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SMALLPOX

Oleveland Has Upwards of 600 Cases, Many of a Viru-

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must be 500 or 600, and the disease is rapidly increasing.

Dr. George H. Somerville, a reputable physician who practices in the district inhabited by the large Polish population, used the word "appalling" in describing the conditions in the settlement. Smallpox appeared in this city over two years ago, and has been gradually increasing in virulence ever since. The great trouble has been that of lax quarantine measures. People have walked the streets for days with the disease plainly indicated in their faces. The contagion is by no means confined to the poorer districts but has even entered the home of the aristocrate on famous Euclid avenue. A physician said to-day that if other cities had established protective measures against Cleveland, the local authorities would soon have stamped out the disease.

Joseph Corr, an old man of Brock-ville, was found drowned in the riv-

IS RAMPANT

Cleveland, O., April 29.—Cleveland is becoming alarmed ever the smallpox situation. The authorities up to this time, as well as the newspapers, have been suppressing the facts about the steady march of the disease, but now that fifty cases a week are reported the health department, not to speak of the many that are not reported. Mayor Tom Johnson has decided that the health department must begin a strong crusade against the contagion.

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The fact that black smallpox has developed this week, causing death within a few hours, has intensified the situation. The health authorities declined to say to-day how many cases of smallpox there are in Cleveland now, but from all reports there was the 500 or 600, and the disease is rapid-

advice to the men of the South African Constabulary. Writing from headquarters at Modderfontein, a Cardiff man named Dobbin says:—
"In the course of an address to his men General Baden-Powell said the South African Constabulary were expected never to surrender. If a man did that it would be no good coming back. back.
"'If you have 250 rounds of ammunition,' he added, 'fire 249 at the Boers and keep the last for yourself.'" Among the members of the Clara Mathes Co., which comes to the Grand for a week, May 8, is Regin-ald Barlow, who went through the South African war as a member of A Company, R. C. R. He was a member of the Winnipeg contingent, leaving the Valentine Stock Company

to join the recruits.

Mr. Jamieson, of Montreal, will build a \$300,000 elevator at Port Arthur for the Canadian Northern Railway.



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Call and See Them

"The Ark" Headquarters for Housefurnishings

GAY PARIS THE SCENE

Express Office Vault Dynamited and Robbed in Regulation Amer-

sed the watchman asleep, gagged bound him, and escaped with 15,,francs. The hurgiary was carvidently the work of American experts. Manager Dalliba, after going over his books, finds that 30,000 francs were taken. The manner in which the burglars proceeded indicates that they

April 28. — Three masked is entered the American Exampany's office last night, surthe watchman asleep, gagged and him, and escaped with 15... accent:—"Don't move, or I'll shoot you. We have come here to do a little job and we mean to do it." Two of the burglary was cart most audaciously, and was by the work of American example the work of the burglars working below, drilling, hammering and laughing, apparently with not the slightest fear of interruption. Later his guardian, who from time to time had exchanged "kind of bird whistles" with his confederates below smeared something on burglars proceeded indicates that they were familiar with the arrangements of the office. The street door was opened with the proper key, as the lock, which is equal to a safe lock, was not scratched. An American colored boy, who was sleeping on the second storey, says he was awakened at about 1 o'clock in the morning by a choking sensation. A man, his face half hidden by a handkerchief, was kneeling on the boy's chest and choking him. Another man stood beside the bed pointing a revolver at his

when the military operations will

BOER ACTIVITY CONTINUES IN KROONSTAD DISTRICT

Derailed Two Trains and, after a Severe Fight, Captured Twentyfive British Soldiers, Who Were Later Liberated.

London, April 29 .- Lord Kitchener, expert ventures to mention any date

spring of last year, and his father, who was formerly landrost at Boks-

Mr. Cummings, who is visiting Dur-ban on behalf of the Canadian Gov-ernment, is favorably impressed with the trading possibilities between Can-ada and Natal.

MUST SOON GIVE UP. London, April 28-While no military

B.-P. HAS BARRED

Tells All his Men They Must Never Sur

London, April 27.—General Baden-Powell has been giving some sound advice to the men of the South Afri-

London, April 27.—A despatch from Amsterdam announces that Mr. Kru-ger will leave for the United States at the beginning of June. CALLAHAN THE WHITE FLAG ACQUITTED

gy, and did nothing of the sort. Equally futile is the expectation that he will suppress brigandage with an

dit for making war in the only practi-

cal way open to them.

KRUGER COMING OVER.

But the Jury Received a Scathing Rebuke From the Bench.

Cudahy's Offer of \$5,000 for Apprehen sion of Pat Crowe to be Withdrawn.

Omaha, Neb., April 28.-After considering over night the guilt or inno cence of James Callahan, the jury an nounced this morning that he had no part in the kidnaping of Edward Cudahy, Jr., The verdict was an evident surprise to the court and Judge Baker expressed his disgust in emphatic

Callahan was arrested on two other counts, which the state is not now prepared to say will be made use of, as no new evidence is at hand and the expense of going over the ground

again is considerable. again is considerable.

The jury notified Judge Baker at 9 a.m., that it had settled upon a verdict, and the news spread among attorneys and interested persons so that an audience of 50 awaited the 12 men as they filed into the court room. Callahan occupied his usual seat and and betrayed no apprehension as to the outcome. His face was a blank as he watched for the verdict. When the words "not guilty" were pronounced, however, Callahan half rose to his feet, his lips parted in a smile, and he turned his eyes gratefully towards the jury.

large three links, the emblem of the order, wrought with roses, hung from in front of the pulpit. A white dove surmounted all.

The Oddfellows to the number of nearly 200 marched to the church. Chatham Encampment No. 10, Western City Lodge No. 93, and Chatham Lodge No. 29, were all well represented, while a goodly number of the pulpit. A white dove surmounted all.

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JUDGE ASTOUNDED.

Judge Baker studied the wording of the verdict for several minutes in silence as though he had doubted the evidence of his ears. Then, addressing the jury he rebuked them in most vigorous terms. "If Callahan had made his own choice of a jury," the court said, "he could not have selected 12 men who would have served him more faithfully. If the state for its part had made the selection I know of no men it could have named who could have been less careful of its infersts. The jury is discharged without the compliments of the court and the prisoner is likewise turned loose, as to this trial, I presume, to continue the criminal practices in which you have failed to check him, I do not know what motive actuated you in reaching this decision, but I hope none Judge Baker studied the wording of

The Keys

On the

Furniture

Are all out. Please come in and try the locks.

of you will ever appear again in this jury box."

The jury evidently was ill at case during this arraignment, but did not make any response, and filed rapidly from the box as soon as it was at liberty. In the hallway Callahan mumbled his thanks, and shook the jurymen's hands.

POLICE CHIFFS OPINION

POLICE CHIEF'S OPINION. Chief of Pelice Donobue says he will arge Mr. Cudahy to at once withdraw the proferred reward of \$5,000 for the apprehension of Pat Crowe. "Crowe apprehension of Pat Crowe. "Crowe might easily make an appearance and claim the reward himself," said Donohue, "as the evidence against him is

continues the process of wearing down the Boers, who, however, are very active in the Kroonstad district, where they recently derailed two trains and also captured after a severe fight, 25 men of the Prince of Wales Light Horse, whom they stripped of their horses and accourrements and then liberated.

PLUMER CAPTURES A LAAGER. Col. Plumer's force captured a small laager of 45 men, including the natorious Transvaal state engineer Munnick, who planned the destruction of the Johannesburg mines in the spring of last year, and his father, where the surface of the military operations will to ease in South Africa, meagre despatches will be usurender of burghers in small bands, and the capture of callahan.

The may 18 years of experience with oriminals I have never heard more absolutely convincing evidence than that capture of callahan.

There was not a single flaw in the testimony, and the evidence of guilt was overwhelming. From the information in the surface of the surfac

"I do not approve of any reward being offered in a case of this kind, and believe that it operated in the Calla-han trial for the acquittal of the accased. Several times I heard the expression that the police had simply concected a plot to send an innocent man to the penitentiary in the hope of securing the reward.

"The \$59,000 offered for the conviction of the three men concerned in the crime, however, will stand."

ODDFELLOWS AT CHURCH

Brethren of the Three Links Worship in a Body Last

Excellent Sermon by Rev. Dr. Hannon and Delightful Music The Features.

Sunday was the 82od anniversary of the ounding of the I. O. O. F. craft and the local representatives of that powerful organization commemorated the occasion by attending divine worship at the Park Street Methodist Church.

The sacred edifice had been beautifully decorated with palms and flowers furnished by Brother T. A. Smith. The whole front of the church was a mass of foliage and a large three links, the emblem of the order,

William G. Terry, James Rheington and N.

C. Gibson.

The members of the visiting lodge occupied the two centre siales of the church. Rev. Dr. Hannon delivered a splendid sermon taking for his subject, "Judge not leat you be not judged." He dwelt at some length on charity in speaking of your neighbor and laid great stress on the kindness and brotherly love that was so marked in the work of the I. O. O. F.

The music at the service was grand. The choir, under the direction of Miss Elda Idle, rendered three excellent anthems, the first being sung unaccompanied. The choir sang the anthem, "I waited for the Lord," the solo parts being taken by Miss Idle and Miss Maude Wesse.

After returning to the I. O. O. F. temple, hearty votes of thanks were tendered to the pastor, Rev. Dr. Hannon for his able and instructive sermons and to the choir for the excellent special music.

.. The Planet ..

S. STEPHENSON, - Proprietor.

BRITAIN IN EGYPT.

A brief telegraphic despatch announces that the finances of Egypt under the management of Viscount Cromar show a surplus this year of nearly \$2,700,000. This comes as a reminder of the splendid work that is being done by the British in rescuing the land of the khedive from ruin. When the other powers turned over the management of the country to the agents of Great Britain it was in a deplorable condition, financially and otherwise. All the southern provinces were in a state of revolt and the mahdi was in a fair way to conquer the lower provinces as well. The national debt was nearly \$500,000,000 and the country was practically in a state of bankruptcy. Kitchener took charge of the military and Lord Cromar assumed financial control. Kitchener made an army "out of mud" by long years of hard work, because the Egyptian finances could not stand the expense of British troops. When the army was ready he proceeded to drive the madhi. and, later on, his successor, the khalifa, back into the Sudan and finally reconquered the rich provinces of the Nile sources. Meanwhile Lord Cromar was judiciously nursing the finances of the country and turning deficits into surpluses. Now the great Nile dam is in progress and other works are under way which at no distant date will make the land of the Pharaohs prosperous, fertile and financially solvent.

VIOLENT CONTRASTS.

'Africa is probably the best country in the world-perhaps the only country in the world now-for finding violent juxtapositions of the primitive and the civilized, says the Hamilton Post. The Uganda Railway is now stretching its snaky length far up into the interior of the country amidst some of the most extraordinary scenery and the most remarkable engineering achievements that the railroad builder has ever yet met with, and a recent writer tells some curious stories of what is liable to happen ing now pervading the colonies of to passengers on this enterprising Great Britain, he said :line. A few months ago, in the neighborhood of Kilidini, a train passenger coaches was run into siding for the night. A sudden commotion among a group of natives attracted some of the European staff with their rifles, who found a full-grown lion comfortably seated on the platform of one of the carriages and evidently wondering why the train did not proceed. As he refused to show his ticket when asked for it, and showed signs of an intention to resist the conductor, he was promptly shot. A more tragic incident occurred in June last when a European passenger was dragged bodily out of his berth by a lion and conveyed into the jungle, where he was devoured, amid darkness so intense that none of his fellow-passengers dared to come to the rescue.

It seems as if the day of the Western States as a day of violent contrasts has come to an end, and Uganda is likely to take their place. Where we shall go when Uganda is thoroughly civilized it is painfully hard to tell.

THE POWER OF MILLIONS.

The newspapers have been full for two or three days with scare headlines and highly imaginative articles concerning the chase of a millionaire on an ocean greyhound of his millionaire wife on another ocean greyhound in order that he might be the first to announce to her the sudden death of their son, which took place just after her sailing from New York. The incident is not particularly interesting in itself; there is no reason for supposing that the feelings of a millionaire or of a millionaire's wife are more acutely developed than those of the average mortal-in fact, one might be sometimes pardoned for supposing the opposite. And it is doubtful whether the public has the right or the inclination to be interested in such a story concerning an ordinary moderately well-to-do family. But this particular incident is of some interest as showing the extent to which money can command almost every-thing in this twentieth century world. Ocean liners are generally supposed to make as good time as they can conveniently and with safeupon each and every trip but here we find the presence of a very wealthy and bereaved father on board the Deutschland causes the officers of that steamship to endeavor to break every record that she has ever held. The risk to the other passengers, the interests of commerce, the safety of vessels in the path of the great liner, all these are of no importance in comparison with been extensively used for all for the sentimental desire of the father bronchial troubles. All Drug

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his son's death. It is a pathetic incident, but one cannot held wondering whether it is all worth while, whether any man whatever price he can pay should have the right to alter the sailing program of the vessel carrying one thousand or more souls.

Record-breaking speed on an ocean liner is not a matter that should be played with to suit the whim or the sentiment of any one, It is magnificent, but it is not fair.

THE LOYALTY OF THE COLONIES In Toronto recently Rev. W. Ward Carey, of Australia, preached the annual sermon to the members of St. George's Society. In the course of an eloquent reference to the imperial feel-

"Ten years ago the Young Australi ans talked glibly of cutting the paintconsisting of some three or four er that joined their land to England, nd I understand much of the sat loyal Canada. Recent events have changed all that and I believe when the history of Queen Victoria's rule is written, the world will recognize for the first time how much the sovereign had to do with that marvelous imperial sentiment which it has been our privilege to witness. Thirty years ago even so eminent a man as Lord Beaconsfield spoke of the wretched colonies that hung like millstones around the neck of the mother country, but the Queen always thought differently, and it is gratifying to recall that before she died her patriotism her love for her people, received the richest return in the willing sacrifices and loyal devotion shown by the col-

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onies to the Empire and Queen."

In counting the cost of the South African war, its influence on the con solidation of the empire should not be onies cannot be counted in pounds, shillings and pence, but it will stand for all time as one of the greatest assets of the empire.

Young Mr, Cameron is certainly en titled to a job.

our contemporaries, it is a much more serious crime to cast discredit on a party leader than it is to buy and border to match, new colorings, regular versible colorings, made and laid at per vd. or sell a senatorship.

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The heir to the throne of Servia, who is said to be living quietly with his family in Kansas, may be all right, but we wouldn't advise his neighbors to loan him money on his alleged heirship. A lien on one of his cows would be safer.

A man who is exploring for oil near Belleville has called a public meeting and says that all he wants is the good will of the farmers; but probably he also wants any oil that may be uselessly slopping about under their pasture fields.

The awful virulence of the abus which S. H. Blake heaped on H. H. .Cook may be taken either as an indi cation of the weakness of Mr. Blake's case or the natural activity of his tongue, says the Woodstock Express Independent. It is the traditional custom of the attorney with the poor, case to abuse somebody. On the other hand, what would be abuse from the mouth of one man might be but the normal flow of speech of another man.

The Independent Hamilton Herald sizes it up this way: "Nevertheles there can be no doubt that the reputation of the Minister of Trade and Commerce has suffered by the revelations made before the senate commit tee. Although the verdict in his case must be "not proven" intelligen people cannot be prevented from reasoning that if it be true that Mr. Camopinion has been expressed here in Mr. Cook for a seat in the senate, he must have been acting as the agent of some person in high authority who had the power to give effect to the bargain; and that if Mr. Cameron acted as the agent of such a person that person could be none other than Sir Richard Cartwright, who had the most to say about government patronage in Ontario. The old implicit confidence in Sir Richard as a highminded statesman, who would not stoop to any of the baser practices of party politicians, has been shaken.

THE GREAT LEVELER.

Chatham Banner-News. "A bartender dropped dead in Stratford on Saturday while serving a customer." "A preacher dropped dead in his pulpit while preaching yesterday.'
Death is a great leveler.

Misunderstood.

It was a son of "the ould sod" who had It was a son of "the ould sod" who had this little passage with the salesman at one of the down town jewelry stores the ther day. He had come in to purchase a wedding ring for his bride to be. Leaning far over the counter, so that the clerk should be able to hear his wants without the necessity of informing all the other buyers in the store, Pat whispered to him, "Give me the best wedding ring you have in the shop."

"Eighteen carats?" queried the clerk, "No." snapped Pat, drawing back in

"No!" snapped Pat, drawing back in an offended manner. "Aitin onions, if it's any of your confounded business."

Dreadful. Mrs. Hoon—They say that Mrs. Swift-mith is greatly troubled with insomnia. Mr. Hoon—Yes: I understand that she

Immune.

Mr. Biddle—Those shoes are absurdly small for you, my dear, but one must suffer to be beautiful, I know.

Mrs. Biddle—Ah, but how one suffers trying to be polite you will never know!

No man should object to thick sales on his shoes, as the objections will soon wear away.—Chicago News.

The first balloon ascent took place

If you interrupt your studies for one day it will take you two to make up for what you have lost. Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

A New York man lost \$58,000 at one sitting at a game of hearts. Hearts is a risky game to play, whether with cards or otherwise.

Ontario ministers have decided to hold a series of picnics in June. Mr. Whitney and his followers will hold their picnic later on-the chief feature of which will be a voting contest.

Judging from the tone of some of

A PERTINENT QUESTION. Kincardine Review.

The Hamilton Spectator says that f you want to be considered as be longing to the Hamilton's 400 all you have to do is to dodge the tax collector. But is it worth all that trouble

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Tapestry Carpets, good serviceable quali-ties, in bright colorings, special per yd. 250

Linoleums, heavy Scotch quality, in new tile patterns, 1½, 2 and 4 yds wide, special per square yard, 50c.

heavy close pile, reg. \$1.25 quality, special made and laid at per yd \$1.15.

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HERO OF TWO CONTINENTS

HE United States and France have always had the warmest feelings of friendship for each other since the Revolutionary

war, when the American colo nies were so sadly in need of riends and were so grateful for the

aid and personal services of the Marquis de Lafayette, and a number of

This friendship has often been ex-

pressed by the making of public gifts from the people of one country to another. The first gift was that made

by the King and Queen of France

Louis XVI and Marie Antoinette, of a tea service of Sevres china to Mrs. Washington. Many of the pieces of

this famous and almost priceless ware

are in the china cabinets at the White

House. The government of France presented to the people of the United States, in 1886, the colossal statue of

Liberty Enlightening the World, by Bartholdi, that stands at the entrance

to New York harbor on Bedloe's Island. The women of the United States presented to France an equestrian

statue of Washington by Daniel C. French and Edward C. Potter. And as an assurance that the friendship

between the two countries was to con-

tinue, the school children of the Unit-

ed States made a gift to France of an equestrian statue of Lafayette, by Paul

This noble figure stands in the

Court of the Louvre, Paris, unveiled

on the Fourth of July with public cer-

emonies, and in the presence of thou-

sands of Americans, and of people

from other countries. The placing of

the group in the Court of the Louvre

is a great honor. The Louvre was

once the chief royal palace of France, and for four hundred years kings and emperors and republican governments

have added to it and enriched it, un-til now it is one of the most beautiful

works of architecture of the world. Since the downfall of the old mon-

archy in 1793 it has been a museum of

art, and it now contains a collection of

Bartlett.



Five solid wide vestibule trains daily. It is acknowledged by travellers to be the best line between the east and

A census of Great Britain is being taken at almost the same time as There are engaged in the work 40,000 enumerators. There the plan is to leave the schedules with the householder for one week. and on a given date throughout the United Kingdom the enumerators called for these papers. Where they had not been filled they attended to the matter. It is estimated that there will be forty-one millions of people in the British Isles at the taking of this census; it is also estimated that the cost of taking the census amounts to one penny per head of the entire population. At this estimate the cost of taking, the census of forty-one million people would be about £171,000.

Tommy's Frank Opinion. Tominy (just after the maternal scolding and a paternal spanking)-Pa! oh, pa!

Tommy? Tommy-'F I'd been ma I wouldn't a-married you; an' 'f I'd a bin you I wouldn't a-married ma.

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"He didn't seem to realize that some one had to catch the smoke, no matter where the wind was. This morning the wind changed, and Jones set fire to his leaves, with the result that my house got the full benefit of the smoke, and as he stood watching them burn he didn't seem to see anything incongruous about it. Carter's Little Liver Pills.

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very general, but still there are vast numbers of countrymen in China who can neither read nor write, There is a special literary class who alone know the literature of their country, to the study of which they devote their lives. There are boarding schools, day schools and colleges. Examinations mainly confined to moral philosophy and literature are held in the prefectoral cities of each province twice in three years for the lower degree necessary as a passport to the public service, and of the six or seven thousand candidates who have come forward, not more than sixty can be admitted to the degree of Literary Chancellor. For the higher degrees, other examina-tions are necessary. There is a "College, of Foreign Knowledge" at Pekin, where European languages, mathematics, science, etc., are taught by European, Japanese and American professors. There are besides many Christian mission schools where the English language and lower branches of the western sciences are taught. The Government also maintains naval and military colleges and torpedo schools at the various

modern methods of warfare.

ABSOLUTE



me as soon as he and my daughter get back from their honeymoon.

Bullion Bands—But I thought you saw no good in the fellow.

Old Hardeash—I didn't at first, but I've changed my mind. I told him he couldn't have my daughter till he had at least \$1,000 in the bank. He got me to put it in writing, and then went out and borrowed the \$1,000 on the strength of becoming my son-in-law. Such bus.

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Time well arranged indicates a well

"That's nothing to do with it," growled the thin man. "I'm telling you facts, and if you don't want to agree with me, why you don't have to -only you'll show your usual poor judgment, that's all."
"What's it his time?" asked the smoker, with the air of a man conferring

ODDITIES OF EXPRESSION.

ker, with the air of a man conferring a favor.

"This," said the other, and he exhibited a newspaper in which one item had been marked with a blue pencil. He read aloud: "Search for missing boy with dogs and lanterns."

"This is the heading of an article," he sputtered. "I've heard of a good many different kinds of boys, but right now I don't seem to recall the boy with dog and lantern attachments. It's a new one on me. I suppose the man who wrote that intended to convey the impression that dogs and lanterns were being used in a search for a missing boy. If you read the article through that is the idea that you gather. But you'd never guess it from a mere glance at the head-lines."

lines."

"You're all right," said the man with the fat cigar. "You're all right, you are. You have your troubles. But you don't have to worry over a break like that every day. You get it once in a while in the best, or nearly the best, regulated newspapers. But it isn't a frequent thing. You'll get over it, my boy. But my case is different. I have to put up with this sort of thing every day of my life, that is, every working day of my life, that is, every working day. I'm getting pretty tired of it, too. I walk down to my office every morning, and I walk back to my house every evening—some evenings. Now and then I drop in for a little session of the executive committee of the Society for the Prevention of Consumption of Water and then I ride home. Other days ter, and then I ride home. Other days
I take the air and the exercise. Half

way between my flat and the office I am confronted with this horrible sign:

"Say, little boy, you ought to be ar-

knowed wot fun was till he met me!"

As Each One Saw It.

"I am afraid," said Brown thought-

fully, "that we are all more or less self-

of it. Now there is Jones, who lives

He is a splendid fellow, and it is a

pleasure to have him for a neighbor, as a fairer minded man never drew

breath. I have sometimes thought he overdid it, and that he would be better

off if he thought more of Jones and less of his neighbors. But I am afraid

"'Jones,' said I yesterday, when I saw him in his yard looking at his leaves, 'why don't you set fire to that pile and get rid of it?"

"'Great guns, man!' he answered, looking at me as if he thought I had taken leave of my senses, 'can't you see that the wind is just right to fill my house full of smoke?"

ngruous about it.

"Meanwhile I have a big pile

feaves that only await a change in the

wind, and if the weather man is right in his predictions Smith catches it to-morrow."—Detroit Free Press.

Old Hardcash—I've decided to take foung Sharpleigh into business with

me as soon as he and my daughter get

of becoming my son-in-law. Such bus-iness ability as that mustn't be allowed

At breakfast the mistress observed the unwonted demeanor of the maid

rested for cruelty to animals!"

statuary and paintings that is second 'LAMENESS A SPECIALTY.' only to that of the Vatican in Rome.
IN MILITARY COURT COSTUME. "Now you might think that the man This statue of Lafayette was designwho hangs out that sign is a chronic sufferer from lameness. You might ed to be in harmony with the palace whose west front is in classical style, think it was on tap, and all you had to do to get what you wanted of it would be to ring the bell and walk in. You might think that lameness was sup-plied at reduced rates to families. You might think a lot of things, but with more than 500 pairs of Corinthian columns. The Marquis is represented in military court costume with riding boots, cocked hat and sword, but also in embroidered velvet coat lace ruffles and powdered hair. His the fact is that the man who is re-sponsible for the sign is a blacksmith, horse is groomed in the stiff fashion and the board hangs outside his shop.
It leers evilly at me every time I pass
it, and some of these days I'm going
to do it a mischief. I suppose the of classic days, with braided mane and clubbed tail. This is all very blacksmith desires people to know that he makes a specialty of curing, or at least treating lameness in horses. But he does the best he can to conceal his

characteristic of Lafayette who remained a courtier and member of the old nobility to the end of his days, and at the same time was the daring leader of a new era. When he first saw the American flag he said that the tricolor would go around the world until all men were free and self-governing. Fourteen years later he dared, in the early days of the French revolution, to befriend the unhappy King and Queen and to try to save them from a violent death. He was probably the only man in France who could have done that and himself have

escaped death. In this statue he is represented as a young man; he was, in fact, only 20 years old, when in 1777, he offered his sword to the cause of freedom. He lived to be nearly 80 and took part in all the political changes in France up to 1835.

In 1824 he revisited the United States and was present at the laying of the corner stone of Bunker Hill monument. He visited Andrew Jackson at the old log cabin Hermitage in Tennessee, was entertained at St. Louis, and at Kaskaskia on the Mississippi, in the first capital of Illinois that now lies in the bed of the river. The whole country did him honor and his trip that extended over several months, and was made in steamboats, on horseback and in stage coaches, was a series of splendid public enter-

tainments. There are men living who remember the white haired Marquis (who was then 68 years old) and his affable manner and keen interest in the wonderful development of this country. To the Indians he was a hero, and many a sulky chief traveled from his home on the plains to grasp the del-icate, blue-veined hands that had struck such good blows in the cause of freedom. To American school children the will always remain one of the great men of the world. So it is fitting that their gift to France should be a statue of his hero of both countries.

"When a child is born in Liberia ome member of the family is sent at ice to the devil doctor to inquire who It is and what its name shall be," says a missionary who has had charge of the Garraway Mission in Liberia for twelve years, according to an ex-

"He goes to the top of the house, taking with him a horn, which he blows to call the devil. because it is he who is supposed to tell who it is that has returned to the world. The Liberians believe that every baby is some deceased member of the family, come back to live among them.

"A young mother is never allowed to care for her own child, but is compelled to give it to an older woman to be cared for. These nurses may be seen out of doors any morning, sitting on upright sticks of wood, rubbing inside of the babies' throats with pepper, until the poor infants are half strangled and altogether miserable with nausea. After this heroic treat-ment they are laid to sleep on a floor mat by the fire and the 'fittest' sur-

the services of her sons-in-law for certain duties, and whatever their obligations may be they must obey her.
Girl babies are welcomed in consequence, among these people."

Some men act toward their wives ne if they had conferred a great fain marrying them,

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less of his neighbors. But I am arraid that even he can be selfish at times. This is the time when the ground is littered with dead leaves, and he had gathered together a fine pile, that only needed a match applied to them to become a thing of the past.

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Ald. Mounteer is acting Mayor, ow-ing to Mayor Sulman being out of the city.

A number of lads were swimming in the river opposite Drader's mill on Saturday.

Rev. W. H. G. Colles conducted the services and preached in St. Mary's Church, Walkerville, yesterday. It is worth your while to call and see the nice assortment of rustic chairs, lawn seats, lawn flower stands, at

Westman Bros. In the Peninsular Football League at Walkerville on Saturday Wind-sor defeated Walkerville by 1 goal

A committee has been appointed to make arrangements for the annual church parade of Court Hope, No. 6,244, A. O. F., which takes place on the first Sunday in

Yesterday was the feast of St. Joseph in the Roman Catholic calendar and the day was fittingly commemorated here by the celebration of solemn high mass at St. Joseph's Church.

In the report of the West Kent Licenses Commissioners' meeting the granting of a license to D. Gonyeau, of Pain Court, was inadvertantly omitted. Mr. Gonyeau granted his license for the full year.

his license for the full year.
m Martin had seven bags of cate ICE RUNNING stolen from his barn one and one half miles out Victoria avenue on Saturday evening. Mr. Martin is the possessor of a clue and feels confident of rounding up the

John Armstrong, principal of the Newbury Public School, spent Satur-day and Sunday with his grandmother, Mrs. Macoun, Prince street. Mrs. Macoun has been seriously ill for some time but is slowly recovering.

David Flook began pumping the sand and mud from the old gunboat this morning. The work of raising the boat will be proceeded with at

"Andy" Beck, or Epperson, appeared before Judge Bell this morning and elected to be tried by jury at the general sessions, opening here on June 11. Beck is charged with stabbing Mrs. Ellison.

Back of Mr. Marshall's farm, about four miles up the river, the washing away of the bank has revealed the burial place of some man. The coffin had evidently been of oak, but nothing was left but dust. Even the nails were rusted away so as to be scarcely recog-nizable. It had evidently been buried

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Thos. Dalton, of Detroit, is visiting riends in the city.

Mayor Greenwood, of Blenheim, the city to-day. Court of Revision

journed till next week. Edward Sharp, of Chicago, who has been risiting his father, Wm. Sharp, returned

home Saturday evening.

Mr. J. H Oldershaw has just received a carload of fine brick and clay at his yards, three doors west of Harrison hall, Welling-

The examination of the plaintiff in Slo vs Sloan took place this morning before Special Examiner Holmes. W. F. Smith appeared for the defendants and J. B. Rankin, K. C., for the plaintiff.

At a meeting of the teachers of Holy Trinity Sabbath school held yesterday afternoon the financial report for the year was presented by the treasurer. It was very satisfactory showing a balance in the bank to the credit of the school of \$90. The school is also entirely free from debt of any kind.

Rev. Thos. Cornish, of this city, who has lately been ordained in the ministry of the Baptist church and who has accepted a call to the pastorate of the First Baptist church, Pontiac, read the lesson and led in the opening prayer at the service in the William St. Baptist church last night. Mr. Cornish leaves for Pontiac on Thursday.

The water at Tick-a-Tack Point, near Mitchell's Bay, is now exceptionally tionally low. Yesterday on the exposed sands Mrs. Isaac Heath found a flint-lock rifle and shot gun, made in 1812, with hammer up and loaded; also a jack-knife, metal frying pan, and an axe, the latter forg-ed by a blackmith and a lot of This is an interesting find and doubtless has a history.

COMMENDABLE ACTION. "The spitting of tobacco juice on King street sidewalks is going to be stopped," said Officer Thomas Groves this morning. "I got the names of several offenders yesterday, and they will be summoned to appear in the police court. It isn't necessary for men to stand on the corner and defile the sidewalk with pools of filth for ladies to wade through. The men who do it commit the act thoughtlessly in most cases, and when they find that by spitting on the sidewalk they are breaking the law, they will stop. We don't want to be hard on any one, but just to get all in the habit of spitting on the roadway."

These are the Conditions which Prevai

St. Clair, Mich., 'April 29. - The river opened here yesterday morning but was full of running ice all day and is still so. The water fell nine inches vesterday forenoon and commenced to rise in the afternoon, and is now seven inches higher than Saturday. Indications are that it is probably blocking below. The ferry Welcome came over from Courtright yesturday and resumed her regular trips this morning. There are no boats tied up here, but several passed down yes-

at St. Clair and Marine City To day.

terday. It is reported they are tied up at Marine City.

Algonac, Mich., April 29. — The water has raised three feet in the last 24 hours. The river below is blocked with the heavest ice. with the heaviest ice of the season.

Pearl Beach, Mich., April 29.—The ice
off this point is as solid as in midwinter, and the water has risen to a point 18 inches above normal. The "oldest inhabitant" is unable to remember such conditions in this vicinity. A big steamer is visible off Point Du Chene, in the north channel,

with steam up, but she dcesn't seem to be with steam up, but she doesn't seem to be making any headway.

Marine City, Mich., April, 29.—Ice running heavy and faster than at 7 a.m. The water is three and one-half feet higher than normal, but is lowering now. The fleet tied up here consists of the Niagara, St. Paul, Northwestern, Plankington, and Bielman. The 'America, which came down Sunday, is reported aground in the north channel near the Miller farm.

Sir Louis and Lady Davies and Hon. Clifford and Mrs. Sifton were at Sy racuse on Saturday night.

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"I never knew how much land owned until yesterday when John Holmes, Robt. Pritchard and myself went out to my farm at Mitchell's Bay. The water has gone down and left a half-mile of land tacked on to the rear of my farm. It is all pure white sand and as hard as a board. "There were 20 rigs driving on my new farm and as many bicycles. The ground is well packed and makes

splendid wheeling.
"I expect to make lots of money out of my farm this year. You see, some of it is marshy; so I am using that part of it for raising wild rice. Then a company in New York is going to start a frog farm at the Bay I have offered them the use of my farm and if they accept! I will make \$2,000 a year out of the frogs."

And the newly acquired land owner sat down to think it all over.

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List of Prize Winners at the Peninsular Fair.

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bird, Geo. McGarvin; 2nd, Raison, Geo.

Three-year-old Clydesdale Stallions, 1st, Pride of Canada, Ed. Bigger. 181 Aged Canadian Draft Stallion, 1st, Sunbeam, E, Hinds; 2nd, Nicholas, J. W. Fleming.

Three year old Shire Stallion, 1st, in any way.

Bank of Wales, Frank Drury.

Aged Carriage Stallion, 1st High the flour it recovers from the branching that Noon, D. and J. McLachlan; 2nd, Mockmessenger, R. W. Winters. Aged German Coach Stallion, 1st, Nigger, Fred. Weaver; 2nd, --, J. B. Aged Roadster Stallions, 1st, Bas-

Aged Roadster Stallions, 1st, Bassora, E. Cornettet; 2nd, Royal Rysdyke, E. B. Tole.

Three year old Roadster Stallions, 1st, Stanley D., David Muckle; 2nd Wild Bryno, Chas, Crowe.

Thoroughbred Blood Stallion, 1st, Arlington, W. O. McGuigan.

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WORSHIPPED IN DECOLLETE GOWNS

Ladies Furnish a Novel Spectacle at a London West End Church.

London, April 29 .- A novel spectacle was presented here last evening, men and women attending a West End church in evening dress. Dr. Gray, the incumbent of St. George's, in Albemarle street, has instituted special late services for fashionable people, who profess that dinner engagements prevent their going to church evenings. Many women attended in de-collete dress, with theatre wraps. Dr. Gray found it necessary to explain that it was not, as supposed, an even-ening dress service, but still there was no reason why people should not attend in evening dress if it was convenient for them to do so. It is possible that the innovation will be-come fashionable, especially while it

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We have eight patterns in our New Wall Paper at 6c per roll that are exceptionalgood value. Colors are blue, green, cream and white and there are floral and set designs-papers suitable for small halls, bedrooms, sitting rooms, dining rooms, etc., nine inch borders and ceilings to match. There is not one of these papers but is worth 8c or oc per roll.

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WAS SUDDENLY

Case Postponed Owing to

Rather Peculiar Reason.

TERMINATED

Ottawa, April 29.—A suit at the assizes came to a sudden termination Saturday. Joseph Marshall was suing Samuel Armour, a contractor, for the death of the former's son, Wm. Marshall, who was killed in an excavation made by Armour. When the court adjourned for lunch the defendant was in the box. His Lorship omitted the usual precaution to the jury that while out for dinner they were not to talk to any one about the case, nor discuss it among themselves. His Lordship went back to give the jury the warning, and found that the defendant was explaining his case to them with ardor. When the court resumed the judge refused to proceed further, and sent the case over to the autumn sittings. tumn sittings.

A FLOUR SAVER.

John Piggott & Sons, of this city, have secured the Canadian right to manufacture and sell what is known as the Davidson detacher and finish er, a patent flour attachment, and intend to manufacture them on very large scale.

They secured the right on January 2nd and have since then given it sev-eral good tests, which have proved very satisfactory, showing that it is a good thing, and have not yet had one word detrimental said against it

and shorts will pay for the price of it in one month. It requires so little floor space and power that it can be set in places where no other machine

for similar work can be put. They have not yet decided whether will manufacture them here or they will manufacture them here at Chatham, but in either case have to double their staff where they make them and enlarge their factory. -Windsor Record.

Adam Laidlaw, of Hamilton, is dead.

Mr. Halliday's election in North Bruce

A case of smallpox is reported in the vicinity of Waterloo Town.

Gabriel Bergeron, of Lancaster, was struck and killed by a train.

Wm. J. Archer, Toronto, was fatally oursed in his home on Saturday night. A WARLIKE FIND

Ex-Ald. John Liddy states that Mr. McLaren, the Mitchell's Bay stage-driver, told him that Mrs. McLaren had found an old flint-lock shot gun made in 1812, a rifle, a jack-knife and an old hand-made axe just off Tick-a-Tack Point at Mitchell's Bay. Mrs. McLaren found the arms in the sand exposed by the low water. Ald. Liddy says that there must have been axe-ident there at some time, and that the boat had evidently upset.

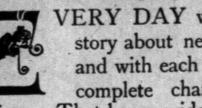
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St. George's is the chapel where Thackeray immortalized the Rev. Mr. Honeyman in the "Newcombes."

Louis G. Evans, of the 90th Batt., was fined at the Winnipeg Police Court for neglecting to attend drills.

Intending passengers for any Pacific Coast Points, including San Francisco, Los Angeles, Seattle, Tacoma, Portland, Victoria or Vancouver, will consult their interests by calling on W. E. Rispin, general passenger and ticket agent, 115 King street, who will issue tickets to any of the above points on any Tuesday from now until the end of April at \$38.70 each.

Another Chapter About DRESS GOOI



VERY DAY we could write a new story about new Dress Materials, and with each write-up give you a complete change of goods and

prices. That bears evidence of the fact that we have anticipated mostly every Dress Goods need that the exacting ladies of Chatham arelikely to demand. We'll be glad to have you personally prove that claim. These are some New Goods you have not been told about in these columns:-

Colored Goods Black Goods ALBATROSS—A rich finished dress material, good weight, clean wear-ing, will not crease, black guaran-teed, two qualities, prices per yd.

SATIN AMAZON—One of the season's novelties, yarn dyed and fulled, 46 in. wide, spring shades, per yd....

BUFFALINE—A fine wool material of the sura class; bright finish, wear and color guaranteed, 44 in. wide, per yd...... 60c

HENRIETTAS—Of superior quality and color, our cloth has a rich silk finish, of the finest quality of wool, best dye, 44 to 46 in. wide, every price from per yd. 50e te........... bright finish, warranted not to spot or mark with water, all pure wool, nice weight, at per yd.....

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PIRLE SUITINGS—A material of very

ASHMERES—Our special, we have now a full range of shades in this popular cloth, including old rose, nile and peacock, all wool, guaran-teed, 46 in. wide, at per yd......

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OUR heavy importations of high grade and fashionable Carpets for this season gives us a stock surpassing any other in Chatham and equalled by few in Western Ontario The cream of the best and most exclusive novelties to be found in England are shown here in the atest color combinations. Our ever increasing business demonstrates that we give better goods for less money than is usual-

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of April. The question which naturally arises is what effect will this tariff have on sugar in Canada? Just this we are not yet prepared to say, but without doubt sugar is in a very strong position and will probably advance very

The above extract speaks for itself. Personally we cannot add anything that will make it more clear. We do not see how sugar can help but be higher, and that soon.

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WORLD OF SPORT. SAMUEL WAS

Saturday was a busy day in baseball circles and the attendance at all the struggles brightened. The playing, too, generally showed improve-

ment. The results of the contests were as

NATIONAL LEAGUE. At Philadelphia-Philadelphia-5 8 2. New York-1 12 4. At Brooklyn-Boston-3 8 6

Chicago-2 6 3. Cincinnati-9 14 1. At Pittsburg-Pittsburg-2 11 2. St. Louis-7 12 1.

Brooklyn-6 10

At Chicago-

AMERICAN LEAGUE. At Baltimore-

Baltimore-12 11 4.

Boston-6 11 2. At Detroit-Detroit-13 15 5. Milwaukee-9 12 3. At Philadelphia-

Washington-11 19 1. Philadelphia-5 11 3. EASTERN LEAGUE. At Rochester-Toronto-3 3 2 Rochester-5 10

At Buffalo-Buffalo-7 8 5. Montreal-5 11 5. At Worcester-Worcester-3 8 2.

Syracuse-4 6 2. At Providence-Providence—5 8 3. Hartford—3 9 4.

WESTERN LEAGUE. At Toledo-Toledo, 5; Fort Wayne, 4. At Louisville-

Indianapolis, 8; Louisville, 7. At Grand Rapids-Marion, 8; Grand Rapids, 16. At Dayton-Dayton, 2; Columbus, 0.

A meeting of the Gun Club is called for Friday evening next, May 3rd, at 8.30, in the parlors of the Grand Central Hotel.

GUN CLUB SHOOT. To-morrew afternoon at 2.30 o'clock the regular shoot of the Maple City Gun Club will take place on the Exhibition grounds. A full attendance of the members is requested.

CITY FOOTBALL LEAGUE. The first fixture on the City Football League schedule will be played off on Wednesday afternoon between the Scotts and the Marlboros. A good game is anticipated.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL. Local football enthusiasts are arranging to enter the Western Foot-ball Association. They are of opinion that a group comprising, say Chatham, Glencoe, Watford and Lon-don could be organized, and Mr. J. W. Couse, of this city, has received of the W. F. A., Berlin, stating that no difficulty will be experienced in having the winners of the group play off the finals with the winners of group A, which comprises Stratford, Listowel, Galt and Berlin. The competition must close by June 15 .-London Free Press.

CARD OF THANKS.

To the officers and members of Court Pride of Dover, No. 8715, A. O. F. Pride of Dover, No. 8715, A. O. F.

I desire to express to the officers and members of your lodge my sincere appreciation of the care and consideration shown to my late husband, J. Wemp, and to myself during his illness, and for your prompt attention in paying the sick benefits and death claim, I can heartily commend your order, and would advise any person who can to take advantage of the benefits the membership affords. efits the membership affords. MRS. J. WEMP, Dover South.

BRESCI IN PENAL COLONY.

Berlin, April 27 .- The Berliner Tage. blatt to-day prints a special despatch to the effect that Bresci, who assassinated King Humbert of Italy, has just been removed to the penal colony on Vontotene Island, and that he will remain there for life.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. If you are scrofulous, dyspeptic, rheumatic, troubled with kidney complaint, general debility, lacking strength, take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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Judge Houston Tells Siddles **Few Facts Concerning His** Career.

The & mbition to Sport a Bicycle Gets Colored Maiden Into Sad rouble.

"On the charge of indecent assault you could not only be imprisoned, but whipped, and whipped severely. The

law so provides." Such were the words used by Judge Houston in sentencing Sam Siddles, convicted of indecent assault on Mrs. Marble, and of stealing a watch from William Bonnett. "Then you, on your own admission, start for a drug store to get medicine for a sick child and you go twice the distance of the drug store, to a hotel and get into a watch stealing difficulty. Your action was scarcely commendable. One would expect you to go as quickly as possible for the medicine under the circumstances. If I had the slightest idea that I could reform you by acquiescing in your counsel, Mr. Geo. G. Martin's request, and dismiss you on suspender sentence, I would do so, but I haven't and I will sentence you to 18 months in the Central Prison, on each charge, the terms to run concurrently. I would advise you on coming out to leave your old associates and refrain from drink. I feel sorry for your wife and four weeks old babe, but I have my duty to the public to perform."

Mrs. Siddles and the baby were in court, and the prisoner, as he went below took the child from its mother's arms and carried it down stairs.

CHARGE WITHDRAWN. Martha Ann Parker laid a charge of assault against Sadie Simmons, but re-pented and withdrew the charge, pay-ing \$1 costs.

MAIDEN AND HER WHEEL. MAIDEN AND HER WHEEL.

Maria Griffin was charged by Mrs.

Morris with stealing \$5.

Maria is a colored malden of fourteen summers and some months. Her mother is dead and her father is away with another wife. Mrs. Morris gave the child a home. Maria wanted a bicycle so she wrote a letter to her foster mother stating that the insurance on some property on Queen street was ter mother stating that the insurance on some property on Queen street was due. The epistle comtained much praise for Maria as a messenger, and was purported to be signed by W. H. Harper. Amongst other things the letter said that if Maria was a boy she was the one that W. H. Harper would hire to carry money.

The letter had been written by the girl and the aged colored woman unsuspectingly gave Maria the insurance money to take to Mr. Harper. She went down and paid the money as part payment on a bicycle.

Maria pleaded guilty this morning and Judge Houston remanded the girl for a week. He remarked that it used

for a week. He remarked that it used to be said that the desire for fine clothes got girls into trouble, but now the desire for a bicycle was the baneful influence.

"I don't want to send you to the Mer-cer Reformatory," said the Judge "There are so many inmates that a young girl is surrounded by influences not always helpful. It would take two or three angels at the head of the Mer-cer Reformatory to protect the young girls from bad influences. It has been my experience that no good has ever come of sending girls there."

When the Baby Cries at Night

there is a cause for it. Perhaps it is gas on the stomach, may be cramps or diarrhoea. Don't lose sleep, anticipate such contingencies by always keeping handy a bottle of Polson's Nerviline. Just a few drops in water given inwardly, then rub the little one's stomach with a small quantity of Nerviline, and perfect rest is assured for the night for both mother and baby. You may not need Nerviline often but when you do you need it badly. Get a 25c. bottle to-day.

MESSIAH'S VICTOR SONG.

Hark! while down the lengthening Sounds Messiah's victor song; Shines a radiance o'er the pages Of earth's tale of shame and wrong

Oh, the glory, new, transcending, Of that first fair Easter morn! When to weary hearts down-bending Sprang a joy, of sorrow born.

Toward the rocky eavern hastening, Where their Lord in death was laid; Hearts bowed down with sorest chastening-iuse they, startled, hushed

afraidlist what angel lips are telling-How the Lord, victorious, blest, Rolled the stone from that dark dwel-

ling; Issued forth, his power confessed He is risen! He is risen!
Setting free the sons of Time;
Risen! Conqueror, Saviour, risen!
Death obeys that will sublime.
—Lillias C. Nevin.

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With or without bibs, embroidered,

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Children's White Dresses, lawn, muslin Children's Mother-Hubbards, embroidery insertion tucking, lace trimmed.

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Our special wide embroidery trimmed White Skirts are the best value we have ever shown, at White Muslin Skirts, embroidery flounces and clusters of tucks, as \$1.00 Cambric Umbrella Skirts, very special, reg. \$1.35, for.....

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Fine White Corset Covers, sizes 32 to Extra Special Covers, two styles and the Marguerite, at...... 50c

All Over Embroideries, from 50c to \$3.00. All Over Laces, butter, white and inen, from 36c to \$3.00. Just received a lot of Fine Muslin and Cambric Embroideries and Insertion, special values. American Bleached Cottons, Atlantic, Forrest Mills Columbia, Fruit of the Loom, Three Step, Etc.

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AT THE THEATRE

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Whew! What awful weather! It's raining hard, now."

"Raining hard f Why, man alive, it is hailing."

"Well, that's the same thing."

Marion Longfellow, Pearl J. Ford.

"On the Suwanee River," which visits to Sumane River, "on the Suwanee River, " which visits to stand it has played this Beason. The other two being Hamilton, and London. It is in Toronto all this week, closing the eargagement to-night. This company, which is the original one, is owned by E. D. Stair, of Detroit, whose other company, Ward and Vokes in "The Floorwalkers," is well known to many Chathamites, he and J. H. Havlin having a virtual monopoly of the popular priced houses of the country. Anything bearing the mame of E. D. Stair may always be depended upon. He is not to be confounded with F. W. Stair, an entirely different individual, who perpertrated "Who is Who" on us earlier in the season. "On the Suwanee River," carries every stick of scenery used in the production and some of it is said to be very handsome. A feature of the performance is a number of pleasing specialties, including the famous "Clover Leaf Quartette."

The Clara Mathes Co., will present

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"Nell Gwynne," "Sapho," "South Afri-ca," and other well-known successes during the week of May 6..

Mr. Cairns, of the Grand, returned Saturday night from Toronto. On Saturday afternoon he saw a matinee performance of "On the Suwanee River," and says it is one of the best melodramas ever brought to Chatham. The scenery is superb, the company has played to crowded houses all week in Toronto and received at least a dozen curtain calls Saturday afternoon. The complete pro-duction will be at the Grand Wednes-

day evening next. When in Toronto Mr. Cairns closed arrangements for most of his Lyce-um Course attractions for next year. His course next season will be a much more expensive one than this much more expensive one than this year's and will again comprise six entertainments. The ones closed are "The Fadettes," Albert Armstrong in "The Sky Pilot," the famous "Ottumwas" male quartette, The Copley Square Trio, the Elysian Entertainers, and one other, probably the Mozart Symphony Club. There will be one more regular number on this season's course and one extra number. Edward P. Elliott's impersonation of "David Harum" has made such a hit that the bureau has extended his original booking of one week in Canoriginal booking of one week in Can-ada to three weeks. He will prob-

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

ably be here May 13.

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HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE Andrew Thomson, Jr., auctioneer, has received instructions from L. J. Atwater, 4 Riverside Terrace, King St., west, who is leaving the city, to sell without reserve all his household ef-

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One Heintzman piano, upright;
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Brussels, nearly new; quantity of matting; 10 pair lace curtains, costly; 40
shades; one oak sideboard, oak dining shades; one oak sideboard, oak dining room table; one set leather upholstered dining room chairs; one armchair, the same; six fancy rockers; writing desk and book case; one card table; six dining room chairs, oak; hall rack; one Domestic sewing machine, good order; assume that the sewing machine, good order; as the chairs, oak; hall rack; one Domestic sewing machine, good order; one complete set of dishes; one 8-day clock; one parlor lamp; one parlor couch, fancy chairs, easy chair, one red birch bedroom suit, complete; a beauty mattress and spring; one box couch, new; toilet sett; gas range, refrigerator, kitchen table, kitchen utensils, cloth ringer, crockery and glassware, lawn mower, rubber hose, and other articles, too numerous to mention.

One roller top affice deck, 10 office chairs; one heating stove.

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1 bottle good pickles for 9c. 11b. baking powder with meat sa

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Down the green lane she is coming.
Alanna, gradeful and fair;
The blue of the skies,
Within her bright eyes,
The midnight within her dark hair;
O Alanna machree, the sweet sight of thes,
A leap of the heart it giveth to met

Down the green lane she is coming,
Lianna, with smiling so sweet;
The daisies, deep red.
Leap up from their bed.
To fondle her white little feet;
O Alanna machree, the sweet sight of thee,
A leap of the heart it giveth to me!

—Jennie E. T. Dowe in Century.

THE LITTLE MEDIATOR.

"And the young Prince married the Princess and lived happily forever af-

A girl of probably twenty, in a big chair, by the light of a bright hearth fire, was reading to a younger girl, a much younger girl—in fact, a little girl. The story is concluded and the

"There, dear, how does that story please you? Don't you wish you knew such an interesting, handsome, noble Prince as the one of whom I have just

This interrogation from the older girl the younger one unconsciously, ignores for a time. She is dreaming. Her big, blue eyes are staring vacantly into the red embers, which have fallen from the logs on the hearth.

Then she sighs deeply.

Waking from her reverie, she turns those wide wondering eyes of hers into the face above her, for she is seated at the older girl's knee and asks:

"Do you know, Julia, that Prince reminds me of Mr. Mercer? Mr. Mercer is handsome. And he's brave, too cause he saved my dollie when it fell into the lake last summer. Only"—in a regretful tone—"he hasn't any princes for his bride yet. But he will have, 'cause he said he would." "Oh, he did!" from the older girl.

"Yes, he did. Least, he's going to marry a queen. And isn't it strange, Julia, her name is just the same as "Why, child, what are you saying?

How do you know all this?"
"Well," answered the little one puckering her mouth in a childish quizzical way, "while Mr. Mercer was waiting for you to finish dressing for the theatre, the other evening, he took me on his knee and we sat here by the fire. I told him I was awful tired reading fairy stories, and asked him if he couldn't tell me one. He said he thought he didn't know any 'cept what's in the books, but 'course, if

wanted him to he'd try."
"Yes, and what did he tell yo?" "He said, 'Once there was a man who liked a girl awful much, but he was afraid to tell her so, 'cause he didn't know how she'd take it.' And he said 'By Jove, I wish she wasn't so distant to me.' And I said, 'Is she so far away?' He said, 'No, not that kind of distant.' 'She's not kind to you, then?' said I. 'Well, not kind enough,' said he. Then I told him she wasn't nice if she wasn't kind, and he said, right quick, 'Oh, yes, she is nice; she's ador able—she's a queen.' 'Why, what's her name?' said I, Well, he was staring into the fire, and he took a big. long breath, and said 'Julia.'"

"Yes, yes," said the older girl, very much interested. "Go on." "'Why, that's my sister's name,' said. 'Does she know her?'

And he jumped up so quick he really frightened me, but then he kissed me and sat me on the edge of the table and said: Now, Joyce, I started in to tell you a fairy story, didn't 'Yes,' said I; 'but it wasn't much account.' 'I know that.' said he, awful quick, 'and I want you to forget all about it, and I'll come around some other time and tell you another one. Well, if it isn't any better than the one you started, you needn't come, said I. And he—why, he laughed and said he'd try and make the next more interesting. Then you came down-stairs, and when you were going out with him, he turned around, put his finger on his lips, and he looked real

serious. I think-"Why, Joyce, he meant you should not say anything about it." "About what?"

"Why, about what he told you. I'm was naughty of you, Joyce; it was wrong." 'Well, that's the second time

didn't know what 'keep quiet' meant. You know what you said about him last week. Well, after I told him him about it-"What! did you tell him all about

Miss Julia sat back in her chair "Yes, I told him, and he said: 'My

my, Joyce, you mustn't tell things like that.' But he didn't tell me that 'till I was all done talking."
"Oh, you horrid child! How dare you to do such a thing? How-Overcome by her feelings, Miss Julia

sat in silence, but she did a good dea of thinking. The two girls sat in quiet for a time without speaking, and it was becom-ing embarrassing to both when the entrance of a maid with a card caused both to rise. The older girl reads the eard, "Mr. Mercer."

"Tell Mr. Mercer to come up here It's much warmer,"—in an apologetic way—"and, Joyce, it's far past your bedtime. Say good night and rut

away."

obeying her sister, Joyce just reaches the doorway, when her path is blocked by the form of a tall, good-looking young fellow, who stands slightly surprised, with a bulky package in his arms.

"Good evening, Miss Julia. How are you, Joyce? You are not going as soon as I come, are you? Why, I have brought you your Christmas present But"—carelessly—"you won't want to see it until to-morrow."

"Oh, yes; show me now, please, pleaded the little one. "Why, I'd most forgotten to hang up my stocking."

And while the young man kneels to antie the package he has brought Joyce's diminutive figure squats on a rug by the fire and before any warning words can come from her sister, the little one has unbuttoned a ting

boot and taken off one little black stocking. Quite unabashed by the frown from

her sister she hops over to Mercer, and with the bare foot hidden in her skirts and asks: / "Won't you hang this on the mantel for me, please? Now don't put it too near the middle, for las' Christmas the heat made the candy all soft and I couldn't eat ft."

Both Mercer and Joyce's sister laugh at this remark, and, with the aid of a tack, the stocking is hung. The young man takes from the package a magni-

Giving vent to an exclamation of surprise and delight, Joyce makes a rush for the prize, and, obtaining it, spends several hurried moments in admiration and examination. Then, remembering about bed, she throws one little arm around Mercer's neck; the other tightly holds the doll. She gives him a hearty kiss, and, looking earnest'y into his eyes, exclaims: 'Oh, you are so good!' and turning to her sister, she says: "Isn't he, Julia?"

With a perceptible blush the sister

answers, "Why, yes, he is, indeed. But you must run off to bed now." With a happy smile on her little face Joyce kisses both her sister and Mercer good night and starts off to bed to dream of little fat Santa Claus squeezing through chimneys a foot square to fill whole rows of juvenile

hosiery with pounds of chocolates.

But at the door she hesitates, stops and turns. "Mr. Mercer," she says "I hope you won't be angry, but I didn't forget that fairy story you told me, and I told Julia about it. Now, you're not angry, are you?"

Mercer just about realizes what the

child has said. He is dazed, but he replies with a nervous, forced laugh: "Am I angry? Oh, no; not at all." The little one is too young to notice but the older girl does—that this is said in a sarcastic way, kindly withal "I'm so glad," Joyce says, in a re-

lieved tone. "I didn't think you would be angry, 'cause I told Julia you liked her. 'Cause you do, don't you?"

Miss Julia has not only had trouble to retain her composure during this interrogation, but felt she was in dan-ger of fainting from embarrassment. However, she controls herself long

"Joyce, it's almost midnight; go over to your bed." Without any further remarks save a sweet "Good night," the little one runs off to bed."

enough to say:

The unexpected declaration that Joyce had made regarding the secrets each had thought buried in the child had quite unnerved Julia, and Mercer elt somewhat in the same position. Walking to the window, Julia hides her face in the folds of a friendly curtain. The fire on the hearth had almost died out. Nothing came from the embers save a dull red glow. The lamp had not been lighted, and the

room was becoming enveloped in darkness. Julia throws back the heavy curtains and the rich, silvery light from a full, round moon flows softly into the room. And as the midnight hour draws nearer there comes floating to the window, over the silent city's roofs, the sound of Christmas chimes, as soft

and as pure as the moon's white rays. "Christmas bells. Won't you come

to the window? You can hear them Mercer accepts the girl's invitation and is sure he can detect a tenderness in her voice that she has never used to him before. A hope springs up in his breast, and as he reaches her side he tenderly takes her hand within his own and says, almost in a whisper, as if awed by the stillness and the mystic music of the midnight chimes:

"Miss Merton—Julia—Joyce asked me a question before she left us to-You heard it?" Faintly and faltering comes

"Let me answer it to you. I like you. More than that, I love you. Tell me that I may hope.' Julia raises her head, and in her eyes he reads his answer. Tenderly he stoops and kisses the lips upturned

to his, and locked in his strong embrace she stands silently, happy in his And who knows, as they stood there together, but what both blessed the

child who had unconsciously told each

of the other's love.-Philadelphia

He Always Has a Passport.

H. L. Benson, of New York, according to a reporter of a St. Louis paper takes pains to be always provided with a passport. He says that it cost him but a dollar and a little trouble to get it, and that it saves him a great deal of trouble whenever he is where he is not well known. Says he: "With the passport I never have to be identified at a bank, post office or other institutions where strangers transacting business always have to be vouche for by somebody known to the officials. You see that the body of the paper contains a most minute and unmistakable description of me, together with my age and residence. The whole bears the great seal of the United States government, thus making deception or imposture almost impossible My description was sworn to by no-

taries public who know me before the State Department at Washington issued the passport. With this affidavit and another one certifying that I was a good citizen, I inclose \$1 with my application to the Secretary of State and received the passport." A Kind Word for the Sparrow

.The sparrow has several character

fstic that are altogether admirable Very few of the creatures who navi-Very few of the creatures who navigate the air or walk upon the ground show greater capacity or willingness to take case of themselves. The sparrow, like the despised rat, has no little merit as a tiny scavanger; and like the rat, where man goes he follows. It is safe to say nothing has been made in vain. Even those creatures which are esteemed by man as vermin have their place and their use in the wise order of Providence. Despite the persecution of his enemies and the vagaries of the weather, it will be observed that the sparrow flourishes. The garies of the weather, it will be observed that the sparrow flourishes. The merciful men and women who look after the vagrant birds and dogs and other creatures who mutely appeal to human sympathy these frosty and inclement days will not go without their coward.—Philadelphia Press. CARE OF THE SKIN.

Proper Exercise is Important for

A very important matter when the subject of good complexion is under consideration is proper exercise, which is as necessary as diet and bathing. A woman should make a rigid rule that nothing except illness should

prevent a daily walk.

If of a rainy day a woman has courage to wear a rough hat and leave umbrella and veil at home the beating rain will act as a fine skin beautifier if the face is dried with a soft towel afterlace is dried with a soft towel afterward. But never indulge in this in the winter when the rain is cold and snowladen or when there is an east wind, for it will do the face more harm than good. Never walk to overtire your-self and never sit down to rest cold and wet. Nothing hurts the skin so much as damp, clipsing undergarments. as damp, clinging undergarments.

A skin that is of a uniform dead

A skin that is of a uniform dead, white chows that the person who owns it is not in proper health. In this case the cause itself should be eagerly sought for and cured, or at least alleviated. At the same time hot baths judiciously taken, massage and rubbling with a loofah should be practiced frequently. If a skin is very red and quently. If a skin is very red and rough, it very often shows robust health, but also shows neglect of proper care and dieting and baths. No Skin, however bad, can but be improved if proper and judicious care is betowed on it.

Certain kinds or acths are very use ful in the case of the skin getting out of order. Ostment, put into a muslin of order. Oatpeal, out into a muslin bag and soake if for half an hour in your bath before you take it, will not only soften the water but will have a most delightful effect in cleasing the skin and making it soft and smooth. To preserve the skn and keep that look of youth that generally disappears with early girlhood beautiful women, all the world over, have tried with great success many strange kinds of baths.

cess many strange kinds of baths. Warm baths of milk are a wonderful thing for warding off wrinkles and lines. After a bath of this kind a sponge bath of warn rainwater can be taken if desired and the body must be well rubbed and massaged with the fingers. Some women who make a study of these things take baths of butoff after with plain water.

When the skin is very exhausted and feels flabby and dead to the touch a bath in which has been put a large cupful of benzein will have a wonderfully reviving effect on it. Strawberries crushed into the bath water in large quantities so as to color the water and quantities, so as to color the water and make it cloudy, are an excellent tonic for a greasy skin. Needless to add that, after remaining in it some time, a sponge bath of warm rain water must be taken. When strawberries cannot be obtained a sponge bath of very weak vinegar and water will serve in some degree the same purpose.

NOTES ON DRESSING.

A novel waist garniture of white chikon worked with steel and pearl beads tnd amethysts consists of jacket backs and long stole fronts. Another blouse of white mousseline

is embroidered with green cup spangles and silver beads, the latter wrought in a floral design and having an emerald et in the heart of each flower Double edged beadings fancifully em-

broidered are lavishly used on ging-ham and other washable fabrics, either velvet, silk or edge ribbon being draws through them. Honiton and point de Alencon lace edgings are largely chosen for neck

frills and these decorations are considered essential to the finish of every Brussels net is combined with one class of Swiss embroidery in both edging and insertion. Some of the new

embroideries are fair copies of point. Venise lace. One delicate specime is woven in suggestion of the finest tatting and is dainty enough to adorn silk. Still another novelty, a white etamine, is woven with a hemstitched border at both edges and a ribbed silk border in Scotch coloring above the hemstitching at one edge. The gay border may be used for trimming or as an ac-

A bunch of gauzy wings appears on a yellow straw braid toque, Bluets and eq; inous pesodes our exemple them and among them at the left side are thrust several white chemille dotted wired wings. Under the brim at the back are leaves without flowers. The effect produced is usually dainty.

The blue and purple combination above mentioned is seen upon a white Neopolitan straw sailor. A fancy bow of twisted loops of taffets ribbon of both colors is arranged at the right side, while at the left side are clusters of white rose and bluets. Under the brim at the back are more flowers and

plentiful foliage.

Beautiful baskets of quaint shapes, filled with flowers, are decorations now much used for the centre of dining ta-bles. They are without handles, and from among the blossoms in the centre springs a triple rebon bow gracefully wired. To add to the charm of this decoration little rosettes with ends made of narrower ribbon are often placed so as to peep out here and there from the basket itself.

Rice Fritters. The following is a simple receipt for rice fritters: Boil a cupful of rice in water until quite cooked, then strain off the water and sweeten the rice, letting it get cold and firm; cut it in pieces and and dip in egg; cover with bread crumbs and fry to hot fat. For the custard sauce to serve with the fritters, take one pint of milk, put in it three beaten eggs, sweaten and flavor. Pour this into a vessel and place it in a pan of boiling water, stirring the milk all the time until the milk thickens. The custard is done when the milk sticks thicks. ard is done when the milk sticks thick-ly to the spoon. Let the custard cool

Rice cake is also nice served with custard sauce. Boil one-fourth pound of rice in sufficient milk to cover it well, letting it swell gently; add more boiling milk when the rice is tender. Flavor to taste. When the rice is quite force milk the covere of butter and done put in two ounces of butter and a little sugar. Beat the yolks of two eggs and the whole of another to a froth and add them to the rice. Butter and bread-crumb a cake tin thicking put in the rice and bake an hour. Blue Rebbon Ceylon Green will delight every lover of a good cup of ten.

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Odd Ways In Which Tetanus May Enter the Human System-Any Mere Scratch May Admit It-Distressing Symptoms of the Disease.

The lockjaw bacillus is a formidable beast. It is inseparable from dirt. Down on Long Island, where the tetanus bacilli most do congregate, the microbe ought to be used as a bugaboo for scaring dirty youngsters into reformation. Dirty hands, lurking bacillus, a scratch or cut, and the mischief is done.

The unenlightened public persists in as sociating all lockjaw with rusty nails and quite refuses to accept the bacillus that was formally introduced in 1885. As a matter of fact, the nail's only function is the making of a wound through which the poison can enter the system, and an oyster shell or a toy pistol can serve the purpose of the bacillus quite as well as

Why this bacillus should be especially prevalent in certain localities scientists do not explain, but the fact remains. The Shrewsbury river is a happy hunting ground for the beast, and a clam shell taken out of the mud down there may inflict a scratch that will mean death. All Long Island mud is full of the bacillus, and the fact that Long Island children live to grow up would speak volumes for their cleanliness were it not that exposure to sunlight kills the bacillus immediately, and so the sun fights for the

A wound upon the face or head, if ef-fected by the bacillus, will be more danthan a wound upon the foot or gerous than a wound upon the root or hand. The poisoning develops more rapidly and is more violent in form. A large majority of lockjaw cases originate in the feet or hands of the sufferers because those parts of the body are most exposed. In warm climates the disease is more common than in colder localities, not be cause the germ revels in heat, but be-cause the feet are less heavily shod in The growth of this institution during the last two years has been wonderful. The attendance has been doubled on account of the thorough course of training which we give. One of our young men is now drawing a salary of \$1,800 a year; another \$2000; others from \$400 to \$800. warm countries and so are more liable to

for the same reason, in the south, mor negroes than Caucasians have lockjaw. The negro makes a practice of going barefoot, and his feet are frequently scratched or cut. In one recent mild case of tetanus poison, caused by stepping up on a nail, a New York doctor analyze leather scrapings taken from the shoe around the point of incision and found them full of tetanus bacilli which had been rubbed from the nail in its passage through the thick leather. Had the patient's foot here have the same have the same and the same and the same have the same and tient's foot been bare the germs would have entered the wound.

the best part of their lives learning Latin, French and the dead languag-es, when a few months spent in our Commercial or Shorthand Depart-Another New York doctor tells of sev ment will fit them to earn salaries eral cases of lockjaw which he has treat Spring term begins April 1st. Enter and complete a three months course before mid-summer. ed while at his summer home and which have been caused by the introduction of the tetanus bacillus through wounds made Eighty-seven per cent. of all our

by the horns of catfish. "I have known of tetanus poisoning from cuts made by fish fins and from lobster claws and from oyster or clam shells," said the doctor to a reporter, "and I'd advise any one to suck a wound like that vigorously the instant it is made. The poison isn't ordinarily on the fish or the shell, but it is on the dirty hands, and a fisherman is pretty likely to have dirty hands and to get occasional scratches in handling fish."

The mosquito carries the tetanus bacillus along with other germs, and in locali-ties where the bacillus is plentiful cases of lockjaw for which no cause could at first be found have been traced to mos-

quito bites. In violent cases of lockjaw the poison toxin may develop and produce alarming symptoms within a few hours after the entrance of the bacillus into the blood, but in most cases the development is slow at the outset. The trouble shows first in a soreness and stiffness of the uide neck musces, and gradually slight

spasms of the muscles appear. These spasms increase in violence and extend to the muscles at the back of the neck, and then to the entire spine and trunk. The abdominal and chest muscles become rigid, and the spine is ordinarily curved. The face takes on grimaces, with the forehead furrowed, the angles of the mouth drawn back into a grin and the jaw firmly set, and this facial expression, in connection with the hoarse noise made by the sufferer, renders a case of violent tetanus poisoning one of the most frightful sights in the range of medical experience. Chronic convul-sions sweep over the body, at intervals more and more frequent, as the case be-Brick house, two storeys, 7 rooms, Lot 40 ft. front, by 208 feet deep, omes more violent, the slightest noise or far or even a current of air being enough to bring on one of these spasms. It is only during these convulsions that the patient suffers pain. Frame house, 8 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft by 208 feet, good

Mild cases may last several weeks, but in acute cases death occurs in from one to seven days, and the mortality is very high. It is estimated that about 90 per cent of the cases end fatally, and among infants there is no recovery. The mortality from lockjaw is, however, decreasing, as a knowledge of the nature of the disease becomes more widespread and physicians learn how to treat it.

Analysis has shown that tetanin poison is much like strychnine poison in its effects, though much stronger, and various experiments have been made to find an antitoxin that will neutralize the poison.

While the results have not been there. on. While the results have not been the oughly satisfactory, prompt inoculation with tetanin antitoxin is undoubtedly

with tetanin antitoxin is undoubtedly valuable in many cases and should always be tried, if that is possible.

Thorough cauterization of the wound is necessary, and, if done promptly, will ordinarily prevent danger, but the difficulty is that the wound is often too slight to occasion any notice or alarm until after the toxin has developed and the harm

er the toxin has developed and the harm is done.

When the disease is once fully developed, the physician has a difficult proposition on his hands. The patient is relaxed by the use of chloroform and hypodermic morphine and bromide injections are given. Hot applications are sometimes beneficial. The patient is kept in a dark room and absolutely quiet, the alightest excitement being enough to bring on convulsions. If there is no tooth missing in the patient's closed jaw, it is not unusual to extract one, so that a stomach tube may be passed through the opening and nourishment given in that way. Artificial respiration is often necessary. A case developing before the sixth day has chances of recovery, but if the trouble does not appear until after the twelfth day there is comparatively little hope for the patient.—New York Sun.

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EVOLUTION OF THE COAT. The Buttons on the Back and Sleeves

of the Garment. "Modern man's coat is as much a creature of evolution as modern man himself," declared a New Orleans tailor who reads Huxley after working hours. "All its principal features have been gradually developed from a primitive garment that was itself the great-great-grandson of a shirt of mail, and those features have been modified by environment; just as they say human beings have developed and modified since they gave up walking on all fours and went in for polish and politics. It's very interesting to trace "Modern man's coat is as much politics. It's very interesting to trace such things back," continued the scientific tailor, "but unless you are pretty well posted you are apt to make serious blunders as to the origin of different details.
"Take the two buttons above the coattails, for instance. They occupy pre-cisely the same relation to the garment that the vermiform appendix does to a man-in other words, we know they must have performed some valuable function in the remote past, but at present they are

not only useless, but are actually as nuisance. Their location brings them into constant contact with the backs of chairs, and unless they are closely watched they soon become ragged and shiny and make the whole coat look disreputable. Like the appendix, they are a source of anxiety, with no corresponding

"The early office of these mysterion buttons is quite generally believed to have been a support for a sword belt, and I have often seen the statement in print, but it is a great mistake. If you will look in any costume album for the court coat of the Louis XV period, you will find the skirts folded back diagonal ly and buttoned to the rear of the waist. Take hold of the lower front corners of your fashionable frock coat and draw them back and up so they touch the buttons behind and you will have a fair imiyou will notice in some of the plates tha only one coattail, the left, is folded back, but for the sake of symmetry and, I dare say, to display the handsome silk or satin linings both sides were eventually

treated alike. "The folded and buttoned coattail survived in military costumes clear down to the Revolutionary war, and you will see it in pictures of some of Washington's officers. In civilian dress the heavy flap of cloth soon evoluted itself away, but the buttons lingered and are likely

to stay with us.

"The origin of the two buttons on the cuff is a little less clear, but I think I struck the right solution one day when I found an old engraving of a dandy of 1740 making his toilet. He was in the act of buttoning a wide, detached cuff to the sleeve of his dress coat. The cuff could be started to the sleeve of his dress coat. to stay with us. was richly embroidered, and when the garment was not in use it was probably laid away by itself. That, unless I am much in error, was the birth of the but-

A BRITON'S IDEA OF FREEDOM. It Was to Roll Himself on the White

House Lawn, and He Did It. "I never go to Washington that I do not think of a young Englishman who went around the city with me a dozen years ago," said a man who frequently visits the capital. "We saw everything visits the capital. hat there was to be seen. He was pleas-French Village.
I know MINARD'S LINIMENT will ed with everything, and he said so, but the things that impressed him most were the lack of formality and the absence of

"He never tired talking of this and comparing the simplicity of the arrange ments in Washington with the way the rulers of Europe are guarded. Particularly he was impressed by the fact that any one who wished to was allowed to go into the White House grounds and wanfer around without showing any passes

fer around without snowing any passes or credentials of any kind.

"Well, one day we were wandering around, and we went up past the White House. The Englishman stopped and watched the stream of men and women going late the grounds.

going into the grounds. "'By Jove,' he said, 'it is wonderful and no mistake. Why, they let you do just as you please. Do you know, I think that if a fellow wanted to he could go in there and roll over on the lawn, and there wouldn't be a person who would think of speaking to him about it.' 'Of course no one would speak to him about it,' I said. 'What's more, if you want to do it I'll stay here and watch you, and if any one does say anything about it I'll help you

lick him. "Will you? he said. "I mean it,' I said.

"He looked at me for a minute, and then he walked into the White House grounds. There was a crowd there, but no one paid the least attention to him. He went out on the lawn, right in front of the main entrance to the building, and lay down flat on his back. Then he rolled over three times, slowly and deliberately. Then he got up and walked out of the grounds as happy as though he had found

"No one looked at him, and no one spoke to him. To roll over on the White House lawn might have been the proper thing to do so far as the attention that it attracted went. The Englishman said that if he had acted that way in any of the capitals on the other side he would have been locked up as a dangerous character. He was year proud of his exhibit. acter. He was very proud of his exploit, and I suppose that he is still telling the story of it in England."

"We can disagree," writes a modern maker of epigrams, "without being disagreeable." The point is well taken, and the epigram is one which very many of us would do well to read, mark, learn and inwardly digest. To disagree politely, yet firmly—how few of us there be that find the way to do that? Women particularly seem to feel that if they fail to think as their companion thinks about any subject under discussion they must say so in as vigorous and combative a fashion as possible. Pleasant Disagreements.

Be Warned In Time. When the tongue of trade is coated, when the eyes and limbs of the clerk are dull and languid, when the raging fever tackles the empty vitals of the till, when the spider roosts in the cash box and bouquets of decay are on the chandeller, it is conclusive that the advertising doctor has not been consulted.—Exchange.

Mr. Ascum—I hear your old minister has gone in for ritualism.

Mr. Lochurch (disgustedly)—Yes, he's one wrong completely.

Mr. Ascum-How can you say that?

Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them that de-spitefully use you and persecute you.

A lazy liver may be only a tired liver, or a starved liver. A stick is all right for the back of a lazy man. But it would be a savage as well as a stupid thing to beat a weary man or a starving man because he lagged in his work. So in treating the lagging liver it is a great mistake to lash it with drastic drugs. In ninetynine cases out of a hundred a torpid or sluggish liver is but a symptom of an ill-nourished body, whose organs are much overworked. Let your liver alone. Start with the stomach and its allied organs; of digestion and nutrition. Put them in proper working order, and see how quickly your liver will become active and energetic. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has made many marvellous cures of "liver control of made many marvellous cures of "live trouble" by its wonderful control of the organs of digestion and nutrition the restores the pormal scripty of the It restores the normal activity of the stomach, increases the secretions of the blood-making glands, cleanses the system from poisonous accumula-tions, and so relieves the liver of the burdens imposed upon it by the defection of other organs.

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A MATTER OF APPAREL. "Then you don't believe that one can tell character by physiognemy and when a man has on his old

MONEY TO LOAN ON MORT. GAGES.

shoes it gives him a cringing air.

Borrowers should apply personally to The Chatham Loan & Savings Company, and secure advantages of pest rates, low expenses, etc.

Weary Walker-I wish summer would come.
Willie Wontwork—So do I; den l cu'd work the wood choppin' bluff and

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W. S. Ireland, and A. F. Falls, exew. S. Ireland, and A. F. Fails, exceptions of the I. Garner Estate, will receive tenders until noon on Wednesday the fifteenth day of May, 1901, for the purchase of Victoria Block, Chatham, Ontario.

This fire superantial brick block This fine, substantial brick block, with pressed brick front and cut stone

facings, was built by the late Mrs. Garner, in the year 1899-1900, and is Garner, in the year 1899-1900, and is situated at the corner of King and Fifth streets, in the centre of the business portion of the city of Chatham, having a frontage of sixty-one and one-half feet on King street and one hundred feet on Fifth street, is three storeys high, the remaining eighty-six feet on Fifth street being two stories high. There are three stores on King street, each with large, airy, concrete floor cellar running airy, concrete floor cellar running full depth of store. The corner store is under lease to a large clothing

On Fifth street are four large offices, all occupied. The second floor of of the building is fully occuped as of-fices and residence rooms. The building is heated by steam, fitted with gas and electric light fixtures and has ample water service, lavator

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antee Company, limited, Toronto. Paying five per cent. dividend. Ten per cent Ten \$100 shares in the Chatham Peat Fuel Company, Limited, Chatham, Ontario. Fifty per cent. paid. 5 Tenders may be for any parcel of these stocks or for any portion of same. No tender necessarily accept-

Sealed tenders to be addressed to above named executors or to Thomas Scullard, Solicitor for Executors, Chatham, Ontario. Marked "Ten-Any further information required can be had from the Executors or So-

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PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.

Toronto, April 29.—Light to moderate winds, fine to-day and on Tuesday. Temp

See Morton's Saws and Chisels. ti

I Malcolm, of Windsor, is in the

Jos. Tilt is in Tilbury to-day or

R. B. Smith, of Thamesville, spent yeste

The thermometer registered 77 in the shade yesterday.

Mrs. George Merriam, Harvey street, is slowly recovering..

W. J. Rheintgen, of Merlin, was a Chat ham visitor yesterday.

Miss Carrie E. Morton, Lacroix street, visiting friends in Fargo.

Mrs. H. Black, of Raleigh, is recover-

Boy wanted at The Planet Office Must be about 17 years of age.

Church will meet on Wednesday afternoo

Wm. Moore, St. George street, who has been seriously ill, is able to be around again.

Fred Johnston and John Buller, o

Ridgetown, spent yesterday in the

Mrs. West, of Ridgetown, has re-

turned home, after visiting friends in

Young man wanted at The Planet Office, who is accustomed to feeding

Claire Montieth rendered a solo at the

esterday.

Miss Stuart and Miss Mae Mar-shall spent Sunday with friends in

Miss Annie Dunn, of Dover St., has

returned, after spending two weeks

On Friday evening the Epworth League of Victoria Avenue Metho-

Robt. Terry and Tom Crouch, of

The schooner Ontario has left Southamp-

Miss Marie McDougall and Prof Forsythe rendered a duett in Christ Church

Company C will meet at 7.30 this evening

yesterday morning during the offertory.

the city.

Ridgetown.

in Harwich.

in this city.

unday following.

John Glassford says that "Bas

were in the city this morning

Own Royal Lancaster Regiment, whose death in action is reported from Philippolis, Orange River Col-

ony, was a second cousin of Lieut. F. D. Laurie, of C Company, 24th

At the First Presbyterian Church

at the First Presbyterian Church last evening, the choir rendered the anthem, "Protect us through the Coming Night," with admirable tenor solo by C. H. Gunn. Miss Ada Ross also contributed the delightful solo, "Come to the land of rest."

Four candidates were baptised by

the pastor at last evening's service in the William St. Baptish Church.

During the proceedings J. W. Mann contributed an appropriate and ex-cellent rendition of the tenor solo, "Where is Heaven?"

dist Church will meet.

ton for Boat Cove in quest of per for Blonde Pros. & Co.

A special meeting of the Separate a board will be held this evening.

H. D. Smith, of Ridgetown, is Chatham visitor to-day.

ing from a severe illness.

W. W. Turner, of Wallaceburg, yesterday in the city.

day in the city.

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HAS MANY

There Seems to be no Immediate Danger of the Gun Boat Getting Away.

Self-sacrificing Citizens Who Exerted Themselves Yesterday in its Welfare. Many citizens visited the gunboa yesterday and got rid of some ex temporaneous humor.

Wm. Hartrick was contemplating the site of the sunker gunboat when Supt. Jones and J. S. Black approach-

"It's all right," said Will, with a majestic wave of his hand. "The boat is safe. Some fellows had it up when I arrived, but we prevented them carrying it off and made them put it back. We weren't going to see the Historical Society robbed of the pleasure of raising that boat, not even if we had to fight for it."

Mr. Black and Mr. Jones both ex-

Mr. Black and Mr. Jones both expressed their extreme gratefulness.
Vitel Goudreau walked up and sadly comtemplated the place where the boat had been sunk. The water had risen and all that marked the be prosecuted, J. S. Black, Sec'y."

Dan. Anguitel turned to Vitel and queried, "Why lookest thou so sad, Friend Vitel?"

"Why, here have I come all the way up to raise that boat and I can't find anything to take hold of," and the great fisherman continued

asleep in a canoe when someone men-tioned that Messrs. Jones and Black were approaching. The gallant goalof the Chatham Football team aroused himself suddenly from his slumber, beckoned the gunboat own-ers to him with a lordly air and thus delivered himself, "I have been lying here watching and have driven off all cannon ball hunters. I will send in the bill to-morrow." Fred then quietly returned to his slumbers and once again his gentle snores were wafted down stream.

"Cuba" Darr was also one of the interested spectators. Cuba executed one of his peculiarly distinctive guttural utterances and then, looking round to see that he had an audience worthy of his address, he calm ly took a cigarette from his mouth. The audience perceived that Cuba was about to speak and patiently awaited his profound expression of opinion. "I think I'll dive down and raise that gunboat myself," said he, and then lapsed into his customary condition of observing.

peat the performances to anyone selling liquor to her husband.

ALL TRAFFIC

Low Water is Crippling Boat Transportation Between Windsor and Detroit.

N. H. Stevens, president of the Canada

"The water in Lake St. Clair is very low," said Mr. Stevens. You can see the water from the train along by Belle River. As far as you could see there was nothing out sand where the waves of the lake used

April 29 .- R. J. Colville, of Toromto,

the Maple City.
Mr. J. Panter and sisters, of Toronto Junction, who have been visiting Mrs. R. Rudd, returned home this morning. Wm. Smith and W. M. Shepherd, of

Beware of Cintments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufac-tured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. timonials free.
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Professor Lawrence, of Totolics,
town on Saturday.

Harry Hobbs, of the Merchants' Bank,
spent Sunday at his home in Brigden.

Tilbury East council meets to-day.
Mrs. C. Quinn, of the jog, daughter of
Mrs. Coutts here, is seriously ill.

The new pipe organ for the English
Church will be shipped from Toronto this

week.

The Daily Planet is on sale at Johnston's Drug Store.

The death took place on Saturday of Joseph Henry Smyth, the infant child of James L. Smyth, of the Creek Road, Harwich, at the age of one year and four months. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, to Maple Leaf Cametery.

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Boy wanted, with some knowledge of printing. Apply at Planet. tf WM. FOREMAN & CO. looking sad. Fred Sowerby was lying pensively Master Harry Cloherty, King Steast, is visiting friends at the lake The ladies' aid of the William St. Baptist

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a story sweet as orange obssoms and clean as a sno flake."—(Philadelphia Ledger.) PRICES 75c, 50c, 35c, 25c [A show worth seeing. Carries every stick of sceenry used in the production. Chatham is the third engith stand it has played this year.—]. F. Cairns.]

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steel gray, at per yd......

green, castor, brown and gray,

at per yd.....

rich finish, in shades castor,

brown, blues and cardinal, at

per yd...... Ł

Cincinnati Woman Also Gave the Bartender a Coat of Purifier.

Cincinnati, O., April 29. - Mrs. Richard Grater, the wife of a house painter, on being unable to keep her husband from a saloon on Ludlow Ave., went to the place Saturday with one of his kalsomine buckets and a whitewash brush. She kalsomined him from head to foot in the saloon. He returned to the saloon after he had accompanied her home and changed clothing. She followed him again and the next time kalsomined the saloonkeeper and his bar and his fixtures and gave notice that she would re-

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in uniform for drill and to-morrow evening company A will go through their facings Flour Mills Co., was in Detroit on Satur-Blonde Bros. & Co. have just completed a large storehouse, 185 feet long, for the Chatham Manufacturing The members of the confirmation class of

Christ church are asked to meet on Wed nesday evening next in the Sunday school at 7.45. o wash on shore.
"At Detroit the ferries had to provide The teachers' meeting in William Street Baptist Church to-night, will be conducted by Rev. Robt. Sims, rector of Holy Trinity

gang planks on the docks. The gang planks let down from the boat wouldn't work. "At the slipdocks, the weights are up to the highest notch and the tracks have to be wered the full limit."

DRESDEN.

on Saturday, April 27, a son, to Rev.
Norman and Mrs. Lindsay.
Miss Bertha Gourlay, of Galt, is the
guest of Mrs. Robert Rudd
Mrs. J. H. McVean spent Saturday in
the Maple City.

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Mrs. W. T. Ford is slowly recovering, The Epworth League of Park Street Church, will meet to-nights A meeting of the official board of Park St. Methodist Church will meet

A meeting of the young people's church and Sunday school society of Christ Church will be held this evening in the Sunday school hall. on Thursday evening. Rev. Mr. Brown, of Blenheim, will oc-cupy the pulpit in the William Street Baptist Church next Sunday and also the Dr. Russell, dentist, has removed his office to cor. King and Fifth streets over Merchants' Bank. dwln Miss Annie Little, of Wallaceburg. s the guest of Mrs. E, A. Mountee

The Essex Heroes' march and two-step, by Catharine A. Westcott, of Kingsville, can be obtained at Tschir-hart's Music Store, King St. Price 25c. Lorne avenue. Private money to loan at lowest current rates with liberal privileges of repayment, by Thrasher & Arnold, solicitors, Fifth St. Imsd&w The work of repainting and fitting out the City of Chatham for the season's work is being carried on by Blonde Bros. & Co. The popular boat will soon be running again between this city and Detroit.

At St. Andrew's church morning service yesterday, Claire Monteith sang "Glory to Thee My God This Day" in excellent voice. A duett by Miss J. Martin and S. H. Marshall, and an anthem by the choir were also splendidly rendered.

fast stallion recently purchased by Capt. Cornettet and Co., was the sensation of the spring fair. The horse has a record of 2 16 and is quite an addition to Chatham's thorough-bred stock. W. W. Woolfatt, Gen. Manager of the Lake Erie; Owen McKay, civil engineer, of Walkerville; K. R. Campbell, train master, Ridgetown, and Geo. Coburn, of Walkerville, Children Cry for CASTORIA Children Cry for Important sale of household furniture, Mr. L. J. Atwater, who is leaving the city. has instructed Andrew Thomson jr., suctioner, to sell without reserve all his elegant household furniture on Tuesday, 30th, at one o'clock. See add for information. CASTORIA Capt. J. H. Laurie, of the King's

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