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#### SALE PRICES.

Buy your Cottons this week. From 2c. to 8c. a yard saved on cottons, sheetings, and pillow cottons is about as easy a way to reduce household expenses as we can tell you of, and the careful housekeeper knows that every dollar saved counts at the end of the month. Come to us this week for Cottons.

#### New Dress Goods.

Crowds of New Dress Goods here for you to see, dress goods direct from the looms of the best manufacturers in Europe. Canada comes to the front again this year, too, with a splendid showing of homespuns in the new and stylish grey and pastel tones.

Broadcloths are again popular. Mohairs we can never dispense with for serviceable wear. Wool Taffetas for Shirt Waist Suits are very correct. Tweeds and Plain Home Spuns are extremely popular for the new Eaton and Bolero Suits. Henriettas are strongly to the front, and will be used more largely than for many seasons.

We are, as usual, showing many exclusive styles in all classes of these goods, and would be glad of an opportunity to show you our new arrivals.

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Miss Wright is now ready to receive your orders and give them

If you are wise you will get your order in early and avoid the vexatious delays of later in the season.

We guarantee Miss Wright's work to be absolutely satisfactory. Charges for making are very moderate.

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### THE GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC

Will cost \$150,000,000 and every citizen of Canada must pay his share. Start saving at once by open-

# Westman

Our quotations on Builders' Hardware will prove a nest egg for a saving bank account.

#### WESTMAN BROS.

Big Hardware and Stove House 

## "THE ARK"

# Graniteware

is moving out fast at the

#### Cut - Price Sale

The price averaging 1/4 off the regular. Your-opportunity to secure bargains in useful articles. Samples of the goods in the window on

See Our Bargain Counter!

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## MADE MERRY

#### AT THE RINK

President G. W. Cornell Entertains Curlers at a Banquet

#### MOST SUCCESSFUL EVENT

It was a jolly crowd of curlers who assembled in the rink last evening to enjoy the good things provided by President Dr. G. W. Cornell at the second annual President's banquet. Caterer E. A. Mounteer provided an excellent menu and the celebration was continued far into the

Among those who were present Hadley, Dr. J. L. Bray, J. B. Rankin, T. J. Rutley, J. Harrington, Geo. Tay-Nicholl, S. Bullis, Mi Parnovsky, W. make a capital kindergarten instruc-E. Merritt, A. C. W. bdward, C. H. tor himself. E. Merritt, A. C. W. bdward, C. H. Gunn, D. A. Hutchison, Mr. Kelsey, W. G. Richards, Edwin Bell, J. M. Pike, Consul Ifft, J. C. Pritchard, H. S. Clements, M. P., L. E. Tillson, and others.

The club has been very prosperthe many complimentary remarks passed upon his hospitality last evening gave evidence of his popularity

in the club. He made an excellent host, and enjoyed the evening as much as anyone.

The toast list was an excellent one, including, as it did, some of Chatham's most fluent orators. It was as follows:

as follows:
The King.
Canada—J. B. Rankin, K. C., Edwin
Bell and Consul Ifft. Our City-H. S. Clements, M. P., and Chas. Hadley

and Chas. Hadley.
Our Club—J. G. Kerr, Robert Gray,
W. G. Richards and Dr. J. L. Bray.
Vice-Chairman—John McCoig.
The Game o' Curls—H. Gilles, J.
M. Pike, J. W. Aitken and J. Flem-

Bway"—Anon.

During the evening songs were sung by George Fielder, recitations given by W. E. Merritt, and quartette selections, from W. M. Smith, R. W. Angus, John R. Smith and J. W. Wilson.

NON-JURY.

1. Rorrison vs. Gibb, et al.; Houston & Co. for plff., and S. B. Arnold for deft.

2. Cottingham vs. Foster; S. B. Arnold for plff., and J. G. Kerr for deft.

## THE POLICE COURT THE OLD MAIDS GENEROUS

Many Matters Which Have Come Be A Very Enjoyable Concert Held in St. fore the Attention of the Local Authorities

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he was on his way to Thamesville, where he had a job. He said he would get out of town inside of 15 minutes if Mr. Houston would release him. The Judge thought this was about the easiest way of getting rid of him. ting rid of him

The police have at last, after much trouble, got a clue as to the whereabouts of Harry Hart. Some time ago Chief Holmes got a letter from Eagland addressed to Hart, and he has ever since been trying to locate that gentleman. It is now thought he is working for a man in Highgate. John Lee, who was in town yesterday, has volunteered to look up the young man if he is in Highgate.

As a rule, one must either climb or dig for things that are worth hav-

## A PLEASANT VISIT SAYS NOT GUILTY TO CUT OFF

Central School Kindergarten Class Spend a Profitable Time at the Fire Hall

nstrucctors, Misses Turner and Mc- three sureties of \$2,500 each, fur Lean, were delighted with the coutesies extended to the children by the firemen during the visit, and as for Lean, were delighted with the conte-sies extended to the children by the the children themseives, Chief Pritchard is to them one of the most popular men in the city.

The obliging Chief has a warm spot in his heart for children, and it was a pleasure to him to show the little kindergarteners through the hall. Nothing was overlooked. The children were shown the sleepwere ex-President Robert Gray, Chas, ing rooms, while the Chief explained how the alarm came in, how the firemen had to jump into their clothes lor, J. Glassford, J. W. Aitken, J. G. and slide down a brass pole to the fluor beneath. He even satisfied the might tell you just what we should do Kerr, Jas. Fleming, A. H. VonGunten, W. Anderson, F. Malcolmson, C. W. Rayment, John Stephens, Mr. Gillean, London, A. C. Trudell, Jonas and ladders and were allowed to net learned the use of the hose and ladders and were allowed to net learned the use of the ladders and were allowed to net learned the use of the ladders and were allowed to net learned the use of the ladders and were learned the Gosnell, C. B. Heath, John McCoig, and ladders and were allowed to pet Geo. Fielder, T. Guttridge, Dr. I. L. the horses. In fact the Chief would

## ous under Dr. Cornell's regime and A LIST OF CASES JAPAN'S

#### The High Court Will Open in Chatham on Monday Before Justice Meredith

The following is the list of cases which will come up for hearing before Mr. Justice Meredith at the winter assizes and spring sittings of the High Court, which open on Monday at 10 o'clock at the Court House.

BY JURY

Now Reduced to Want.

Seattle, Wn., March 2.—The steam-ship Dakota bring advices from Nagasaki that the famine situation in the northern provinces of Japan is steadily growing graver.

A second appeal has been issued by W. E. Lampe, Chairman of the Foreign Committee of Relief, in which he says:

"When we issued our first appeal to BY JURY.

1. Clark vs. Mitton; W. Mills for plaintiff, and Houston & Co. for de-

Ine Game o' Curls—H. Gilles, J.
M. Pike, J. W. Aitken and J. Fleming.
Speeches—C. B. Heath, W. D. Sheldon, John E. Stephens, and G. G. Taylor.
Our Host—J. M. McCoig.
Response—President W. G. Cornell.
"But soft, me thinks I seent the morning air"—Shakespeare.
"And truant husbands will return and say,
"My dear, I was the first to come Rway"—Anon.

During the evening songs sung by County of Curls—Indicated the control of the

#### Andrew's Church Last Evening

sojourn of six months in Toronto for being drunk, spent the night in the Police Court cells. Tom, in spite of police Court cells. Tom, in spite of the Assisting Society, and above expenses. good intentions, has been drunk proved an unique success. There

the most of his time since he came back. Judge Houston told him this morning that he would be given another term if he gets drunk again. There was a charge against him this morning.

The "convention" this year was the sequel to the "convention" held under the same title last year. The old maids are supposed to have journeyed to Alaska, where some of them hold sings in the cells. He was drunk. He told the Judge this morning that he was on his way to Thamesville, where he had a job. He said he would get out of town inside of 15 minutes if Mr. Houston would release him. The Judge thought this was about the easiest way of get-

er climb Every man has a right to his own orth havopinion as long as he keeps it to himself.

Bail For Mrs. Banwell—Case Remaná-ed Till Monday Next.

the Fire Hall

Toronto, March 2.—"Not guilty" was the plea entered on behalf of Mr. and Mrs. Banwell by Mr. DuVernet when the young couple appeared in the Police Court yesterday is one which will long be remembered by the little tots. The large transfer of the Police Sanwell was released on \$7,500 bail in three surelies of \$2,500 capt. Toronto the Police of the Police Court yesterday morning. Mrs. Banwell was released on \$7,500 bail in three surelies of \$2,500 capt. Toronto the Police of the Police Court yesterday morning. Mrs. Banwell was released on \$7,500 bail in three surelies of \$2,500 capt. Toronto the plea entered on behalf of Mr. and Mrs. Banwell by Mr. DuVernet when the young couple appeared in the Police Court yesterday morning. Mrs. Banwell was released on \$7,500 bail in three surelies of \$2,500 capt.

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Will Fight Conviction. "I suppose you just pleaded not guilty to cover your election and a trial by jury?" Mr. DuVernet was asked. "You have no serious intention of combatting

court."

Prisoners In Good Spirits The Banwells arrived at the Don station a little after 7 o'clock yesterday morning, and were driven to police headquarters, where they awaited the

## FAMINE

#### Now Reduced to Want.'

"When we issued our first appeal to the foreign communities in Japan in December, we estimated that 680,000 persons out of a population of 2,821,000 persons were on the verge of starvation.

"Since then members of our committee have personally visited 26, coun

tee have personally visited 26 counties and as many towns in the Provinces of Miyagi and Fukuushima and have distributed 9,000 yen. Our first figures estimating those effected by the famine are too weak to describe

the actual suffering.
"Able-bodied men, ragged and hungry, are facing the snow and icy winds to bring wood from the mountains in the hope of earning enough through its sale to keep their starving families. Women are covering babies with their own clothing to keep them warm and such conditions as these can only mean death in the end.

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#### The Receipts of Elks' Charity Ball Were Donated for Charitable Purposes

King's Daughters..... 10.00 School in place of Eugene Massoon, who Previously the sum of \$10 had been denated to the Children's Aid Sopointed instructor in reading at the

The musical selections of the even-ing were supplied by the seven step-children of Mrs. Tiny Vantassel. The Windsor Record in a report of an organ recital given recently in that city by G. Arthur Depew, Mrs. James Park.

The impersonation of the president

# PERQUISITES

Hon. W. J. Hanna Explains Apparent Increases of Salaries.

LEGISLATURE ROUTINE

Toronto, March 2.- The salaries of officials in the public institutions and the perquisites they receive were dis-cussed in the Legislature yesterday on a motion of Mr. Dunlop, asking for a

return showing these amounts.
Speaking to the motion, Hon. W. J.
Hanna said he was glad to avail himself of the opportunity of making an explanation so that when the estimates were brought down the members would understand, why the free states. understand why the increases made. In some of the institutions there were officials who appeared to be earning a salary of \$500 or even less, and with a view to finding out what perquisites they were receiving, the de-partment sent instructions to the suppartment sent instructions to the sup-erintendents to supply the information. He was not sure that the return would not appear to be unfair to some indi-viduals. In one case the salary was put down as \$450, but this employe had six or seven adult members of the family not in the institution who were living out of the supplies. This man had free coal, light and house, the perquisities amounting to \$600 or \$700. In attempting to cut out the perquisites, the department had found some difficulty in respect to the superintendents, but from the superintendents down the perquisites were cut off, and a reasonable allowance in lieu thereof made to the officer. While these items would appear in the estimates as increases, in reality they were not so. In the case of the nurses there was a real advance.

Saved Money by Perquisites.

Hon. Mr. Harcourt said the principle adopted by the old Government was that the perquisites should be cut off, but it was represented that the proyince was saving money by the system. He would be glad if an admittedly evil system could be lessened if it would result in gain to the province. Instructions had been sent out that grown-up members of a family should not be maintained at the expense of the province, and also limiting the time of Saved Money by Perquisites. maintained at the expense of the pro-vince, and also limiting the time of visits of relatives. Very often officials would invite relatives to stay with them for weeks. He concurred in the sug-gestion that perquisites be limited as far as possible.

Mr. Whitney: The trouble is, no limit is possible.

Mmit is possible

Mr. Hanna wished to be understood that he did not say perquisites would be allowed in the case of the super-intendents. He found difficulties in the way, but would leave it over till next year. There were some substantial perquisites, in some cases amounting to

erquisites, in some cases amounting to ne salary. Mr. Harcourt said it was clear that a Mr. Harcourt said it was clear that a salary of \$2,000 for a superintendent of a big institution was inadequate. Therefore, the province must supple-ment the salary. Mr. Graham reminded the House that

perquisites created a great deal of jeal-ousy in friction. He favored the straight salary. Bursars, in particular, should have more salary and more power. The motion passed.

Answers to Questions.

Mr. May of Ottawa asked for a re-turn showing the changes in the Normal school staff of the province. Hon.
Dr. Pyne replied that Miss Agnes McKenzie of the London Normal School resigned, and Miss Jean Laidlaw was Tom Gillies, who was recently released from Central Prison, after a sojourn of six months in Toronto for being drunk, spent the night in the Police Central Prison, after a sojourn of six months in Toronto for being drunk, spent the night in the Police Central Prison, after a sojourn of six months in Toronto for being drunk, spent the night in the evening under the auspices of the Assisting Society, and above expenses. 

same school.

A number of private bills were intro-

On motion of Hon. Mr. Matheson and Hon. G. P. Graham, J. A. McMillan, Glengarry, was added to the municipal

committee.
The Temiskaming Railway Report.
The annual report of the Temiskaming Railway Commission was laid on the table of the Legislature by the Pro-The police received a letter yesterday afternoon from John B.
Noah, formerly of this city, now living in Hagarsville, Ont. When Noah
left Chatham he left an overcoat in
the house he vacated and he wanted
the police to locate it for him if they
could. The overcoat was located
quite easily and sent to Mr. Noah
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Triends in the audience. The
following were the officers and executive who assisted him: Miss Ada
Misses Duffy, Alice Trotter, Wilson,
Martin, Park, Agnes Kerr, Coltart,
Glassford, A. Glassford, Davidson,
McKinley, English, Florence McKinley, Morrison, Kelly, Sinclair and Mc
Lean.

Mrs. Vantassel was taken by
in that city by G. Arthur Depew,
of Detroit, has the following to say
of Henry McCaw, a former Maple
City boy and well known here, who
took part in the entertainment:

"Henry McCaw, brother of Miss
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In every clime its colors are unfurled.

Its fame has spread from sea to sea;

Be not surprised if in the other.

sea:

world,
You hear of Rocky Mountain Tea.
A. l. McCall & Co.

Any man can wear open-work stockings if his wife refuses to mend them.

The way of the world is to make awa but follow sustance awa but follow sustance.

The passenger train mileage was 45.

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# **Brushes**

For One Week we w continue our sale of th two lines at a lower t import price.

Hair Brushes 14e, regular -

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390, " All Brushes of good goods. V bought 25 gross of these goods an

Come and get your share of then

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ried numbered 86.648. Avera received from passengers, \$1.25. Tons of freight carried, 99,192; average haul, 48 miles. Of freight carried, lumber and square timber amounted to 27,882. Creek trestle was being erected at the forty-first mile of the second division. Track-laying will proceed rapidly northward, and should reach the Black River, seventy-five miles north of New Liskeard, by June 1. From that point to the end of the present contract the to the end of the present contract the grading should be completed in time to allow the laying of track to the junction of the Black and Abitibic Rivers next fall. Preparations are being made to establish a train service over the first thirty miles of the second division. A telegraph line is erected and two stations partially constructed.

A second report on the electrification of the road has been prepared by an expert and laid before the Government for final consideration.

Coming of the Prince.

Col. Hanbury Williams and Under Secretary of State Pope, made a social call on the Premier and his colleagues at the Parliament Buildings yesterday. They are in the city to arrange for the visit of Prince Arthur of Connaught from April 21 to 28.

They also called on the Lieutenant-Governor yesterday.

The Premier said the Government would wait till the Lieutenant-Governor's plans were announced before deciding what the transport to the research the false to the contract the state of the prince of the contract of grading should be completed in time to

nor's plans were announced before de-ciding what steps would be taken to entertain Prince Arthur.

A NICER WORD,

That Westerner seemed to be tellng you some pretty tall tales. Yes, he was telling me that out his way it was nothing unusual to

Of course, you told him that

was a lie? Not exactly. I merely remarked that it was a sereal story.

## Reliance Loan & Savings Co.

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#### The Daily Planet

FRIDAY, MARCH 2, 1906.

MR. McCOIG AT AYLMER.

Mr. McCoig, M. P. P., of Chatham, s the first visitor to address the eting. He made a slashing attack Whitney Government, declarthad adopted the spoils system. cited the fact that J. P.'s, grey with honor in the ridad been cut off by the new and he waxed eloquent he talked of the fearful parti-practised on the hotelmen in m. He made a strong im-

on his hearers.

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Vell, let us see how it works out. the Council passed a by-law limtwelve. The result was that re closed. Does Mr. McCoig mean to say that these were not the ones that should have been closed? Does Mr. McCoig say that "politics" had anything to do in selecting the three who should be cut off? Every fair-minded man in Chatham will agree that the commissioners did the

Then the by-law was amended, and Mr. Glassford got a license. Gassford is a Liberal. Is that "fearful partisanship?"

The by-law was amended a second time to favor Mrs. Mount, The Mounts are Liberals. Was that "fearful partisanship?"

The license for the Garner House was transferred to Mr. McCoig's brother and his partner. Was that 'fearful partisanship?"

Every hotel-keeper in Wallaceburg, as well as the man who has the shop license, is a Liberal. Their politics neithered helped nor hindered them in obtaining licenses.

One hotel-keeper at Pain Court and one at Big Point are Liberals. No question arose in regard to granting

these licenses. On what does Mr. McCoig make his charge of "fearful partisanship?" We presume on the fact that the ment. shop license was transferred from W. license for the Rankin House.

If Mr. McCoig will take the trouble to look at the Commissioners' minute book, he will see that a mominute book, he will see that a mo-tion was made transferring the the air and helps to preserve the stock. If the soup has no fat use clarified shop license from a Mr. Merritt to dripping for this purpose. Mr. Sheldon. Why was this change Bread which has been cut in slices made? Simply and solely because and then allowed to become stale may Mr. Merritt refused to vote for the be freshened by folding the slices in Liberal candidate in one of the lo- a napkin, putting them in the napkin cal elections. The gentleman who into a paper bag and placing the bag tried to coerce Mr. Merritt, and as- in a hot oven for a quarter of an hour. sured him that failure to vote for the Liberal candidate would mean the loss of his license, has since been rewarded with a judgeship.

strikes home, Mr. McCoig speaks of door when a cake is inside. "fearful partisanship." Has Mr. Mc-Coig forgotten the time when Geo. Hill ,of Wallaceburg, lost his license? ed his mouth about politics, but he was deprived of his license for a year because he voted for Mr. James likely to take hints if they could

Does Mr. McCoig forget that Mr Alf. Ryall, of this city, had to surren er his license because of his pource, and the only sympathy he got from Liberals of Mr. McCoig's ilk was, "he talks too much."

But Mr. McCoig refers especially to hotel licenses, taking his cue, we presume, from that immaculate politician, Hon. G. W. Ross.

He refers, no doubt, to the Rankin

The Planet criticised the action of the Commissioners in refusing to grant Mr. Pleasence a license, and openly stated the fact that we believed a license should have been given him for the Rankin House. We are just as free to say to-day that from the facts now in our possession, we believe the Commissioners 

sent a man up here to look into the case, and while he reported that he believed the Rankin House should be given a 'license, yet from all sources, friend and foe alike, but one opinion was gathered, viz., that "Irish Jack was a man of picturesquely foul mouth."

Does Mr. McCoig doubt that Mr. Pleasence used "choice and savoury" language in speaking of his political opponents?

Does Mr. McCoig not know that the hotel kept by Mr. Pleasence was always the distributing centre of those tangible influences by which, to a very great extent, Mr. McCoig in Toronto. to a very great extent, Mr. McCoig

Does Mr. McCoig not know that on the very day of his own election Mr. Pleasence was operating just outside the city in that peculiar manner that makes an election trial such spicy reading?

Is it not a notorious fact that Mr. Pleasence used his license not only to "keep hotel," but to create and bring about that political rottenness that finally overwhelmed the Ross Government?

Mr. McCoig must not for one moment imagine that the electors of West Kent are ignorant of all these! things

Notwithstanding all that we have said, we believe that the Commission above paragraph is taken from ers might, with perfect justice to all concerned, grant Mr. Pleasence bly Mr. McCoig thought he a license for the Rankin House, and r enough away from Chatham we trust they will do so. We besafe in making any statement lieve that Mr. Pleasence realizes now ased, whether consistent with the mistake he made in being "whipcts or not. But he must learn ped into line" by Mr. McCoig and while this Great Home Jour- his friends. He has a good house, willing to overlook and forgive and will, we believe, "keep hotel." And we can assure Mr. A. B. Mc-Coig, M. P. P., that when the mem-McCoig spoke of "The fearful bers of the Whitney Government promised a non-partisan administration of the license law, they meant what they said, and no little hypocritical screech from an embryo polithe number of licenses in the tician just big enough to be used by his friends to advance their own hotels kept by Doisthe Martin, selfish ends, will have any effect in n Glassford and Mrs. Mount befogging the minds of the electors.

#### BARGAINS IN MEDICINE.

A woman once wrote us that she was not going to buy Scott's Emulsion any more because it cost too much. Said she could get some other emulsion for less money. Penny wise and pound foolish. Scott's Emulsion costs more because it is worth more-costs more to We could make make. Scott's Emulsion cost less by using less oil. Could take less care in making it, too. If we did, however, Scott's Emulsion wouldn't be the standard preparation of cod liver oil as it is to-day.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Toronto, Out

THE COOKBOOK.

When soaking beans a tiny pinch of soda in the water will be an improve-

It is better to steam green cabbage, D. Sheldon to Taylor & McKay, and cauliflower and the like. A sprinkling of salt should be applied to the vegetables before they are put into the steamer.

"To keep soup let it remain covered with a coating of fat, as this excludes

If a cake falls in the center the opening of the oven door and the co quent rush of cold air may account for it, too much baking powder may have been used or the mixing may be at And yet, when retributive justice fault. Never slam or bang the oven

but is best when used in the Sunlight way. Buy Sunlight Soap and follow directions.

#### **AUNT MARY'S** HOME-MADE BREAD

and grocers are handling more of it every week. All our brands of Bread are as good as first-class bakers, with modern machinery, can make out of the best materials we can obtain, but

AUNT MARY'S HOME-MADE BREAD BEATS THEM ALL . . . . .

for popularity. Ask your grocer for it, or send word to us and have one of our drivers call.

Jos. Waterhouse

### DISTRICT

#### DRESDEN

March 2.-The Bank of Commerce yesterday moved temporarily into the store recently vacated by R. Aikins. Wm. Rudd, of the Rudd Carriage Works, has taken his son into part

Mrs. (Dr.) Williams has returned But I prayed to die 'neath my

Miss Glenn, of Dawn Mills, spent

Wednesday in town Charlie Simpson has been on the sick list, but is able to be out again. There is an epidemic of chicken-pox among the children.

pox among the children.
The services in the B. M. E. Church
have been closed.
Preparatory services are bring held
in the Presbyterian Church this evChrist Church Ladies' Guild held a meeting at Mrs. W. H. Wilson's yes-terday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. Thornton have issu-

ed invitations for a crokinole party of married people this evening. Mrs. (Dr.) Thornton entertains the I. D. K. Society from 4 to 8 o'clock Tuesday next.

#### TILBURY

March 1 .- Joseph McAlpine, of St. Thomas, was the guest of his sister. Mrs. J. Anderson, yesterday.
Yesterday being Ash Wednesday, special services were held in St. Francis church.
E. Dore, of Hamilton, was in town

W. C. Crawford was in Detroit vesterday.
Chatham hockey team will play border league hockey match with the local team at the rink here to-night. Miss Winnie Powell is suffering Just winnie Foweii is suffering from an attack of la grippe.

J. Manary spent Tuesday at his home in Leamington.

Miss Beulah Bartley left yesterday to visit relatives in Chatham.

#### **THAMESVILLE**

March 1.-Miss Verna Lush has cone to Windsor to live with her

Oddfellows Lodge meets to-night. Miss Violet Albertson leaves for Detroit, where she will attend milknery openings. The Misses Galloway are away at the openings now. Mr. Grant has been in town this

The Misses Hall leave for Guelph There was good skating last night.

Miss Kate Mayhew has returned rom Highgate for a short time.
The Art Culture Club meets at
Miss Nellie Mayhew's to-morrow Miss Nellie Mayhew's to-morrow night, subject "The Founders of Janada," and will be conducted by Mrs. Graves. Special music.

Mrs. Graves. Special music.
The regular meeting of the School
Board will be held next week. There
was not a quorum last week.
Rev. Mr. Freeman will conduct special services in the English church
during Lent luring Lent. Miss Emma Twedell, from Detroit,

calling on old friends in town.
Rev. Arthur Hare, from Botany,
spending the day in town. Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness and othther throat ailments are quickly re-lieved by Cresolene Tablets, ten cents per box. All Aruggists.

UP THE CREEK.

Robert Smyth, of Whitewood, Al-berta, is in the city to-day purchas-ing horses to take out to his ranch. John M. Houston is in Darrell to-

mainder of the Burroughs farm and will take possession at once,
The Ladies Aid will commemorate
the natal day of Ireland's patron
saint by a house social at the residence of J. McCormick.

gence of J. McCormick.
Service next Sunday in St. Paul's will be held at 7.30 p. m.
J. K. Hartman, Chatham, will occupy the general store at Kent Centre to-morrow and will also assume the duties of nontreacher. the duties of postmaster.

C. P. Ross informs us that the

C. P. Ross informs us that the buds of pears, plums and peaches are almost totally destroyed. Wm. Burroughs and fam'ly leave for Manitoba on April 1st, where they will in future reside. Miss Pearl Everitt entertained 50 of her young friends last evening.

CON 8 RALEIGH

Mrs. George Laurie spent Wednes-day afternoon the guest of Mrs.

Noack.

Mrs. Ernest Edwards entertained a small company last Friday evening in honor of her guest, Mr. Walter Doyle. The guests were treated to a sumptuous feast of oysters—the favorite dish. The evening was spent in dancing, music being furnished by Orr's orchestra.

orr's orchestra.

Mr. and Mrs. Callahan, of Chatisited relatives here last week, Mr. Ernest Edwards intends moving his barns next spring. He will have them thoroughly remodelled and will then have one of the most up-to-date farms in the locality. He has engaged Mr. Walter Doyle as

wanager.

We expect another local oil boom here in a few weeks. There is every promise of the company drilling several deep wells and giving the field what it needs—a thorough test.

Miss Carrie Maynard, who has been visiting her sister here has returned to her home in Harwich.

A person may attract attention, yet not be very attractive.

MY OWN DEAR LAND OF SNOW.

Beneath a sky that was hot and high,
I've heard the conches blow;
Again and again o'er the rainless plain
I've heard the tomtoms go. I've heard the tomtoms go. Then mem'ry's trick made my soul

For mine own dear land of snow! The palms I've seen, with their change-

less green,
That tire the eyeballs so;
I've felt a breath from the lungs death, Where the sluggish waters flow,

In mine own dear land of snow. I've seen the snake in the poisoned

The saurian come and go; rve seen the shape of a grinning ape, Like the soul of a man in woe; Then oh, for the grace of a smilings

From mine own dear land of snow,

I've seen the plague, though dim vague,
Across the rice lands blow; The poor man dies—they die like flies, And they lie where they die—then,

For the living breeze 'mid the hemlock Of mine own dear land of snow.

To the tambourine, by night I've seen The dancing maidens go;
It made me spurn the place and turn
From the torches' shifting glow, And I thought of the maids in the frosty glades Of mine own dear land of snow

I've flung me down in the grasses My heart was aching so: Like a sounding flash did the cymbals

clash,
And I heard the conches blow; Then mem'ry's trick made my heart For mine own dear land of snow!

—The Khan.

FACTS ABOUT THE YUKON. \$7,000,000 In Gold in 1905 as Against

\$10,000,000 In 1904. Joseph Tyrrell, the well-known traveler, explorer and mining engineer, re-turned to his home at Ottawa from the Yukon about three weeks ago. Mr. Tyrrell does not speak in very

encouraging terms of the situation in the Yukon. He says the output of gold this year will be about \$7,000,000, as against \$10,000,000 last year. He also says that the output of gold in the transition stage, its production by individuals being supplanted by compan-ies with large capital, exploying sys-tematic methods. But this latter pro-cess is not quite in sight, nor is 18 likely to be in sight, according to Mr. Tyrrell, until charges made by the White Pass Rail.

way are reduced.

These charges make the cost of living so high that mining cannot be carried on economically. The White Pass Railway is paying five per cent, on a capitalization of \$10,000,000. It is not likely that one-fifth of that amount has been actually invested in the road. Mr. Tyrrell thinks that the Dominion Government ought to make an exploration with a view to the building of a line into the Yukon from some point on

From this point to the heart of the Yukon might require a road 1,000 miles is in Dawson City.

You can now get a good meal in Dawson City for \$1, a glass of whiskey for 25 cents, and a newspaper for the same amount. There are still two dally newspaper. The banks charge two per cent, a month for money, and the separate which when struck on a mutical instrument evokes responsive vibrations in the said object.

J. E. Appleton, whose stage name is Senor Cardona, has for the past two months been training the four magnificent lions owned by A. A. Lesile, and the results he has accomplished in so short a time are wonderful and constant to some stage and combinations of any characteristics. The stage of the stage o firm the claim which Mr. Leslie has find what he sought for, for his face always made, that he stands in the first rank among the animal trainers of the world, says The Aylmer Express. These went through the bridge. Faster playlions knew nothing of the trainer when Cardona took them in charge, in fact no one had ever been in a cage with the two oldest. An arena was constructed in the palace at the fair ground and we were down there a few days ago and saw as good a half-hour performance as Bostock or any of the other great as the keynote sounded on the violin.

when the lions came out into the arena each takes his or her allotte seat. (We might say there are two male and two female lions.) They then sway. form several pyramids of different kinds, one particularly pretty one, placing two of them almost to the celling. Then he has a regular see-saw of teeter with one lion at each end of the board and one in the centre and the fourth tracked arross the centre of fourth stretched across the centre on two pillars, forming an arch and a mosi beautiful picture. He has one of them so he can almost place his head in his mouth, but has not made the venture in full yet. Then he brings in an extension table about the ordinary size, spreads a table cloth on it, puts a plate for each lion and one fer himself, and all sit down to dinner together. Two of the lions will wear napkins, but the other two object to it. When all are seated, including Cardona, he feeds each one a few small pieces of raw meat and all have a good time.

Ploughing in January.
Richard Goodison, a farmer living almost a mile west of Cooksville, reports that he ploughed a considerable portion of his farm on Saturday, Jan 27, and Monday, Jan 29. The ground yielded readily.

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Our Milliners will be back from New York and other Eastern Cities Monday, when they will be prepared to give early orders every possible attention.

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FOUND THE KEYNOTE.

The Story of an Angry Fiddler and a Dancing Bridge. The old Sixth street bridge was a suspension bridge, and in connection in length, but Mr. Tyrrell is of opin-ion that this country between the Grand Trunk Pacific and the Yukon is as promising as the Cobalt country in Ontario has proved, and, therefore, and bands are not allowed to play it would be a good investment for the Government to immediately make the preparatory explorations. The population of the Canadian Yukon to-day is between 5,000 and 6,000, 2,000 of which is in Dawson City.

marches because of the cumulative force of the vibrations, which are apt to either destroy the bridge completely or crystallize the iron cables. Now, sound is vibration, and this explanamarches because of the cumulative

Mrs. H. Reed is in Thamesville this week attending the bedside of her sister, who is very ill.

John McGarvin has purchased 18 acres of the Burroughs estate, price 11,700.

John McCorvie has second and the control of the second secon seated himself on the wharf under the Allegheny end of the bridge and began to scrape away on his fiddle for hours, apparently trying all sorts of notes, half notes and combinations of notes Cardona took them in charge, in fact no fairly sang in response to the wild

> By this time the tollkeepers saw something was up, for the pedestrians on the bridge began to run, drivers whipped up their horses and men and women with blanched faces declined to A messenger (there were no phones then) was dispatched for the superintendent, and he came running. The old fiddler was pointed out, and a constable was ordered to arrest him; but, there being no suspicious person law then in existence, the officer shook his head. The bridge was cutting up all sorts of capers, swaying back and perintendent in desperation ran to the fiddler and promised never to demand toll from him. An agreement was en-tered into, the fiddler pledging to keep secret to his dying day the keynote, so that no revengeful musician ever again could place the structure in jeopardy without studying out the keynote him-

No one ever reaches the top of the ladder unless he starts at the bottom

AN ODD SEA FOOD.

Virtues of the Gigantic Marine Snail

Though the fiesh of the abalone is a nutritious and wholesome article of food, highly esteemed by the Chinese and Japanese, few people in the Unit-ed States know anything about the abalone except that it has a large shell with a bright, pearly interior. The abalone is a gigantic sea snail, whose nat ural home is the deep water off a rocky coast. The whole coast of central and lower California, from Cape Mendo lones, the supply being absolutely unlimited. As fast as an area of fishing ground is depleted it is repeopled by full grown abalones coming in from the ocean. Three months after a piece of ground has been thoroughly cleared by the abalone fishers the supply is as abundant as ever. The contents of the

large abalone shell weigh as much as Long ago the Chinese and Japanese discovered the value of the meat as a wholesome and digestible food. The supply of abaienes in Chinese waters is, however, small, and the fishing ands off the coast of Japan were so heavily drawn upon that they became exhausted. The people are forbidden by an imperial edict from taking them. The Japanese and Chinese in Califor nis dive for the abalones, which craw sea in deep water outside the surf. The divers bring them ashere and spread them out in a sunny place to dry. This process reduces the abalone to about one-third of its original bulk leaving a tough, horny product. The dried abalones are sent to the orient, where they are seaked and stewed or round into powder and used for mak

In the pure, deep water of the ocean the abalone lives, and as it is a clean feeder its fiesh is always sound and wholesome, being superior in this re-spect to that of oysters and clams, which live near shore and are often contaminated by sewage and other im-purities. The viscera of an abalone, unlike those of the clam or oyster, which must be swallowed whole, are quite separate from the muscular or edible part and can be detached by a single stroke of a knife.

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Revival service, William St. Baptist Church, at 7.45.

K. O. T. M., No. 8, in their rooms, I. O. O. F. Temple, at 8.

Young People's Society, lecture hall, William St. Baptist Church, 8

Peninsular Lodge, No. 2, A. O. U. W., in their hall, opposite the Ran-kin House, at 8.

## LOCAL

To-night The Spendthrift at the Salted Peanuts, fresh daily, at

Rhody's. Thomas Colles, of Blenheim, was Chatham yesterday.

"Pretty Peggy" plan opened with rush this morning. Walter Mills, of Ridgetown, was

yesterday. J. W. White, barrister, was in Lon-

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Corvie's Grocery. Wm. Blight and Geo. Fielder are spending the day in Toronto on

bicycle repairer. Permanent job. Apply at Briscos'. A. R. Coltart is in Toronto attend-

ing the executive meeting of the Canadian Embalmers Association. Miss Marjorie and Jack West left to-day for Delhi, where they will join their parents in their new home.

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nue Methodist church will entertain the members of the Senior League this evening in the church.

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H. Turnbull was a visitor from Bargains in Granite-ware on Sat-

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rday at the "Ark." C. Allen, of Woodstock, is a Chatam visitor to-day.

Return of "Pretty Peggy," Mon-lay evening, at Grand, Walter Mills, of Ridgetown, was

city visitor yesterday. Miss Tyrrell, of Florence, is visit-ing friends in the city. See Tot Young in his trick banjo playing to-night at the Grand,

Mrs. Zeph Cheff, of Dover, was in Chatham calling on friends yester-Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McKeough are

ton resterday on business.

Hugh Boyle, of Dresden, was in the city on business yesterday.

expected home from their trip South to-day.

If dissatisfied, try our Salted Peanuts; they satisfy. Rhody's Confec-

tionery. Color Sergeant Lister has return-Mesdames Brander and Hay, of ed from a month's training at the Wallaceburg, were city visitors yes-George Rance, who was injured some time ago at the Defiance Iron Works, is recovering rapidly and can now get around again.

Wm. Blight and Geo. Fielder are pending the day in Toronto on usiness.

Wanted, a good mechanic and the pending the day of the pending the day in Toronto on the pending the day in Toronto on the pending the pen

The local Elks have sent a touching letter of condolence to Mr. J. E. Thomas, who has been so sadiy bereaved of his esteemed wife. All the gents' furnishing stores in

the city, with the exception of one, it is understood, have agreed to join in the early closing movement.

James Rankin, who was recently injured while at work at the Chat-ham Wagon Works, was sufficiently recovered to leave the General Hospital yesterday.

The Jun'or League of Victoria avenue Methodist church will entertain the members of the Senior League this evening in the church.

R. C. Krieger, who has been visiting friends in Chatham for some time returned last night to his home

up his new position in the Bank's headquarters, Toronto.

The Collegiate Institute Board meet at 4.30 this afternoon. The meeting is a special one, called for the purpose of further considering the dispute with the county.

We Stringer 13th concession of edexcellent music.

#### JUST A LITTLE BIT OFF THE TOP

THE

The first robin evidently missed his

Miss Gentle Spring apparently doesn't know whether to smile or be

Fond hubbies now pass the millin-ery stores with a shudder of appre-

Crop reporters state that there will

The Kaiser says that he doesn't want war. What he does want, is to be well spanked and put to bed.

Local contractors are worrying over a brick famine. They do say that Stone is pretty scarce now, too

New York is to have a sky-scraper 40 storeys high. What a fine time the angels will have playing hide and seek in the chimneys. Why Women Divorce is likely the sequel to Why Women Breach of Promise. We are not an authority on the subject, however.

The Eanner says it didn't call the County ratepayers thieves. No, nor the Banner mustn't say naughty things like that. Mama slap.

Aberdeen "bridge" is the latest, but some of the aldermen seem to have got it into their heads that someone's been stacking the cards.

A man labored for years to per a cure for sea-sickness. failing in his endeavors, he did what the sea-sick people do-threw it up.

A Michigan Bishop declares that Frank Dennis, of Blenheim, is in the city for the day.

Return of "Pretty Peggy," Monday evening, at Grand,

> It is about time for the newspaper jokesmiths to spring their annual gag about the spring poet that no one ever saw or heard tell of except -through the newspapers.

> It is proposed to make two creek It is proposed to make two creek bridges out of the old Aberdeen bridge. Sloppy, old McGregor Creek would get the swelled head right, away if it had two nobby, steel structures like that erected over it.

POEM THAT WILL NOT LIVE. Some poems are deserving of sud

den death.-Wise Saying. To get a good by-law amended; But the people said: Stone, Leave such matters alone! He left 'em-and that's how it ended

An optimist is a man who polish-s up the dark side of life.

# · Clothes may not make the man, but they sort of classify him.

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FOR SALE R. C. Krieger, who has been visiting friends in Chatham for some time, returned last night to his home in the Northwest, (accompanied by J. Holmes, of Raleigh.

The many friends, in Kingsville, of Mrs. Maloit, who is an inmate of the General Hospital here, will be glad to hear that she is rapidly recovering from her illness.

A. S. Thornton, accountant of the Chatham branch of the Bank of Commerce, leaves Chatham to-day to take up his new position in the Bank's headquarters, Toronto.

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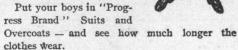
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pleasant evening.

Mrs. J. Kendall intends going to in Chatham.

wesley Kendall has rented his father's farm for five years.
Revival meetings still continue in the Free Methodist Church.
Mrs. Cartier from Chather.
It is reported that Market and Sunday at her home here.
Uncertainty the removement of the continue of the statement of the statem

the Free Methodist Church.
Mrs. Cartier, from Chatham, was the guest of Mrs. Houston and daughter, Miss Louise, last week.
Some Chatham people attended the biles for the new dock.

It is reported that Mr. Shaw, Sr., had thirty chickens stolen last week.
W. Gibb, of Wallaceburg, has find the sawing off and capping the sawing off and capping the light of the methods.

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JEANNETTE'S CREEK.

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#### TUMORS CONQUERED FURNITURE.

What You Should Do to Keep It In

Furniture, to be preserved in good condition, should be polished once a week. If this care is given it, and with ordinary good usage, it will not need to go to the repair shop for many years.

To counteract the ill effects of steam heat, which cracks and warps all the lighter kinds of furniture, the wood should be rubbed regularly with a flannel dipped in equal parts of linseed oil and turpentine and afterward dried with a soft cloth.

Much of the bamboo furniture is im proved by washing with cold water and soap. The wicker furniture of the unstained variety should be regularly scrubbed with the brush. And if kept clean in this way it will maintain its state of beauty and usefulness much

The mahogany table with the ordinary stains can be cleaned with tepid water and soap on a soft cloth. After washing, t'e table should be thorough ly dried and then rubbed with a clean flanne' and a little linseed oil or crude petroleum. Only a few drops of the oil should be used at a time, and they should be thoroughly rubbed in until the surface shines without a suspicion of greasiness.

If a piece of furniture has not been

polished for a long time it will take several applications at intervals of a A large crowd attended the box sosolial on Friday night. The program
was good and everyone enjoyed a
pleasant evening.

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Rosewood and black walnut should

Rosewood and black walnut should be treated in the same way as mahogany-that is, rubbed with linseed oil or crude petroleum. But the preliminary washing applies only to the ma-

Some Chatham people attended the ox social and took part in the proram.

Walter Hazlett is all smiles—it's a irl.

Maple syrup making is the rage in his neighborhood.

Mrs. Florence Houston has pur
Mrs. Florence Houston has purtea has been steeped for half an hour. This water will not impair the gloss as

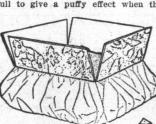
does ordinary soap and water.

If the linseed oil is not successful in creating a polish, a wineglass of olive same quantity of vinegar and two tablespoonfuls of alcohol, shaken together and thoroughly mixed, make a good varnish. This dressing is applied with a soft cloth, and the surface of the wood must be polished with a piece of flannel until thoroughly dry and glossy.—New York World.

#### HANDKERCHIEF CASE.

A Pretty One That Any Clever Girl

No girl need be without a pretty handkerchief case, as it is easy to make one. That shown in the illustration is of white and blue figured silk with linings of white silk. White silk ribbon three inches wide forms the puff or extension and is sewed on very full to give a puffy effect when the



covers are closed. To make it, cut six in size. The same number of pieces of silk are needed, three of the figured material and three of plain white. For the bottom take the cardboard and baste one square of figured silk to one piece and one of plain to the other, placing the two together and sewing over and over as in the old fashioned pin balls of our grandmothers' time.

The remaining four squares are cut in two, making four half covers, which lap two over the other two when case is completed. These are covered and put together in the same way as the bottom, being sure that the material is cut larger than the half squares of cardboard, so that when sewed together the material will be perfectly smooth. When all have been covered new the bottom and covers to the ribbon sides, the ribbon for the covers being divided into fourths, as shown in the illustration.

Girls and Their Clothes. One of the things that many mothers

teach their daughters and seem to regard as one of the paramount virtues is that every garment must be put carefully away as soon as removed.

Often as a girl I spent the night with

some friend after a ball and the dress and gloves were put carefully away in a clothes chest or wardrobe. What could be worse? No chance to air and always more or less damp with per-

You will find your garments far fresher and more hygienic if you will spread them out, inside exposed, in an empty room for at least twelve hours before putting them in their places. Have a window open in the room if possible. The rembers of my family always hang their clothes over chairs before open windows at night all the year around. It is good for the clothest and the state of the clothest control ing and better for the wearer. The mother who teaches her child to fold each garment carefully and pile one on another in a chair is teaching order, but disregarding health. Order may be heaven's first law, but it is equally true that "cleanliness is akin to god-Minard's Liniment cures Burns, etc liness."-Exchange

SERIOUS OPERATIONS AVOIDED

Unqualified Success of Lydia E. Pink-ham's Vegetable Compound in the Case of Mrs. Fannie D. Fox.

One of the greatest triumphs of Lydia Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the conquering of woman's dread enemy,

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So-called "wandering pains" may some from its early stages, or the presence of danger may be made manifest by profuse monthly periods, accompanied by unusual pain, from the abdomen hrough the groin and thighs.

If you have mysterious pains, if there are indications of inflammation or displacement search Lidde E. Pinkhan's

lacement, secure Lydia E. Pinkham's egetable Compound right away and

Mrs. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., will ive you her advice if you will write her bout yourself. She is the daughter-in-aw of Lydia E. Pinkham and for twentyive years has been advising sick women free of charge. Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—
"I take the liberty to congratulate you on he success I have had with your wonderful nedicine. Eighteen months ago my periods topped. Shortly after I felt so badly that is submitted to a thorough examination by a physician and was told that I had a tumor and would have to undergo an operation.
"Soon after I read one of your advertisements and decided to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. After rying five bottles as directed the tumor is entirely gote. I have been examined by a physician and he says I have no signs of a tumor now. It has also brought my periods around once more, and I am entirely well."—Fannie D. Fox, 7 Ches Bradford, Pa.

#### KING'S HEALTH NEVER BETTER.

So Declares Dr. Ott-Contrary Rumors Vienna, March 1 .- Dr. Ott, King Edward's Marienbad physician, has taken

the occasion of his return from his visit to England to publicly deny the rumors of His Majesty's ill-health. These, Dr. Ott declares, are malicious inventions, possible traceable to politi-

He says King Edward was never in better health than at present.

Killed by Hatchet. Niagara Falls, N. Y., March 1 .- The coroner's inquest into the death of the unknown man found 75 feet below the cliff, just south of the Cantilever Bridge, by two boys last Friday, indicates murder. From papers found in the pockets the man's name is suppos ed to be George MacBean. He had a return portion of ticket on steamer Turbinia, between Toronto and Hamil-ton, and evidently made a trip in September. Only 25 cents was found in his pocket. The medical evidence of Dr. Wixom, who made the post-mor-tem, is positive that the fracture of the frontal bone of the skull was not caused by the fall over the cliff, but by a sharp nstrument, such as an axe or hatchet

Elopes With Barber, Husband Suicides. Ottawa, March 1.-Barnhard Peterson, an engineer at the Davis planing mills, was found dead yesterday morn-ing and a half emptied bottle of car-bolic acid told the tale of the suicide. pieces of thin cardboard 4 by 4 inches He left a note to his brother. He was despondent over his wife eloping with a bartender. Peterson's father ended his life about a year ago by the same method.

Wife Deserted Him.

Toronto, March 1 .- John Colton of South Algoma Township, Renfrew, has secured a writ of habeas corpus to plead before the High Court for the possession of his children, whom he left with his wife four years ago when he went to Dakota. He claims that his wife has gone away with an Indian, taking his three children with her.



#### What Do You Know of Ontario

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ery Part, Says Dame Fashion

There is an odd shade of old rose, rather bright, but nothing like cerise It is exquisite trimmed with lace and

The summer materials are lovelies than ever. Silk and linen mixtures are to be favorites. They are pretty but have the disadvantage of mussing

and will be made up in the skirt and



coat styles so popular last summer. They will be trimmed with lace and bands of the linen in real tailor fashion. The caraco short coat will exploit itself in linen and silk next summer and is a modish little jacket for either

Gray is to be the fashionable color of the summer in wool, silk and cotton fabrics.

than floral designs, although the new organdies are showing charming patterns in blossoms and foliage.

jacket is of gray velvet, fastened with silver buttons. JUDIC CHOLLET.

ATTRACTIVE TRIFLES.

cessories-Velvet Costumes.

of the moment, and they are getting almost as high as the hats. Great tufts of ostrich feathers and upstanding jeweled aigrets are favorite ornament at present. Those who cannot afford jewels are wearing silver and gold sequined bows and silvered ospreys.



A VICTORIAN MODRIL

peared to be buttoned by means of a ally be expected to approve of it.

#### VANITY'S VISIONS.

The Costume Must Harmonize In Ev-So great is the craze for having every ery other part that whole gowns are often built around a particularly stunning hat.



GIRL'S EMPIRE DRESS.

material.

Monotone effects will be more seen

The girl's empire dress in the cut is of gray cloth. The skirt is full and plain save for the stitched band a short distance from the foot line. The

Pretty Hair Ornaments - Modish Ac Very pretty are the hair ornaments



preference is really more effective, for

with the high headdressing it is a sim-ple matter to adjust it becomingly. The fur stole has a decided rival in

The fur stole has a decided rival in the neck piece of marabou. The feather boa and muff are also among the fash ionable girl's accessories. Clipped marabou is generally used and is not as perishable as one would think. A boa in shaded gray feathers, with a large soft muff to match, gives a smart finishing touch to a gray costume.

Panne costumes for afternoon wear are very much in favor just now. Generally speaking, the skirts are characterized by plainness, while the bodices are somewhat elaborate. A striking model was lately shown made with high lace collar cut in one with the yoke, on which the velvet corsage appeared to be buttoned by means of a specific of marbour and the continuation class system introduced in Ontario he might naturally be expected to approve of it.

a touch of silver.



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Membership of Legislature of Ontario
Once Again Is Complete.

Toronto, March 1.—The feature of yesterday's session of the Legislature was the introduction of William Kirkpatrick McNaught, member-elect for North Toronto. Mr. McNaught in the member of years of the complete in the market of the member of years of the legislature was the introduction of William Kirkpatrick McNaught, member-elect for North Toronto. Mr. McNaught in the member of years of the legislature of years of the western Fuel Co. collieries, at Nanaimo, imperilled.

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Mr. Carscallen of Hamilton introduced his bill, requiring stationary engineers to pass a qualifying examination, and John Smith of Peel has a bill to amend the Franchise Act. This is an old acquaintance. He would give

an old acquaintance. He would give widows and spinsters, who have votes in municipal elections, the suffrage in provincial elections.

Woodstock Hospital.

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Hon. Mr. Hanna said, in reply to Col. Munro, that the Hospital for Epileptics would be opened to receive patients as soon as the legislation necessary for the control of the asylums is passed. The present law did not give the required authority. The erection of additional cottages had not been commenced, as the Government wished to decide what accommodation was necessary. The item would go in the estimates.

series of small tabs.

The mushroom shaped hat seen in the cut is a revived fashion of early. Victorian days. It is carrie out in white chip. A puffing of green silk is about the crown, and a large pink rost holds in position a panache of white ostrich feathers.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

Toronto Follows Manitoba. 5

Toronto, March 1.—The City of Toronto, March 1.—The City

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Ottawa, March 1.—There was no insurance on the Intercolonial buildings burned at Moncton. The loss was near ly a million dollars. Government build

# TERRIBLE PAINS

ACROSS BACK SUFFERED EIGHT MONTHS WITH KIDNEY TROUBLE. WOULD HAVE TO STAY IN BED

#### FOR THREE DAYS AT. A TIME Doan's **Kidney Pills** CURED HIM

Mr. Thomas Fitzgerald, Hazeldean, Ont., writes us as follows: "I was a great sufferer from kidney trouble for eight months. I had terrible pains across the small of my back. I would have to stay in bed for three days at a time and could not do any work. I tried several remedies but of ne avail, and also plasters but they were of no mas.

One day a neighbor of mine advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills. I was so much discouraged I told him I was tired of trying remedies, but he urged me to try one box so y purchased one, and before I was through using it, I found a change for the better so I got five boxes more, and I have had no trouble with my kidneys since. I would not be without Doan's Pills in my house."

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, marked or undersigned, marked on the en-velope "Tenders for Construction," will be received at the office of the Comway at Ottawa, until twelve o'clock noon on Monday the 12th day of March, 1906-

(3) A steel viaduct about 3,000 feet long across the Cap Rouge Valley, in said District "B," in the vicinity of the city of Quebec, the work to be performed in accordance with the General Specifications of the Commissioners of the Trans-continental Railway, and the General Specifications for steel bridges and via-ducts of the Department of Railways and Canals of Canada, 1905.

Plans, profiles and specifications may be seen in the office of the Chief Engineer of the Commissioners of Ottawa, also in

of the Commissioners at Ottawa, also in the office of the District Engineer at Kenora, Ontario, for the section of Dis-trict "B" in the office of the District "B" in the office of the District Engineer at Quebec.

Persons tendering are notified that inders will not be considered unless tenders will not be considered unless made in duplicate, and on the printed forms supplied by the Commissioners. Separate tenders must be submitted for the work in each District.

Tenders shall not be in any way entitled to rely upon the classification or any other information given by any person on behalf of the Commissioners, and before submitting any tender, bidders should make a careful examination of the and fully inform themselves as to the quantity and quality of materials and character of workmanship required; and are understood to accept and agree to be bound by the terms and conditions contained in the form of contract, specula-fications, &c., annexed to the form of Each tender must be signed and sealed

by all the parties to the tender and witnessed, and be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank of the Dominion of Canada, payable to the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Rail-way for the sum of four hundred thouway for the sum of four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000), for District "F," and two hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), for District "B," and thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000) for steel viaduct in said District "B." Any person whose tender is accepted shall within ten days after the acceptance thereof furnish the security required by the Commissioners for the due and faithful performance of the contract according within ten days after the acceptance bill to cure that horrid, sniffling thereof furnish the security required by the Commissioners for the due and faith- Catarrhozone and your cold will be ful performance of the contract according a thing of the past. There is almost ful performance of the contract according to its terms, sign the contract, specifications and other documents required to be signed by said Commissioners; and in any case of refusal or failure on the part of the party whose tender is accepted to complete and execute a contract with the said Commissioners and to furnish the approved security within ten days after the acceptance of the tender, the said cheque shall be forfeited to the Commissioners as liquidated damages for such refusal or failure, and all contract rights acquired by the and all contract rights acquired by the ed. Cheques deposited by parties whose tenders are rejected will be returned within ten days after the signing of the contract. Attention is called to the following clauses in the form of contract.

All mechanics, labourers or other per-sons who perform labour for the purpose of the construction of the works hereby contracted for shall be paid such wages as are generally accepted as current for competent workmen in the District in competent workmen in the District in which the work is being performed, and, if there is no current rate in such District, then a fair and reasonable rate; and, in the event of a dispute arising as to what is the current or a fair and reasonable rate, it shall be determined by the commissioners, whose decision shall be final. "This agreement is subject to the regulations now in force, or which may at any time hereafter be in force during the construction of the works hereby con-

construction of the works hereby con-tracted for, made under the authority of the Department of Labour, and which are or shall be applicable to such works." "The contractor shall in connection with the whole of the said work, as far as

practicable, use only material, machinery, plant, supplies and rolling stock manufactured or produced in Canada, provided the same can be obtained as cheaply and upon as good terms in Canada as elsewhere, having regard to quality and price."

price."
The contractor shall conform to the Fire Regulations adopted by the Commissioners, and also to the Laws and Regulations respecting fires in the different Provinces wherein the work is being performed.

The right is reserved to reject any or all tenders.

By order P. E. RYAN,

The Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway,

Ottawa, 8th February, 1906. Newspapers inserting this advertise-ment without authority from the Com-missioners will not be paid for it.

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Have your meals become of interest relope "Tenders for Construction," be received at the office of the Comners of the Transcontinental Rail-tottawa, until twelve o'clock noon anday the 12th day of March. 1906 work required for the construction accordance with the plans, productive required for the construction accordance with the plans, productive required for the construction accordance with the plans, productive required for the construction accordance with the plans, productive required for the construction and specifications of said Commission and specifications of the trouble they bring? Is your appetite gone? Do you get up in the mornature work a fair three said comments are successful to the productive forms of the trouble they bring? Is your appetite gone? Do you get up in the mornature work and the productive forms of the trouble they bring? Is your appetite gone? Do you get up in the mornature work and the productive forms of the trouble they bring? Is your appetite gone? Do you get up in the mornature work and the productive forms of the trouble they bring? Is your appetite gone? Do you get up in the mornature work and the productive forms of the trouble they bring? Is your day's work a burden? Do trifles worry work a burden?

way at Ottawa, until twelve o'clock noon on Mondav the 12th day of March. 1906for the work required for the construction, in accordance with the plans, profiles and specifications of said Commissioners, for the following sectiosn of the Transcontinental Railway, the said work to be completed on or before the first day of September, 1907, viz.:—

(1) District "F." From a point designated on the plans of the said Commissioners at or near the City of Winnipeg, to a point known as Peninsula Crossing, near the junction point of the Fort William branch of the Grand Trink Pacific Railway a distance of about 245 miles.

(2) District "B." From a point designated on the plans of the said Commissioners, at the north end of the Quebec Bridge and Railway Company's bridge in the vicinity of the City of Quebec, to a point near La Tuque, a distance of about 150 miles.

(3) A steel viaduct about 3,000 feet

ing with a dark brown taste in your mouth? Is your head muddled and sort of half aching? Is your day's work a burden? Do trifles worry you?

If you have any of these symptoms it is time to pay attention to your stomach. It has been overworked and needs help. Attend to it at once or you will drift into Indigestion and from that to Dyspepsia. Help your stomach with Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. They never fail to tone up the stomach and bring it back to a healthy condition.

Maria Ann Bujold, of Marie Cap, Bonaventure Co., Que., says: "For two years my life was a burden. I could not take the simplest food without having a pain across my stomach. One box of Dodd's Dyspepsia Cap a point know of Quebec, to a p

MRS. BROWN IS DEAD.

Aged Picton Lady Who Was Shot by Frank Nelson Succumbs. Picton, March 1.-Mrs. Sarah Brown. the aged lady shot through the lungs on Saturday afternoon last, died Tues-

day evening at 9 o'clock. Frank Nelson, the 17-year-old lad arrested in connection with the affair, will come before Magistrate Curry on Monday. BROKEN SLEEP - TIRED NEXT

Sleep not only rests, but builds up the body. Cut down the hours of sleep, and you cut, down health in did." the same proportion. Rebuilding then ceases, nerves go to smash, you grow tired, weak and wretched.

MORNING.

To restore sleep you must get more bodily strength, more nutritious blood, healthier nerves. Ferrozone solves the whole problem, makes you sleep soundly, gives endurance, vim, ambition. No more morning weakness—instead the fire of youth will the property of the strength run in your veins, supplying abundance of energy and vigor. Witchery expresses the instant effect of Ferrozone; try it.

Postmaster an Embezzler. Buffalo, March 1.—Postmaster Albert Hoerner of the West Seneca postoffice was arrested yesterday by Postoffice Inspector Coohrane, charged with embezzling \$5,000 postoffice funds.

93 at One Blow. Buffalo, March 1.—By the order of Mayor Adams 93 saloons were closed up at midnight yesterday, to stay closed.

SELL YOUR COLD FOR \$1 ?

You surely won't stop at a dollar

Pleads Guilty. Toronto, March 1.—Albert L. Davis, caught stealing from letters through the astuteness of Inspector Henderson of the Postoffice Department, appeared Attention is called to the following auses in the form of contract.

"All mechanics, labourers or other per"He Police Court yesterday to answer a charge of stealing \$15, and pleaded guilty. He was remanded for a week.

> Canada Unrepresented.
> London, March 1.—(C. A. P.)—The
> navy estimates include a statement of
> the contributions from the colonies.
> Thus India appears for £103,000, Australia £200,000 New Zealand £40,000. Cape Colony £50,000, Natal £35,000, and Newfoundland £3,000.

YOUR WORN-OUT STOMACH

What it needs is the strengthening influence of Dr. Hamilton's Pills they work marvels where the sto-mach and digestion are poor. In one day the appetite increases and the whole system is rapidly strengthened. No stomach specialist could write a better prescription than Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut. At all dealers in a yellow box, price 25c., or five boxes for one dollar.

Indian Murders Indian. Griswold, Man., March 1.—At 10 o'clock yesterday morning, Wambidiska, a highly respected Indian of Oak River reserve, about four miles north of here, was shot and instantly killed by Wally Bear, an Indian from the Pipestone reserve. It is supposed the trouble was over some horse deal. The

murderer is at large.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

#### **CONCORD NOT FOR THEM**

OF THE TROUBLE SOME GREAT MEN WHO HAD A STRONG AVERSION TO MUSIC.

> "Solos and Sonatas Give Me the Spleen," Said Sir Walter Scott-Gautier Called Music 'the Most Expensive Noise on Earth"-Tennyson's Estimate of Browning and Himself In This Regard.

Poverty, says some wise man, is no erime, but it is a great inconvenience.
And insensibility to the concord of
sweet sounds, it may also be said,
though not criminal, despite Shakespeare's dictum that no man deaf to the appeal of music, should be trusted, is certainly a very great deprivation. Yet, great and lamentable loss though it may be, it is a loss which has been the lot. it may be, it is a loss which has been the lot of a really extraordinary num-ber of men and women, not merely among the rank and file of the world's workers and drones, but among those who have in various directions won istinction.

Even the poets have been divided on

the subject, although one might naturally have imagined that felicity in verbal harmony would imply appreciation of music. Tennyson is reported to have remarked once to Sir Hubert Parameter. ry: "Browning is devoted to music and knows a great deal about it, but there is no music in his verse. I know nothing about music and don't care for it in the least, but my verse is full of Coleridge, though he protested that

coloringe, though he protested that he had no ear whatever and could not sing an air to save his life, yet delighted greatly in good music and, indeed, displayed excellent taste in his appreciation. He liked Beethoven and Mozart and some of the earlier Italian composers, such as Palestrina and Carsismi, and, much to his credit, loved our English Purcell. "Good music," he said, "never tires me nor sends me to sleep. I feel physically refreshed and strengthened by it, as Milton says he

On the other hand, Southey was in-sensible to the charms of music, a depcivation which was shared by Scott. In November, 1815, Sir Walter wrote to his friend Morritt of Rokeby that he was writing from a lonely fireside, his wife, and daughter having gone in to Edinburgh to attend a great musical festival. "I have an indifferent good ear for a lig." he continued "thy" your ear for a jig," he continued, "but your solos and sonatas give me the spleen, so I e'en remained behind to prune my

Scott, apparently, would have sympathized with Theophile Gautier, who once called music the most expensive noise on earth. Of Gautier it is also related that on one occasion when taken to task by a scandalized host for talking while some one was singing he replied, "Je ne supprime pas la musi-que, je ne fais que 'lattenuer!" A still more famous Frenchman, Vic-

tor Hugo, objected strongly to his dramas being used as librettos. He said the music spoiled his verses. Mil-ton took a very different view. He sang of soft Lydian airs—

Married to immortal verse, Such as the melting soul may pierce In notes with many a winding bout Of linked sweetness long drawn out.

The composer of the deep organ harmonles of "Paradise Lost" was probably one of the greatest music lovers in the ranks of the poets. He was a musician himself of no mean ability, and his love for the art stands revealed

in many passages in his works. Insensibility to music has been by no means confined to poets. A latter day ducal governor of Madras is said to have declared that there were only two tunes—one was "God Save the Queen" and the other "was not!" He would have appreciated the remark of the Frenchman that music is "the only noise for which one is obliged to pay," a dictum with which Dr. Johnson would have cordially sympathized.

The doctor's remark at a violin per-formance is familiar. When a friend, noticing the great man's inattention to the dexterity displayed, remarked upon the difficulty of the performance to

the difficulty of the performance to which they were listening, the doctor cried: "Difficult, do you call it, sir? I wish it were impossible!"

And when Boswell in a gushing fit described how music affected him so strongly and painfully, producing in his mind alternate sensations of pathetic dejection so that he was ready to shed tears and of daring resolution so that he was inclined to rush into the thickest part of the battle, the doctor simply and effectively gave him a cold

simply and effectively gave him a cold douche—"Sir, I should never hear it if it made me such a fool!"

Lamb, again, although he numbered accomplished musicians among his friends, cared little for their melodies, friends, cared little for their melodies, He confessed to having practiced "God Save the King" all his life—"whistling and humming it over to myself in solitary corners and am not yet arrived, they tell me, within many quavers of it." On one occasion at the Novellos he managed to "weather the Mozartian storm" with the aid of soothing porter, but his power of musical re-ceptivity was very soon exhausted, as he has explained in his own inimitable way in the "Chapter on Ears." Elsewhere he wrote:

Some cry up Haydn, some Mozart, Just as the whim bites; for my part I do not care a farthing candle For either of them or for Handel. Cannot a man live free and easy Without admiring Pergolesi, Or through the world with comfort go That never heard of Dr. Blow?

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Wagner, writing in 1846, said of sician, but an impossible man. When I came from Paris I went to see him. I told him of my Parisian experiences, spoke of the state of music in France then of that in Germany, spoke of literature and politics, but he remained

as good as dumb for nearly an hour.
One cannot go on talking quite alone. An impossible man!" Schumann gave an account of this interview, which practically agrees with that of Wagsaid, "but he is a man of education and spirit. He talks, however, unceas ingly, and that one cannot endure for long together."

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"with a kind of mock dignity and styled me prime minister, they impute to me an unpardonable abuse of that chimerical authority which they creatas the prime minister or the premier is not even mentioned in the official table of precedence and is unknown to the written constitution of Great Britain.

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Four Families Burned Out,

Montreal, March 1 .- Four families, Montreal, March 1.—Four families, living in Colonial avenue, were made homeless by a fire, which destroyed a large two-storey brick building. The flames spread so rapidly that few household effects were saved. Mrs. Antoine Rochon also had her bankbook and over \$50 in bills burned.

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Prof. Nicholson Dies. Prof. Nicholson Dies.

Kingston, March 1.—Prof. A. H. Nichoison, confined to the General Hospital for several months with paralysis,
died at 2 o'clock yesterday morning.
He was professor of comparative philology and Sanscrit, and assistant professor of classics in Queen's University.
He was born in Charlottetown, P. E. I.,
in 1845. He leaves a widow and small in 1845. He leaves a widow and small family,

The dead-sure thing doesn't al- Victor ways come to life.

The world is full of men whose intentions are very good.

THE MARKETS.

Wheat Futures Close Lower In Liverpool and Chicago—Live Stock— The Latest Quotations.

Wednesday Evening, Feb. 28.
Liverpool wheat futures closed today 1-4d lower to 1-4d higher than yesterday and corn futures unchanged to
1-8d higher,
At Chicago May wheat closed 5-8c

lower than yesterday; May corn 1-8c lower and May oats 1-8c lower. WINNIPEG OPTIONS. The following were the closing quotations yesterday at this market: Feb. 75c bid, May, 771/4c bid, S, 781/4c bid.

LEADING WHEAT MARKETS. TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET. Grain—
Wheat, spring, bush
Wheat, fall, bush
Wheat, red, bush
Wheat, red, bush
Wheat, goose, bush
Barley, bush
Oats, bush
Rye, bush
Peas, bush
Buckwheat, bush

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LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE. Liverpool, Feb. 28.—Whet, pp spot nominal; futures, easy; March, 6s 8d; May, 6s 6% 1; July, 6s 6½d. Corn, spot steady; American mixed, new, 4s; American, old, 4s 7½d; futures, steady; March, 4s; May, 4s 1½d. Peet, extra India mess, steady, 77s 6d. Perk, prime mess, western, firm, 72s 6d. Hams, short cut, quiet, 46s 6d. Bacon, Cumberland cut, quiet, 46s 6d. Bacon, Cumberland cut, quiet, 46s 6d. Shoulders, square, quiet, 37s 6d. Lard, prime western, in therees, steady, 39s 6d; American refilted, in pulls, quiet, 29s 9d.

NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET. New York, Feb. 28.—Butter, steady; receipts 9082; held creamery, common to extra, 15c to 22c; renovated, common to extra, 13t/2c to 20c. Western, imitation creemery, extras 21c, Cheese, steady, unchanged; receipts, 854.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Easier\_Chicago Higher for agon, Feb. 28.—Cattle are quoted at to 11%c per lb.; refrigerator beef, to 9c; sheep, dressed, 13c to 13%c

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK. MONTREAL LIVE STOCK.

Montreal, Feb. 28.—(Special.)—Recelpts, were 500 cattle, 25 milech cows, 100 calres, 25 sheep and lambs, 700 hogs. The beginning of Lent caused a rather slow market, but prices remained without material change. Prime beeves sold at 4½c to 5c per lb., but there were no choice animals an ong them. Pretty good cattle sold at 3½c to 4½c, and the common stock at 2½c to 3½c. An unusually fine large milel cow was sold for 808, the others selling at \$30 to \$50 each. The calves were young and sold at \$3 to \$6 each. Sheep sold at 4½c and lambs at 6c per lb. Altho the supply of hogs was smaller than on Monday, an easier feeling prevailed in the market, and prices declined 10c to 15c per cwt. The demand was fairly good and sales were made at \$7.50 per cwt, weighed off the cars.

EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET.

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East Buffalo, Feb. 28.—Cattle—Receipts,
75 head; firm; prime steers, \$6.40 to \$5.75;
shipping, \$4.75 to \$5.35; butchers', \$4.50 to
\$5.20; heifers, \$8.25 to \$5; cows, \$2.25 to
\$4.60; bulls, \$2.50 to \$4.35; stockers and
feeders, \$8.25 to \$4.40; stock heifers, \$2.50
to \$5.15.

Yenls—Receipts, 50 head; active, 50d
higher, \$5.25 to \$8.75.
Hogs—Receipts, 1700 head; fairly active,
50 to 10c higher; heavy and mixed, \$6.60 to
\$6.65; yorkers and pigs, \$6.50 to \$6.60;
roughs, \$6.75 to \$6; stags, \$8.75 to \$4.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 9000 head;
active; sheep, steady; lambs, 10c to 20d
higher; lambs, \$6.25 to \$7.60; yearlings,
\$6.25 to \$6.50; wethers, \$5.75 to \$6.10;
ewes, \$5.50 to \$5.75; sheep mixed, \$3.29
\$5.75; western lambs, \$7.20 to \$7.30.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

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New York, Feb, 28.—Beeves.—Receipts, 1457; good to cholee steers, slow; top grades, barely steady; medium, firm; bulls, strady to strong; cows, 10c higher; steers, \$4.75 to \$6; oxen, \$4.80; bulls, \$3.25 to \$4.50; cows, \$2 to \$4.25; Sheep, selling at 12½c to 13½c; lambs, 14½c; dressed weight; exports, \$46 cattle; 1020 sheep and 7400 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 1067. Veals, 25c to 50c higher; all sold. Veals, \$5.40 to \$9.30; tóps, \$9.40 to \$9.50; little calves, \$4.50 to \$4.50; barnyard and fed calves, \$5.50 to \$4.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 5002; market, firm; sheep, \$4 to \$5; no prime here; lambs, \$7 to \$7.75; prime yearlings, \$7; few spring lambs at \$10 each.

Hegs—Receipts, 5765. Market, firm; state logs, \$6.55 to \$6.75; choice light and pigs, NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

hogs, \$6.65 to \$6.75; choice light and pigs, quetable up to \$6.80. CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Feb. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 17,-00; mrkset, strong to 10e higher; common to prime steers, \$3.75 to \$6.50. Caives, \$3 to \$7.50. Stockers and feeders, \$3 to \$4.75. Hogs—Receipts, 25,000; market, 10e \$6.42½; medium to good, heavy, \$6.35 to \$6.35; butchers' weights, \$6.35 to \$6.42½; good to choice, heavy mixed, \$6.30 to \$8.85; packing, \$5.35 to \$6.35.
Sheep—Receipts, 22,000; market, steady; Sheep—Recelpts, 22,000; market, steady; sheep, \$4 to \$6; yearlings, \$5.50 to \$6.25; lembs, \$6.25 to \$6.90.

ORDERS SEVERE PUNISHMENT. Chinese Government's Instructions Respecting Missionary Massacre.

Pekin, March 1.—The Government has instructed the governor of Nanchang, Province of Kiangsi, where on Feb. 25 six French Jesuit missionaries and four British subjects were killed, to punish severely all participants in the massacre and declares its willingness to make any reasonable reparation. ness to make any reasonable reparation

Many foreigners at Pekin know the governor of Nanchang and consider him to be efficient and friendly. They believe his version of the troubles, and credit his statement that he was unable to prevent the disturbance. British, German and American gun-boats are proceeding to the nearest point to Nanchang.

Straits Open.
Quebec, March 1.—The Straits of Belle Isle are reported practically clear GITY BRAND of ice. HOCKE HAMS

Yesterday, fielr O. H soci-Port Hope ... if they Ottawa .... ally. Many Wingham such a "wet the Joy of life Pittsb. Calun. The Joy of life thiny wives are of hard toil and

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Fire At Markham. Markham, March 1.—Fire broke out in the public school building at 7 o'clock yesterday morning. It was a four-roomed solid brick building, and is a total loss, with the exception of the lower north rooms. Several fire-men had their hands and faces nipped with frost. Insurance \$3,600; loss loss \$5,000.

Santo Domingo Treaty Washington, March 1.—The Senate committee on foreign relations yesterday by a party vote agreed to report favorably the Santo Domingo treaty. A number of amendments were made to the treaty before it was reported.

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RAT PORTAGE, October, 1905

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But an intelligent young woman in-errupted the scientist impatiently. "After all," she said, "it is guesswork, this talk about the excessive heat of the sun. You can't prove any of your claims."

"I can't?" he cried. "Why, it is the easiest thing in the world to prove that the sun is hot enough to melt iron, granite, the hardest substances known. into liquid, into steam."

"How would you make such a proof?"

How would you make such a proof? she asked incredulously.

"With the burning glass," said he.

"A burning glass is slightly rounded.
Thus it bends into a focus—it concentrates upon one small point-a number of sun rays. The tiniest burning glass, catching only a few rays, will light a fire, set off a gun or bore a red hole in

"Yes." "The solar heat which the burning glass collects for us is the tiniest fraction of the sun's actual heat. We can prove this by focusing with our glass rays from a powerful lamp or a great are. We get a small, bright spot, a little heat, but this heat is nothing to compare with the heat of the lamp it

"So, knowing, now, that the solar heat which the burning glass gives to us is but a fraction of the heat of the sun, we take a burning glass a yard in diameter—such glasses have been made for the sole purpose of convincing skep-tical persons like yourself—and this glass concentrates many hundreds of sun rays for us, and it gives us a heat greater than we can obtain in any fur-nace, a heat that will melt rock into

vapor. The scientist smiled triumphantly. "There is your proof," be said. "The burning glass will only collect a tiny portion of a burning object's best the tiny portion of the sun's heat that it gives us is yet sufficient to charge be a jiffy a block of granite into a sesteam."—Buchange.

A FEARFUL PESTS Hunters find ble pest in parts via. One writes: sun is rousing our mosquitoes, into tacked as we are viciously piping sta mighty host, we have to look to the joints don our gaunt ets; the long slope town

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## LOCAL

Miss Allie Baron, of Port Huron, is in the city visiting friends.
Clift Langford, of Kent Bridge, called on city friends last evening.

#### MEETING TO-NIGHT

A special meeting of the Liberal-Conservative Association will be held in the club round to-night at eight oclock and orly member is request-ed to attend, as matters of import-ance will be brought up to be passed upon.

#### IMPRESSIVE SERVICES

of colonial or foreign cattle. Sir Edward said he could add nothing to the statement made the other day by Lord Carrington.

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#### SUING THE PERE MARQUETTE

A motion in a Division Court case Liverpool Wheat Unchanged to Lower was heard before Judge Dowlin in Harrison Hall, the Maccabees vs. the Thursday Evening, March 1.
Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day 1/3d higher to 1/3d lower than yesterday and corn futures unchanged to 1/3d lower.
At Chicago May wheat closed 1/3c lower than yesterday; May corn 1/3c lower and May oats 1/3c lower. Pere Marquette, The lodge is suing the railway for commission on tickets sold for an excursion held on Aug. 14, 1905. The railway claim they had guarantee of \$152, and the Maccabees were to get all in excess of this amount. The lodge says there was no guarantee. The matter will be tried out in the Division Court. J. M. Pike for plaintiff and O. L. Lewis for defendants.

#### **UNKNOWN KILLED**

The Planet is in receipt of a telegram from Toronto to the effect that an unknown man was killed there by a street-car this afternoon ... 29,33 Some papers were found in his pocket marked Glassford Chatham.

No definite information can be obtained here as to the identity of the

#### What Does Canada Say?

London, March 2.—(C. A. P.)—General Booth yesterday addressed 1,400 emigrants at Euston station, prior to their entraining for Liverpool. Gen. Booth said: "We are sending the finest blood in the country to Canada, and I hope Canada in some tangible form will show her appreciation. There are will show her appreciation. There are no wastrels being sent. If Canada cried out she does not want these emi-grants, there are other colonies to send them to.

That Embargo. London, March 2.-(C. A. P.)-In the mons vesterday R. Hunt, Unionist, asked Sir Edward Strachey, Liberal, as representing the president of the Board of Agriculture, if it was proposed to open British ports to the importatio

Yesterday's Record.

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\*Played Wednesday.

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THE MARKETS.

Chicago Lower-Live Stock Mar-

kets-The Latest Quotations.

WINNIPEG OPTIONS.

The following were the closing quotations esterday at this market; March 74cB bid, fay 76%cB bid S, 78%cB bid.

LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

NEW YORK DAILY MARKET.

CATTLE MARKETS.

But About Steady.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK.

wards received.

you want it.

CHATHAM-

Grain-

Peas, bush

Cause a Cooling Down of Springfield, Ohio Rioters

TROOPS READY AT PIQUA

Interest Paid Four Times a Year Put your money in a place Springfield, O., March 2 .- After day of peace succeeding the rioting of where you can get it when the past two nights, it was evident that deprecations against the colored lation of the city had been planned W. WALLACE BRUCE, Manager

Anticipating that the attack, if made, would be in the vicinity of Section street. Col. Ammel sent a squad of soldiers to that locality at 7.30 o'clock. Just before they arrived a band of rioters left the house of Pearl Howard, against which threats had been made. The house had been set fire to, but the troops sent in an alarm and the place was only slightly damaged. The riot-

ers escaped.

As a precautionary measure, Col. Ama company of troops at the Court House and jail and the entire square is cut off.

The distribution of the guns and troops over the city had a depressing effect on the rioters and, with the exception of little affrays, but little out of the ordinary happened up to 11

Arthur Ancil, a member of the military company, was struck on the head a brick said to have been thrown by a rioter, and fatally hurt last night.

Two more companies of state troops
from Piqua are held in readiness for

DIES AT HIS DESK. Sudden Demise of the Collector of Customs At London.

London, March 2.—George Burns llector of customs here since May 1900, died suddenly yesterday morn-

Liverpool, March 1.—Wheat—Spot nom-inal; futures quiet; March, 68 8½d; May, 68 6½d; July, 68 6½d. Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, new, 45; American mixed, oild, 48 7½d; futures quiet; March, 48; May, 48 1d. Bacon—Long clear middles, light quiet, 468; long clear middles, heavy quiet, 458 6d. He was sorting papers on his desk when Victor Short, a messenger, went to him to secure car tickets. The boy noticed the collector sitting in his chair-and staring vacantly, as though look-ing into a mirror on the wall. Then a deep groan startled him so that he New York, March 1.—Butter—Receipts, 6; renovated, common to extra, 12½c to c; western factory, common to firsts, 13c 18¼c. ran from the room to notify some of the clerks, who at once sent for medical aid. Dr. J. D. Wilson arrived in a few minutes and found Mr. Burns still alive, but he could do nothing Cheese—Quiet, unchanged; receipts, 463. Eggs—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 8205. for him.

Mr. Burns had been troubled with his heart for over two years. At times his condition was regarded as dan-gerous, and two weeks ago he suffered Cables Steady-U. S. Markets Quiet March 1.—Cattle are quoted at 4c per lb.; refrigerator beef, 8%c ep, dressed, 12½c to 13½c per lb.; 4c, dressed.

gerous, and two weeks ago he sunered a most severe spell. Yesterday morning he was not feeling well, but decided to go to the office.

He was born in Scotland July 28; 1842, and came to London when a young man of twenty, since which time he had made his residence here.

He was in the clothing business for many years. Receipts of live stock at the city market as reported by the railways for Wednesday and Thursday were 108 car loads, composed of 1404 cattle, 1929 hogs, 524 sheep and 120 calves. Besides the above mentioned hogs there were 530 hogs shipped to other

#### CREATES MILITARY AUTOCRACY. Lord Curzon's Disapproval of Secre-tary Morley's Decision.

Few, if any, straight loads of exporters were offered; about three or four loads were picked up out of mixed loads of butchers' and exporters. These soid from \$4,50 to \$5 per cwt; export bulls are worth from \$3.50 to \$3.75 per cwt. London, March 2.—Lord Curzon of Kedleston, former viceroy to India, has Butchers.

Prime picked cattle in odd lots, as will be seen from sales quoted, sold from \$4.75 to \$5; loads of good at \$4.30 to \$4.50; medium at \$4 to \$4.25; common, \$3.50 to \$3.75; cows at \$2.75 to \$3.70 per cwt.

Feeders and Stockrs. written a long letter to The Times, expressing his strong disapproval of the decision of John Morley, Secretary for India, in the matter of the supre-macy of military or civil authority in

for India, in the matter of the supressions at \$2.75 to \$3.70 per cwt,

Feeders and Stockrs.

Mr. Murby reports a very fair trade in stockers and feeders to-day. There was a fairly liberal supply and everything worked off quite freely. Mr. Murby reports the following prices: Short-keeps, 1100 to 1204 lbs., at \$4.25 to \$4.50; feeders, 900 to 1105 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.80; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.80; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.80; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.80; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.80; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.80; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.80; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.80; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.80; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.80; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.80; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best stockers, 604 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 neer McNamara promptly reversed the lever and jumped with the fireman, both sustaining serious injuries. Notors and Representatives, \$7,500.

EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET.
East Buffalo, March 1.—Cattle—Receipts, light; steady; prime steers, \$5.40 to \$5.75; shipping, \$4.75 to \$5.35; butchers', \$4.50 to \$5.20; he'fers, \$3.25 to \$5.00 to \$4.35;
Veals—Receipts, 75 head; active, 25c higher, \$5.50 to \$0.00; head; fairly active; heavy, mixed and Yorkers, \$6.55 to \$6.60; pigs, \$6.50 to \$6.00; roughs, \$5.75 to \$6.50; stags, \$3.75 to \$4.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 5000 head; fairly active; heavy, mixed and Yorkers, \$6.55 to \$6.60; pigs, \$6.50 to \$6.00; roughs, \$5.75 to \$6.50; stags, \$3.75 to \$4.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 5000 head; fairly active; sheep steady; lambs 5c higher; lambs, \$6.25 to \$7.65; verilings, \$6.25 to \$7.65; verilings, \$6.25 to \$7.65; verilings, \$6.25 to \$7.65; verilings, \$7.25 to \$7.55.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, March 2.—According to a despatch from Rome, it is officially announced that Queen Margherita has abandoned her projected trip to the United States. At Washington it was reported that the sudden change in the plan for a tour by the dowager Queen of Italy in the United States is due to disclosure of a plot to kill her majesty conceived by the anarchist proposition, and the plan for a tour by the dowager plane of Italy in the United States is due to disclosure of a plot to kill her majesty conceived by the anarchist proposition, and the plan for a tour by the dowager plane of Italy in the United States is due to disclosure of a plot to kill her majesty conceived by the anarchist proposition, and the plane for a tour by the dowager plane of Italy in the United States is due to disclosure of a plot to kill her majesty conceived by the anarchist proposition, and the plane for a tour by the dowager plane of Italy in the United States is due to disclosure of a plot to kill her majesty conceived by the anarchist proposition, and the plane for a tour by the dowager plane of Italy in the United States and the plane for a tour by the dowager plane of Italy in the United States and the plane for a tour by the dowager plane of Italy in

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, March 1.—Beeves—Receipts,
86; nothing doing; feeling steady.
Calves—Receipts, 104; market strong,
veals \$6 to \$9.50; no little calves; barnyard calves nominal.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1114; noth
ing doing, but feeling firm.
Hogs—Receipts, 1441; market firm; statbogs, \$6,75 to \$6.80 To Work Full Time Saturdays. Shamokin, Pa., March 2.—At the collierles controlled by the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., notices were posted yesterday announcing that hereafter until further order all collierles would be worked full time on Saturdays. Heretofore the mines closed at noon Saturday. Many of the workmen threaten to go on strike if the order is enforced. is enforced.

Greenhouses Burned.

Ingersoll, March 2.—Fire broke out about 11 o'clock Wednesday night in H. Neal's greenhouses, a short distance from the corporation lane and completely destroyed six greenhouses along with the stock. Loss, \$4,000; insur ance, \$1,200.

Marconigrams on Pacific. Ottawa, March 2.—The Marine Department has decided to construct three Marconi stations on the Pacific coast. This will be sufficient to cover the whole coast line, as myssages can be sent easily 400 miles.

## ON THE STAIR RAILING

T. A. McInnes Swears He Heard Premier Try to Bribe Father

THE CROSS-EXAMINATION

Regina, Sask., March 2.—The story told by J. McInnis, regarding the allegat attempt made by Hon. Walter Scott to bribe him with an offer of \$10,000 luring the election campaign, was cor roborated in every important particular by the evidence in court yesterday of Thomas A. McInnis, son of the defen-

He swore that he sat on the stair railing just outside the door from where the interview between his father and Scott took place, and had listened quietly to the conversation for over an hour. He gave sufficient detail to bear out the truth of what he said,

The crown's case was conducted almost altogether by Mr. Howell of Win-nipeg, who acts for Scott. He made a determined effort to shake the main story of J. K. McInnis, and the latter was under cross-examination for nearly two hours. Nothing of particular importance was elicited by this means, and the recital of McInnis stood.

He was followed by his son, and the prosecuting lawyer made a similar at-

tempt to shake his evidence, but untempt to snage his evidence, but unsuccessfully.

The Crown's case so far has been largely formal.

The defense has several witnesses to

call and evidence for the presecution will not be resumed until late to-day. It is expected that Scott will go into the box and endeavor to smash the story. He will probably be followed by James A. Calder, Minister of Edu-

#### DECORATION FOR LEMIEUX. French Government Bestows Cross of

Knight of Legion of Honor. Ottawa, March 2.—Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, Solicitor-General, who was with the late Hon. Mr. Prefontaine in the latter's ill-fated visit to England and France, yesterday received from the French Government the decoration of the Knight of the Legion of Honor

The Legion of Honor was instituted by Napoleon when First Consul of France, in May, 1802, and was intended as a reward for military and civil services. The constitution was remodeled by Napoleon III, in 1832. The president of the republic is the Grand Master of the Order.

#### GOVERNMENT GETS BARGAIN.

Imperial Authorities Offer to Turn Over Halifax Property. Ottawa, March 2.—The Imperial Government has offered to transfer the property of the admiralty at Halifax, including the dock, to the Canadian Government on the condition that

£2,000 be paid yearly for five years.

This amount is part of an obligation which the Imperial Government took in hand to pay to a private company It was to be paid for a certain number of years and there is five years of the time to run.

Besides the dock there is valuable

property, including residences for th

#### Dangerous Naval Growth.

London, March 2 .- In introducing the navy estimates in the House of Commons yesterday Financial Secretary of the Admiralty Robertson commented on the fact that since The Hague peace conference the naval exrague peace conference the naval expenditure of the great powers had increased 50 per cent., reaching the enormous total of \$50,000,000. He regarded this influx of expenditure as a menace to the peace of the world, and thought that a league of peace was desirable.

More Money For Roosevelt. Washington, March 2.-Senator Gallinger has introduced a bill to readjust the salaries of the general officers of the Government, to take effect March 4, 1909. The bills proposes the following salaries: The President, \$75,000; Vice-President, \$15,000; Speaker of the

Praying Him Out of Office. Windsor, March 2.—The Flying Roll colony here, with those of the same sect in Detroit, are praying for the removal from office of Magistrate Bartlet, because he will not, so they allege, give them justice. The magistrate laughs at the matter. He has turned the letter he received from Prince Mi-chael of the Israelites over to Chief of

Police Wills. Keep Veterans Within Call.

Keep Veterans Within Call.

London, March 2.—(C. A. P.)—Mr.
Preston yesterday had an interview at the War Office, where he explained what it was necessary to do to fit discharged soldiers for agricultural life in Canada. Sir Edward Ward said they were anxious to provide work for discharged soldiers by sending them to the colonies, and so keep them in the empire.

Ottawa, March 2.—Carrying out his promise of yesterday at the artillery meeting, Sir Frederick Borden has decided to appoint a committee to investigate the charges against the system of teaching at Kingston. Gen. Laek will be chairman. Fractures His Skull.

Centralia, March 2.—Richard Sandow, a farmer of Centralia, met with perhaps fatal accident yesterday. While drawing hay his load upset, and in falling Sandow struck on his head, fracturing the skull.

To Welcome "Laird of Skibo."

Toronto, March 2.—Mr. Andrew Carnegle will come to Toronto on April 28 and 29 as the guest of the Canadian Club. The city will formally welcome him.

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#### A RING IN THE CASE

By FRANK HARRIS

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Meager as was Jenny's salary, one half of it had paid for the tiny room on Mrs. Cady's third floor and furnished Jenny's inadequate supply of food and clothing, and the other half until the last two months had gone regularly to her mother on the little unproductive

Rhode Island farm. But these last two months had made a new division in the stipend. Now it was in three parts, and the third went to the fourth floor of Mrs. Cady's apartment house to a room even more tiny and bare than her own. She had heard a low moaning one day, apparently from the room above, and had gone up and tapped anxiously on the door. Sev eral minutes had passed before she heard a feeble step across the floor, and then the door had opened, and she had



looked into the sweetest, most refined old face she had ever seen, but, oh, so wan and patient and hopeless.

No, nothing was wanted, the old wo man said. She had only lost coutrol of herself for a moment; that was all. And she smiled with pitiful cheerfulness as

she closed the door. But Jenny had seen enough. That face and one brief glimpse into the room beyond sent her hurrying downstairs after her own bowl of soup and bit of bread and butter. And in spite of the old woman's protests and entreaties she had literally forced her to eat, laughing, but unyielding and firm. And with the first spoonful of soup there had come a light into the woman's eyes which made Jenny turn abruptly and walk to the one small window, choking back something in her throat. It was as she had suspected, only worse. The

old woman had been literally starving. Since then they had been good friends, Jenny, tender and imperious, bringing her own oil stove and provisions to the fourth floor room, so that there should be no more question of hunger, and the old woman deprecatory, but yielding. It meant less for the hardworking mother on the farm and less for herself, but Jenny scarcely thought of these things. Her mother would have it so, she knew. The old woman was in greater need than they

and should be looked after first.

And now had come a promotion, and with it she would have to leave the apartment house and board in the family of her employer. But the old womshould have the oil stove and the small supply of provisions on hand, and—yes, she should have the bit of carpet she had bought. It would be warm for the poor old feet.
So when she went up to the fourth

floor to say goodby she carried the bit of carpet and a teapot and some books she thought the old woman might like to read. An hour was spent in talking and planning, and then she turned to leave, the old woman following her to the door.

"I will not try to thank you, dear," she said softly. "Words are so inadequate. But you know"—she removed a quaintly wrought circlet of gold from her finger and slipped it on one of Jenny's-"I want you to wear this to remember me by. It is not valuable except for association and tradition. My cept for association and tradition. My father brought it from India and gave it to me long, long ago, when I was a little girl. He said the tiny setting was a luck stone and that the ring would be a talisman to good fortune." She smiled wistfully and added, "I hope the fortune will be better for you then it has been for me dee."

than it has been for me, dear."

An hour later Jenny was in a street car on the way to the new boarding place. Opposite her sat a man who seemed to be looking through the window at her back, but from time to time, when her gaze rose suddenly, she found him looking straight at her. He had been on the sidewalk when she left the apartment house and had boarded the same car and changed at the same transfer, but of that she would not have thought, for such coincidences could easily happen in a city. Only when she again alighted and the mas

stepped beside her to the sidewalk she

"Are you following me?" she de-The man smiled assentingly.

"Why, yes; I may as well acknowledge I have been," he replied. "I wanted to be perfectly sure first, but it's all right. You must come along with me-to the police station, you know," at the incredulity and horror in her face. "I am a detective." "But what for?" indignantly.

"Oh, just for the ring on your finger," easily, "though of course you know. It's been in the papers the last ten days-only ring like it in the country, big reward and all that. What puzzles me, though, is you being so simple as to put it on openly. We given a hint by your landlady morning that a ring something like the one advertised was in her house, but from what she said we had an idea it was worn by an old woman. I've been on the watch several hours. Now come along. If you don't make a fuss we can walk quietly and nobody will notice.'

Jenny's head was in a whirl. The ring was evidently stolen, but she did not for a moment think of the old woman as a thief, and yet she claimed to have owned the ring since she was a

"There's some mistake." she faltered. "Of course there is," cheerfully, "and it's too bad to put you to so much inconvenience. But you'll have to go and explain to the judge and to the owner of the ring, who will be telephoned for, You can do that easily enough." And

the officer grinned sarcastically. When the owner came he proved to be a young man, the sight of whom brought a quick flush to Jenny's face. He was the son of the man for whom she worked.

"What! You?" he exclaimed, then to the officer: "You have made a mistake This young lady"-

"Goods found on her," interrupted the officer laconically. "Look at her

"I don't care." vehemently. "She isn't the one," He glanced at the circlet on Jenny's finger, and an odd look came to his face as he added "Besides the ring isn't in the least like mine-not in the least."

'Exactly like your description," dry ly, "and I believe your advertisement added that the name 'Eloise Nevins' was inside. Suppose we look and see." "No, no," hastily. "It isn't worth The ring is entirely different." But Jenny was slipping the ring from er finger hurriedly.
"It is 'Heloise,' not 'Eloise,' inside,'

"What!" The young man took th ring and examined it eagerly, incredu-

"It must be Aunt Heloise's," he said at last in an awed voice. "Grandfather gave a ring to each of his daughters, but Aunt Heloise's was lost or sup posed to be when her vessel went down

in midocean twenty years ago." "Your Aunt Heloise is alive in an east side apartment house," exclaimed Jenny, "or at least I saw the name 'Heloise Nevins' in some books, and their owner gave me this ring." "Case dismissed," said the judge briskly. "Officer, bring up the next."

A young lawyer had become very much attached to a certain young woman who was somewhat celebrated among ber friends for her repartee. The only obstacle in the pathway of the young man was his exceeding shy ness, for, while always in command of himself in the courtroom, he became almost speechless in the presence of his adored one. As one method of showing his devotion, it was his custom to shower his inamorata with pres-The from satisfied with the status of the

case, broached the subject. "My dear," she said, "you have let Mr. Brown practically monopolize your society for a year and now have

scarcely any other callers. ever given you to understand that his "No. He hasn't said anything, but I know they are."

"How can you know it if he has said nothing?" The girl smiled. "Well," she said, "you know he is a

lawyer, and lawyers always commence a contract with 'Know all men by these presents." "-Harper's Weekly.

Just What They Wanted.

Heth was passing through the country after his advance scouts on one occasion he came up with a couple of them feasting on green persimmons up in a persimmon tree. The fruit had just begun to blush from the sun and to show the fullness of being almost ready for the finishing touches of the first frost. General Heth was one of Virginia's old school gentlemen and never forgot the courteous training he had received even when among his soldiers, who, though only privates, were yet, many of them, of as good families as was the general himself. Seeing his men feasting on the green persimmons, the general thought of the condition their stomachs would be left in and called, "Boys, what are you do ing up there?" "Eating persimmons ral," came back the answer. "The will draw your stomachs all up, boys,' returned the general. "That's just what we want, general—something to draw us up to suit the rations we re ceive," came back the ready answer.

"Bilkins has no consistency." "What makes you think so?"
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Ottawa, March 1.—Commissioner Coombs of the Salvation Army, in com pany with Brigadier Howell, who has charge of the Army immigration work in Canada, met the Premier and Minister of the Interior yesterday regarding the adjustment of their claim for Government bonus on the settlers that they ught to Canada last season. They want also a definite understanding as to the settlers they are bringing out this year, so that no question will be raised concerning the payment of the \$3 per capita bonus. It is quite possible that the number will increased from 10,000 to 15,000 or 20,000.

Jack Tars to Rush Across Canada London, March 1.-(C. A. P.)-Two undred sailors leave per steamship Lake Manitoba on March 13 for Van-couver as an experiment by the Ad-miralty to find out-how speedy in case of necessity troops can be transported to the Far East.

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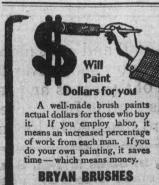
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Even the heavy white and brown bath towels can be effectively used, and at little expense, and if stamped and worked with a figure in bright color they make really pretty cover-

In the same way they may be converted into tablespreads, the number of towels to be sewed together depend-

ing on the size of the table.
Still another use can be made of towels. They look well when hung as portleres between the rooms, but if plain ones are not desirable Russian may be bought in strips of bright colors or delicate shades and substituted without departing from the scheme of using all towel decorations. Fringe from the towels can be sewed to the crash curtains if it has been left on the coverings; otherwise a pretty way to finish them is in scallops or dia-monds or whatever scheme has been followed with the rest of the trimmings.-Pittsburg Dispatch.

THE KITCHEN SINK.

Guelph, March 1 .- The attendance at the third annual pure-bred stock sale Keep It Absolutely Clean if You under the auspices of the Guelph Fat Stock Club and Provincial Live Stock Associations was very large, and stock Grease in the sink is a very prolific cause of disease. It necessarily accueeders were present from all parts mulates from dishes and utensils, and f Western Ontario. The quality of the animals offered it clings to both wooden and metallic for sale yesterday showed an Improve-ment over last year, and the prices are more satisfactory. Thomas Ingram and James McDonwaste pipes, although more readily and tenaciously to the former. With it usually adhere very small bits of vegematter which while decaying table ald were the auctioneers. shelter and nourish mischievous bac-Amongst those in attendance were teria, and, besides, the grease will clog the drain after a time and, being im-A. P. Westervelt, secretary of the Win-ter Fair and the Provincial Live Stock Association; Arthur Johnston, president pervious to cold water, will become both a menace and an inconvenience of the Winter Fair, and W. G. Pettit, Indeed, a kitchen drain is sure to become stopped unless it is frequently washed out with some powerful solvent

KITCHEN HELPS.

Discolored saucepans of enamel can often be made to look like new by boil-

ing a little chloride of lime in the water

Copper pans, etc., should be cleaned

by scouring with a cut lemon dipped in

salt. Then rinse thoroughly in pure water, dry and polish with a soft cloth.

Save all baking powder tins; they al-

ways come in handy as molds, either

for steamed pudding, jellies or frozen

desserts, and these dishes will always

Every pan of dishwater contains

grease, which coagulates on the cold

pipes. Result, evil deposits on those

of boiling hot solution of washing soda

poured down the sink every day dis-

Business Side of Housekeeping.

gacity and ability, and some of them

are realizing that the financial admin-

istration of a household affords scope

for their special gift and that wise

spending is as large a factor in pros-

perity as effective earning. When wo men are trained to a knowledge of values and business principles and

then have the responsibility for house

hold finances placed upon them, they

not only come face to face with prob

lems of great importance and interest

but often solve them with entirely

satisfactory results. The number is in-

creasing of those households where

the wives and mothers have definite

pecuniary responsibilities and do not

honest practices to secure the money

necessary to meet legitimate personal,

Be a Sunshiny Wife.

If you find any one determined to talk failure and illness and misfortune

and disaster, walk away. You would not permit the dearest person on earth

to administer slow poison to you if you knew it. They why think it your duty to take mental foods which par-

alyze your courage and kill your happiness? Do what you can to change their

current of thought, but do not associate intimately with them until they

ate intimately with them until they have learned to keep silent—at least if they cannot speak hopefully. Many a vivacious young girl has come under the influence of just such a "wet blanket" and had all the joy of life talked out of her. Sunshiny wives are wanted in these days of hard tell and still harder competition.

World Today.

sehold and family expenses.—The

resort to subterfuge or dis-

Many women have real business sa-

solves and carries away the grease.

be served most attractively on your

with which they are filled.

monia and water.

president of the Shorthorn Breeders Association. There were in all sixty-nine entries. Bulls sold particularly well. The majority of the Herefords brought poor that will liquefy, combine with or alter the grease and at the same time deprices, and some were withdrawn.

stroy all vegetable or animal particles Polled Angus and shorthorns were fairthat cling with it to the inner surface of the pipe. This purification should take place at least once a week in sum-PAYS \$2 A THOUSAND FEET. mer and winter. The surest and sim-Decision of Appreisers on Lumber Shipments Entered at Port Huron. plest cleansing agent for wooden or iron drains is a strong solution of pot-

New York, March 1.—The Journal of ommerce says: A decision of importash or washing soda made with boiling water. The sink should first be scrub ance to the lumber trade was handed bed with soapsuds and then the soludown yesterday by General Appraiser
McClelland for the board of general appraisers in the case of Cleveland &
Sarnia Sawmills Co. The company's
protest was against the assessment of tion should be dashed while very hot over the entire surface. After the liquid has run off, rapidly pour a generous quantity, also very hot, directly into the drainpipe, which is sure to need purification most.—Boston Herald. duty by the collector at Port Huron Mich., on an importation invoiced as lumber at 20 per cent. ad valorem un-der paragraph 198 of the present tariff act for wood manufactured not special ly provided for. It was returned by The dirtiest frying pan will become collector as pine timber 6 by 8, 6 by 10 and 6 by 12 inches in cross-sections 26 to 28 feet in length. The importers claimed that duty should have been assessed at the rate of \$1 to \$2 clean if soaked five minutes in am-

per 1,000 feet, board measure, paragraph 195, or at 1 cent per

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foot under paragraph 194 of said act. The decision finds that the merchandise is sawn lumber, dutiable at \$2 per 1,000 eet, board measure. To succeed in literature requires nuch ability and many postage stamps.

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of the play presented by the Sum-

mers Co., at the Grand last even-

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"Leah, the Forsaken," was the title

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AN EXCELLENT PLAY

"Leah, the Forsaken," was the title of the play presented by the Summers Stock Co., at the Grand last even-

ing.

It is the strongest play of their repertoire and the acting shown in it is unsurpassed by any other stock company that has visited Chatham

further proof of her great dramatio powers, and her acting held the audence spellbound throughout the enpiece. e was Leah, the forsaken, Leah, the avenger, and Leah, the forgiver,

in turn, varying her moods with ist and the great brilliancy. The impassioned elocution of Leah's appeals from the daughter's depths of her trampled womanhood, for mercy, for love, and lastly for refor mercy, for love, and lastly for revenge, all were intensely real and pathetic.

"Pretty Peggy is the name that Miss Corcoran is known by in the play, and rightly named is the little Miss Helene Leslie Ward, as "Ma-

delina," came in for great praise for her splendid acting last evening. Her pretty, winning ways, her womanly grace and the many charms which she exhibited, apart from her beauty, completely won the audi-

which she exhibited, apart from her beauty, completely won the audience.

The other characters in the play were in competent hands, and there was not a hitch throughout the whole performance.

The piece is spiendidly staged and the supporting company contains many professionals of reputation. The date for Chatham is March 5. whole performance To-night the Company play their funny piece, "The Spendthrift," and with a complete change of variety,

and an exceptionally good show, they can look forward to a bumper house.

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Now, name some things, said she,
that it is very dangerous to get near
to and that have horns. The motor cars! thus replied little

star, a dainty miss with a winsome face, pretty and conveying a world of expression; a voice clear and used understandingly; she glides along through the play with dramatic easiers.

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#### SHOT FIFTEEN | **MANIFESTANTS**

Gendarmes Fire on Enor-At the Grand-Summers Stock Co., week-Feb. 26. mous Crowd at Church Door

COL. BERGE BADLY HURT

Le Puy, March 1.-Serious disturbances occurred on Tuesday during the taking of the inventory of a village thurch near Saugues, Department of Haute-Loire. An enormous crowd, Armed with sticks and stones, sur-The piece was well staged and rounded the gendarmes, many of whom splendidly acted, Miss Belle Steven-son giving further proof of her great dramatic powers. To night the Company play their were beaten or pelted with heavy

stones.

The gendarmes, in order to extri-The genuarines, in order to eather cate themselves, fired their revolvers, wounding fifteen of the manifestants, two of whom were mortally burt. The officer commanding the gendarmes and the Government Commissioner were both badly injuried by the rioters. The condarmes retired with difficulty. funny piece, "The Spendthrift," and with a complete change of variety, and an exceptionally good show, they may expect a crowded theatre.

gendarmes retired with difficulty.

At Masamet yesterday, a detachment of troops charged a mob of manifestants outside the Church of St. Sauver is the theme of Frances Ayman Mathews' play, "Pretty Paggar". ture is the theme of Frances Aymar Mathews' play, "Pretty Pegggy," in which Jane Corcoran is starring this season, and which will be presented at the Grand, this city, on Monday, March." law providing for the separation of church and state. Col. Berge, in com-mand of the soldiers, was struck by a stone and seriously hurt, and a number of men were wounded.

March 5.

Pretty Peg. Woffington, the Irish Orange lass, who took London by storm, made a slave of Sir Cholly Gibber, the English poet laureate, and a hundred of other lords and dandies, and finally filled the place of the great Pracer large with the company of the great Pracer large with the great Pracer large with the company of the great Pracer large with the great large win Carpet Ball Standing

| and a hundred of other lords and dandies, and finally filled the place of the great Bracegirdle in the com- |                                    |                                        |        | on a   | louble |        |
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| n- She                                                                                                      | has inspired such writers as       | S.O.S                                  | 3      | 6      | 12     | 333    |
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fore the girl's eyes and gains hers and her mother's—very importantly mamma's—consent to take her there. The circus scene with its contortion-ist and the refoubtable Mrs. Wof-fington handling her fascinating daughter's admirers is both unique and finns.

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## DISTRICT

RICHMOND.

A social event occurred at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Rhunke ,on Wednesday last, when the Willing Workers and Ladies' Assisting Society held their monthly meeting. All enjoyed themselves and we trust we may have many more as pleasant meetings.

New St. Andrew's congregation their old pas-

New St. Andrew's congregation was cheered by having their old pastor, Rev. Mr. Neilly, back on Sunday, after an illness of several long Mrs .Thos. Burke, who has been or

me sick list, is better.

Mrs. W. Ross has been visiting at

Mitchell's Bay.

Wedding bells are ringing.

Mr. Jos. Porter is moving to Mr.

W. Rhunke's farm, corner 7th Con. and Baldoon St. The weight social held at Mr. and Mrs. A. Hind's on Tuesday evening was a success, the proceeds amounting to \$11.75.

EAST BRANCH.

We wish Prof. Hicks would give us snow for a change.

Mr. Clapp has rented his farm on the south side and will move next week to his farm on the 8th concession, Chatham Tp.

of Mrs. Alfred Shaw on Wedne

Mr. Robt. Frye and family intend noving near Tupperville next month.

Austin Hazzard is recovering from his recent illness.

or was through here last week making his rounds.

Louis Lopper, of Tupperville, was on the branch on Saturday trying to

buy a horse.
G. Mickle and J. M. Richardson are having a new line fence erected between their farms. The Seward Bros. attended a sale

The Seward Bros. attended a sale near Tupperville on Thursday.
Miss J. Seward is enjoying an extended visit with friends at Tillsonburg and vicinity.
W. Innes is having his orchard trimmed and fitted up.
T. Richardson was in Chatham on Mondas.

WABASH.

Mrs. David Cutler has returned, after spending a few days in the Maple City. Wilfred Hawkins has returned, af-

Mr. and Mrs. Will Webber are vis-

and and mrs. Will webber are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Robert Arnold will give an oyster supper on Thursday night.

Arch. Phillips traded horses with Mr. Courtney last week.

Robert Arnold will hold his aucvery hard weather on the wheat.
Mr. and Mrs. Burwell are visiting ish the program.

in Dawn. KENT BRIDGE.

Rev. Mr. Mustard, at one time pas-

tor of Knox Church here, called on old friends one day last week.

The debate at the Polemical Club on Friday last was very interesting— Married Life vs. Single Life. The affirmative was taken by the young men of the village, the negative by the married ones. The former won. Mrs. E. Worth was in Toronto the beginning of the yearly beginning of the week .

Miss Beatrice Weeks, of Botany, is risiting the Misses Shaw.

A. C. Shaw returned from Toron-

Telephone or drop a card and they will be sent for and returned.

A number of picture post cards of the Bridge are being exhibited in Langford's store. The snap-shots were lucky: this week there is none. The debating society in connection with the Baptist church draws large crowds. Debates are held Tuesday were taken by Slifford Langford.

# A SINGLE

FACT. is worth a shipload of arguments. Here is a fact. We have just placed on our tables several lines of bright New Spring Suits. Styles that the

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Miss Gillespie, of Thamesville, is a guest of Miss Sarah Langford,
Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Stephens were in Toronto last week attending the banquet to Sir Wilfrid Laurier.
The Ladies' Literary Society holds its next meeting at Mrs. Alfred Langford's Three pages of Canada. Robert Arnold will now have tion sale on March 6th.

The farmers report this as being Langford's. Three papers on Canada and the discussion of them will furnished.

NORTH BUXTON.

Mr. Hilliard Morris had a bee Thursday raising his house. Wm. F. Moore is confined to his bed through illness

Mr. Andrew Newly is convalescent.
We appreciate the tone of the letter that appeared in this week's Planet re the convention. Much more might be said on the same line. Inspector Park called at the school this week.
You should see C. H. Shupe's display of American Field Fence before

ordering.

Those who harvested ice last week

AMUSEMENTS

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It's this way, we've got a lot of shoes in the store, (nearly \$20,000) and a lot more coming from the factories. We've got to make room for these, and we've got to pay for them. If we carried our heavy winter shoes over to next Fall, we'd probably have to sell them at a loss then. How much better it is to take our loss now, to get the money out of the shoes and invest it in new footwear. It keeps our stock clean and fresh and up-to-date. The sale will last but little longer; the crowd is getting bigger every day. Shoes at the prices we are offering them can't be had every day, and we can fit almost any foot that grows. There's money in buying NOW. Sample Prices:-

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