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COMMITTEES

the explained the object of the deputation and presented a petition to the Council signed by representatives from all over the county. In short, the petitiven pointed out that in this county there is an average of 326 pupils attending the continuation classes in county public schools, which is almost equal to the total number attending both Collegiste Institutes. The results of the Model School examinations show that the work conducted by these classes is equal if not superior to the work dome in the Collegiste Institutes. If these classes were not carried on as they are now, it is estimated that about 200 of these 326 pupils would be in attendance at the Collegiates and the remainder would be entirely deprived of a higher education. The cost to the county for these 200 pupils, who otherwise would be in attendance at the Collegiates, would be about \$6,000.

One point which was brought out quite strongly by the deputation was the fact that while pupils were attending continuation classes, they had the advantage of home training, whereas if they had to go to the Collegiate, they would have to leave home at a very tender age. When they have not proper home influences, too, they were apt to waste their time and fall into bud habits. The deputation wanted a grant of \$300 from the county for each teacher engaged in continuation work in addition to the grant by the Legislature. The extra amount would be \$3,900 over the amount granted by the Council last year.

Dr. Stewart, of Thamesville, and Continued on Page Eight.

THEY STRIKE H. D. Smith's Excellent Work In Dresden Stealing Cases

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SEE WINDOW !!!

GRAY'S CHINA HALL

A CLOSE GAME

The Licroix street hockey team of this city gave the Wallaceburg senior team a game for their money Monday night. The store at the close of the final quarter was 2 to 1. The local boys deserve much credit for holding the score down so low, when it is considered that the Wallaceburg team which played the Lacroix street team Monday night had the same line-up as that which trimmed the local bankers to the tune of 17 to 1. Sarnia also recently lost to this team to the score of 3 to 2.

Referce, McKenna was impartial and made a good referce, and the local boys were well pleased with the treatment they received at the hands of their opponents. Walter Huff was time-keeper.

The line-up for the two teams was as fellows:

Chatham—Ernest Brisco, goal: Van Valkesberg, point: McKie, cover point: Roseborough, rever: Baillie, left wing: Harrington, centre: Wilson, right wing—b.

Wallaeburg—Jannson, goal: Crawford, point: Gordon, rever: Toran, left wing: McGaal centre: Taylor.

Country of the property of the **SCHOO**

School Shoes for girls and boys has become such a staple commodity that every mother in Chatham will tell you that she never has to shop around for her children's shoes. New comers in this city soon realize the economy of shoe buying at

COWAN'S

Much interest is felt at Ottawa in the trial of the London election conspiracy now about to take place in Toronto. The grand jury has found a true bill and it is understood that much new evidence will be offered in support of the twenty counts of the indictment. Meanwhile the Minister, whose election was obtained by these crimes some of which are by these crimes, some of which are infessed, is ill in the Southern States. The Department of Public Works, about the greatest spending institution in the ministry, is without a head, since acting Minister Fisher gives his whole attention to the portfolio of agriculture. This is a great public wrong, because there are many things in the Public Works administration calling for rigid inquiry. One can forsee that Mr. Fisher will plead ignorance of the whole matter, as the new Minister of Marine did last session in respect to the scandals in that department.

Str Richard Cdrtwright no longer discourses about the "Reptile Press" The subsidized organs belong now to his own Party. A statement made in the Dominion House in answer to a question of Mr. Foster, showed the following, payments made during the past eighteen months to

the following payments made during the past eighteen months to some of the Government organs.

Halifax Chronicle \$11,151 Moneton Transcript ... Montreal Herald 10.696 Le Soleil, Quebec 4,232 Quebec Telegraph 5,503

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Quebec Telegraph 5,701
St. John San, 6 months only, 5,126
St. John Globe 8,669
This list may be extended inderdinitely, but as yet the information goes no farthen.

Jamaica, where one of the world's horrors has just been enacted, is about the size and shape of Long Ishand, It is in the Caribbean Sea, 92 miles south of Luba, about 100 miles southwest of Sin Domingo, 1,588 miles south of Luba, about 100 miles south of boston — in 18 deg. and 25 min. west longituded from Greenwich. The greatest length is 144 miles, greatest width 9 miles, its least width 21-12 miles. It contains a total area of 2,692-557 acres. Its population in 1991 was about 14,432 whites and 685-568 colored.

As yet only one-third of the Audihor's report for the year ending last June has been presented by the Public Accounts committee (at Ottawa, but Conservative members are making use of what they have. Between Is use of What they have. Between Is use of What they have. Between Is the size of The Wonth of The Wonth of St. London, Jan. 22.

The Journal of Modern Construction, a new magaze which is published to include a large coriet, how is it that time proved. If Mr. Peltier's assertions are correct, how is it that time, as the seizures at the time, a new magaze me which is published by max L. Keith, Minneapolis, and as pecialty is made of the world's new methods and new materials for includings, and a specialty is made of the report Buildings. The profession to the one work of the world and anterest in the development of the Minneapolis of the first bring abeau tiful little home which cost \$2,255. The population in 1991 was about 14,432 whites and 685, 14 miles and Paulish and

June has been presented by the Public Accounts committee at Ottawa, but Conservative members are making the property of the price is 20 cents per copy, or \$2 per annum. Max L. Keith, Public Accounts committee at Ottawa, lisher, 525 Lumber Exchange, Minnespelis, Minn. ing use of what they have. Between twenty and thirty orders were passed for accounts and vouchers, most of them dealing with the Railway Department. There will be investigation into land purchases at Monoton, Truro and Halifax, into contracts twenty and thirty orders were pass-

Wallaceburg, Jan. 22.—Miss Vada
McGregor was called to Wyandotte
Monday to attend her sister, Mrs.
John Colby, who is quite ill.
John Cooper, of Chatham, was a
Wallaceburg visitor yesterday.
Delbert Delaney was brought before
Alex McDougall, P. M., yesterday
and fined \$5 and costs, amounting to
\$56, for buying liquor for Wm. Peters,
a Walpole Indian.
Wm. Drader, of Chatham, spent
yesterday in town.

yesterday in town.

Shep. Somers has announced himself a candidate for County Warden.

TILBURY

Tibury, Jan. 23.—John Richardson, Jr., fell from a load of coal which he was delivery yesterday and was quite hadly hurt.

Mrs. Jean Lemire has purchased from E. Jacobs his late residence on Catheart street for \$850.

Misses Pearl Stevenson and Mabel Kidd spents Sunday and Monday with friends in Detroit.

Tilbury had matters pretty much their own way in a hockey match here last night with the Marlboroughs of Detroit. The play was mostly in front of the visitors goal. The score at the end of the first half was 4 to 1 in favor of the locals, the windup standing 7 to 1.

Mrs. A. Coutts has returned from a short visit with her daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) O'Keefe, at Mount Clemens, Mich.

Mr. Le Febre, who is employed at

The Baily Plattet

S. STEPHENSON, PROPRIETOR.

TELEPHONES

Business Office 53. Editorial Room '02.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 24, 1907.

LONDON ELECTION SCANDAL.

Much interest is felt at Ottawa

Merly of Tilbury, and James King, or Cooksville, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. King, of this place, and late operator at the C. P. R. station here.

Miss Minnie Stevenson spent Sanday with friends in Essex.

One of the most pleasant and successful dances of the season was that given in Anderson Hali on Monday evening by the Tilbury Aliamby Ciub. There were about sixty present, excellent music being furnished by John Smith of Chatham. Among

LITERARY

The February number of The Wo

Sirs,—I have used your MINARD'S LINIMENT for the past 25 years, and whilst I have occasionally used other liniments, I can safely say that I have never used any equal to your's.

If rubbed between the hands and inhaled frequently, it will never f. it to cure cold in the head in twenty-four, hours.

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sprains, etc.

Yours truly, J. G. LESLIE Dart mouth

of locals, and the same of the Big Store, while crossing the street yesterday morning, slipped and fell on the pavement, breaking his leg at the ankle.

The wedding takes place at noon o-day, at the home of the bride, findfall, of Miss Edna Scott, for-

LETTERS

Ed.t. r Free Press: In your issue of the 19th inst., an article appears, date! Peronco, J. meary 18, referring to the Ontario Fish and Game Pre-

to the Ontario fish and Game Pretout ve A scortice as endeavoring to
prevent net fishing on the River
Thame, etc.

As members of above association,
and having for the past twenty
years fished with rod and line in the
River Thame, we beg to take a decicle it and against the assertion of
Fishing Inspector Peltier that bass
and pickerel commot live in the waters of the river, on account of the
muchly conductor. This view is entirely far from the facts, as we have

river by them. We were personally pre-ent during the inspection by In-spector Weldon of fish consignments from the Thames River district, and while we have no exact data, it appeared to us that fully 50 per cent. of the shipments were pickerel, also that hundreds of them were under the legal limit, as the seizures at that time proved. If Mr. Peltier's

London, Jan. 22,

TOWNSHIP GOUNGIL

HARWICH COUNCIL.

ton, Trure and Halifax, into contracts and supplies for the Government railway and the Transcontinental, and numerous purchases and payments by the Department of Public Works, likewise into large payments made to Mr. Shepley, counsel for Government on the insurance investigation.

DISTRICT

| The most popular writers as Clara Morris and Elizabeth Stuart Phelps.
| Among the special articles we might mention "The Need of a National Child Labor Law," "Successor, ful Plays of a Successful Season, "Home Made Hot Beds and Cold Frames," and "Foreing Bulbs for Easter."
| There are beautiful designs for emproidered blouses and "A Bedroom set in Shadow Work," patterns for all of which can be obtained, which will only hive to be seen to be appreciated. The Household, Children's and Special Departments are all quite up to the usual high standard.

| The Pics of The Woman's Home Companion is only ten cents a number or \$1.01 per annum. For sale by all news dealers.
| Wallaceburg, Jan. 22.—Miss Vada | Mary and the Transcontinental, and numerous purchases and payments by the departments are clayed and real probation as was unanimously accorded this delightful city, 1907, was held Jan. 14th. All members were present and took the might member of office. On the wise of meetings of Dec. 10th and 15th were 'read and adopted. Communications were read from: P. Bowyer, M. P. P. enclosings take ment from deputy minister re gon the control of the c

pox area.

Moved by Corlett and McColl, that
the reeve and Walters be a committee to investigate the O'Keefe gravel
pit with a view of repairing the roadway.—Carried,
Moved by Clark and McColl, that
the reeve be instructed to place a
notice in the township gravel pit,
Blenbeim, forbidding parties dumping
garbage or refuse in said pit,—Carried

ried.

Moved by Corlett and Walters, that
the reeve and Clark and McColl be a
committee to meet David Muckle re
his grievance of overflow of water
from the road allowance.—Carried,
On motion of Clark and McColl the
council consented to the petition to

Paterson's COUGH DROPS

the Legislature re the change in the

Moved by Clark and McCoil, that the duplicate assessments be struck off the roll and the collector credit-ed: pt. 4, concession 4, W. C. R. 1-4 acre and Canada Tel. Co. part assess-

A WORD FROM LONDON.

The following letter on the fish que t'en appears on to-day's issue of the London Free Press:

Editor Free Press: In your issue of the 19th inst. an article appears, date! Toronto, Jonary 18, referring to the Ontario Fish and Gome Protective As a cities as eadeavoring to prevent net fishing on the River Thame, etc.

As members of above association.

nuchanan, Clark, Metoli, Collect, ay-Walters.

A by-law was passed making the appropriations for the wards and townlines the same as last year.

A by-law was passed appointing the following off cers: Geo. W. Huffman, assessor, salary

John Whittington and S. B. Mc-

L. G. Rowe, member of Board of Health for three years.

There were a number of accounts ordered pild.

Meeting adjourned.

GEO. W. RISEBOROUGH,

THE STAGE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

At the Brisco Opera House-The Arrival of Kitty-Jan. 25.

"THE ARRIVAL OF KITTY." This famous comecy success is the fering at the Brisco Opera House

fering at the Brisco Opera House or Friday night. This production was seen in this city last season and pleased our local theatre-goers immensely, and no doubt will be welcomed by all lovers of fine Arrival of Kitty" more popular than ever before, and possess the attributes that go to make an evening's enter-tainment pleasing.
Full of tuneful music, catchy songs

f the whistely kind, unique specialties, bright dialogue, and a cast com-prising many favorites of stageland is the make-up of this really excellent comean organization.

When this decided and popular com-

edy mixture is presented here the theatre-going public of this city will what last season proved the best comedy hit of the entire year. The company this year far surpasses that of last year and comprises the following: Miss Eveleen Dunmore, Edition Provention of the provention of t die P. Bower, Vinnie Bradcome, Hal Johnson, Edythe Bower, Keanon Huel, Effie Pearson, Jas. J. Byone, Jr., Fred. A. Peel, Wm. Heantges, and one in the theatrical world for the production of new comedies, and no less than 125 pretentious productions were made by producing managers during the season, but none of them, however, reached such a phenomenal degree of success as "The Arrival of Kittu", which proudly beasts of its degree of success as "The Arrival of Kitty," which proudly boasts of its record the past season. The dialogue is bright and snappy, the action is lively and the theme plausible, and is rightly calculated to dispel 'the blues," and is easily classed among the new really brilliant successes, and no production has attained such immense popularity or won so great a measure of critical approbation as was unan mously accorded this delightful clever mixture of melody, mirth and song.

damages for loss sustained from defective road; O. M. Association asking co-operation to petition the Legislature that townships may not be held so heavily responsible for defective highway; S. Hadley Co. re taxes at Erieau; R. C. Young re taxes at Erieau; Rei Watson re charges by eng near Saddington drain repair.

Applications: Jas. McVitty, sanitary nispector; J. W. Shaekleton, S. Code, engineers; A. S. Maynard, C. Thompson, D. Campbell, A. Samson, J. Whittington, S. B. McQuily, auditors; G. W. Huffman, Jas. McMillin, Harold English, assessors.

James Liddy addressed the council re the condition of roadway of O'Keefe gravel pit.

David Muckle addressed the council re water from highway backing upon his property.

The M. R. O., Dr. Story, that the Provincial officer had asked that a sanitary polica be appointed for small-pox area.

Moved by Corlett and McColl, that

Wm. B. Morsis will present mov-ing pictures, lilustrated songs and loads of the latest vaudeville hits including the celebrated Bebout Children, at the Brisco Opera House all next week. Two performances will be given each day. Matinee at 4 p. m. and evening at 8.15. On Monday night ladies will be admitted free if accompanied by one paid ticket.

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right—150 acres, part lot 24, 7th concession, Dover, owned by Grant Bros.; 96 acres, corner 5th concession and Baldoon Road, Dover, owned by Lucian King; 100 acres, part lot 3, 17th concession, Chatham Township, known as the Robert Hasting estate; also several other farms for sale. Money telloan. Henry Dagneau,

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Tuesday, the 29th day of January, '97 at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon, on the undermentioned premises by Mr. C. J. Moore, Auctioneer, the following goods and

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I gray mare 11 years old, I bay horse 12 years old, I bay mare 11 years old, I bay colt I year old, 6 steers coming 3 years old, 4 cows 5 years old, 3 steers 2 years old, 1 heifer 3 years old, 1 gray horse 9 years old, 1 bay mare 8 years old, 1 bay colt 2 years old, I other bay colt I year old, 2 heifers coming 2 years old, 3 cows 8 years old, 1 bull 2 years old, I traction engine, 20 horse power, I separator, stacker and leeder, I corn husker.

Also, the South-west half of Lot number Eight in the Sixth Concession of the Township of Dover East, in the County of Kent, con-

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Winnipeg, Jan. 22. — Winnipeg is threatened with a fuel famine. Harper Wilson, city fuel inspector, stated to-day that there was not enough coal in Winnipeg to fast a week.

Winnipeg consumes one hundred cars of coal daily, but the dealers report only fifty cars daily being re-

cars of cold daily, being re-port only fifty ears daily being re-ceived. It is impossible to secure fuel from many dealers. The city schools have wood enough to last only a couple of days, and there is dauger of closing them.

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ne men never make enemies be cause it's too much trouble. Knowledge that you have done a sod deed shows itself in the way CARRIED OUT ITS THREAT.

Street Railway Promptly Tied Up To-ronto Cars as Reply.

Toronto, Jan. 23.—The city carried out its threat to call out the police and force the street cars back to their old routes yesterday morning, and the Toronto Railway Co. retaliated by refusing to run any cars which were not allowed to make the trips outlined by the management. As a result three lines, those on Bathurst, Arthur and Winchester streets, have been tied up and are without any service at all. The police took charge of the corners where the cars made the turns to which the City Engineer objected and refused to allow the trolleys to pass. Although the action was taken during the pack beautiful to the corners was no dising the noon-hour, there was no disorder. The main lines were not tied up as the Winchester cars all ran into the barns.

The city council met yesterday afternoon and passed the following resolution:

resolution:

"The Board recommend that an immediate application be made to the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board to forthwith compel the Toronto Railway Co. to operate the routes discontinued to-day and to take over the Toronto Railway Co.'s system and operate it pending the enforcement of the agreement between the city and the Toronto Railway Co., and to take other measures as they may see fit under the circumstances; also that the city engineer be instructed to confer with the owners of vans and other auitable vehicles, with a view to provide transportation facilities for those citizens who are inconvenienced by the discontinuance of the Bathurst street, Arthur street and Winchester street cars." resolution:
"The Board recommend that an im

WAS OFFERED \$4,000,000.

But Jas. Ross Refused It Because Oth-

Spanking does not cure children of be wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W, 4, Windson, Ont., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her t--lay if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child. The chances are it can't help it. The treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night. Montreal, Jan. 23.—Recently reports have been current that when some Dominion Steel interests contemplated the purchase of the personal coal stock holdings of James Ross they of-fered him a little over \$3,000,000 for his 40,000 shares. On good authority, however, it is said, that the amount offered was \$4,000,000 cash. It is believed that the proposition was made by people who were close to Senator Cox. The latter would then have controlled the company.

The hitch came when Mr. Ross

found that it was not the idea to buy out the rest of the shareholders on the same basis, as the plan was to The Sleeve Pattern.

Before altering a sleeve pattern the arm should be measured from the arm seye to the bend and thence to the give the shareholders a 5 per cent. dewrist; also from the back of the arm to benture.

COUNTY COUNCIL WARDENS. Brant Wm. Oliver

	is too long between the top of the arm and the elbow place a tuck through the pattern. If it should be too long be- tween the elbow and the wrist place a	Brant Wm. Oliver Bruce Hugh McDougald Elgin Tolmie Essex J. E. Brown Frontenac Henry Drew Grey Henry Pedwell Haldimand James E. Poover Hastings A. Kirk Huron John T. Currie Lambton Donnelly Lanark John McLean Leeds and Grenville T. A. Kidd Lennox and Addington L. L. Gallagher Lincoln Jos. F. Greene Nortolk G. S. Killmaster
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Want to Use the Wireless.

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Charlottetown, P.E. I., Jan. 23.—A telegram signed by Premier Peters, A. B. Warburton and L. E. Prowse, the Liberal candidates for Queen's; Mayor Paton and W. F. Tidmarsh, president of the Board of Trade, has been forwarded to Sir Wilfrid Laurier, asking him to have arrangements made with the Marconi Wireless Tele-graph Co., Montreal, for transmission of messages between the island and the mainland until the broken Anglo American cable is restored. Owing to the ice in the strait, repairs cannot be made till the spring.

Damage Exaggerated.

Buffalo, Jan. 23 .- Officials of the Buffalo, Jan. 23.—Officials of the Great Gorge Road, stated yesterday that they have found that the washouts by Sunday's storm were not near so great as at first reported. The gorge road will be in operation in a few days. The loss will not exceed \$5,000.

Crashed Into Caboose.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 23.—Four men were killed and at least 12 injured late yesterday afternoon on the New York Central, Mohawk division, about half mile west of this city by the lision of a light engine with a ca-boose filled with railroad laborers.

Goes Over Bank.

Schenectady, N. Y., Jan. 23.—William Sarrell, aged 45, a teamster, with a spirited pair of horses and a large dump wagon, went over a precipice and was killed.

Italy Storm Bound.

Rome, Jan. 23.—Heavy wind and snowstorms throughout the peninsula have been causing serious damage on land and a number of fishing boats have been wrecked off the coasts.

Capt. Knowlton Promoted. Ottawa, Jan. 23.—The commander of the Government cruiser, Canada, Captain Knowlton, has been promot-ed captain-superintendent of the Hali-

fax dockvard.

Eiffel Tower For Wireless.

Paris, Jan. 23.—The Government has decided to use the Eiffel Tower, 900 feet high, in the army's wireless

-Some Quaint Rules.

Little Liver Pills.

Must Bear Signature of Breutspool

See Pac-Simile Wrapper Below.

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KITCHEN WALLS.

An Economical Finish Which Is Easily Kept Clean. A practical and inexpensive treatment for kitchen walls is to rub successive coats of oil mixed with varnish into the walls until they are a pretty light brown shade. The first coat makes them a light yellow; then each succes-

sive coat turns it a darker brown. This can be continued until the walls are a

light chocolate in color.

The varnish added to the oil produces a surface which can be washed and even scrubbed, if necessary, and one that steam will not discolor. With this that steam will not discolor. With this wall it is effective to paint the woodwork white—three coats of common white paint and then a finishing coat of white enamel. This makes a smooth, shining finish, which easily is kept clean with a cloth wrung out of skim milk. After this treatment it will ap-

pear as smooth and shining as when first put on. It is possible to make the walls any color one prefers by adding a little dry coloring matter to the oil and then stirring the varnish in afterward. Add the coloring matter with a light hand, trying the oil from time to time on a piece of board, so as not to make the coloring too pronounced. It is better to run the risk of not adding enough and so be obliged to add another coat than to ap-

ply one coat that is unpleasantly dark.
This treatment of the walls is far
more satisfactory than using wall paper covered with a coat of shellac, so it can be wiped down with a damp cloth from time to time, or ollcloth, which also would admit of wiping down with a cloth wrung out of ammevater. These last, not being a part of the walls themselves, afford an opportunity for the odor of cooking to linger longer than is pleasant, while they also afford a lurking place in which the insect fraternity may thrive. The day has passed when the rear of the house is relegated to the back-ground, and today the housekeeper ex-hibits her spotless kitchen with pride.

Is Disease a Crime?

Not very long ago, a popular magazine published an editorial article in which the writer asserted, in substance, that all disease should be regarded as criminal. Certain it is, that much of the sickness and suffering of mankind is due to the violation of certain of Nature's laws. But to say that all sickness should be regarded as oriminal, must appeal to every reasonable individual as radically

wrong.

It would be harsh, unsympathetic, cruel, yes criminal, to condemn the poor, weak, over-worked housewife who sinks under the heavy load of household cares and burdens, and suffers from weaknesses, various displacements of pelvlergans and other derangements peculiar to her sex.

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are family, is often the cause of weaknesses derangements and d. billity which are
agravated by the many household cares,
and the hard, and never-ending work which
the mother is called upon to perform. Dr.
Pierce, the maker of that world-famed remedy for woman's peculiar weaknesses and
fills—Dr. Pierce's Evolvite Prescription—says
that one of the greatest obstacles to the cure
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ROYAL NAVY GUSTOMS

ONE OF THEM DATES BACK BE-FORE THE DAYS OF DRAKE.

Senior Officer Must Always Enter a Boat Last and Leave It First-The Scran Bag and Its Contents-Admiralty Lords More Generous Now In Replanishing It Than Formerly

In the British navy, to say that a thing is a custom of the service is to say that it must be done that way and

no other.

It is nowhere laid down, for instance, that the senior officer shall always enter a boat last and leave it first; but the expression on a certain captain's face might have led on the believe that one of the laws of the Medes and Persians had been broken when, on taking the newly-joined chaplain ashore with him on one occhaplain ashore with him on one oc-casion, he said, "Now then, padre, jump in," and the reverend gentle-man politely replied, "After you, sir." This custom is one of the oldest in the service, says The Grand Maga-zine. It doubtless dates from before

the days of Drake, if not, indeed, from those of Noah himself, probably the last to enter the Ark after all his juniors and proteges had been safely mbarked The gunroom mess consists of the sub-lieutenants, all other commission

ed officers of equivalent rank and all midshipmen and cadets. Midshipmen are divided into two lots, "senior" and "junior." The former are over

and "junior." The former are over 18 years of age, and are allowed many privileges, such as smoking and so on, denied to the juniors.

As a specimen of the customs which remind the juniors that they are still in bondage, the one known as "Fork in the Beam" is "orth notice. It may be sprung upc. its victims at any time during or after dinner.

When the president of the mess sticks a table fork into one of the beams overhead it is a signal for all juniors to clear out of the mess as fast as legs, arms or anything else

juniors to clear out of the mess as fast as legs, arms or anything clee can carry them. The last out receives several good whacks with a dirk scabbard on the most convenient part of his body as he disappears through the door. The scramble that results would disturb the equilibrium of most older and more sedate diners than those usually found in a gunroom.

The Scram Bag.

One of the most important and best known institutions in the service is the scram bag. It is well known that

the scran bag. It is well known that the allowance of paint and materials for keeping a ship clean, as laid down by the British Admiralty, is quite inadequate for that purpose. My Lords are much more generous now-adays than they used to be, but the

Some Quaint Rules.
Several quaint rules are enforced in he officers' messes, the origins of which are lost in the oblivion of antiwhich are lost in the oblivion of antiquity. For instance, one rule lays down that no officer may place his feet on the table unless he has sailed around both capes—i.e., Cape of Good Hope and the Horn. Any one not eligible found in this elegant attitude is fined drinks around by all the members who hannen to be in the the members who happen to be in the

mess.

The same penalty is enforced if an officer happens to unsheath his sword in the mess. It is very difficult to see why this should be regarded as an offence, unless that in olden days, when times were harder and men rougher, swords were sometimes drawn in garnest among officers.

rougher, swords were sometimes drawn in earnest among officers.

One sometimes hears one officer remark to another: "I say, So-and-so, your sword looked pretty rusty at divisions." Thereupon, perhaps, the unsuspecting victim draws the maligned weapon to prove its cleanliness, only to be greeted with a shout for drinks.

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If any one mentions a lady's name, or makes a bet at dinner before the King's health has been drunk he is liable to be called on by the president to pay for a round of port at dessert.

When an admiral or captain comes on board a ship he is piped over the side; that is to say, as the boat comes alongside a boatswain's mate gives forth a shrill crescendo pipe and repeats it as the officer steps on to the quarter deck, every one present saluting at the same time. The origin of this is to be found in the privilege which all officers of a certain rank enjoyed many years ago of being hoisted on board in a chair slung from the main yard of the old three deckers. The sacredness of the quarter deck is well known to all; no person in His Majesty's navy goes on to it without saluting—be he the humblest boy or an admiral of the fleet.

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IN THE PERSIAN DESERT.

Carious Way In Which Water Is Procured For Yead.

Almost in the center of Persia lies Yezd, a city of perhaps 40,000 people, on the great caravan route. It is a city of the desert, says the author of "Five Years In a Persian Town," but how complete that desert is and how large it is hard to realize.

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In going from the Caspian sea to Yezd one sees a strip of green country thirty miles wide along the sea and another twenty miles in diameter round Teheran. Aside from that there is nothing but waste.

The desert in Persia, however, is of many kinds. There are places where the ground is absolutely bare except for the thick crusts of salt that lie like snowdrifts, streaking the plain in every direction. There are also places equally salt where the proximity of a certain amount of useless water produces a larger quantity of plant life than in the ordinary desert. For the rest there is a vast waste of sandy patches and of gravely soil, fertile enough when water can be brought to it, sometimes flecked with dry, brownish shrubs, sometimes quite bare.

Two desert plants never touch one another. In the most favorable places

telescope revealed another world with coty wast plains, the oldest, and probably fat wast plains, the oldest, and probably fat most familiar to us all, is that of its human inhabitant. Every nursery has heard the story of the man who was found by Moses gathering sticks on the Sabbath, ale condensation of time.

Originating, doubtless, in the superficial resemblance of some of the moon spots to a man with a bundle of sticks on his back, it would be sticks on his back, it would be of sticks on his back, it would be sticks on his back, it wou

ish shrubs, sometimes quite bare.
Two desert plants never touch one another. In the most favorable places two very tiny shrubs may be found within two yards of each other, but with a single exception one does not see on the central Persian carayan route a place away from the hills with enough natural growth to modify the color of the distance.

Even in the cases no seed comes up that is not purposely sown; no plant seems to have any association with them individually as upon a single unit, not as on a part of a field or a

The water for these cases is brought by the most difficult means imagina-ble. It is found in abundance at the foot of the mountains, perhaps 300 feet underground. When a well has been sunk and plenty of water found a hunt is made for the nearest place in the desert which is lower than water level in the well. Such a spot is Yezd, thirty miles from the sources which water it. In a line with that place other wells are sunk thirty or forty yards apart, each shallower than the one before, and then from the selected site a tunnel is run in to the first pit, from that to the second, and so on back to the wells, even though they be forty miles away. Through this un-

lected site a tunnel is run in to the first pit, from that to the second, and so on backys than they used to be, but the first lieutenant or commander has still to put his hand in his pocket if he wishes his ship to look really smart.

The small supply of these necessities which the Admiralty provides for cleaning brasswork, etc., is augmented from the takings of the soran bag. A ship must be spick and span and tidy as any housewife could wish to see her home.

Nothing must be left lying about; but sailors, like other mortals, are only human, and, consequently, leave articles of clothing and personal property in places where they ought not to. This is an offence for which they are liable to disciplinary punishment; but a brilliant, though unknown, officer many years ago devised a scheme by which all the articles thus found are promptly seized by the ship's police and placed in the seran bag.

There they remain until the next Thursday afternoon, which is the time set aside for men to make and mend clothes. The bag is then opened by the master-at-arms, and the owners may redeem their lost property by paying a fine of an inch of vellow soap for each article.

The price of this soap is a penny an inch, and the fine is usually paid in cash, not in kind.

Some Quaint Rulss.

Several quaint rules are enforced in the officers' messes, the origins of which are lost in the oblivion of anti-quity. For instance, one rule lays liked with all commonly used numbers. Keep the workbasket always well supplied with all commonly used numbers of cotton and plenty of Leedles of all sizes, different darning needles, millinery and glove needles.

> To make a floor border for a rng that is laid on bare boards take old news papers and paste down one by one until the floor is covered. Let them dry, then paste down another layer. When again dry put on a layer of good wain-scoting and paste well all round. When dry go over with a good coat of var-nish, and you will have a nice warm covering for your floor and one that looks as well as floor lineleum. This is a cheap method, and it wears well When required to be cleaned wipe off with a damp cloth.

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MAN IN THE MOON.

Versions of the Myth As Held By People of Different Lands So of Remote Antiquity.

Of all the myths which have sprung up around the moon, before Galileo's telescope revealed another world with lofty mountains, deep valleys and vast plains, the oldest, and probably the most familiar to us all is that

the Jewish Sabbath upon the Christian Sunday, the crime thus punished was theft.

It is possible, however, that the "Man in the Moon" myth may claim an even remoter antiquity. Primitive man had a tendency to personify those natural forces whose laws he could not comprehend, his imagination endowed them with human force, and human feelings, and with superhuman knowledge and power. Hence, the moon acquired a sex and a gender, in Sanscrit and all derivations, except Greek and Latin, and such modern languages as have come under the classical influence, it is masculine. And doubtless this is the reason why the legendary "Woman in the Moon" is not nearly so prevalent as the legendary "Man."

Be this as it may, it is certain that in Teutonic fable we find the moon inhabited by both sexes. For, according to Mr. Baring-Gould, our familiar nursery rhyme about Jack and Jill is derived from the Seandinavian myth of the two children. Hiuki and Bil, who were taken up into the moon with their pole and bucket as they were drawing water. They symbolize the waxing and waning of the moon, while the water they are carrying refers to the influence of the moon's phases upon the rainfall.

There is an ancient belief found in some of the writings of the old Egyptians that the moon is an abode of departed spirits. And some of the South American Indians still regard it as their "happy hunting ground," the paradise of dead chiefs and braves. But in the Middle Ages the moon was generally looked upon as the seat of hell, and it is probably this circumstance that led to the familiar association of the moon with witch-craft.—London Globe.

Threatened By Disruption.

The Commonwealth of Australia, composed of five States and embracing the whole centinent, appears likely to suffer the secession of Western Australia. This would mean the loss of nearly a million square miles of territory, of a third of the entire area of the continent. Western Australia was the last State to enter the union. The Legislative Assembly on September 26, resolved, by a vote of 19 to 8, that the time had come for submitting to the people the question of separation from the Commonwealth, on the ground that the union has proved detrimental to the State. The immediate cause is the rejection of a survey of a transcontinental railway by the upper house of the Commonwealth. It was in the hope that such a line would be built that Western Australia consented to enter the



union. The seceding State is sparsely populated, but it has fairer prospects than any of its neighbors. Its output of gold is second only to that of the Transvaal of all countries in the world. In 1904 it produced \$42,000,000 worth of the precious metal. Its ambitions, therefore, are high, and one of its most urgent demands is for a railway to run across the desert separating it from South Australia so that it may no longer have to depend on the sea alone for means of communication with the other States. The action of the Assembly may be intended as a threat to the Commonwealth to make it listen to the demands of Western Australia, but should the Commonwealth disregard the threat, there is little doubt that secession will really take place, so close to the heart of the people is the railway proposition. AUSTRALIA'S THREATENED DISRUPTION.

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BELL—In Chatham, on Wednesday, Jan. 23rd, Edwin Douglas Brooke Bell, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bell, aged 12 years and six months.

months.
The funeral will leave the residence of his parents, corner Victoria ave-nue and Forest street, on Friday at two o'clock for Holy Trinity church, and after a short service will proceed to the Maple Leaf Cometers. Cemetery.
Friends and acquaintances will please

LOCAL

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The intant son of Mr. and Mrs. George Morrell, Joseph street, has almost entirely recovered from his recent serious illuss.

Word has been received in this city that Mrs. Walker, wife of the hotel-keeper at Charing Cross, dropped dead yesterday afternoon. She was walking from one room to the other when she fell to the floor.

At last night's meeting of Court Hope

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A. O. F., a resolution of condolence was passed to the widow of the late John R. Snell. The lodge Charter was draped in memory of their late brother. A representative from this Court was appointed to act in conjunction with other lodge representatives, at a joint meeting to be held shortly, re suggested changes in the conduct of funerals.

vided in this city for the increasing number of immigrants, and my Minister intends to make additional efforts to induce the farmers and farm laborers to settle among us.

You will be pleased to know that the loan of three millions of dollars authorized by the Act of last session for the completion of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway was successfully floated at par and without any expense other than that of advertising.

want protection

Lewis Wigle, a member of the Essex County Council, gave notice of motion yesterday to memorialize the Dominion Government, asking that the same duty be placed on American raw leaf tobacco coming into Canada as the American Government places on the Canadian raw leaf. Essex county, especially the southern portion, has become the centre in Ontario for raising tobacco and every year the growers have asked the Government for some modification in the tariff on tobacco in the raw leaf. They claim that the Canadian grower has not an equal chance with the exporters of the American leaf, and have asked for a higher duty on the imported leaf. They also have requested that the label, which marks the Canadian goods, be removed.

Mr. Wigle said that if the duty is raised by the Government it will result in an increase in the price paid for "Canada Green."—Windsor Correspondent to Detroit Free Press.

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BILL FOR THE SESSION

Special to The Planet. Toronto, Jan. 24.-The following is the Speech from the Throne delivered at the opening of the Legislature this afternoon :

It affords me great pleasure to again be with you as representatives of the people in Parliament assembled once more. We realize that our thanks are due Almighty God for the bountiful harvest, the prosperity which has been enjoyed by our farmers for a number of years has been continued for another year, while the steadily increasing enterprise and commercial actively snown by our people afford good groand both for satisfaction and thankfulness, and are indications of future prosperity. The sittings of the inter-provincial conference at Ottawa in October last were attended by the Prime Ministor

were attended by the Prime Minister and tempo of his colleagues. The deliberations of the conference will, I have reason to believe, result in an amendment to the British North American Act by which the amount of the annual payment by the Dominion Government to the Province will be increased by about \$800,000. A report of the proceedings of the conference will be laid before you. On the invitation of the Government of Canada certain of my Ministers attended at Ottawa with reference to the proposed extension of the bound-Mrs. Phelps, Grey St., is seriously the deed at Ottawa with reference to ill with lagrippe.

Mr. Bowyer, proprietor of the Montreal House, Wallaceburg, was in Pure Dairy Cream, fresh from the farmers every morning. Mounteer's Bakery.

Robert I. Halle of Chicago, formerly of large transfer of Manitoba be extended northward to Hudson Bay by anything the castern boundary of large transfer of Manitoba be extended northward to Hudson Bay by anything the castern boundary of large transfer of Manitoba be extended northward to Hudson Bay by anything the castern boundary of large transfer of Manitoba be extended northward to Hudson Bay by anything the castern boundary of large transfer of Manitoba be extended northward to Hudson Bay by anything the castern boundary of large transfer of Manitoba be extended northward to Hudson Bay by anything the castern boundary of large transfer of Manitoba be extended northward to Hudson Bay by anything the castern boundary of large transfer of Manitoba be extended northward to Hudson Bay by anything the castern boundary of large transfer of Manitoba be extended northward to Hudson Bay by anything the castern boundaries of Manitoba be extended northward to Hudson Bay by anything the castern boundaries of Manitoba be extended northward to Hudson Bay by anything the castern boundaries of Manitoba be extended northward to Hudson Bay by anything the castern boundaries of Manitoba be extended northward to Hudson Bay by anything the castern boundaries of Manitoba be extended northward to Hudson Bay by anything the castern boundaries of Manitoba be extended northward to Hudson Bay by anything the castern boundaries of Manitoba be extended northward to Hudson Bay by anything the castern boundaries of Manitoba be extended northward to Hudson Bay by anything the castern boundaries of Manitoba be extended northward to Hudson Bay by anything the castern boundaries of Manitoba be extended northward to Hudson Bay by anything the castern boundaries of Manitoba be extended northward to Hudson Bay by Robert J. Halle of Chicago, formerly of this city, is visiting Warren Lambert for a couple of days.

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AFTER CANNING FACTORY

Petrolea, Jan. 23.—The Board of Trade met last night and informally discussed with Mr. Moore, of Chatham, the feasibility of establishing a canning factory here.

The majority of those present considered the scheme favorably. A committee, composed of Mayor Grant, Mr. Charles Egan and John Fraser, was appointed to confer with Mr. Moore this morning.

Yesterday was the coldest day this year, and at eight o'clock this morning the thermometer registered ted degrees below zero.

The following men will run for the following the thermometer registered the sun following the thermometers of the Executive Council Messrs. John McRobie, R. S. Williamson, David Hawkins, Robert Stewart, John Kaake. The election will be held next Monday.

MANTE RECORDANCE

After the close of the last session of the province, and the province and substantial provise the Executive Council and others for the consultation of the statutes of the Province, and substantial provise the care and thorough.

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posits in the Cobalt district is becoming more and more evident, and the future is full of promise, both to the investor in mining properties and the people of the Province.

The right of the Province in these deposits have been kept steadily in view by my ministers, and accordingly a measure providing for the taxation of mining properties will be submitted for your consideration. I think it will draw your attendancy to hasty and reckless investment and speculation, and it is ve tment and speculation, and it is to be hoped this will be kept be check by the good sense of our peo-

plet.
The amendment of list session to the Public School Act have given general stisfaction. The experience of the past year with reference to the working of the Act has shown certain amendments to be desirable. A measure imbodying these will be laid before you. The education descentiment is now deating with the

laid before you. The education department is now dealing with the price of text books, and expects during the present session to make satifactory arrangements with reference to this very important matter. My ministers have for some time pat been considering the question of prison labor, with a view to avoiding all possibility of its being put into competition with free labor. It is a subject of the utmost importance, and cannot be dealt with hastify, Some facts with relation to it w.ll be laid before you.

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B hs will be laid before you relating to the colonization roads, providing for the taxation of micing properties. Consolidating in I amending the Companies Acts, amending the Act creating the Railway and Municipal Board, the Mines Act respecting the Tamiskam'n, & Northers Ont in Railway, and the Volunte rand Grant Acts. It affords me great pleasure to inform you that revenues of the Province are largely in excess of the estimates and more than sufficient to meet the Provincial expenditures during the year.

year.
The Public Accounts will be laid before you for your consideration at the earliest moment, and the Estimates for the com-ing year will be also submitted for your approval at an early date.

FREEZE TO DEATH

Galicians Who Leave Snewbound Train, Meet Death on Prairies.

Winnipeg, Jan. 24.—News reached the St. Boniface police yesterday that on Saturday night last a party of Galicians were on a C. N. R. train bound for a settlement near Starbuck, Man. The train became snowbound, whereupon the Galicians left the train, thinking they had no more than.

whereupon the Galicians left the train, thinking they had no more than a mile to reach their homes. Apparently they misjudged the distance, and five men and a woman are believed to have been frozen to death. The body of a Galician woman with a child in her arms, still living, and the body of a man have been found. Search is being made for the missing men.

YOUNG LIFE CUT OFF

The funeral of the late Douglas

CALENDARS

The Planet will carry a full assortment of the finest Calendars for next year, and persons contemplating placing an order for next year should wait until they see our sample. They will be better and cheeper than you have been paying for this class of work.

TENDERS

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Monday, 28th of January, 1907, for about forty tons of furnace coal, part to be delivered at the Collegiate Institute and part at McKeough School. Tenders to state quality and price.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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BY THE JURY

Though The Charge Of The Chief Justice Was Against

AN INTERESTING CASE

Toronto, Jan. 24.—After a little more than an hour's discussion of the evi-dence, the jury brought in a verdict of "not guilty," in favor of Edward Bri-dant, charged with the murder of his wife, by furnishing her with noxious

drugs.

In discharging Bridant, Chief Justice Meredith remarked that he did not agree with the verdict, in view of the evidence given.

"It is between you and the Al-mighty, whether you are guilty or not. You are discharged," were the part-ing words to Bridant.

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The Judge's Address.

Chief Justice Meredith in his address to the jury explained clearly the charge upon which Bridant was being tried, as laid down in the criminal code. He had no doubt Mrs. Bridant had been pregnant for three or four months. Did the prisoner know her condition? It seemed impossible that he did not. After reviewing the evidence his lordship asked, "Would a woman, knowing she was about to pass into eternity, who asked her mopass into eternity, who asked her mo-ther to kneel and say the Lord's Pray-er, and repeated the words of the prayer until her strength failed, be liable to accuse her husband falsely?'

Referring to the correspondence tween the woman and Driscoll, only reason it was admitted, was that it might throw some light on the ques-tion as to whether there had been any complaints of cruelty to the wife by the accused. The defence had not clearly proven that the letters had been written by Mrs. Bridant. Dris-coll was in the Central prison and could easily have been called by counsel for the defence had he so desired desired.

desired.

Is Bridant Unsephisticated?

"You can judge by Bridant's evidence whether is unlettered, ignorant boy, as counsel would have you believe. Did, he show care and coolness when in the witness box? If you consider him shrewd, you may not give his evidence as much consideration as if you thought him unsophisticated and innocent." said the justicated and innocent," said the jus-

There was no doubt but death was caused by septic poisoning, from the use of an instrument. If a man knew what the pills were for, and they were not effective, might he not go further and resort to the use of an instrument? If the jury consider he had a guilty knowledge of the pills, might he not also have a guilty knowledge. ne not also have a guilty knowledge

of the probe?

The Ominous "If."

If Bridant compelled, aided or assisted in the use of these drugs, knew it was wrong and should have known it was wrong, he was guilty of murder.

Mr. Neville's address to the jury lasted over two hours. He dwelt large lasted over two hours. He dwelt largely on the correspondence which took place between the deceased and Driscoll, and the deceased and her husband, which was read in court during the morning. His object was to throw discredit on the evidence given by Mrs. Bridant's relatives.

Mr. Lynch Staunton, the crown prosecutor, briefly laid the evidence before the jury, and impressed upon them the necessity of bringing in a verdict in accordance with the testimony.

The case went to the jury at six

ELOPING GIRL ARRESTED.

Peterboro, Jan. 24.-Edith Pritch-

ard, aged 16, of Hamilton, ran away from home and came here to marry Ernest Armstrong. Her parents objected and the police were advised to present the second secon arrest her.
When the officer knocked at the

front door she jumped out of a sec-ond-storey window.

The girl was arrested and spent the

night in the cells and yesterday morn-ing permission from her parents were obtained by telephone and the wed-ding took place.

NEW WARDENS. Ontario-John Bright, reeve of Whit-Perth-John A. Hacking of Listowel.

Freight Conductor Killed. Albany, N. Y., Jan. 24.—In a collision yesterday on the Susquehanna division of the D. & H., at Worcester, N. Y., between two freight trains, Joseph Bedford of Onenta, a freight conductor, was killed.

Christian Brothers Burned Out. Montreal, Jan. 24.—The Christian Brothers' Novitiate at Cote Des Neiges was burned last evening. The college for boys adjoining escaped damage. The loss is \$15,000, insurance \$5,000.

To Dine With Reesevelt.
Ottawa, Jan. 24.—Hon. Charles Fitz patrick and Mrs. Fitzpatrick left for Washington, where they are invited to dine with President Roosevelt.

\$50,000 Grant Made.
Toronto, Jan. 24.—A grant of \$50,000 has been made for the erection of a hygienic institute at London by the Provincial Government.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—Good general servant, three in family; another servant kept. Mrs. A. H. Martens, 150 Walmer Road, Toronto,

FARM FOR SALE .- North-west half ARM FOR SALE.—North-west half Lot 1, fourth concession, Township of Harwich, R. T. S., one hundred acres, more or less, in a good state of cultivation; barn 80x40; good drive barn and granary; good frame dwelling house; three good wells of water; one artesian well; fruit of all kinds; well located for dairy, one mile outside city limits, on townline between Harwich and Raleigh. For particulars, apply to G. W. Kelly, Queen St., south of Fate Grounds, or address G. W. Kelly, Box 615, Chatham, Ont.

AUCTION SALE

Andrew Thomson, Jr., has received in-structions from Mr. P. P. Baldwin to sell at his residence, Selkirk Street, between Eliza-beth Street and Van Allen Ave., on Tuesday, coch street and VanAllen Ave, on Tuesday, 29th day of January, commencing at one o'clock, consisting of the following:—Two padlor rugs, two oak parlor rockers, one fancy rocker, one rattan rocker, one oak parlor table, 6 dining chairs, one birch table, one extension table, one Singer sewing machine, kitchen chairs, kitchen table, one bedroom suite, complete, mattress and spring; one iron bed, one dresser and commode, two ax minster rugs, ingrain carpet, hall carpet, couch, one coal base burner, Jewel with oven in fine cot dition, one coal range with reservoir "Souvenir," one refrigerator, gas: plat with oven, gasoline stove, lawn mower, wood heater, cooking utensils, tubs, fruit cans, and ther things too numerous to mention.

All will be sold without reserve, as Mr. Baldwin is leaving for the Coast. The above is all nearly new, and in fine condition.

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Natural Gas will be turned nto the mains of this Company on February 15th next, on and after which date no artificial gas will be supplied.

In order to use Natural Gas will be positively necessary for every gas consumer to have the piping in his house thoroughly tested with a pressure guage at twenty pounds presartificial gas.

All stoves or ranges to be used for Natural Gas must have closed tops, and in every case a flue connection must be made from stoves to chimney.

While the manufacturers of gas stoves state that artificial gas stoves cannot be used for natural gas without being enirely rebuilt, it would appear from tests made at this Company's office that the artificial stove may be made serviceable with natural gas, by having a special closed top and flue connection made for the stove. A stove specially made for natural gas and one specially made for artificial gas may be and you have The Noted Progress Brand Proseen by any consumer at this tection, and Company's office, both connected with natural gas, where Spends Night In Cells and is Then any explanations necessary will be given by the Company's simply connected by special burner to use natural gas at

small expense. To use Natural Gas for lighting, it will be necessary to use mantles on all jets, since natural gas has practically no illuminating value when used as an open flame.

iron pipe, and in no case should rubber or other tubing be used for connections.

While this Company will look after as far as possible, for connections to stoves, furnaces, base-burners, etc., it wil be impossible for the Company to take care of all its customers, and the public will find all \$15.00. the local dealers and gas fitters ready to take orders.

Consumers are requested to have their work done as rapidly as possible, so that there will be as little inconvenience as possible when the Natural \$24.00. Gas is turned on.

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Mixed Pickles, 10c. per bottle.
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22 lbs. Bright, Yellow Sugar, \$1. Cooking Figs, 6c. per lb. Golden Syrup, best quality, 50c. per

gal, 7-lb. pails Jam, 55c. 7 lbs. Rolled Wheat or Rolled Oats

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TO-NIGHT

Skating at the Rink at 7.30. Park St. Choir will meet for prac-Daughters of Rebekah, in their hall

Court McGregor, No. 6, I. O. F., in their hall at 8. Local Branch No. 21, Association of Steam Engineers, Eberts' Block, at at 8 o'clock.

LOCAL

A Toronto lady wants a good ser

Boston Ferns, Jerusalem Cherries and Primula's at Crump's. Walter Mills, of Ridgetown, was a city visitor yesterday.

Wanted, immediately, a first class stenographer. Apply Box A, Planet. Pure Ice Cream, in bulk or bricks; any flavor or color desired. Mounteer's Bakery.

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Mr. Marvin Burns, who has been confined to his home through illners for the past few days, is now able to be out again,

James Watt & Sons carry a full line of natural gas supplies for illuminating purposes, such as burn-ers and mantles. Phone 207.

The firemen were called out to the residence of Capt. Crow, Emma-St., early yesterday afternoon, to extinguish a chimney fire.

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served. 'Phone 207.

Mr. Heavyweight Brusso presents his aged mother with a home and income. Mr. Brusso is a good son as well as a good fighter, and the prize money is better used than it usually is. — Toronto Star. Mr. Brusso's mother lives in Galt.

Brusso's mother lives in Galt.

Poth engines at the C. W. & L. E. power house broke down this morning at about 7.30. The car which brings in the C. C. I. and C. B. C. pupils was thus brought to a standstill midway between Chatham and Wallaceburg. It is expected that the engines will soon be in running order again.

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KING STREET

J. M. Hess, of Wallaceburg, was visitor to the city yesterday. Capt. Henning, of Windsor, was the gues of Mr. C. Bechard, of the Aberdee House, yesterday.

A number from the city attended an enterainment given by the Misses Sly, of the fourth concession, Dcver, last evening.

Lott!-A gold hunting case watch with chin feb attached; the name "Dora" in outside case. Finder will be rewaded by leaving same at this

ciffice. inance committee of the City Comel- met, last night to con-sider a number of matters referred to themat the last meeting of the Council. They will report at the regular neeting Monday evening.

The Young Men's Literary Society of St. Aseph's Church will give an oyster spper and smoker to a number of heir friends, in their Hall, Cross S. Friday evening, January 25th, 197. Mr. Vm. Stitt, of Montreal, the

newly ppointed general passenger to the C. P. R., accompanied by Di-riet Passenger Agent C. B. Foster, and Travelling Passenger Agent J. Eignall, of Toronto, arrived i the city yesterday on a tour of inspction.

Numeous complaints made farmers and others who have coasion to drive on the east end of ark St., about a dog which has foned the habit of running out in from of their horses and burking at the. At this time of the year horses are more nervous, especially count; ones, and without a doubt these cople have reason to complain farmers and others who made

Mr. N. H. Stevens, of the Canada Flour Mills, has received a telegram from his agents in Kingston, Jaman, informing him that though their varehouses had been destroyed by the earthquake, temporary ones rered, and he has been requested to set on a heavy order of flour at conce Mr. Stevens has also received a lept from the New York agents, statig that business in Jamaica that business in Jamaica increase rather than degrease, e erection of better and more attal houses and buildings tend to make the island of

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F. H. Brisco and Wm. Morris, of Morril-Thurs on Theatrical Co., e in Detroit on business yester-

Richard Wing, of Centre St., was afflicated with a paralytic stroke we terday. His condition is very low ye terday. His condition is to-day, and slight hope tained for his recovery

The various Medical Health Offiders of the surrounding townships have each appointed two sanitary police, whose duties will be to keep a sharp lookout for outbreaks of contagious discuse in the municipalicontagious disease in the danger of the in this manner all danger of the interest well ontagion should be pretty tamped out.

The Department of Agriculture has The Department of Agriculture has arranged tor a meeting to be held in Harrison Hall, Chatham, on Friday, January 25th, at two o'clock, to discuss the San Jose Scale question. Mr. Tweedle, of Fruitland, and Mr. J. Fred. Smith, Inspector of San Jose scales in Ontario, will address the meeting.

Mrs. W. J. Rutley gave an enjoyable orgonessive euchre party last

Mrs. W. J. Huttey gave an enjoy-able progressive euchre party last evening in honor of her guest, Mrs. Forest, Mrs. A. Bedford won the lady's prize, and the gentleman's prize was carried off by Mr. Mil-ton Johnson, The prize for the greatest number of lone hands was won by Mr. T. Dayle.

APPOINTED CARETAKER

James McGregor, the local Humane James McGregor, the local Humane Officer, has been appointed by the Dominion Government as caretaker of the new 24th Rag ment armories, his duties to commence shortly.

Mr. McGregor will leave Monday for London, where he will take a course of instruction in connection with his new duties.

GOOD SKATING

The skating rink was opened to the public last night. The ice was keen and firm, and remained in good condition all evening. There was a large number present, all of whom thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

The Messrs. Shillington, who this season have charge of the skating rink, are to be complimented on the success they have attained in making good ice. Everyone was more than pleased with the fine order which prevailed, and the courtesy extended by the obliging and efficient managers.

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A pretty but quiet wedding took place Saturday afternoon at four c'clock, when Miss Olara Somers, of Chatham, became the bride of Mr. Frederick W. Parker, of London. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. A. Clark.

Miss Annie Somers, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, while Mr. Abe Pogsley, of this city, acted as groomsman.

A reception was afterwards given by her sister, Mrs. Thos. H. Pugsley, 123 William St. Mr. and Mrs. Parker, 100 H. Pugsley, 124 William St. Mr. and Mrs. Parker, 100 H. Pugsley, 125 William St. Mr. a

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Blind as a Bat

By Martha McCulloch-Williams

Convright, 1906, by Ruby Douglas

Eastbrook opened its eyes very wide and caught its breath over the Taun- know about it; all I was concerned with ton girl when she swept through it riding cross saddle. To be sure, the voice trembling a little, although her town had been reading this long time eyes about the divided skirt, but then the town was also not exactly sure in its mind that riding its streets even upon a proper sidesaddle was not rather

Of course in the country it was different. The very best young women sode there. Moreover, it had come to but for the ordeal at church. Not only be a sort of proverb among the plan-tation folk that the hardest and most reckless riders were town girl visitors. Very few of them had any mercy upon the beasts luckless enough to carry them-this not because they were hardhearted, but from sheer ignorance and the pure animal delight of finding themselves unfettered for a time. They freited not a little, these town bred riders, when the country folk checked speed at hills or insisted that a horse should have a chance to blow a bit after a hard gallop.

Dessibly envy, the least touch, gave edge to their disapproval of, Edith Taunton. Edith had a fortune and three fine saddle horses. As if that were not enough, Billy Drayton fell anto a way of sharing her early gallops.

Until she came back to the old homestead Billy had not seen a sunrise once a year. It was provokingly significant, this change in him. He had been the despair of the town matchmakers. He was a governor's grandson, rich, good looking, good hu-mored. Further, he was a squire of dames so nobly impartial nobody ever yet had been able to establish a claim to him. The people he regarded most and was readiest to serve were meek old ladies who had known his

mother and very little girls. Edith was, he insisted, only a big lit-" "tle girl, very lone and lorn in her big What he did not say was empty house. that he thought her coming back to it something so fine and brave he was bent on helping her fight down the Concliness and make her own social

This in the beginning-until the town gossips took to craning the neck, shaking the head and drawing aside the I least that when the girl came among them. Billy saw the head shaking, the drawing back, a long time before she did. She was open and unsuspicious as daylight and had no thought of treading on the corns of town propriety in anything she did. But, being also full of quick intuitions, after awhile she

understood. And then? Then only she really did set out to horrify the good gentlewomen. She drove tandem through the middle of the square, sitting up very straight, looking neither to right nor tleft, but pulling up at the corner by the bank to pick up Billy and take him away with her. Next week it was a card party—wholly masculine in com-position, except for Edith herself and the colorless cousin who served as her companion. There were wine and cigars and a supper afterward-a very

late supper. The town thrilled with the horror of it. But not as it did a little later, when everybody knew that thereafter, upon Sunday evenings, Edith meant to be at home to her friends.

If Billy had known in time that never would have come to pass. But he had gone away for a formight right after the night at cards, first making LEdith promise to have no more such assemblies until he was there to give her countenance and protection. When he came back and found the

mischief done, he was in a sad taking.
"I see just one way out of it—you Fhave got to marry me, else you won't have a rag of reputation left," he said, pretending to shake her hard.

Edith made a mutinous mouth at h him. "Suppose we try some other sacand tough?" she asked, her eyes dancing wickedly.

Billy grinned cheerfully. "You can have carloads of 'em for the taking, nice white baa lambs, but I don't believe they'd be the least effectual," he said. "You see, what you need, really, is not a sacrifice, but a scapegoat.

Fire strong enough to have your sins confessed over my head and thence-

"But scapegoats have to be sent away, out into the wilderness. I learned that much at Sunday school, and I can't have you go away," Edith pro-tested. "Besides, I am not doing anything horrid. I shall go to church mornings just the same. As for the evenings, you know yourself other girls go to church then, mainly to have somebody see them home and stay all hours afterward making love to them. I really feel like a missionary—the boys can come here and rest or talk or do anything they please. As it is now, they have no choice at all—they must e either mope at home or go out and court somebody-and that must be

dreadfully wearing." "It is," Billy said fervently, his eyes reminiscent. "But, my dear girl, you had better give it up. Get a telegram calling you away. I'll send it if your

ience is against fibbing"-"My conscience is not against anything necessary, and you know fibs are necessary," Edith interrupted, "But I have much more conscience against Windtail, of Miss Long Scott, for- | J. C. a.c.

backing out of anything just because I'm afraid of some old tabby cats and young ones."
"Tabby cats have claws," Billy said

oracularly.

Edith looked at him doubtfully a mintet. "I know. They try even to scratch you," she said. And then quickly, her eyes flaming, "They actually came here, three of them, to tell me about

your past". "They did?" Billy's voice was deadly

uiet. "And you?"
"I said !t did not interest me to was your future," Edith answered, her yes were brave. Billy got up and stretched himself.

"That settles it," he said. "Name the day, right off, so I can go order wedding cards."

Edith did name the day, but not until she had stood out against him a week course, but in a fashion more than un-

Billy was there, across the aisle, slum and furious. After service he half led her out, and walked away with her, his head high. But even that did not hurt like the furtive yet swaggering airs of the three men who called in the evening. There was further something of patronage about

Altogether they made Edith hate them, but not as she hated herself. She was full of quick kindness and had not meant hurt or affront to anybody at least not in the beginning. Dully she wondered why her townsfolk would not understand she had come back to them because her interest lay among them and had been eager to help in all good works if only she had been permitted.

But she held up her head and laughed and jested till the latest of her callers took himself away. Then silently she he d out her hand to Billy. He understood and announced an early wedding day.

It was a church wedding, with the house jammed to the last inch. After it the newly married settled back into their old ways, going a pace that kept them the talk of the town.

They were very gay and desperately unhappy. Edith could not get away from a sense that Billy had married her wholly out of chivalry. Billy? Billy was old enough to know better, but he was proving the adage that love, which may make a fool a wise man, may likewise make a wise man a fool. He tormented himself with the thought that he had taken advantage of Edith's extremity. She must know he had loved her from their very first meeting, but she was shy and proud and high with ful wife.

He left her much to herself and took pains to make her know that she was as free as ever. Edith resented the freedom. Billy ought to understand that she wanted to obey him—make im at least that poor recompense for his sacrifice.

Thus they are out their hearts in cross purposes, cross miscomprehen-sions, until Ashbel Clare came to visit them. Ashbel was reputed a danger-ous person-tall and slight and handsome, with deep seeing eyes. A glamour of romance hung about him. After the first day Billy wondered, with catching breath, if he had been quite wise to fling a man like Ashbel across' Edith's

was in torment. He had made a grim and mannerly third for the most part of the time. Still he was sure the two and some secret understanding. He

Billy, you brute, that knows no better than to belong to you wholly, and you won't see it, you blind, blind bat!"

A soft, stifled sob, the patter of swift, light feet, sounded at the door. Billy rollowed them, caught his wife in his arms and said, with his lips on her forehead: "Darling! Darling! If you really do love me'

"Hush!" Edith said, with her hand over his lips. "You were a blind bat. Even jealousy could not make you

GRETNA GREEN TO-DAY. Cid-Fashioned Village of a Single Street-Weddings That Once Mada

It Famous Not Altogether Nil. Nowadays one does not dash into Gretna benind a pair of smoking bays with a flogging postboy and a mudbespattered coacn. The Glasgow & Southwestern Railway carries one comfortably; though in ease of pursuit by angry parents a special train may be hired to whirl one to the Freen. Instead of the old inn at Car-Green. Instead of the old lim at Cal-lisle, where is was the custom for runaway couples fearing capture to-hire for the day ever available steed and coach, the start is made from the commodious citadel railway sta-

tion.

The train whirls northward, crossing the Eden and Esk Rivers, and ing the Eden and Esk Rivers, and eventually penetrating into Scotland by way of the new bridge over the Lark. Out of the carriage windows one may catch a glimpse of the old Lark toll bridge by which the border was crossed in prerailroading day. writes a correspondent of The Washington Star. Faney depicts a coach with its smoking horses standing at the toll gate, while another vehicle comes down the hill in chase of the eloping couple.

eloping couple.

"G-r-retna Green!" roared the porter at the neat little station, with its beds of Scottish bluebells. Over the beds of Scottish bluebells. Over the station wall I saw the village—a single street, long and clean, with whitewashed cottages and a church by no means in good repair. The Green itself was an irregular patch of grassy sod in front of the church. Nearby is the more modern settlement of Springfield—a sort of Newer Gretna. Beyond the village stretches the dreary expanse of Solway moss, where so many sanguinary fights took place dreary expanse of Solway moss, where so many sanguinary fights took place in the days of border warfare. Looking toward the south one sees the mountains of Cumberland, blue against the fleecy sky.

The old hall is, of course, the first place toward which travelers turn in Gretna Green. Here more than half

the Gretna weddings were solemnized, though the direct line of "lay par-sons" has for some time abandoned sons" has for some time abandoned the place. This I discovered in con-versation with the proprietress of the old hall.

"Yes," she admitted, "Lang claims to be the heir of the old lay parsons now, but he lives over in Springfield. My late husband married many peohowever, after the Langs left the ple, howe

The general belief is that Gretna Green marriages are things of the past. That is not so. Hardly a week goes by that one or two weddings do not occur. I witnessed one myself— the contracting parties being a weal-thy merchant's daughter of Carlisle thy and and a stalwart young tenant of the estate of Eden Hall.

The Most "Human" Bishop. The Most "Human" Bishop.

"Strong and gentle" are the two adjectives that best describe the Most Reverend Randall Davidson, Archbishop of Canterbury. Even with those to whom he is in the strongest opposition over the education bill he is most popular, and his geniality of manner and sunny disposition endear him to everyone. He has been described by one of his clergy as "the most 'human' Bishop that ever lived," a phrase that very aptly sums him up. It was his breadth of view and his deep learning that first brought him prominently under the notice of the late Queen Victoria, and he remained her favorite preacher and he remained her favorite preacher and adviser to the day of her death. M. A. P. tells that some years ago, when he was Bishop of Rochester, he breath, if he had been quite wise to fling a man like Ashbel across Edith's path.

She was clearly fascinated by him. They were forever walking about the big, scrubby garden or along the strip of lawn in full sight of passersby and all the while absorbed in talk. Edith was brighter, too—quite her old, winsome self. Ashbel seemed equally captivated. He roused himself as Billy had not seen him since they were lads together.

So the days went by, mounting into weeks, at last into a month, and Billy was in forment. He had made a grim was beightered to the self-relation of the education bill long bedraft of the education bill long be-fore it was presented to the House of

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Queer Balance Sheet.

Perhaps one of the quaintest balance sheets issued is that of the Garstang and Knott End Railway, one of the smallest working lines in England, which shows that the half-yearly receipts were £2,117, and the expenditure £1,208, leaving a revenue of cepts were £2,17, and the expendi-ture £1,208, leaving a revenue of £909. The rolling stock comprises two engines, six carriages, and 41 wagons, and the mileage of the com-pany is six miles seventy-nine chains.

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Every spring and fall mix cornstarch, whiting and powdered fuller's earth in equal parts, dip the mop into the powder and rub walls and ceilings well with it. Then shake all powder from the mop, cover it with a damp fiannel and go all over the wall again, wiping in long straight strokes. The flannel must be damp only. Wet, it is apt to leave marks. As soon as it is dirty change it for a fresh one.

A clever device for utilizing the beauthat remains in fine lace curtains that have seen their day is to cut out the rich raised work rings and wreaths from which the delicate net has worn away. Apply them to squares of vel-Applied on olive or metallic green velvet or some soft wood brown shade the effect is rich and elegant, especially when further set off with a frill of lace and the back of the pillow made of silk or corresponding tone.

GOT A PAIN IN YOUR BACK?

You get a pain in your back, and you wonder what is the matter. You perhaps pay no attention to it. Backache is caused imperfect action of the kidneys, in fact, is the first sign of kidney trouble to follow.

The kidneys, proper, are composed of a close network of fibrous tissue, interlaced with tiny elastic fibres. Their object is the exerction of the uric acid, and other ous matter composing the urine, from

They are continuously at work to preserve the general health of the body and most people are troubled with some form of kidney trouble, but do not suspect it.

Some of the symptoms are: Afeeling of weakness in the small of the back, sharp pains in back, puffiness under the eyes, and swelling of the feet and ankles, urinary troubles such as supressed urination, excessive urination, cloudy, thick or highly colored urine, etc.

Mr. J. Whiting Comband Contra Out.

Mr. J. L. Whiting. Osnabruck Centre, Ont., writes: "I suffered for two years with kidney trouble. I had terrible pains is my back, hips and legs. I could not sleep and had a poor appetite, I took four boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills, and the pains left me, my appetite returned and I now sleep well. I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to anyone suffering from kidney trouble.

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Strike at Lodz Successful-All Business Was Suspended.

Lulz, Russian Poland, Jan. 23 .the trike planned in commemora-tive sterday of "Red Sunday" was successfully carried out. Factories, stores and restaurants were closed, newspapers and the street car service were suspended, and may arrests

made. At Warsaw the attempt failed.

Newspaper Workers Strike.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 23.—Yesterday afternoon almost all the newspaper-compositors joined the strikers. The Novoe Vremya being the only paper to come out. golden russet So fresh.

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Fires Lit At Every Corner.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 23.—Workmen in 12 factories struck half the day in memory of "Red Sunday." There was no disorders.

Thermometers registered 20 degrees below zero and troops Monday night patrolled the streets to succor benumbed waylarers. Fires were lit at every corner. Many deaths from cold are reported from the provinces, where the temperature varies from 45 to 50 below zero. to 50 below zero.

CATHOLICS READY TO DIE.

Will Defend Churches With Arms De-

clares French Deputy.
Paris, Jan. 23.—M. Delahye, Conervative, in the Senate yesterday declared that the Catholics were ready to die for their faith, and that if at-tempts were made to close the chapets of. Notre Dame de Louries and of Montmartre they would difend them with arms. The Senator idded:
"MM. Combes, Clemelceau and

"MM. Combes, Cleme ceau and Briand cannot suppress Gd."

The Cabinet yesterday a proved the bill suppressing the formlity of requiring a declaration befre holding a public meeting, as required by the law of 1881, thus creating a modus vivendi, under which the churches can remain open for puble worship, even though the Vatican authorities, persevere in their preset attitude. The new bill was introduced in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday.

BAD FIRE AT TOKIO.

Important Public Buildig Burned With Loss of \$500 00 Tokio, Jan. 23.-The Deartment of Communications Building were destroyed yesterday with a lss of \$500.000. Most of the documers were de-

Douks to Ba Brough In.

Winnipeg, Jan. 23 .- The Dominion Government is bringing presure upon the Doukhobors to induce lem to be-come British subjects, and to occupy come British subjects, and to occupy and cultivate their lands inividually, and cultivate their lands lavitudarly like other citizens. Circul's printed in both Russian and Enlish have been sent out to the elder and people of every village, adving them that their grants will be oncelled if the land is not occupied at cultivated.

Beautifying Ottav

Ottawa, Jan. 23.—The Orario Government has handed over the Ottawa improvement commison three islands in the Ottawa Rive in consection with an alcharet hame of nection with an elaborate nection with an enablate improvement now being plus the commission. The island laid out as parks and picnic and will be easy of access, by a new driveway, but alstreet railway. Plans are a way for a park in the glebe. ot only

Brockville's Succes

Brockville's Success
Brockville, Jan. 23.—The as and electric light plant, owned bythe corporation of Brockville, has nade a splendid showing on the busiess for 1906. The total receipts show 45,845,35, of which \$28,655.40 was from gas, \$16,845.35 from eltricity, and \$22.32 discount. The opening expenses, including \$11,735.35 and debenture liquidation, a counted to \$41,520.49, leaving a profit \$44,002.—58 for the year. 58 for the year.

II S. Troops Run Am Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 23.— party of soldiers from the Unite States army recruiting station he run amuck Monday night, hurling issiles through windows and working eneral havoc. Major Glenn sent a tail of 200 men, who arrested 30 soldis. The trouble is said to have follod the ejectment of a soldier from by a negro.

Joseah Flint Dead. Wil-Chicago, Jan. 23.-Josiah Fl lard, whose experiences as a ramp author and sociologist, under thame of Josiah Flint, have given im a wide reputation, is dead, opneu-He was a friend of Ibn and monia. He was a friend of Ith and of Tolstoi. He was born in pple-ton, Wis., in January, 1869. rancis E. Willard was his aunt.

Burned to Death.
St. John, N. B., Jan. 23.—y Nobles, aged 20, checker for the P. R., met a terrible death last nig. He entered a small oil shed alt ten o'clock and while inside liked a present the setting fire to the Iding. entered a small oil shed alt ten o'clock and while inside lited a cigarette, setting fire to the Ilding, which was rapidly consume body was found with the leg-surned

Will Prevent Invasion New York, Jan. 23.—Mail ac the Consul-General of Venezu, los W. Figures, report that ernor of Trinidad will prevent gathering of military forces fran invasion of Venezuela.

Three Die In Wreck Pemassee, S.C., Jan. 23.—Ahe result of the wrecking of the lantic coast line vestibuled train in here Monday night, three are knot to be dead, two are missing, and

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Ambassador Tower met yester
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BIG POINT.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. Emery visited at Mr. Labadie's on Sunday.

Mr. Labadie's on Sunday.

Mr. Z. Cheff visited Chatham on business Monday.

Mr. A. Houle has returned from Detroit.

Mr. Bray is on the sick list.

Mr. And Mrs. Lercy Jenner visited the latter's parents on Sunday.

Mr. Roy Pardo paid a flying visit to Chatham on Sunday.

A large number of the boys of the Middle Road intend going to the ball at Cedar Springs on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bennett went visiting on Sunday.

MIDDLE ROAD.

Mr. Jos. Bennett lost a valuable cow last week, it having broke its

mr. Oscar Goulett le't Menday est for Detroit, where he will spend the Me srs. Ed. Labadie and C. Larsh winter.

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POISONED BY STRYCHNINE.

Verdict of the Jury Which Enquired Into Henry Perkins Death.

Canfield, Jan. 23.—"We find that Henry Perkins died by the administration of strychnine poisoning, but by whom we cannot say."

Such was the verdict of Coroner Arrell's jury given at the inquest yesterday at Canfield, upon the death of Henry Parkins

Henry Perkins. Henry Perkins.

After an array of witnesses in quick order by Crown Attorney Murphy, the jury returned their verdict in 15 min-

Four doctors present, when asked, after the evidence was in, for the cause of death, all swore that death was due directly to strychnine poisoning, administered in large quanti-

ies.
Rumors of suicide are scouted from the fact that deceased had dictated a telegram to a friend a couple of hours before his death, to come at once. William Spencer of Welland arrived

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Physician Arrested. Sydney, N. S., Jan. 23.—H. E. Rice, formerly of Toronto, and a well-known physician of this city, was arrested yesterday morning on a charge of criminal operation upon a girl named Cora McKinnon, a domestic.

True Bills Against McGill. Toronto, Jan. 23.—The Assizes grand jury yesterday retuened two true bills against Charles McGill for signing a

against Charles McGill for significant false return, and for theft of \$125,000.

Miners' Officers Re-Elected.
Indianapolis, Jan. 23.—The United
Mine Workers of America convention
closed yesterday. The present officers

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Unknown Man Suicides.

Madoc, Jan. 23.—Early vesterday morning, at the home of Leslie Smith, who resides a few miles out of Stola, Hastings County, an Englishman, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head.

Earl Grev's Daughter III. Ottawa, Jan. 23.—The announcement was made yesterday that Lady Victoria Grenfell, eldest daughter of Their Excellencies Earl and Countess Grey, is suffering from typhoid fever.

Probably a Total Loss. Havana, Jan. 23.—Doubts are entertained whether the British steamer Arcola, which grounded on rocks close to Morro Castle shortly after midnight yesterday can be refloated.

STOMACH MEDICINE IS USELESS. Impossible to cure catarrh in the nose by dosing the stomach. Send the healing vapor of Catarrhozone after the germs and you at once accomplish good. Any case of catarrh is curable—all that's necessary is to is curable—all that's necessary 15 to inhale Catarrhozone; you stop hawking, nostrils are cleared, throat is healed and freed of phlegm; every vetige of the trouble is forever driven from the system. If you want permanent cure for catarrh, throat trouble or bronchitis, Catarrhozone is a stand-by. Two siz-

AN HOEL FOR BABIES

A POPULA INSTITUTION IN THE HEAT OF LONDON.

What Is Beg Done to Help Mothers, Who Wat a Temporary Home-The Patres of the Establishment-The Suits of Rooms-Fit the Small Visitors- Unique and Charming

Feature.

Situated a one of the healthiest parts of Indon, at 7 Pembridge Square, is a hotel exclusively for babies. It known as the Norland Nurseries, ad besides affording excellent accommodation for its tiny visitors, sees as a final test of ability for the arses of the Norland In-stitute befor taking up private work.

WhiAre Its Patrons. The hotel is intended for little children from one month old up to seven or cht years of age, and is especially ptronized by Indian offi-cers and olers on foreign services, widowers, idows, members of the theatrical pofession, and other parents desirin a temporary, safe and happy hom during their enforced absence. The way from America.

The nursies are beautifully ar-The nursies are beautifully arranged in x suites, each having a day and nit nursery. The rooms are large, my and cheerfully decorated, and sich has a pretty name, such as Fort-Me-Not, Daisy, Speedwell, Peaceand Joy. Each little resident has te individual attention of an efficient urse, while a fully-trained nurse oftong experience superintends the latth of all intants and children Itall the rooms the furnichildren. I all the rooms the furni-ture is of liminutive proportions— tables, chas, washstands, jugs, etc., all exactly

Fit he Small Visitors

for whose se and convenience they are designe. During the season the hotel presents a most engaging and novel sight Tiny tots preparing to take a moring ride in their mail car or perambator, others enjoying a nap, whilen the play rooms others are occupit with their toys. The coach hour is excellently arranged for the resption of visitors' mail carts and arriages, which can be at the door if readiness to convey "his the door if readiness to convey "his Majesty" Kensington Gardens or elsewhere a minutes' notice. Parents of infants under three

We, the undersigned, have known

F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

Walding, Kinnan & Martyn,

Wholesale Druggists,

Toledo, O.

Toledo fants are kept quite apart from the older chilren. Each wee mite has its own spedil nurse, who studies its nascent rieds and desires, finds out all the esential characteristics of its dietary, nd, indeed, lives only to bring hapiness and joy into its little life. Ead suite is arranged for a model farly of three children, and is made as nearly as possible nursery ira private home. Besides the suites aliady mentioned, the hotel contains our special rooms set apart for infan under four, five and six months (age; also for a child of exceptionl delicacy, or for any small operation which may be necessary.

h Unique Feature. An unive and charming feature of this babs' hotel is that its inmates are privilged as soon as the hot wea-ther sets n to repair to the seaside. exchangig the more modified pleasures of the London squares and parks for the biss of donkey-rides and goat chaises, and wielding spade and pail, for the Nriand Nursery has a beautifully situted cottage at Bognor, in Sussex, here, for the single extra ARE YOU SUBJECT TO STIFFNESS
Perhaps it is in the neck or should during the summer months the babies' hotel is lmost depleted of its small patrons, who revel in all the delights of delvir in long stretches of silver sand an bathing and paddling in a quiet seathat creeps up the beach so gently all softly as though fully conscious of its duties in safeguarding the sander like contrasted to its mercies. cho revel in all the delights tender lies entrusted to its mercies.

The Highest Inns.

There re half a dozen inns "well up in theair," as country people say, in Englari, writes a correspondent in The Manhester Guardian. Tan Hill Inn is 127 feet above sea level. The The Mannester Guardian. Ian Hill Inn is 127 feet above sea level. The Cat and Fiddle near Buxton comes next, 1,60 feet up; and its comparatively nar neighbor, the Travelers' Rest at llash, on the Leek and Buxton road is third, 1,575 feet. The next thre inns of the series are further afiel. There is the Isle of Skye Inn neal Holmfirth, 1,500 feet above sea level the Travelers' Rest at the top of Krkstone Pass, between Windermere and Patterdale, 1,467 feet; and the Newby Head between Black Hawes ad Ingleton, 1,420 feet. These high-placed inns are not the most remote from customers even in the winter time. The Cat and Fiddle, for example, ets customers on the bleakest days in mid-winter. Very different is the eperience of the Barrel Inn on the rige between Eyam and Hathersage. here are some weeks in the winter tonths in which (one has it on the tstimony of a former holder of the licesse) not a shillingsworth of heer is add. But that is partly beon the tstimony of a former holder of the licese) not a shillingsworth of beer is old. But that is partly be-cause the current of traffic in modern times he been diverted from the old. Sir Willam road, on the hill-top, to the vallys. These figures take no ac-count of Wales; the hotel at the top of Snowion is, of course, the highest in the Iritiah Islands.

They'd Be Grateful.

"I has never taken the trouble to race my ancestry."
"Well, if your ancestors could speak ney would probably thank you for



HER CENTENARY IN TORONTO.

Mrs. Ellen P. Osler, widow of the has no equal. It is the only flour blended especially for household use and this blending Manitoba Spring Wheat enables the housewife to get the best results. Spring Wheat gives flavor spring Wheat gives strength

Flour For Jamaica. Ottawa, Jan. 23.-Lake of the Woods Milling Co. has wired Hon. Sydney Fisher, offering 200 barrels of flour

The best cof s no more than the next

best. Your grocer should have it for you.

Dealers, write for prices on all kinds of Feeds, Coarse Grains and Cereals, /r. H. Taylor Co., Limited, Chatham. 83

equivalent in cash for Jamaica Mrs. A. G. Northrup Is Dead. Belleville, Jan. 23.—Mrs. A. G. Nor

Belleville, Jan. 23—Mrs. A. G. Northrup, mother of W. B. Northrup M. P. for East Hastings, died in this city yesterday afternoon. Mr. Northrup was at Ottawa, and was immediately wired for. The deceased was about 73 years of age, and her husband, Anson G. Northrup, had been clerk of the court in this city for over 50 years. He died about two years ago.

A WORD TO WOMEN.

Any sick woman is invited to consult by letter with Dr. R. V. Pierce, chief consulting physician of the Invalids Hetel and Surgical Institute, Boffalo, N. Y. In an active practice of more than thirty years, assisted by a staff of nearly a score of associate physicians, Dr. Pierce has treated and cared over half a million wemen. All diseases occulier to women men. All diseases peculiar to women are treated with success. This consultation by letter is absolutely free. Every letter is treated as strictly private and sacredly confidential Answers are mailed promptly giving the best of medical advice. All ankind. Write without fear and without fea to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo,

Brakeman Killed.

Toronto, Jan. 23.—Charles Wilson, C. P. R. brakeman on the transfer between Toronto and Port Credit, was killed Monday night in front of Port Credit depot while shunting his train. He lived on Queen street, this city, and leaves a widow and family. He had been railroading for only two

For Fair Wage Officer.

Ottawa, Jan. 23.—The Trade and Labor Association of Ottawa will endorse the candidature of James Waters for the position of fair wage officer. He is a printer. The Deputy Minister of Labor has received a large number of applications.

The first package of Dr. Leon-nardt's Hem-Roid, the infallible Pile Cure, that was put out went to a small town in Nebraska.

It is for sale by druggists, or by The Wilson-Fyle Co., Limited, Nia-gara Falls, Ont.

Buttermilk a Beautifier. Good buttermilk, the country cousin of the sophisticated, city dairy variety, is a sure charm to capture beauty. It should be welcomed both internally and externally, and its continued use will make beauty more than skin deep. A true milk peptone is the real butter-milk and is very easily digested. It is also a decided laxative, and for kidney trouble, diabetes and dyspepsia it has no rival in the drug store. Rheumatism before it and gall stones lose their one's "works" in good order the com-plexion naturally clears up, but even more swift is the return of rosy cheeks if the buttermilk is also applied exter-

THE ORIGIN OF GALL STONES. They are simply dried bile, made up of cry tailine constituents of that fluid. Very common is this disease among merchant, clergymen, shoggirls and those of sedentary habits. Prevention consists in maintain'n correct action of the liver and bow correct action of the liver and bow-els, which is best accomplished by Dr. Hamilton's Pills. No person us-ing this medicine need fear gall-stones, nor will they ever be bilious. Sound digestion, good appetite, a clear color will evidence the health-giving properties of Dr. Hamilton's Pills, which are the safest and best for general family use. Insist on having only Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut. 25c. per box at all dealers.

Let; of wives never understanders their husbands should really



MRS. E. P. OSLER CELEBRATES

A Gathering of Six Sons and Daughters and Many Grandchildren and Great-Grandchildren at Her Home -Some of the Unique Features of a Most Unique Celebration-Portrait of the Mrs. Osler of To-Day.

Mrs. Ellen P. Oaler, widow of the late Rev. Featherston Osler, on the 14th Dec., 1906, at her home, 82 Wellesley street, Toronto, celebrated the centenary of her birthday. It is given to few people to live one hundred years, and to still fewer to see the completion of a century with unimpaired faculties and a fair degree of health and strength.

Mrs. Osler has lived in the reign of five Sovereirns, and the chief feature

five Sovereigns, and the chief feature of the decorations of the day was a handsome five-storey birthday cake emblematic of the reigns of George III., George IV., William IV., Vic-



MRS. OSLER IN HER 100TH YEAR.

teria, and Edward VII. The cake was surrounded by one hundred brightly-burning wax candles, significant of the number of years Mrs. Osler has

lived to be a blessing to others.

The celebration naturally took the form of a home-gathering of children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nephews, nieces, grand-nephews and grand-nieces. About sixty-five people were privileged to be present at his historical reunion, and they represented widely-distant parts of Canada, England and the United States.

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There are six children living, three of whom have a conspicuous place among eminent Canadians—Mr. Justice Pottherical Canadians—Mr. Justice Po tice Featherston Osler of the Court of Appeal for Ontario, Toronto; Mr. E. B. Osler, M.P. Toronto, and Dr. William Osler, regius professor of medicine in the University of Oxford, England. The other surviving children are: Mr. E. L. P. Osler, barrister, residing in the Northwest; Mr. Francis L., of Summerland, B.C., and Mrs. Gwyn, wife of Lieut. Col. Gwyn of Dundas. A noted son was the late Mr. B. B. Osler, a leader at the Bar in Canada. The late Mrs. Williamson, president of the Woman's Auxiliary of the 'Church of England, dioceas of tice Featherston Osler of the Court of the Church of England, diocese

Toronto, was a daughter of Mrs. Osler.
The birthday cake was in five layers, adorned with five score red and white candles, red icing traceries on the white ground, and bearing sym-bols of some of the chief inventions of the century. On the tap story of the cake is: "E. P. Osler, Dec. 14, 1806, George III., Rex." Each of the 1806, George III., Rex." Each of the other layers respectively bears the dates of the accession of the other four Sovereigns in whose reign Mrs. Osler has lived: "1820, George IV., Rex."; "1830, William IV., Rex."; "1837, Victoria, Regina"; 1901, Edward VII., Rex." The progress of the race in the eras in question is typified by

Dainty and valuable souvenirs of the happy occasion were given by Mrs. Osler to each of her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. These are centennial silver spoons in three sizes, with a design by Mrs. Gwyn of Dundas of the Cornish Cross on the handle of each, and engraved with the Cornish county motto: "One and All," also with the ancient Cornish motto: "In God is My Trust." On the handle was lettered the date of Mrs. Osler's birth. Dec. 14, 1806, and 1906. The children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren were delighted with the tokens. The memento Mrs. Osler gave her nephews, nieces, grand and great-grand nieces and nephews, and a few old friends was a small Colport plate, a modern memento Mrs. Osler gave her nephews, nieces, grand and great-grand nieces and nephews, and a few old friends was a small Colport plate, a modern reproduction of the celebrated Salopian-Colport, Indian Tree pattern, with her monogram and the dates in gold. Ninety-six of these plates were given by her. In their congratulations to Mrs. Osler they made it clear that they were not only proud clear that they were not only proud that she had lived so long, but that she had lived so well.

One of the first acts of the honored centenarian in connection with the

one of the first acts of the honorest centenarian in connection with the celebration of her one hundred birth-day was the taking of communion at the hands of Rev. John Pearson, D.C.L., rector of Holy Trinity Church, an old friend of Mrs. Osler and her late husband. Congratulations from

late husband. Congratulations from many points were received.

Mrs. Osler was born in Cornwall. England, in the reign of George III. In 1837, the year of Queen '7ictoria's accession to the throne, she came to Canada with her husband, Rev. Featherston L. Osler, to whom she had been married but a short time. They were accompanied by a brother of Rev. Mr. Osler, Rev. Henry Osler, the well-known York Milis clergyman, whose death occurred several years whose death occurred several years ago. They settled at Bond Head, Ont., where they experienced the privations and trials peculiar to pioneer life. A loghouse was their home. Mrs. Oeler

was possessed of the true missionary spirit, and she was a devoted helpmate to her husband in his mission work. In caring for dispossessed Indians, ministering to the welfare of incoming white settlers, giving comfort and help to missionaries and their families, and in self-denying work of various kinds Mrs. Osler worked side by side with Rev. Mr. Osler. One of her experiences in those early days was the making of bread in scooped-out gourds, as bowls were scooped-out gourds, as bowls were scarce. In 1857 Rev. Mr. Osler and his wife removed from Bond Head to the Dundas and Ancaster parish, where they remained for 19 years. Then Mr. Osler retired from the active ministry, and he and his wife came to Toronto to reside. Mr. Osler

died in 1895.

Mrs. Osler is in possession of her faculties to a remarkable extent, and last August some of the visiting mem-bers of the British Medical Associa-tion who met her expressed surprise at her gift of repartee. She has been an active member of the Woman's Auxiliary, in which she is still deeply interested. While she remains indoors practically all the time, this is due more to the habit acquired during fier husband's illness than to lack of strength. She is able to move from room to room at her home, and she continues to be interested not only in her numerous descendants, but in other matters as well.

AMBASSADOR DURAND.

Noted British Diplomat Who Will Soon Leave Washington-Man of

Unusual Ability. The discussion regarding the forth-coming retirement of the British Am-bassador to the United States, Sin bassador to the United States, Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, has directed attention to the unusual ability and versatility of the present representa-tive of King Edward at Washington. The British Ambassador at Washing-ton has one of the most difficult posi-tions in the diplomatic service of any nation. In the first place, he is ex-pected to keep up good relations be-tween Great Britain and the United States. In the next place, he is suptween Great Britain and the United States. In the next place, he is supposed to be on the watch for any infringement upon the rights and privileges of the British possessions in North America and the West Indies by the people or Government of the republic to which he is credited. Sometimes these duties are somewhat conflicting. Sometimes, indeed, the colonies in the new world put forth claims upon the Government of the claims upon the Government of the United States which the Imperial Government in England does not feel



SIR HENRY MORTIMER DURAND.

disposed to indorse. The British Amcure, that was put out went to a small town in Nebraska.

It cured a case of Piles that was considered hopeless.

The news spread, and although this was only two years ago, the demand prompted Dr. J. S. Leonhardt, of Lincoln, Neb., the discoverer, to prepare it for general use. Now it is being sent to all parts of the world. It will cure any case of P.les, There is a month's treatment in each box. Sold for \$1.00 with ab oluic guarantees.

Toler Rez."; "1830, William IV., Rex."; Sir Henry was born in India in 1850, comes of a fighting family and has been a fighter himself. His grand-feather fought under Wellington and designs of an old-fashioned coach in the first reign, and thereafter by developments from crude conditions to the sense of the gasoline launch, the modern man-of-war, the bicycle and automobile.

Dainty and valuable souvenirs of the empire in India. In 1893 he was sent on a special mission to the Amer of Afghanistan and succeeded

A Village of Girls. The rural village of Toppesfield, in North Essex, has become prominent on account of a remarkable phenomenon in the births that are recorded

there.

During the last decade the great preponderance of girls born in the parish over boys has been noticed, and at the present moment the scholars attending the village school comprise ninety-three girls, but only thirteen boys. In consequence of this contemplating the substitution of a schoolmistress for the present schoolmaster.

But among those belonging to the place, the present state of affairs has aroused considerable concern, and the question is being asked where the farm laborers of the future are to come from if matters do not change.

Michigan Agents (1996)

10 9e per lb. for common to prime native sides. Exports to-morrow 920 cattle, 1230 sheep and 5500 quarters of beef.

Calves-Receipts, 258; veals slow and herely steady; barnyard calvas nominally was kneed; seady; barnyard calvas nominally was kneed; seady; barnyard calvas nominally was kneed; seady; barnyard calvas nominally was kneed; barnyard calvas nomi

Woman's Idea of Thein. "Here's a clever thing in oil," said she at the art exhibition. "It's called When the Cat's Away,' but I don't see the artist's name. I wonder who nainted it."

"Evidently a woman," replied her scort. "See what a ferocious expres-on she has given the mice."

RHEUMATISM

F. A. ROBERT, Agent, Chatham.

THE MARKETS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Higher, Chicago Unchanged-Live Stock Markets-The Latest Quotations.

Tuesday Evening, Jan. 22.
Liver ool wheat futures closed to day 4.7 ligher than yesterday and corn futures repensed. higher than yesterday and corn futures; inclanged; At Chicago May wheat closed unchanged from yesterday; May corn 1/20 higher and May outs 1/20 lower. WINNIPEG OPTIONS.

Winnipeg-Futures - Closed yesterday: n. 73%c bld. May 76%c, July 77%c. THE VISIBLE SUPPLY.

Jan. 22, '07, Jan. 23, '06.
Wheat 45,469,000 48,962,000
Cern 7,272,090 14,223,000
Oats 12,241,000 27,315,000
During the week wheat decreased 830,000 bushels, corn increased 773,000 bushels, and oats decreased 333,000 bushels.

LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.

TORONTO GRAIN MARKET. Grain-

0 55 LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Corn—Spot firm; Americau mixed, new-ks 5d; do., old, 48 6½d; futures quiet; Jan., 48 2½d; March, 48 1½d. Bacon—Short clear backs steady, 478 6d; Cumberland cut easy, 49s; shoulders, square quiet, 47s. Lard—Prime western in dierces steady, 48s; American refined in palls steady, 48s 6d.

NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET. New YORK DAIRY MARKET.

New York, Jan. 22—Butter—Firm; receipts, 7191; street price extra creamery, 32-46 to 31c; official prices extra, creamery, common to extra, 20c to 28c; renovated, common to extra, 20c to 28c; renovated, common to extra, 16c to 23/4c.

Cheese—Steady to firm; prices unchanged: receipts, 1882.

Eggs—Fairly active and, steady; prices unchanged.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables About Steady-Hogs 5 Cents Higher at Chivago. Lendon, Jan. 22.—Liverpool and London ables are higher at 10½c to 12½c per lb. tessed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted t 3c to 3½c per lb.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK.

Toronto, Jan. 22.—Receipts of live stock at the city market since last Friday as reported by the railwayswere 80 car loads, composed of 1333; cattle, 910 hogs, 1132 sheep and lambs with 70 calves. Trade was brisk and prices outrageously high, when the quality of the offerings is considered.

Exporters.

Not many shipping cattle were on sale, and prices ranged from \$4.00 to \$5.55 per cwt. Export bulls sold at \$3.60 to \$4 per

Butchers.

Picked lots sold at: \$4.40 to \$4.80; medium to fair at \$3.90 to \$4.25; common n. xed, with cows, \$3 to \$3.70; common cows, \$2 to \$3; canners at \$1.25 to \$1.50, per cwt.

cows, \$2 10 \$5; canners at \$4.25 to \$4.50 everyor.

There was a good demand for milkers and forward springers and prices ranged from \$35 to \$65 each.

Veal Calves.

Prices for good to prime calves were firm but there were few of them. Prices ranged from \$3.50 to \$6.50 per ewt. Prime new milk-fed calves are worth \$7 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs.

The quality of the bulk of the sheep and lambs offered on the market to-day was not good and a positive disgrace to Canadian farmers. The lambs especially were a skinny lot, that would drive trade away from any butcher that would dare to hair, then up in his shop when dressed, Prices from any butcher that would dare to many them up in his shop when dressed. Prices for lambs were quoted at \$6.25 to \$6,75 for good quality amil \$5 to \$6 for common; export ewes, \$4.50 to \$5 per ewt.; calls and rams at \$3.50 to \$4 per ewt.

Mr. Harris got about 1000 hogs on the market. Prices are off 30c per cwt.; selects, \$6.60; lights and fats, \$6.55 per cwt.

EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET. East BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET.

East Buffalo, Jan. 22.—Cattic—Receipts.

700 head; good demand and steady; prumesteers, \$5.65 to \$6.15; shipping, \$5 to \$5.75;
butchers, \$4.50 to \$5.50.

Venls—Receipts, 250 head; active and
steady; \$4.25 to \$9.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 5100 head; active, 5c to
100 higher; heavy and mixed, \$7 to \$7.05;
Yorkers, \$7 to \$7.10; pigs, \$7.25 to \$7.05;
Yorkers, \$7 to \$7.10; pigs, \$7.25 to \$7.05;
Yorkers, \$6 to \$6.55; stags, \$4.20 to \$5.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 5000 head;
sheep stendy; iambs, 5c higher; lambs, \$5
to \$7.85; yearlings, \$6.50 to \$6.65; wethers,
\$5,50 to \$6.65; ewes, \$4.75 to \$5.25; sheep,
mixed, \$3 to \$5.25.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK New York Jan. 22.—Beeves—Receipts. 359; feeling steady; dressed berf sow 70 to 9e per lb, for common to prime nativesides. Exports to-morrow, 920 cattle, 1250 sheep and 5500 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 256; veals slow and berely steady; barnyard calves nominally weak; western calves not wanted and the four cars of ered were carried over; fair to prime veal soid at \$8.50 to \$9.50 per lot lbs; city dressed veals slow at 8c to 14c per lb.; country dressed were at 7½c to 13c.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.
Chicago, Jan. 22—Cattle—Receipts, about 7000; market. atondy; common to prime steers, \$4 to \$7.30; cows, \$2.75 to \$4.75; helfers, \$2.60 to \$5; bulls, \$2.75 to \$4.50; calves, \$2.75 to \$8.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.75 to \$4.90.

Hogs—Receipts, about 25,000; market \$6 higher; prime shipping, \$6.70 to \$6.72½; choice butchers' weights, \$6.67½ to \$6.72½; choice butchers' weights, \$6.67½ to \$6.70; bulk of sales, \$6.65 to \$6.70; bulk of sales, \$6.65 to \$6.70.

Sheep—Receipts, about 18,000; market strong; sheep, \$3 to \$5.70. parlings, \$4.60 of sales, \$5.05 to \$6.40. Sheep—Receipts, about 18,000; marker strong; sheep, \$3 to \$5.75; yearlings, \$4.60 to \$6.60; lambs, \$5.75 to \$7.90.

Dr. J. P. SIVEWRIGHT THE COUNTY

the suggestion of Mr. Johns, Council will visit the House of uge and then deal with the suggions of Dr. Charteris.

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Former prices \$15, \$17,50, \$20 and \$25, your complete choice of them all—the swellest collection of Men's and Young Men's Overcoats ever shown in Chatham. Come and see.

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MEN'S WINTER CAPS.

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MEETING AT RIDGETOWN

Ridgetown, Jan. 23.—At a meeting of the Iruit growers of East Kent, held here, the San Jose scale was thoroughly discussed.

J. Fred Smith, provincial inspector, and Joseph Tweedale, of Fruitland, who were sent here by the Ontario Government, addressed the meeting on the different solutions used in spraying. The composition of thirty pounds of lime and fifteen pounds of sulphur, boiled for two hours or more, with forty gallons of water, was shown to be the least expensive, as well as most successful means of combating the pest.

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Many prominent growers of the ection also spoke on the matter, and the following resolution was carried by the meeting, and will be forwarded to Hon. Mr. Monteith, Min-

ister of Agriculture:
"That it is the opinion of this meeting that the Government should send a power sprayer and a competent man to operate it, to be used by an association to be formed, who will be required to say a penical to the control to th will be required to pay a nominal or

octual cost." made the remark that if some action was not taken this spring to stay the soile, there would not be an orchard in East Kent in five yeard.

The general time of the meeting was that the growers themselves should spray their orchards thoroughly each spring with lime and sulphur. By so doing they would not only exterminate the pest in time, but would also improve the quality of the fruit.

FOUND DEAD ON STREET

Detroit, Jan. 23.—John C. McTae, who was found on the street on Monday night and died in the ambulance on the way to St. Mary's Hospital, was born in Glencoe, Ontario. He was formerly employed as a reporter on the Toronto Globe, and niso taught school. He had been afflicted with heart disease for some years. Four sisters survive. The body was taken to Glencoe to-lay for intefiment. intemment.

KENT PIONEER DIES

Ridgetown, Jan. 23. - The death took place on Saturday evening, at his residence, Ridge Road East, of Edmund B. Harrison, another of the few remaining pioneers of East Kent, at the advanced age of 86

years,
Deceased's wife died several years
ago, Of four sons, H. B. is a succe-sful business man in Radgetown;
one a doctor, and another a preacher, are focated in the west, and John
is a broom manufacturer in Detroit.
The funeral took place to-day at
2,30 p. m. to Greenwood Cemetery.

NEW LICENSE COM.

It is expected that the appointment of the 1907 License Commissioners for the various ridings in the Province will be made known by the Depirtment Saturday.

By reason of Frank Rankin's election to the Township Council of Dover, the appointment of a Commissioner to take his place on the License Board will be made necessary. The official announcement will not be made till Saturday, but it is rumored that Corey Purser, formerly Reeve of Dover, will be given the appointment.

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Rev. T. Dobson, of Tilbury, also addressed the Council, and on suggestion of Mr. Denholm, the Council production of the Counci Continued from Page One went into committee to discuss the que fical Mr. Peeis was called to

the chair,
Mr. Crawford (Dover) — These
classes are mostly in villages. Will
the pupils of the country be allowed

be attend free;
Dr. Stewari-I believe there is a non-resident fee charged.
In committee Mr. Johns moved, recorded by Mr. Crawford (Tilbury). that the prayer of the petition be gratifed. This was to give an opportunity to the councillors to discuss the matter.

Mr. frving-How many villages have continuation classes?

The Warden, Speen — Blenheim, Highgate, Bothwell Thamesville,

Highgate, Bothwell Thamesville, Dreiden, Wallaceburg and Tilbury. Mr. Clark—What percentage of those attending continuation classes

ome from the country?
Mr. Kelly (Bothwel.)-About 30 per cent. of my class are from the country and 1 think this average will hold good throughout the county. Mr. Ribble—I for one am heartify

Mr. Ribbie—I for one am heartiy in favor of that petition, and I hope the Council will support it. About one-third of the pupils of the county would be deprived of this education if these classes were not in force. Mr. Crawford (Tilbury) — I am heartily in favor of anything which will facilitate education in this county and I would favor anything reasonable in the way of a grant. I have thad considerable experience in engaging young men and women and I find that if they do not go farther than graduating from a Public school they are unfit to satisfactorily fill a husiness position. We should encourage these classes.

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Mr. Crawford (Dover)—I thought
the money should be distributed to
more centres. It seemed one sided as

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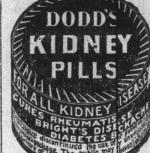
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the villages would be br. Stewart—They com to the villags from a radius o six miles lags

Mr. Irving favored M Crawford's (Dover) objection. He obted to the non-resident fee chargi to pupils from the country attelling these classes in the villages.

Mr. Denholm pointed of that Kent

Mr. Denholm pointed of that Kent was fortunate as far as xpense goes in connection with Collitate Institutes, over other counes. There is were other smaller counts with less High schools than there re in Kent. The people demanded in the education, and if suitable grats were not given continuation class we would find more fligh schools pringing ap and the expense to the unity would be much greater than he present system of making grants o continuation classes. He was healily in favor tion classes. He was healily in favor

tion classes. He was heally in favor of the resolution.

The Warden answered Mr. Crawford (Dover) by pointix out that these classes are distibuted and brought nearer the pulls in the townships, making this education easier of access. He faved as large a grant as the county cold afford to give.

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Mr. Badder favored the idea of the petition, but he would like to see the grant distributed to all the schools, and did not fave giving it all only to the schools in the places mentioned.

Mr. Johns thought the nembers of the Council should in this proceedings deal with matters who a broad mind, work for general god and pass measures which will benefit the great masses. While the coucillors are elected to represent different municipalities, they were elected to look after the good of the canty as a whole.

whole.
Mr. Clark voiced sentimets against the prayer of the petition Mr. McLarty wanted the grants distributed equally and fair. This is a new thing and he though the Council should be cautious, an he moved an amendment that the matter be referred to the committeen Education to give it further cosideration. Mr. Greene favored the petition. He had a scholar attendin the Bothwell school, paying 60 cent amonth, well school, paying 60 cen a month, and he was quite satisfied. He would be quite willing send a scholar ten miles at 60 cens a month rather than send the scholar to Chatam. He favored the original motion Buchanan objected iginal motion.

Mr. Johns saw no necssity sending it back to the committee Education. He thought th was. poor man's proposition-a cheme to poor man's proposition—a cheme the help the poor man give he children competent education. If the classe are not maintained the couty would have to erect two more Hin schools. Mr. McLarty cited the cas of Morpeth. The people did not at all the advantages, and yet the pay the school rate. He wanted city member to understand the mater thoroughly. He asked for the shool rate in the villages, but foundout the were higher than he thought the were.

Mr. Denholm pointed ou that the Mr: Denholm pointed ou that the fees charged to non-residnt pupils in continuation classes as smaller than the fees charged at he High schools, and the work is eactly the same, but these fees do ot begin to pay for the education of these pupils.

Mr. McLarty did not wan to injure these schools. He had changed a child of his own from the Ridge wn High school to the Thamesville shool and he got along better in Themesville

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than he did in Ridgetown yet he could not bring himself the present movement.

Mr. Crawford (Tilbury) thought that if the continuation shools in the towns and villages wee properly supported it would led to the springing up of continuatin classes in the rural schools. The puple would see that the Council was eady and willing to encourage eduction and more centres would be estblished. ore centres would be estblished. Mr. Denholm enforced the point ef

Mr. Gibb wanted the Coupil to un-derstand that the municipaties ask-ing for aid were not aking the county to run their classes for them. the total expense in connection with these classes in Blenheim tast year was about \$1,900.

Mr. Johns pressed for a vote on his motion to grant the brayer of

The amendment to refer the matter of the Educational committe was put rst and carried.

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