possession of ears rampant, an "ear cap" may be procured which is a set of tapes keeping the ears close to the head, to be worn at night.—New York Times.

They are, in fact, the ladder to every science. But how many boys are contented to waste their time on the first two or three rounds, without pluck or perseverance to climb higher? Up, up, up, if you want to know more, and see clearer, and take a high post of usefulness in this world. And if you are a poor boy and need a little friendly encouragement to help you on, be sure, if you have a will to climb, you will find the way, just as the gardener's son found it afterward in the Duke of Argyll, under whose patronage he pursued his studies and became a distinguished mathematical. Stone's Mathematical Dictionary—for Stone was the gardener's son—was a celebrated book published in London some years ago.—Chatterbox.

A Badge of Protection.

The best protection a young woman can have in this city," said a big policeman on the Broadways equal yesterday, "is one of those little silver crosses that the King's Daughters wear. I've noticed that nowadays the professional masher will look first at the bosom of a woman's dress and if that little cross is dangling from a button-hole he passes her by without even a stare. It's the same way on street cars as on the street. The young woman who wears one of those badges has got the whole car load of men to take care of her and jump on the fellow that dares to annoy her. The cross is getting to be looked on with the same respect and deference as a nun's garb. As a safeguard it beats the average policeman all hollow."—New York Sun.

-Cora Tanner has added some stunning gowns to her repertoire

A CAUTIOUS WOOER.

Having Prepared the Way He May Have

He-Would you object to my proposing to you:
She, with timorous composure—Not the

She, with timorous composure—Not the slightest.

He—You would be perfectly willing that I should state in a few well-chosen words the length of time that I have worshipped and loved you, and the terrible despair which has been mine as I saw you universally adored, and perceived how little chance there was of my hopes being realized while you remained queen over the hearts of suitors far more worthy?

She, as before—Perfectly willing.

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He—Would you perfer me to make the proposal standing or kneeling?

She, correctly lowering her eyes—I think the latter way would be far better form.

He—Would you prefer the declaration in language fervid, fierce and out-spoken, or intense, passionate and con-tained?

She, with considerable promptness—Fer-

She, with considerable promptness—rervid, fierce and outspoken.

He—And would you deem it indiscreet if the proposer, during the declaration, should print some kisses on the hand of the pro-

She, with artless candor—Yes, if there were anything better and more satisfying reasonably contigious.

He—If he encountered a feeble oppo-

sition merely, would you consider it un-wise on the part of the proposer should he pass his arm around the proposee's She, gently, but firmly—It would be, I think, a matter for extraor

think, a matter for extreme regret if he failed to comprehend whatever possibilities the situation presented.

He—And in case the proposition should,

He—And in case the proposition should, after slight resistance, realize these possibilities, would you consider such slight resistance sufficient encouragement to justify him in fondly folding the proposee to

his heart?
She, as before—Undobtedly.
He—Taking it for granted, then, that
the last situation has been consummated, can you see no reason why the proposer should not rightfully regard himself
in the light of a magnificent success as a

wooer?
She, promptly—I cannot.
He—Or why he should not be joyful in the thought that for the nonce, at least she is his and he hers?

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She, with some impatience—No.

He—Now, appealing to you as belonging to that sex which intuitively sees and understands the peculiar proprieties of an emergency of this sort, are there not occasions more appropriate than others for a declaration of love?

She, trifling nervously with her handkerchief—There are. The elements of time, place and liability of interruption must, of course, be properly regarded.

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He—Do you believe the present contains those elements?

She, trifling more nervously with her handkerchief—1 have no doubt of it.

He—You also believe, do you not, that tastes, inclinations—in fact—all dispositional characteristics are found to be conspicuously similar, more especially in family

groups?
She, trifling most nervously with hand-kerchief—Certainly.
He—Now, for instance, you and your sister are, I fancy, vivid illustrations of this

truism.

She, elevating her eyebrows—Yes, Mabel and I are, so far as preferences and dislikes are concerned, singularly similar.

He—Is your sister at home?

He—Will you tell her, please, I would like to see her—alone!—Brooklyn Life.

"I thought Sharpe was in love with the soprano of the choir; he has just married the contralto."
"He was in love with the soprano, I be-

"He was in love with the soprano, I believe, but he transferred his affection to the contralto. You see, he thought a low-voiced wife would be better than a high-voiced one. Sharp has a long head; he was looking to the future."

Santiago, Chili's capital, has 200,000

—The fly makes 600 strokes a second when in a hurry. There are twenty-seven old men now at work at the northend park, and the way some of them pitch in, shows that they are only too willing to work when they can

get it.

August

The Hon. J. W. Fennimore is the Sheriff of Kent Co., Del., and lives at Dover, the County Seat and Capital of the State. The sheriff is a gentleman fifty-nine years of age, and this is what he says: "I have used your August Flower for sev-'eral years in my family and for my own use, and found it does me "more good than any other remedy.
"I have been troubled with what I call Sick Headache. A pain comes in the back part of my head first, and then soon a general headache until I become sick and vomit. At times, too, I have a fullness after eating, a pressure after eating at the pit of the stomach, and sourness, when food seemed to rise up in my throat and mouth. When I feel this coming on if I take a little August Flower it relieves me, and is the best remedy I have ever taken for it. For this reason I take it and recommend it to "others as a great remedy for Dys"pepsia, &c."

G. G. GREEN, Sole Manufacturer, Woodbury, New Jersey, U. S. A.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT

Sir John Thompson, before the orders of the day were called, said: I want to make a short statement to the Houseat the instance of the late Minister of Public Works. I might remind the House that at the time of the occurrence, when the resignation of the late Minister of Public Works was announced to the House, the House was notified that another Minister had taken charge of the Department of Public Works in consequence of the resignation of our late colleague. I was somewhat surprised at a subsequent stage, two or three weeks afterwards. at a question being swell as the superior wards. subsequent stage, two or three weeks afterwards, at a question being put across the floor of the House as to the position occupied by the late Minister, because it indicated misapprehension on the subject of the position of the honmember for three Rivers (Sir Hector Langevin), which was not anticipated at the time the resignation was announced.

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But a day or two ago the question was asked in the Senate, and the hon, gentleman himself feels that any ambiguity on the subject thas may exist in the public mind and in the minds of members of parliament, should no longer exist. Parliament should no longer exist. He therefore addressed the following letter on the matter to the Prime Minister

OTTAWA, 7th Sept., 1891.

MY DEAR PRIME MINISTER,—I see that at the last meeting of the Senate a question was put to you by one of the Senators to know whether my resignation as Minister of Public Works has been accepted. This question coming after a similar one in the House of Parliament makes me preceive that there is some misunderstanding about my position, and in order to put an end to it I wish, as intended by me, to ask you that my resignation may be accepted without delay.

I remain, my dear Prime Minister,
Yours very truly,
Heno, J. J. C. Abbott, Prime Minister, Ottawa,
The Prime Minister has written to Sir OTTAWA, 7th Sept., 1891.

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PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE, OTTAWA,
7th Sept. 1891.

DEAR SIR HECTOR LANGEVIN,—I have to acknowledge your letter of this morning requesting that your resignation may be accepted without further delay, and to say that in accordance with your wish I shall regard your resignation as final, and shall lay it before His Excellency immediately.

I remain, dear Sir Hector, yours very truly,
J. J. C. Abbott.

Mr. Laurier said—Mr. Speaker, the statement just made by the Minister of Justice shows that after all there was some reason for the anxiety which was manifested in the public mind as to the position occupied by the present member for Three River (Sir the present member for Three River (Sir Hector Langevin). Some time ago the Minister of Justice stated in answer to a question put by myself that the resignation of the hon. gentleman might not be ac-cepted. In point of law it may be so, be-cause no one is compelled to serve unless he is willing to do so. The moment his resigis willing to do so. The moment his resignation was tendered, and the Prime Minister did not invited the standard of the stand nation was tendered, and the Prime Minister did not insist on it being taken back, from that moment it was accepted. Now, however, the position has been made clear, and we understand that from the time the hon, gentleman placed his resignation in the hands of the Prime Minister he ceased to be an adviser of His Excellency.

Mr. Foster, in reply to Mr. Rinfret, who asked the question for Mr. Amyot, said that the subsidies paid to the Baie des Chaleurs Railway Co. up to the present amounted to \$524,175.

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Sir John Thompson, in reply to Mr. Delisle, said that the reasons which justified the appointment of judges were not satisfactory expressed in the question as to whether the position of judge is conferred on members of the legal profession as a reward for political services, or as a crowning of their success in their professional career. In answer to the second question, as to how it happens that since 1878 no judge has been selected in the Province of Quebec from amongst the advocates belonging to the Liberal party, he said that the question was not properly before the House, because it assumed a fact of which the Government had no knowledge. The ad-Government had no knowledge. The administration of justice was entrusted to men

August 1st and had gone on to hold his final courts. He supposed that most people were understood to know what the law as passed

understood to know what the law as passed was, but the Government should have taken every step to advise the revising officers. Sir John Thompson said the revising officers had always been commanicated with by the Secretary of State, under whose charge they were. Mr. Chapleau had told him that the revising officers were notified by telegraph on the evening of the day the law extending the time was passed.

The House went into Committee of Supply.

at Paris. There was not a shadow of justification for the item.

Mr. Foster said that it was not advisable, now that the year had been started, to do away with the office. He promised that during the recess the Government would look carefully into the matter with a view to ascertaining what steps should be taken.

AFTER RECESS

Mr. McMullen objected to the further expenditure of \$10,050 upon the improvements at the Hot Springs reservation, near Banff station, N. W. T.

The item was passed.
Sir John Thompson moved the House into
ommittee to consider his bill to amend the

committee to consider his bill to amend the Dominion Elections Act.

Mr. Cameron (Huron) criticised the clause providing the form of each to be taken by the deputy returning officer, poll clerk, or agent before voting. The bill proposed that the officer should swear that "I am actually entitled to vote for a member of the House of Commons for this electoral district at the present election." He (Mr. Cameron) contended that the oath should be as he had framed it in his bill, which was the foundation of portions of the bill under consideration. The officer was, under the bill which he had introduced, obliged to swear that he was a bona fide voter. Why had this been struck out?

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Sir John Thompson replied that the form
of oath drawn up by Mr. Cameron would
create confusion.

The clause was finally amended to meet

Mr. Cameron's views.

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Sir John Thompson proposed a new clause with the view to the better protection of the ballots after they have been placed in the ballot boxes. The clause which he submitted provided that at the conclusion of the poll the ballots should be placed in an envelope and securely sealed up. envelope and securely sealed up.

This was accepted.

Sir John Thompson moved an amendment imposing upon deputy returning officers the duty of delivering the ballot boxes to the The clause after discussion was carried.

AFTER RECESS.

The committee rose and reported progres on the bill to amend the Dominion Election Act, and asked leave to sit again. The House went into Committee of Sup

Sir Richard Cartwright, when the item of Sir Richard Cartwright, when the item of \$25,000 for expenses for the enforcement of the Act to prevent the adulteration of food was under consideration, asked Mr. Costigan if the Government proposed to take steps to punish persons guilty of introducing injurious substances into food.

Mr. Costigan said that the lawas amended last session cave, power to proceed vigors.

last session gave power to proceed vigor-ously against offenders in this respect. The offence under the Act consisted in the introduction into foods of substances injurious to health

Sir Richard Cartwright-I understand Sir Richard Cartwright—I understand, then, that it is the intention of the Government to carry out the law rigorously; that in any case brought to their notice, in which tradesmen or merchants have adulterated food in such a way as to be injurious to the customers, the Government are prepared to punish them.

Mr. Costigan—Yes.

Sir Richard Cartwright said the names of ersons adulterating foods should be pub-

Mr. Costigan said this was being don

Mr. Armstrong said that wider publicity should be given to the results of the analyses of foods. He called attention particularly to the adulteration of mustard, which in some cases amounted to 40 per cent.

Mr. Costigan said it was the duty of hi department to see that the law was carried out, and he proposed to see that it was carried out.

Mr. Somerville said that he had informa-Mr. Somerville said that he had informa-tion that a sale of public property near Billing's bridge, Ottawa, was made to a brother of Mr. Wallace, member for West brother of Mr. Wallace, member for West York, by private arrangement, and not public auction. If it was a fact that a valuable strip of land was sold to complete the piece of land Mr. Wallace had there, the the committee was entitled to some information as to the price paid for the land, and the reason why the Government had departed from the ordinary course of putting ordnance land up to auction.

Mr. Dewdney said that the law provided

ministration of justice was entrusted to men of both political parties.

Mr. Edgar asked Sir John Thompson if the revising officers had been informed of the extension of time for putting in their declarations. He had information that in Muskoka the revising officer closed the preliminary lists and had them printed on Mr. Wallace's brother. This land in question.

perty, which was within a stone's throw of the electric railway, was too little. The transaction, unless satisfactorily explained,

him that the revising officer's were notified by telegraph on the evening of the day the law extending the time was passed.

The House went into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Somerville asked for an explanation of the services rendered by Mr. Fabre, Canadian agent at Paris, for whom the House was asked to vote \$3,500.

Sir Adolphe Caron said that Mr. Fabre was of assistance to Canadian visitors and commercial men who had business in Paris. This same man had been appointed by the Mackenzie Government to the Senate.

Mr. Mackenzie—I repent of it.

Mr. Somerville said there was no justification for this item. If the Government wanted a pet in Paris let them put their hands into their own pockets and pay him. This country could not afford to have its money squandered in this way. He pointed out that this man had only induced one imgigrant to come to Canada in eight or the years.

Mr. Lariviere said that if this man was in Paris, the capital of the world. ("Oh i?")

Mr. Lariviere said that france there would not be so much opposition. He had been able to render Canada great service in Paris, the capital of the world. ("Oh i?")

Mr. Laurier said there was not the shadow of ground for the insinuation which had been thrown out. He regretted that he last speaker had appealed to the national prejudice, of which there was already too much in this country. It was not because this man was in France that he was attacked. He was an immigration agent, and posed as High Commissioner for Canada at Paris. There was not a shadow of justification for the item.

Mr. Foster said that it was not advisable, now that the year had been started, to do away with the office. He promised that during the recess the Government would be given the received and mr. Brother the deficient in railway, was too literate appeared suspicious.

Mr. Boundard the price was considered a very fair one.

Mr. Boundard the price was called to delease to the purchaser and present was actually paid for it, and can be the wide at one end and ran to a point. It was con

Committee in regard to the Tarte charges be Committee in regard to the Tarte charges be distributed among the members of the House, not members of the committee, who would be called upon to pass upon the report when presented.

Sir John Thompson said the committee were about to deliberate on their report, and in the meantime the evidence was being revised before being distributed.

Sir John Thompson moved the House into committee on the bill to further amend the Dominion Elections Act. Section 2 was so amended as to provide that a petition against the return of a candidate must be

was so amended as to provide that a petition against the return of a candidate must be filed within forty days after the polling day, instead of thirty days after the declaration of the result of the polling.

Mr. McCarthy moved an amendment to clause 10 of the Act, providing that notice of petition must be served upon the respondent or respondents personally within ten days after the filing of petition, or if such service cannot be effected within that time, it may be done as the court or judge may direct.

time, it may be done as the court or judge may direct.

Mr. McCarthy took exception to clause 15, which provides that when the court finds that the candidate was guilty by his agent or agents of any offence that would render his election void, and when the court finds further that the candidate was not cognizant of the offences, took precautions to prevent further that the candidate was not cognizant of the offences, took precautions to prevent corrupt practices, and that the offences were trivial, his election shall not be void, nor shall he be subjected to any disability therefore. He (Mr. McCarthy) was not willing that the Election Act should be made less stringent than it is in regard to bribery, and moved an amendment which would exand moved an amendment which would ex-cept bribery from the offences by agents for which a candidate should not be held ac-

The amendment was not accepted. Mr. Mulock moved the addition of the following clause: "No greater council fee or fees shall be taxed as between party and party in respect of their condition with trial than \$50; when the trial shall con \$40 for each additional day the trial shall continue, whether one or more counsel shall be engaged at the trial, except as to such witness fees and other actual disbursements in respect of evidence taxable in ordinary actions between party and party as may be allowed by judgment or order of court allowing costs; no greater sum (including counsel fee) than \$300 shall be taxed or taxable against either party as costs. taxed or taxable against either party as costs

No decision was arrived at in this matter AFTER RECESS.

The consideration of the Bill further to amend the Dominion Elections Act was re-

McCarthy moved an amendm which would limit an appeal from the trial court to questions of law alone. It did not meet with the approval of the mmittee.

The committee rose and reported pro

gress.

Mr. Kirkpatrick's bill respecting the Rathbun Company was read a third time.

The House again went into concurrence on the estimates.

on the estimates.

Mr. Charlton, when the item for the completion of the Napanee post-office came up, moved in amendment that the appropriations for the erection of post-office buildings should be made on some uniform rate, having regard to the postal revenue of the town or city in which such building is to be erected, and where public convenience requires such building, and where the importance of the town where it is proposed to erect it warrants the expenditure.

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The House adjourned at 11.35 p. m.

O, this dull, depressing headache,

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That won't wear off;
This hawking and this spitting,
And this hacking cough.
I've lost my sense of smelling,
And taste's going, too.
I know catarrh's what ails me,
But—What shall I do?
My hacking and my hawking
Keeps up a steady din;
I'm haunted by the fear that
Consumption may set, in.
I feel supremely wretched;
No wonder I'm blue,
I know my health's failing,
But—what can I do.
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I'll tell you what to do my feel

of purchasing. No unusual course was pursued in regard to the sale of land to Mr. Wallace's brother. This land in question was a small strip 100 feet in width at one end and running to a point in front of the land purchased by Mr. Wallace from Mr. Williams, who had previously held the lease of the strip. The land was sold to Mr Wallace under the usual conditions. He did not think that there was more than an acre in the strip.

Mr. McMullen said that \$175 for this property, which was within a stone's throw of the electric railway, was too little. The

The Eye of an Artist.

Miss Decollete (at full dress reception)—Who is that handsome stranger I was talk-

Who is that handsome stranger I was talking with, papa?
Papa—Why do you wish to know?
"Because he is so polite. He apologized for watching me so intently, and said it was merely from force of habit."
"He is Dr. Knowall, the eminent anatomist."—New York Weekly.

sweeter Than Honey in the Honeycomb. "What in life is half so sweet, As the hour when lovers meet."

Nothing is sweeter to the youthful and robust in health, but, alas! to many "Court robust in health, but, alas! to many "Court in poetry, and live in prose," after marriage. This is especially true of the wives whose changed relations bring on weaknesses and derangements peculiar to married women, so that their lives become "prosy." To all such, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a great boon. It cures weak backs, headaches, neuralgic and "bearing-down" pains, displacements and irregularities of the female organs. It is likewise a restorative and invigorating tonic, strengthening the female organs. It is likewise a restorative and invigorating tonic, strengthening the nerves, and imparting new life to the tired and debilitated, bringing back the "roses to the cheek," and the "rainbows to the eyes." Sold by all druggists, under guarantee from its makers of satisfaction in every case, or proceed the control of the c price (\$1) refunded.

The town of Argonia, Kan., is officered and run entirely by women

The manufacture of the little Swedish war on Mr. Mercier. He had gone to Quebec, it was true, but it was only to meet his family. On his return'he had accidentally met Mr. Blanchet, who was coming to Ottawa on private business.

Mr. Armstrong asked that the evidence taken before the Privileges and Elections

The manufacture of the little Swedish matches which are sold everywhere so cheaply forms one of the greatest industries of Sweden. Some idea of the extent to which these matches are sent abroad may be inferred from the fact that 6404 tons were exported during the first six months of his year. DO YOU BROOD ?

One of the Forms of Insanity That Afflict the Race.

Melancholia, says a medical authority, is a grave disease, especially because of its strange and terrible tendency to induce suicide and homicide. As the patient's reasoning processes seem to be perfectly clear, friends are seldom sufficiently on their guard. The danger is always present, however, nor is the highest degree of intelligence or of moral worth any safeguard against it.

The New York Medical Journal has

The New York Medical Journal has The New York Medical Journal has a report of a lecture on the importance of recognizing melancholia in its earlier stage by Dr. Burnet, lecturer in the Kansas City Medical College, of which report we make free use. "There is a marked difference between sadness and melancholia," says Dr. Burnett. "In ordinary sadness there is a cause comprehensible to the individual, and he will seek to remove it. In melancholia he will seek to remove it. In melancholis he will seek to remove it. In melancholia there is no apparent cause; there is some implication of the higher faculties, and the patient is usually indifferent to his condition, surroundings and future progress."

There are several forms of the affection: Simple melancholia, melancholia agitata, melancholia attonita, and melancholia with stance. The first two are the most difficult

stupor. The first two are the most difficult of recognition, and it is these that especially endanger the lives of the patient and his friends

The first important sympton of simple melancholia is sleeplessness. Another sympton, of the greatest importance, is a dull pain in the back of the neck, extending to the back of the head. It is only within a few years that this symptom has

recognized.

The third sympton is depression of spirits, accompanied by slower mental movements and retarded speech and actions. When the first and the last symptons are connected with pain in the neck the diagnosis may be considered as conclusive.

In melancholia agitata these three symptoms are very marked, but it is not so difficult to diagnose the disease, since the agitation is of itself a strong indication. These are generally terrifying hallucinations, an utter indifference to one's self and one's surroundings, aversion to food and inability to The propensity to take life may come on suddenly or be gradually developed. It is not uncommon to see melancholiacs whose morbid tendencies are first brought on by

suggestion. Every case of melancholia should at an early date be put into the hauds of a competent physician, who can have the entire control of it.

A Principle in Decoration.

The great trouble with folks is that when they attempt to arrange the movablearticles of a room—the bric-a-brac, pictures and such things—they don't know what they are after. They don't understand what I may be permitted to designate the theory of arrangement; and results are consequently haphazard—sometimes good and sometimes bad. Now, the human face preserves certain defined rules of expression that can be literally followed in matters of house decoration. Thus: When the lines which form the mouth and eyes remain paeallel with the lines of the nose, then the face is in what I should call repose; when the lines are lengthened to form A Principle in Decoration. the face is in what I should call repose; when the lines are lengthened to form downward angles, the face expresses joy; when lengthened to form upward angles, grief is depicted. Apply these principles to your home surroundings and the expression will be the same. Straight lines, as well as curved lines, produce the effect of solidity, durability and support. This is a constructive axiom, accepted from the earliest ages. On this principle wainscotings, doors and mantels are built in straight and curved lines. But it would be manifestly wrong to furnish a mantel straight and curved lines. But it would be manifestly wrong to furnish a mantel with ornaments, whose tops or proportions would give a rounding or straight effect, unless you desire such a room to be stiff and prim.

Injurious Manufactures.

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The Trades Unionist, an English labor paper, is printing a series of articles on the chemical industries, showing how they affect the laborer employed. The effects are summarized as follows: "To be literally eaten up by vitriol; to be compelled to work in a poisonous atmosphere, where it is necessary to breathe through a dozen yards of flannel; to have to grease such portions of the body as are exposed to such portions of the body as are exposed to poisonous fumes; to have one's teeth turn so soft that a crust cannot be chewed; to have the gums rot; to work under condi-tions that one's shirt falls off in bits of rag tions that one's shirt falls off in bits of rag after three days' wear; to do this week after week until one's strength will no longer admit of it, is surely to dothat which should command an exceptionally high rate of pay and relatively very few hours of work." But the pay is low and the hours are long.

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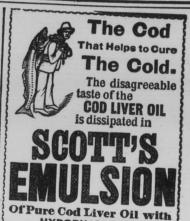
Slow to Go.

Ethel-I have an idea that you must be

cing enthusiast.
Sitanchin—From what do you judge?
Ethel—You make so many false starts before you get away.

The Vienna Housewife Society started about seven years ago, and has taught housekeeping to more than 1,000 girls, and is now to give courses of instruction to nursemaids and governesses.

Henry Rochefort is the jolliest exile in the world. And the most fiendish. In Bulgaria only $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. of the population can read and write.



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It takes a thinker to make another thinker think.

Faith never stands around with its hands in its pockets.

The devil loves to get his hands on good-

hearted people.

Birds with bright plumage do not always make good pot-pie.
God sees heroes where the world sees only

God sees heroes where the world sees only very common people.

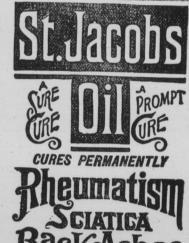
It takes contact with other people to make us acquainted with ourselves.

The devil has no use for the man who always does as he would be done by.

One way to reach the masses is to be willing to take them as they come.—Ram's

Professor Tachinni, at Rome, has found Professor Tachinni, at Rome, has found that the marching of a regiment of soldiers 150 yards away was registered by an earthquake apparatus located in the tower of the college at a height of 125 feet above the city.

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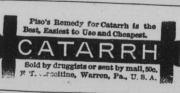


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Farmers' Excursion

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Country Talk.

Trowbridge

Miss Jennie Cosens has gone to Toronto to spend a week and to purchase fall and winter stock for her father's

The school trustees have let the contract to Bricker & Co., of Listowel, of putting in a No. 45 Hilborn Furnace in the Trowbridge school.

Some sneak thieves got into Mr. Gerbraugh's garden last week and stole all his fruit. A good dose of law would do the parties good.

Alex. Walker, of lot 3, con. 13, has this year grown on his farm 4 tons 580 pounds of flax on about 1½ acres of land. Who can beat it?

Monkton.

Miss Cuthbertson, of New York state, is visiting in this locality. Miss Foster, of Howick, was the guest of Mrs. C. H. Merryfield on Sun-

Councillor Merryfield and wife, of Palmerston, spent Sunday with his brother, C. H. Merryfield.

Editor Pelton, of The Bee, and J. W. Ward, of Atwood, attended the German church opening service Sunday evening.

To many the pulpit in the new Lutheran church is somewhat of an oddity, it being erected fully seven feet from the floor and enclosed. This departure from the other evangelical churches is supposed to be a tradition originating with the mother church in Germany.

Church Opening—Sunday was a red letter day in the history of our German population. The new Lutheran church was solemnly dedicated to the worship of Almighty God in the presence of a large number of worshippers from the adjoining parishes. Services of an unusually interesting character were held in the morning, afternoon and evening. Revs. Hochstetter and H. C. Lantsky preached in the German dialect in the morning and afternoon, and in the evening Rev. Mr. Eix, of Wallace, delivered an eloquent discourse in English to an overflowing congregation, composed of varied creeds and nationalities. In the course of his remarks, he solemnly laid down, in brief, the fundamental teachings of Lutheranism, and fervently prayed that Christ the crucified would be the them of the preaching and worship within these walls. 'Appropriate hymns were sung during the service. The church, though not large, is designed for comfort, and in point of architectural beauty it is the finest edilice in the village. The stained-glass windows, cosy seats, high ediling, etc., go to make it a desirable place for worship, and a fitting monument of the thirft, intelligence and morality of the people who shall gather there from Sunday to Sindre up in their mother language their scirices of praise to the God of all nations, kindreds and tongues.

Advertise your astray animals in The Bee. It will bring them.

Jno. Hill, wife and son were away last week on a holiday outing to the Queen

City.
Rev. E. V. Smith was home for two weeks' visit from Stromness. He is en joying his work and it is evidently agreeing with him, judging by his improved

appearance.
Jno. Harris, 16th con., delivered two loads of fall wheat at the National Roller mill, Brussels, last week, which scaled 66½ pounds to the bushel. He received \$1 per bushel for it. It was a splendid sample.

Elias Dickson, 12th con., had a yield of 80 bushels of spring wheat from about two acres. It averaged fully 40 bushels an acre. It was the Californian Reliance variety. Dark & Shine threshed 50 bushels of above wheat in a little less than 20 minutes. Wm. and Alex. Perrie had a yield of 374 bushels of peas from 8 acres or about 47 bushels per acre.

THANKS.—The neighbors and friends of Mrs. Daniel Ross, lot 10, con. 17, did a very thoughtful and kindly act in ading in harvesting the season's crop, owing to the sudden decease of her husband a shorttime ago. Special mention should be made of Lewis McDonald who closed down his saw mill so as to allow the hands to assist in the good work. Mr. Ross was precentor in Duff's Presbyterian church at the time of his death and to show the high appreciation of his past services the widow was presented with a purse containing upwards of \$90. The ladies interested in the collection and presentation were Mrs. D. Campbell, Mrs. C. Ritchie, Mrs. Ross is desirous of publicly expressing her gratitude to the many kind friends for their sympathy and help in her hour of bereavement.

Listowel.

Watch for Carson & McKee's fall announcement in these columns.

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Harvesting has once more drawn to a close and the fall threshing is in full blast.

Miss Ella Johnston returned home last Saturday after spending a week in the Queen City.

Miss Belle Johnston, of Acton, is spending a few weeks with friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Miss Bella Lowry and Miss Mary Martin, of Listowel, were the guests of Mrs. William Johnston last Sunday.

Some sneak thieves got into Mr.

ville.

A laugh was had at the expense of a respected citizen in town who thought to please his wife by purchasing a piece of silverware at an auction sale the other day. His wife was present and took a notion to the same article and they being mutually ignorant of each other's presence bid against each other, but the wife was finally victorious at about three times the amount of the original bid.

The program has been issued for the

The program has been issued for the fall meeting on October 7th and 8th. The events on the first day are a 2.50 class, a 2.30 class and a green run with day.

Rev. Mr. Henderson preached a very able sermon Sunday afternoon on "The Good Shepherd."

Councillor Merryfield and wife, of Palmerston, spent Sunday with his brother, C. H. Merryfield.

Editor Pelton, of The Reg. and J. W.

Young Coulter lost a valuable horse last Sunday.

J. H. McBain preaches at Jubilee next Sabbath evening.

Elma Council meets at Wynn's hotel Newry, next Saturday, 26th inst. Get your auction sale bills printed at THE BEE. Free notice in the paper.

We are glad to hear that Miss Maggie Houze, 12th con., is able to be out once

Elma's fall show will be held at Atwood next Tuesday, 29th inst. Bring along your exhibits.

Fred. Switzer talks of removing to Atwood to live. For some time past Mr. Switzer has been quite poorly.

John Young, 7th con., grew 25,500 lbs. of flax from five bushels of seed. This is over three tons to the acre. A big yield John big yield, John.

This warm weather is causing the fall wheat to grow too rapidly, and it is affirmed by many that the wheat sown late will winter the best.

Miss Annie Jolly, daughter of Robt.
Jolly, of Stratford, is now slowly recovering from the relapse of typhoid fever.
She is very weak, however, after so long an illness

Rev. George Thorn, Head Master of the Orphans' Homes, Stratford, Belle-ville, and London, Eng., was a few days last week the guest of John McGillawee, 10th eng. cost 10th con., east.

Wm. Holmes, 8th con., pulled a tur nip in his field this week weighing 21 pounds. It is a whopper, and would stand a good prospect of 'carrying off the red ticket at the Elma fair next Tuesday.

Hymeneal.—The merry peal of wedding bells was heard at Robt. Smith's residence, near Trowbridge, on Tuesday evening, it being the occasion of the marriage of his eldest daughter, Maggie, to James McCrae, sawmiller, of Trowbridge. The nuptial knot was securely tied by Rev. Mr. Park, of Listowel, in the presence of about sixty guests, relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The drawing room was beautithe Trowbridge school.

At the last meeting of the Elma Council application was made to the Council for aid for James Griffin, of Trowbridge, who, a number of years ago lost considerable money by lending to men who left the country without paying their debts, consequently Mr. Griffin has come to want, the Council very kindly granted him the sum of \$10, but when the true state of affairs came to the ears of Daniel Collins, son-in-law to Mr. Griffin, he (Mr. Collins) has very kindly consented to care for the old gentleman and therefore the \$10 has been returned to the Council with many thanks.

Carthage.

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Samuel Johnston and sister, of Elma, spent Sunday in town.

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The gas works building has been repaired and the grounds neatly fixed up. Added to the new offices the property in the grounds neatly fixed up. Added to the new offices the property in the grounds neatly fixed up. Added to the new offices the property in the grounds neatly fixed up. Added to the new offices the property in the grounds neatly fixed up. Added to the new offices the property in the grounds neatly fixed up. Added to the new offices the property in the grounds neatly fixed up. Added to the new offices the property in the grounds neatly fixed up. Added to the new offices the property in the grounds neatly fixed up. Added to the new offices the property in the proving the ceremony the bride and groun stood beneath an arch made of bunting, rich flowers, evergreens, etc.; and suspended over their heads was a unique floral horse shoe, which fitting exciptions of the contracting parties. The drawing room was beautifully decorated with natural flowers and triends of the

LONGER !

A few Suits left; a few Overcoats left; a few Ready Made Pants left, all of which will be sold at a Big Bargain.

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