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One of the most attractive departments in the store just now is the Wash Goods Section. Bright, crisp new goods direct from the old country looms. No middleman's presis, that goes as a saving to you.

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Leader Promises That the Opposition Will Be Good.

Pleasant Interchanges of Persiflage Between the Premier and Mr. Harcourt Opposition Will Not Attempt to

Drive the Government Out During This Session at Least-Notices of Inquiry-A Haileybury Deputation.

Toronto, March 25.—Fifteen minutes sufficed to dispose of all the business before the Legislature yesterday. As soon as the orders of the day were called, Mr. Harcourt, leader of the Opposition, asked the Premier to amounce his intentions regarding the appointment of a committee to atrike the standing committees. Mr. Harcourt predicted a short session. There had been sessions as short as seven weeks, but the average was about nine weeks, and this time he thought the bulk of the legislation would have reference to private bills.

The leader of the Opposition promis-

the legislation would have reference to private bills.

The leader of the Opposition promised that he and his colleagues would not embarrass the Government.

Mr. Fey is Grateful.

"Oh, thank you!" remarked Hon. J. J. Foy.

Mr. Harcourt—Strong as the Opposition were in numbers they would not attempt to give the Government trouble. Out of the twenty-eight members besides himself, twenty-seven were excellent debaters, and the twenty-eighth, Mr. Graham, of Brockville, had assured him that he would dip in occasionally. Growing serious, Mr. Harcourt said he did not expect that the Government would be called upon to present a heavy bill this session, but he urged that the commistees be struck, so that they could get to business with as little delay as posible.

Premier Cites Precedent.

Replying to Mr. Harcourt, the Premier said he had been the House fifteen years, and this was the first time he had known his honorable triend to be anxious te advance the work of the session at this particular stage. He had always found that it was impossible to get down to business earlier than ten days from the opening. At one time, in the exuberance of his youth, Mr. Whitney had got up in the House and suggested that a way ought to be found to avoid delay during the early part of the session, and that Mr. Harcourt had, quite properly, instructed him on the the session, and that Mr. Harcourt had, entite properly, instructed him on the point. Mr. Whitney, observed that there was not a private bill ready, and if the committee had been organized if would have been impossible to do anything for two weeks. However, if he had known that Mr. Harcourt was so anxious he might have asked the whips of both sides to come together and arrange the names.

Quips by the Leaders.

He thought there were reasons why the session should not be unduly prolonged, and he was glad the Opposition would expedite the business before the House. In conclusion, Mr. Whitney expressed the hope that the Opposition would "be to our faults a little blind," and that the session would be satisfactory to all parties.

Mr. Harcourt added to the quotation: "And to his virtues (if we can discover Quips by the Leaders.

"And to his virtues (if we can discove them) very kind." The Premier then moved the adjourn-

Will Dismiss Overseers.

Hon. Dr. Reaume said yesterday that the district fishery overseers had been dismissed and their places would not be filled. The fishery inspectors would

A man seldom loses his confidence

MR. HARCOURT IS KIND AN INGLORIOUS CLIMAX

Hon. Clifford Sifton Speaks One Way But Votes Another.

He Gave Two Excuses for His Extra ordinary Conduct: (1) Because the Separate Schools Guaranteed by the Bills Are Undenominational Schools and Under Public Control in Every Respect—(2)—Because He Did Not Want to Defeat the Government of

the Question.

Ottawa, March 25.—Hon, Clifford Sifton has decided to vote for the separate school clauses as amended. His reasons for adopting this course were submitted to the House yesterday in a speech which very easily ranks as an effort of Mr. Sifton's parliamentary life. It was in many vays a great speech, but it must be said in all frankness that few speeches of such merit have had such an inglorious climax.

Mr. Sifton's value argument was against the educational clauses of the bill. He did not attempt to justify the legislation on constitutional grounds, nor was he at all guarded in the expression of his conviction that separate schools are not in the interests of the country. The weight of his attack fell on the educational clauses as first presented to the House.

Hits at Fitzsatrick.

In this connection he questioned the good faith of the Minister of Justice by hinting that a deliberate effort was made to confer on the minority privileges which they do not at present emjoy. Mr. Fitzpatrick Rushed scarlet under the insinuation, which was not less effective by reason of the polite language in which it was expressed.

According to Mr. Sifton's interpretation of the first draft of the clauses the hands of the new Legislatures would have been to tied that if they decided to build a Provincial university at a cost of \$250,000, they would have to give the same amount for the establishment of the separate schools university. Also he said the separate schools would share in \$50,000,000 of lands, constituting the schools trust.

The sweeping character of Mr. Sifton's declamations of the original clause somewhat prepared the way for his reluctant acceptance of the clause as amended. But he was reluctant to concur in the imposition of separate schools on the new Provinces in any shape or form. He confessed his reluctance in words which could not be misconstrued.

His Two Excuses.

He had only we touses for agreeding to g complomise to which he had conscientious objections and, bluntly put, are:

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(1)—Because the separate schools guaranteed by the bill are undenominational schools and under public centrol in every respect.

(2)—Because he did not want to defeat the Government on the question.

Mr. Sifton was frank almost to the point of impudence in the cool confession of his intention to vote for a measure at which his conscience revolted. He made no bone about it. He did not attempt to coat the pill prepared for Protestant sentiment with absurd distortions of the constitution, nor did he shed tears like Laurier, Fitspatrick, Fielding and Paterson for the poor down-trodden ministers. shed tears like Laurier, I Fielding and Paterson for shed tears like Laurien, Fitzpatrick, Fielding and Paterson for the peor, down-trodden ministers. He, at least, was manly in the presentation of his argument. He was inconsistent, but he frankly admitted that he was inconsistent.

Will Diamies Overseers.

Hon Dr. Reaume said yestesday that the district fishery overseers had been dismissed and their places would not be filled. The fishery inspectors would also be dismissed and a new lot sponded under a new system of supervision.

Notices of Enquiry.

Mr. Haroouri has given notice of some questions he will ask the Government. He will ask if it is the intention of the Government to amend the act respecting fermented and spirituous illusors, and he will also ask for a return of correspondence between, the late Government and the federal authorities in reference to the expansion of Contario boundaries.

C. N. Smith (Sault Sts Marle) will ask if the Government has appointed a financial expert or auditor not a resident of Canada, and, if so, who is her Haileybury Deputation.

A deputation from Halleybury and the Government yesterday morning and were heard by Hon. Messrs withiney, Foy and Hanna. Their request was for protection for the private prospector against the speculator, and the machinations of the "blanket claim" men. They asked that the Temislaming district be declared a "mining district be declared as "mining district be declared as "

It is easier to dodge a taxidermist than a tax assessor.

The question of /at keeps many There may be a difference between a man on the mov

JULES VERNE IS DEAD. Author of "Around the World in Eighty

of Paralysis.

Amiens, March 25.—Jules Verne died at 3.10 p. m. yesterday: M. Verne has been subject to chronic diabetes, but it did not assume a critical aspect until March 10; since then he gradually falled and the end was hastened by a falled and the end was hastened by a stroke of paralysis. Following the announcement of M. Verne's death telegrams were received from many distinguished authors. It is expected that the burial will occur here. The municipality of Amiens, of which body the deceased was a councillor, will participate in the formal services.

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M. Verne was stricken with apoplexy on Tuesday evening. Born at Nantes on February 8, 1828, he was one of the most prolific writers of the 19th century. Many of his conceptions were deemed fantastic when published, but were justified in later years by the developments of transportation and the progress of science. Supecially was this the case with "Round the World in Eighty Days." which deligited the

this the case with "Round the World in Eighty Days," which deligited the fancy of thousands of people who are now well advanced in life.

Among his works were the following: "Abendoned" "Adrift in the Pacific"; "The Archipelago on Fire"; "The Begum's Fortune"; "The Blockade Runners"; "The Castle of the Carpathians"; "Casar Casabell", "The Child of the Carpathians"; gum's Fortune": "The Blockade Runners"; "The Castle of the Carpathians"; "Casar Casebel"; "The Child of the Cayarn"; "The Casebel"; "The Child of the Cayarn"; "The Clipper of the Clouds"; "The Demon of Cawnpore"; "Dick Sans, the Hoy Captain"; "Dropped From the Clouds"; "The Family Without a Name"; "The Family Without a Railoon"; "The Flight to France"; "The Floating City"; "From Earth to Moon"; "Round the Moon"; "The Fur Country"; "The Glant Raft, or 390 Leagues on the Amazon"; "The "Cryptogram"; "Godfrey Morgan, a Californian Mysters"; "Hector Sewadae"; "Keraban, the Inflexible"; "The Lottery Ticket"; "Martin Paz"; "Mathias Sandorf"; "Michael Stregoff"; "Mistress Branican"; "The Mysterious Island"; "North Against South"; "Oe's Experiment"; "Purchase of the North Pole"; "Round the World in Eighty Dayn"; "The Secret of the Island", "Sissam House"; "Across North India"; "Survivors of the Chancellor"; "Tigers and Traitors"; "Tribulations of Chimanan"; "Wenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea"; "The Vanished Diamond"; "Winter Amid the Ice"; "An Antarcife Mystery." He also wrote a comedy in verse entitled "Les Pallies Rompues," which was performed at the Paris Gymnase in 1850. This was followed by "Onze Jours de Siege," a three-act comedy, brought out at the Vaudeville.

Loss 'to the Nations.

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Loss to the Nations. Toronto, March 25.—"The death of Jules Verne is a real loss to the gaiety of nations. His fancy was as brillant as it was prolific. He will be missed by readers of all ages, and particularly by the young."

"Goldwin Smith,"

MAY BE PUT BACK. Mexico Does Not Want Steamers Call at Cuba

Call at Cuba.

Montreal, March 25.—The representatives of the Eider-Dempster Steamship Co. have telegraphed the Government of Mexico, requesting that the conditions of the tenders for the Canada-Mexican service be adhered to, and if they are not the company will show. if they are not the company will aban-don the project of establishing the ser-The Elder-Dempster Co. had all but

And Mother of Trelley Victim Fatally Injured by Fall.

New York, March 25.—A squad of extra police was summoned from a station in the Williamsburg section of Brooklyn yesterday to rescute a policeman and the motorman of a surface car from an angry mob of 2,000 persons who were trying to punish the motorman for the death of a little boy. The child, Frederick Von Gilder, aged 4 years, ran in front of a car as it was passing through Park avenue, and was struck and instantly killed.

The body of the boy was then removed from under the car. When his mother, Mrs. Robert Von Gilder, saw the body lying under the wheels, she fainted and fell down stairs, suffering injuries from which it is feared she may not recover.

When the heart is won the un-der-standing is easily convinced.

He who has no character is not a man; he is a thing.

RUSSIANS OUTFLANKED

Occupy Positions 34 Miles From Gunshu Pass,

Resumption of Hostilities On a Grand Scale and An Important Battle Improbable Inside of Three Months-Women and Children Reported as Leaving Harbin-Peace Prospects Assuming a More Definite and Tangible Aspect.

gible Aspect.

St. Petersburg, March 25.—The Russian rearguard is now occupying a line of falrly strong natural positions, thirty-four miles south of Gunshu Pass, the centre being the railroad village of Siphinghai, and the flanks covering the roads on either side, which apparently it is the intention to defend long enough to force the Japanese to show their hands. The Russians may, however, have been outflanked and have no intention of making a serious stand, especially as all the correspondents continue to report rumors of wide turning operations on both flanks, indicating a probable basis in fact. The correspondents believe a resumption of hostilities on a grand scale and an important battle are improbable inside of three months.

Fleeing From Harbin.
Gunshu Pass, Mancheria, (108 miles
north of Tie Pass), March 25.—The wo-

men and children are reported to be leaving Harbin and the business houses are closing. The stationary hospitals are being moved back and the entire railroad east and south of Tsitishar is being prepared for the next stage of the war.

The conviction exists that Gen. Ruroki is now directed toward the northeast for the investment of Viadiyostock, changing his base for that purpose to Gensen. While the Manchurian Railway is employed to supply the main army in its advance on Harbin, the Japanese seem still partial to the plan of keeping close to their see base, and instead of following the Russians some of the military superts are of the opinion that the Japanese may relieve the pressure upon Gen. Linevitch, and thus induce him to concentrate in the region between Santoupu and Tie Pass for another battle.

On to Visdivestock,
Port Said, March 25.—Admiral Nebogatoff's division of the Russian second Pacific squadron consisting of a battleship, four crujsers and four transports, arrived here yesterday. The vessels are not coaling and are only taking moderate supplies on board. The transports are heavily laden with stores. The division, which is said to be hound for Jibutil and Vladivostock will probably proceed to day.

PEACE STEPS BY RUSSIA.

Will Deal Directly Through French Minister at Tokio.

Minister at Tokio.

Paris, March 25.—The prospects of peace between Russia and Japan assumed a more definite and almost a tanglile aspect yesterday as the result of the announcement of the resumption of negotiations for a Russian loan.

Coupled with the announcement of the resumption of the hear negotiations. Coupled with the announcement of the resumption of the loan negotiations came a strong infimation from official and diplomatic quarters that steps looking "toward peace had been definitely taken by Russia. The foreign office declined to confirm a report that France was likely to be the intermediary, but the diplomats who are actively interested for the first time gave credit to the statement that Russia decided to seek peace. It was said in these quarters that Russia would deal directly with Tokio, through the French minister who has charge of the Russian interests there.

don the project of establishing the service.

The Elder-Dempster Co. had all but closed negotiations, and had been given to understand that the Mexican Government had accepted the forms of tenders sent to the different companies. The company said yesterday that the tenders stated that a call might be made at Havana, Cube, both on the way to and from the Mexican ports. The steamship companies considered that this call would prestly add to the business the line would do with Mexico. Stere would be guite an amount of traffic between Cuba and Mexico.

On the other hand, the business that would be secured in Cuba for Canada would not cash with the business offer my for Mexico. Last fall, when the Mexican Government sent two representatives to Ottaws, the latter accepted to the tenders, but received to the tenders but received to the tenders but received to the tenders, but received to the tenders, but received to the tenders but receives to ottaws, the latter accepted the tenders should not call at Cuba. The Elder-Dempset Line had completed arrangements to start the service put back for a year.

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The man who always says what he thinks might take a few lessons from the man who always thinks

A blockhead cannot come in nor go away, nor sit, nor rise, nor stand, like a man of sense.

It is better to be able to appreciate the things we cannot have than to have things we are unable to appreciate.

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CHURCH. - CHIMES

International Bible Lesson for To-Review for three months.

Golden Text—"But these are writ-ten, that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that believing ye might have life through His name."

Let us take the golden texts as links of golden love in a chain to bind our hearts to Him at whose feet we have sat for the past quarter. Here they are:

1-In Him was life, and the life was the light of men. 2-Behold the Lamb of God, which taketh away the sin of the world. 3-Thou art the Son of God; Thou art the King of Israel.

4—Whatsoever He saith unto you do it.

5—For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotton Son, that whoseever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

Whosoever will, let him take of water of life freely. 7-The same works that I do bear vitness of me, that the Father hath

8-And a great multitude follow-ed Him, because they saw His mir-9-I am the living bread which

10-Never man spake like this man. 11-Whosoever committeth sin is

12-I am the light of the world. If scholars can repeat these golden texts and the names of the lessons from memory, the incidents of each lesson will be easily recalled, and the faith of the young people be enrichby the Word and Spirit of God.

CHURCH NOTES.

First Prespyterian. The pastor, Rev. A. H. MacGillivray, will occupy the pulpit on both occasions to-morrow.

Bible Class and Sunday School to norrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8. Young People's meeting on Friday evening at 8.

Rev. Robt. McCosh will conduct the services and preach on both occasions

to-morrow. There will be an early celebration of the Holy Communion to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock!

Bible class for young ladies at 3 b'clock; Bible class for young men at the same hour. Sunday school is held every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The members of Christ Church Junior Guild meet every Monday ev-ening in S. S. Hall at 7.30. ening in S. S. Hall at 7.30.

The following will be the order of special services in addition to regular Sanday services in Christ Church for Lent:—Holy Commanion every Sanday morning at 8 o'clock; divine service every Tuesday night and every Thursday night at 8 o'clock; litray every Friday afternoon at 4.30.

Sunday school to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8. The Epworth League meets on Fri-day evening at 8 o'clock. William St. Baptist.

Rev. J. W. Hoyt, the pastor, will preach at both services to-morrow. Special evangelistic services will be held in the church, morning, afternoon and evening, by the pastor.

Frayer meeting to-morrow morning at 10.

ing at 10.

Sunday School and Bible Class tomorrow afternoon at 3.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on
Wednesday evening at 3.

The B. T. P. U. meets in the lecture
room every Friday evening at 8.

Park St. Methodiat.

Rev. G. H. Cobbledick, pastor, will
conduct both services. Morning subject "The Second Table of the Covenant"; evening theme, "Parent and
Child."

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ng at 8.

Young Men's Club Tuesday evening

t 8, in S. S. Hall.

Byworth League Monday evening at
in S. S. Hall.

GROWING UP

There's something the matter with the child that fails to grow up. A child that grows up too much, however, without proper filling out of flesh, is almost as badly off. Nothing will help these pale, thin "weedy" children like Scott's Emulsion. It supplies the rounding out of flesh and the rich inward nourishment of blood and vital organs which insures rapid growth a healthy and uniform development.

Latter Days Saints.

Services will be held to-morrow at he usual hours. Sunday school to-morrow afternoon

t 2 o'clock. Prayer service at 3 o'clock to-mor-

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8. Religeo Society meets Friday even-ing at 8.

Salvation Army. Salvation Army, Union Depot-Knee drill at 7 a.m., meeting for promotion of holiness at 11 a.m., Christian fellowship meeting at 3 p. m., soul winning service at 7.30 p. m. All services for citizens and soldiers. Campbell A. M. E.

Rev T. H. Henderson, the pastor, will hold special revival ser ites to-morrow, preaching in the morning on "Sin a Disease of the Heart," and in the evening on "Transgression Acknowledged and Sin Forgiven." After the evening service an extra vangelistic service will be held. All

Sunday school will meet to-morrow at 3 p. m. Quarterly Review Converts' prayer meeting at 6.30 tomorrow evening Union A. M. E.

Services to-morrow as usual at 11 m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School will meet to-morrow at 2.30.

Class meeting in connection with the A. U. M. P. Church is held every Tuesday evening. First Baptest.

The pastor, Rev. T. Jesse Henderson, will conduct the services and preach on both occasions to-morrow. Sabbath School at 12.30. Prayer meeting every Wednesday

British Methodist. Services with the held as usual in the British Methodist Church tomorzow.

Services will be held as usual morrow.

Prayer meeting will be held in the British Methodist Church on Wednesday evening at 7.30.

A MODERN MEDICINE.

Which Reaches and Cures All The Little Ailments of Infants and Children.

The pastor, Rev. Dr. Battisby, will preach both morning and evening to morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Bible Class and Sunday School to morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The pastor, Rev. Begular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 5.

Holy Trinity.

F. E. Powell, student, of Huron College, London, Ont., will conduct the services and preach both morning and evening.

Bible Class and Sunday School to morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The pastor, Rev. F. E. Malott, will conduct the services. Morning subject, "Walking with God"; evening theme, "The One Thing Needful."

Classes meet to-re-orrow morning at 10 o'clock and 12 noon.

Sunday school to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

PARSONAGE BURNED.

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At 4 o'clock Thursday morning the Baptist parsonage at Wheatley, occupied by Rev. Mr. Davis, was discovered to be on fire. The fire storted in the woodshed and had gained little headway when first seen by Mr. Davis, but before the neighbors could be aroused it had spread to the main part of the house, which was destroyed. Part of the furnitage was saved. There was no insurance on the furniture, but the building was insured for \$800. This will be a serious loss to the Wheatley Baptists as the personage was recently paid for after a big effort on the part of the members.—Comber Herald,

A woman never regards age as bar to activity in the social world.



Asphalt Blocks The Northway Co., Lt'd.

Read What Former Chathamites, Now Residing in Windsor, Have to Say

When in Windsor take a look at Quellette Avenue from Wyandotte Street Southerly. Take a walk up Goyeau Street. Go out to Glengarry Ave. Examine Victoria Avenue.

pany. Look carefully and see if you can find any Decay or Crumbling Away.

Take a'Belt Line Car and go up to Walkerville. Examine closely the Pavement There. You will find it exactly as you will find Park Street in Chatham

The Pavement on Oullette Avenue from Wyandotte Street, Northerly, is not of the Walkerville Block, but of Blocks made by a Toledo Firm

After making the most thorough inquiry and visiting Chicago, Toledo, Sandusky. Cleveland, Buffalo, Washington and Detroit, and I had a personal interview with most of the City Engineers.

Respectfully yours, JOHN B. PIKE,

Monsieur Luke Montreuil, well-known throughout the whole of Western Ontario as one of our oldest and most respected citizens, speaks in the most favorable manner of the Walkerville asphalt blocks.

Windsor, March 23, '05,
To the Citizens of Chatham:
I am constrained to write this letter to you for the reason that I have relatives in your city, who no doubt are taking an interest in its improvement. I am aware that the subject of paying has been engrossing your attention for some time, and as a pavement known as the Walkerville asphalt block has been attacked in a most unwarrantable manner, and as I have always been a lover of fair play, I take this opportunity to let you know how I look on this payement.

These blocks are made in Walkerville, where, as you know, my home is. I have seen the blocks before being placed in the pavement, and afterwards, and I have never found them decay or crumble away. In my judgment they make a first class pavement in the fullest sense of the term,

LUKE MONTREUIL.

Jason Churchill, formerly of Chat-ham, whose mother resides in North Chatham, knows all about pave-ments as he is chairman of the Court of Revision. To my old Friends of the City of Chatham:

I have given the subject of paving considerable consideration, and as considerable consideration, and as you are doing, I understand, a large amount of paving, I desire to give you my views upon the subject. Con-

streets are paved with Asphalt Blocks made by the Walkerville Com

City Engineers.

We reported in favor of the Asphalt Block laid on five inches of coment bed with a one-half juch coment mortar to bed the block in and after all the block is in place, then thoroughly fill all the cracks with a cement morter made thin well grouted in. The blocks we used were \$x \(5x \) 12 inches, made at Walkerville, and I fully believe we have as fine paved streets as there is any where on the continent of America. This is Victoria avenue, Windsor.

Trusting that the above may be of some service to you, I remain, of some service to you, I remain,

Windsor, March 23, '05, the Citizens of Chatham:

Read what Mr. John B. Pike, formerly of Chatham, has to say:

A little over a vear ago I was appointed one of a committee of three to investigate what was the best material for paving a resident street.

After making the most thorough inquiry and visiting Chicago, Toledo,

bear no comparison whatever to the Walkerville block, ALEX. NORTHWOOD.

Windsor, March 22, '05, To my Chatham Friends;

In my Judgment the asphalt block pavements of the Walkerville blocks are first class. We have a number of streets paved with them and I have never heard anything but praise for them.

S. L. BRUNDAGE.

Samuel Stover, a former resident of Chatham, and one of Windsor's heaviest taxpayers, speaks right out.

Windsor, March 23, '05.
Citizens of the city of Chatham:
I have nothing but words of praise for the miles of pavement in the city of Windsor made out of the Walker-wille asphalt blocks.

SAMUEL STOVER.

Windsor, March 23, 1905.

Citizens of Chatham: Citizens of Chatham:

My dwelling is on Goyeau street, near the centre of the city. I am a son of Nathan Everitt, who has been in the employ of Win. Gray & Sons, Co., of Chatham, for the past twenty-five years. Our street is paved with asphalt blocks made by the Walkerville Company, and in my judgment we have one of the best payed streets in the whole country. There is no decaying and crambling away of these blocks. I am very glad that Chatham is adopting this pavement.

W. H. KVERITT.

James E. Purser, former resident of Chatham, now one of Windsor's most prominent clizens, endorses the Walkerville asphalt block in emphatic language.

Friends in Chatham:

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I am a son of Reuben Purser, and a nephew of Cornelius Purser, Reeve of Dover, and I am the owner of a plumbing businesss on Glengarry Avenue in this city.

Our street is paved with asphalt blocks, made by the Walkerville Company. Asphalt blocks made by this Company make the best pavement I know of, and I heartily recommend them to my friends in Chatham.

This pavement must not be con-

Chatham.

This pavement must not be confounded with some blocks made by a Toledo firm, laid in this city, which proved somewhat defective.

JAMES E. PURSER. Walkerville, March 24, 1905.

you my views upon the subject. Considering everything, durability, noise lessness, etc., I believe the asphalt block pavement of blocks made by the Walkerville Company to be the best pavement in existence to-day, The upper end of Ouellette avenue, Victoria avenue, Glengarry avenue and Goyeau street in this city, I consider to be perfect pavements.

The Tower end of Ouellette avenue, about which there have been some complaints, was laid by a Toledo (Sgd.)

J. B. CHURCHILL.
P. S.—I may add that I am in a position to speak as to the pavements of this city, as I am chairman of the Court of Revision for the city.

J. B. C.

Walkerville, March 24, 1905.

To the Public of Chatham:

I am a brother-in-law of John Glassford, of your city, and I am superintendent of the Ontario Ashphalt Block Works at Walkerville. This Company has had the benefit of the experience and the large expenditure of various companies throughout the world, in their efforts to produce a practically indestructible paving material in the world. I will be glad to show my Chatham friends, who may favor me with a visit, throughout our large and costly plant; show them the material out of which, and explain the intricate process by which, we are enabled to make this invaluable paving material.

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| ++++++++++++++++++++++++++++ THE STAGE

"All the world's a stage *********

ANNOUNCEMENTS. Hooligan's Troubles—March 25. Sweet Clover—March 27. The Bonnie Brier Bush—Mar. 31.

THE STORY OF SWEET CLOVER The scene is the interior of Farmer Holcombe's pretty home. The sun has set, leaving a crimson glow in the horizon, the linkle of the now bells grow dim, crickets chirp and fire files warn that peaceful night is coming on. City folks who summer in the little Connecticut farm near heavy he was a connecticut farm near heavy he was the love of the leave the latest the leave the l near by, love to visit the Jerome Holcombe farm and sit beneath the



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That Dispiriting Disease that Causes spinster sisser, who herself, has an old bean, Job Massou, who has been "a-leadin' up to it for thirty years." Grosymor, in his frequent visits, has fallen in love with Lois, the only child of the old farmer. Who regards him only as a' friend. Grosymor, in his frequent visits, has fallen in love with Lois, the only child of the old farmer. Who regards him only as a' friend. Grosymor confides his secret to Jerome and asks fon permission to speak to Lois, but the old man puts him off until the morrow. Years before when Lois was a babe, her mother ran away with a celebrated artist and died without Lois ever kaowing her. But Lois has met by accident and fellen in love with a handsome young artist by the name of Stade, who manages to do his sketching where Lois is more ant to stroll. The father has reared the girl in fear that the may follow her mother's way, and Jealously cuards her from the Attentions of men. Stade honestly loves the girl and risbes ta make her his wife, but he has to co sbroad the following day and asks her as a parting favor to come out of the house after hed time and bid him good-bye, in the monlight to the aweet song of passing screnaders, the lovers are detected by the father; as Stade vanishes through the gate. The old man accuses the girl of wrong doing, and tells her, in his anguish, the story of how her mother ran away with an artist named Stade. Lois immediately concludes that her awestleart is the son of the man who led her parent astray. The old man, thinking he has minimudged the girl, concludes it was the man who led her parent astray. The old man, thinking he has minimudged the girl, concludes it was the man who had a right to meet her far dark. The excitement brings on an attack of the heart, which is woalk, and he begs to tell a,m it would send him hapril a number of on an accuse of the man who had a right to meet her far dark. The excitement b

was Grosvenor and that she is going to marry him. Knowing that she must give up Slade, and wishing to save his father, she tells him, 'It was Grosvenor, and I mean to marry him."

The scene changes to the beautiful interior of Mrs. Emmett's city home, during the progress of a tableaux party. Romeo, Rosalind, Carmea, Prissilla and the rest are there, and Mrs. Eldridge Grosyenor, who six mouths before was a simple country lass; cones to the party on

country lass, cones to the party on the arm of her devoted husband, arthe arm of her devoted husband, arrayed in the gorgeous robes of Queen Guinever. She is now the most famous of siciety's queens. Albert Slade has returned from his trip abroad, where he won the solon prize with his famous painting, "A Memory" none other than Liois, and the tongues of the scandal-mongers are set going. He has received his conge m a brief note from Lois, simply telling him she is going to marry another. The old lovers are surprised at meeting her, and Slade surprised at meeting her, and Slade

surprised at meeting her, and Slade wrings the truth from her. He tells her she has made a horrible mistake, that the scoundrel who took her mother away was not his real father, but one who had adopted him on account of his artistic promises.

The scene shifts to the palatial home of the Grosvenors after the party. The husband's suspicions are aroused and the demon jeslously takes possossion of him. He has told Lois not to wait up for him, as he has to fake a train for another city. Lois retires, The husband changes his mind and resolves to stay—but seeks the night air as a solace to his bitter thoughts. Lois, in her negligee, disturbed at her husband's coolness, descends from her chamber to comfort him. But Slade has followed the Grosvenors home, and finding the deer coor during the lowed the Grosvenors home, and find-ing the door open, during her hus-band's preparations to depart, takes a madman's chances and enters. Lois is horrified to find, instead of her husband, that she is face to face with her old lover.

story would only rob the intelligent auditor of the pleasure of the play.

ARE SUICIDES

Some time ago the Government decided to restock the western portion of Ontario with quall, and this came as good news to those who enjoy the sport of hunting quail. Yesterds, Mr. Sandy MeVean, received a let ter from Chief Game Warden Tine ley, of Toronto, stating that he would send him in April a number quail to be turned loose near Dresden.—Dresden Standard.

District Doings TILBURY

March 4.—At a meeting of the Vilharch 4:—At a meeting of the Village Council, last night, it was devided to purchase the corner on Queen and Canal streets, from J. S. Richardson, for the future site of a town half, for the sum of \$750. The location is a most desirable one and the price is cheap at the price named. the price is cheap at the price named. The question of closing the east end of Smith street led to a lengthy discussion, when it was decided to lease the same from lot 17 west to lot 11, instead of lot 8, as at first proposed, to W. C. Crawford for 10 years, at a rental of \$1 per year. Tenders were also opened for \$14,000 worth of sidewalk debentures.

Theodore Reaume and wife, of Jeannesse's Creek, late of Tilbury, are visiting relatives in town. They leave next month for Duluth, Minn. Wheat, \$1 to \$1.05; oats, 35c. bar-

leave next month for Duluth, Minn.
Wheat, \$1 to \$1.05; oats, 35c. hardey, \$1; corn, 40 to 45c.; dressed hogs, \$5.25; butter, 18c.; eggs, 14 to 15c.
The town is still in darkness from the break in the electric light plant.
Fall wheat prospects are good.
Plowing is general in this section.
Mrs. D. H. Edmonds left yesterday on a visit with relatives in Leamington.
The flax mill is expected to complete operations next week for the

plete operations next week for the season, which has been a most suc-A PERSISTENT BACKACHE. A PERSISTENT BACKACHE.

Can have but one cause — diseased kidneys, which must be strengthened before backache can be cured. Why not use Dr. Hamilton's Pille! They cure the kidneys quick make them strong and able to filter disease — breeding poisons from the blood. At once you feel better, stronger, brighter. Kidney health is guaranteed to every user of Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Get a 25c. box from your druggist, and refuse substitutes.

BLENHEIM

March 25.—Mr. and Mrs. Colborne and family, of Brigden. have moved here and are living on Modeorge St. John Hukkle, who lives on the Gore Line, who attempted suicide by taking. Paris green, is recovering.

Word was received here last week by friends of Mr. C. Allin, a former resident of this place, but now of Ingersoll, of the death of his wife, who died in a hospital at Woodstock. The deceased was a member of the Lady Maccabees here.

Born, on Mar. 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bicom, a daughter.

A new bakery will be opened up very soon in the store lately occupied by H. W. Edmunds, by Mrs. C. Jenner and MisseTisdale.

Mrs. J. Cameron has returned home after spending a long visit with her son at Simeoe.

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QURE SICK HEADACHE.

A Memory Fallure.
A schoolteacher was trying to impress upon his scholar's mind that Codiscovered America in 1492, so he said: "Now, John, to make you re-member the date when Columbus discovered America I will make it in a rhyme so you won't forget it. 'In 1492 Columbus sailed the ocean blue.' Now, can you remember that, John?" "Yes, sir," replied John. The next morning when he came to school his teacher said, "John, when did Columbus dis-cover America?" "In 1493 Columbus sailed the dark blue sea."

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The Term "Bully."
The term bully in the days of Shake speare bad quite a different meaning from that which it has at present, be-ing an expression of endearment and good fellowship. Some suppose that the word, when it is used in approval, is derived from the Dutch boel or German buble, which stands for the English lover. The harsher use of the word is however, to be traced to bellow, the root of bull, with a significance of noisy

The Common Kind.
"Did you ever notice that almost all these misers reported in the papers are single men?" asked Mr. Watts,

"Yes," answered Mrs. Watts. "Mar ried misers are too common to be worth mentioning."

"Do I squint, Charlie?" asked the

rich girl. "A little, Maude," he said tenderly, "but who wouldn't with your eyes? If mine were as beautiful as yours I'd be trying to look into them myself.

Indicative.
When a girl acts as if she were tied to the end of a comet and tries to look as if she were only buttoning her-gloves, most likely she is just become

Pride earries with it a peculiar sort of inability to accomplish any-thing.



The human heart, in a healthy man weights but eleven ounces. It beats from long before birth until death, in an average lifetime, about seven million times, allowing seventy beats to the minute. Every twenty-four hours this slight organ performs labor equivalent to lifting a ton of material eighty feet into the air. Could it be applied to the man it would raise him over three hundred feet from the ground! This it does, day in and day out, for years. There is no resting or stopping till death, But to do this work the heart requires fuel and water the same as the steam crane. A modern steam crane is a triumph of man's ingenuity. Great blocks of rock or metal are lifted high into the air and swung into place with apparently as little effort as that of a beby picking up his toys. The steady puffing of the engines in the little house seems to be but an accompaniment, rather than an essential part of the machine. But without generous supplies of food and water, the engine stands cold and still, and the machine is useless. If the blood becomes poor, and filled with poisons from diseased kidneys, the heart is not only starved, but poisoned as well. It soon becomes exhausted and mable to meet any extraordinary demand which may be made upon it. Supply pure blood; get the kidneys and tones up the alimentary canal. Give the heart the food it needs and it will continue to work till the natural end of life. The human heart, in a healthy man weighs

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out! Look out! It's going off!"
was the wild ory heard a few days ago in Paw Paw, a small mountain encircle West Virginia town, on the encircle west virginia town, on the new line of the Wabash, twenty miles east of Oumberland, when the ringing of bells and blowing of whis-tles gave the warning that in a few minutes the button would be pressed that would explode 8,000 pounds of giant powder in the rocky mountain side directly opposite and close to the town.

been torn from the mountain side and many precious days saved the contractors who are building the "link" connecting the Western Maryland railroad at Cherry Run with the West Virginia Central railroad at Cumberland, and thus bringing nearer realization George Gould's dream of making the Wabash railroad an ocean to ocean line.

It was only the proximity of this blast to a town that made it particularly prominent on this railroad construction that is requiring a blast for almost every foot of the roadbed, in fact it was a small one in compari-

ior almost every loot of the roadbed, in fact it was a small one in comparison to some that have been fired. In one blast, in Sidling Hill mountain, the charge consisted of 1,400 cans of powder, just two carloads, and when t was put off rocks weighing half a on were hurled through the air hundreds of yards, across the Potomac river and striking telegraph poles along the Baltimore & Ohio railroad broke them off close to the ground. It is this necessity for almost con-

It is this necessity for almost continuous blasting that has done much toward making this sixty-five mile strip of railroad construction the most expensive of any built in recent years, with the single exception of the line over which the Wabash enters Pittsburg. The cost of building the first five miles from Cumburland averaged \$250,000 a mile and the average cost for the sixty-five miles is \$100,000 a mile. In thilding this connecting link, the Wabash has had to contend with an unusually large number of obstacles of a surprising variety, some placed

a surprising variety, some placed the way by nature, others by

TUNNELING THROUGH SOLID

ROCK.
Until the advent of the Wabash it was supposed there was no feasible route through the narrow gaps in the mountains between Cumberland and Hancock, forty miles, save those followed by the Chesapeake and Ohio canal and the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. It was this belief that has kept life in the old waterway, life sustained by the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. tained by the Baltimore & Ohio railroad company to bar out any possible rival. Some years ago the Hon. Henry G. Davis, then owner of the Wes Virginia Central railroad, had a route surveyed through the country followed by the Wabash, but it was given up as impracticable. As a result, it is not surprising that the construction of this road is proving one of the greatest undertakings of years, requiring application of almost every method known in railroad building and the ingenuity of

contractors, who have built railroads in almost every fate in the union, has been taxed to the utmost.

Upon forty miles of this line there are engaged to-day 2,629 men, 300 animals, nine locomotives and nine steam shovels. For eighteen months there has been no cessation of labor and it is hoped that in eight more the work will be completed.

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OBSTACLES TO BE MET.

An idea of the difficulties encountered can be formed from the fact that this line in forty miles crosses the Potomac river nine times, the Chesapeake & Ohio canal seven times, the Baltimore & Ohio railroad three times, passes through mountain ranges and spurs by five tunnels, varying in length from 700 feet to 4,400 feet, through ridges and hills by innumerable cuts, many of them over 50 feet deep through solid rock and some almost a mrier in length, and that a great portion of the road is bing cut out of the rocky sides of mountain ranges, directly above the onnal. One of the most unusual difficulties in railroad construction, and yet the most troublesome on this line has been a disposition of the earth and rock removed in making the roadbed, a difficulty arising from the fact that the Wabash follows closely the canal route. While waiting for legal right to bridge the old waterway it was necessary to push the construction semployed some striking methods.

At Welton tunnel, a mile south of Comberland, a large wheel was placed on top of the mountain above the tunnel entrance, cables were run from this across the river and canal OBSTACLES TO BE MET.

to the low land, where filling was necessary, and the rock from the tunnel was carried over in a large iron bucket suspended from the cables. The laborers' camp was located on the top of the mountain and the men constructed a 150-foot ladder leading up the precipitous face of rocks from the mouth of the tunnel, and this ladder they ascended and descended many times a day.

In the construction of the Indigo

descended many times a day.

In the construction of the Indigo tunnel a method never before employed in the East, and rarely elsewhere, is being adopted. This is the greatest tunnel on the line, being 4,400 feet in length. It passes through a Sidling Hill mountain range and makes the Wabash a straighter line and almost a mile in three shorter than the Baltimore & Ohio. It is being made by drilling the heading—the full width of the tunnel, twenty-four feet, and nine feet high—through from the bottom or at grade level, and the rook will be blown down until the required height is reached. Old contractors, accustomed giant powder in the rocky mountain side directly opposite and close to the town,

For three days the people of Paw Paw had watched men carrying can after can of powder into the tunnels dug into the face of rocks. As the number of cans disappearing in the mountain side increased the alarm of the people grew, and some in terror left the town, while those remaining filled their ears with cotton and waited for—they knew not what.

At last, when 325 cans of powder, 8,125 pounds, had been emptied in the arms extending right and left from the inner ends of the two 45-foot tunnels, wires laid and the tunnel closed, the electric button was pressed. There was a deep, rumbling report, the whole earth seemed to rock as though shaken by an earthquake and tons of rock plunged forward and toppled over into the canal and river, CARLOADS OF POWDER IN ONE BLAST.

Not a stone had been thrown a hundred feet toward the frenzied town, but 20,000 yards of rock had been torn from the mountain side and been torn from the mountain side and been torn from the mountain side and been torn from the mountain side had been torn from the mountain side and been torn from the wountain side and torn to the canal and river.

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THE "STICK PILE" TUNNEL. THE "STICK PILE" TUNNEL.

In order to cut a railroad through the masses of rock that rise straight up from the bed of the canal it was necessary to wait until navigation closed for the year. In the meantime the holes for the blasts were all prepared and when the water was withdrawn, about a month later than ever perfore thousands of counds of cowdrawn, about a month later than ever before, thousands of pounds of pow-der and dynamite were exploded in these holes and the canal bed was filled with earth and rock for many miles, which must be removed within the next two months.

The onty place where the Wabash leaves the canal and river for any considerable distance is at Bayard, thirty-five miles east of Cumberland. thirty-five miles east of Cumberland. After crossing the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, the river and canal, at a dizzy height, on a 1,370-foot bridge, five 150-foot channel spans with viaduot approach, it strikes boldly into the mountains. After running through tremendous cits, over deep ravines and through the Stick Pile tunnel 1,600 feet in length, it emerges from its five-mile run through the heart of the mountain at Orleans, W. Va. This is considered one of the heaviest pieces of work on the line, but here as at many other plac-

of the heaviest pieces of work on the line, but here as at many other places, a comparatively straight line is secured with moderate grades and with a saving of almost a mile over the Baltimore & Ohio riute.

The first work was done on this connecting link on July 21, 1903, and the contract called for its completion in eighteen months. The delay and extra work occasioned by trouble with the canal rendered its completion within the contract time an impossibility. Now, October 1, is the date set for the opening of the road, but it is claimed January 1, 1906, would be a nearer date.

From Cherry Run to Hancock, ten

From Cherry Run to Hancock, ten miles, the road is completed and trains are running on it. For ten miles east of Cumberland, the roadbed is ready for the rails and the three bridges are in course of erection At numerous other places.



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maiates that result from disordered kidneys and Bu-Ju is an infallible cure for Rheumatism if taken as directed. All druggists sell Bu-Ju. Do not con-tinue to suffer; try it and you will be benefited.

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How Does the Bird Know Just

I once observed a robin boring for grubs in a country dooryard. It is a mmon enough sight to witness one seize an angleworm and drag it from its burrow in the turf, but I am not sure that I ever before saw one drill for grubs and bring the big white morsel to the surface. The robin I am speaking of had a nest of young in a maple near by, and she worked the neighborhood very industriously for food. She would run along over the short grass after the manner of robins, stopping every few feet, her form, stiff and erect. Now and then she would suddenly bend her head toward the ground and bring eye or ear for a mo-ment to bear intently upon it. Then she would spring to boring the turf vigorously with her bill, changing her attitude at each stroke, alert and watchful, throwing up the grass roots and little jets of soil, stabbing deeper and deeper, growing every moment more and more excited, till finally a fat grub was seized and brought forth, Time after time during several days saw her mine for grubs in this way and drag them forth. How did she know where to drill? The insect was in every case an inch below the surface. Did case an inch below the surface. Did she hear it gnawing the roots of the grasses or did she see a movement in the turf beneath which the grub was at work? I know not. I only know that she struck her game inerringly each time. Only twice did I see her make a few thrusts and then desist, as if she had been for the moment deceived. -John Burroughs in Outing.

Even the pessimist may hope for he best, but it takes an optimist to really expect it.

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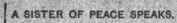
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People Who "Energise" Through Life and the Indifferentiats.

Generally speaking, energetic people are a torment. They are the cause of much of the good but still more of the ills of this life. I cannot forgive them the ills for the sake of the good, possibly because I possess that rare gift, a sense of proportion, and so can discern relative values.

Now, this sense of proportion is a sense of proportion is a sense of proportion.

Now, this sense of proportion is pre-cisely what restless people lack. They are energetic by temperament, not by reason of outward circumstances—nay, I should rather say in spite of outward defound rather say in spite of outward circumstances. They energize through life amid the calmest and most unprovocative surroundings to the infinite discomfort of their quieter brethren. If such a one ties his boot lace or cuts his bread it is a source of much discussion and feverish excitement. Should one of the brethren of peace venture to exposulate he calls down venture to expostulate he calls down on himself a hurricane of abuse on the evils of indifference and the philosophic

importance of trifles.

Certainly trifles must receive due consideration. They must be treated with respect. They should be attended to summarily, rapidly, and then dismissed forever. They are not worth excitement or nervous waste, and even total indifference to their claims is a lesser evil than the habit of creating for them a false atmosphere of magnitude. But the pervous waste is not the chief evil of overenergy. The greatest danger lies in its fatal attraction to its twin sistors, interference

and influence.

The energetic man observes that the world around him is out of gear. Fome-thing must be done. Who should do it if not himself? Obviously no one else is attempting to set things right. He never stops to think, "Can anything be done, should anything be done, and, if so, am I the right man to do it?" No; his only certainty is that any action is

better than no action,
What a fatal mistake! There is no action of any avail save the absolute right action at the absolute right moment. Failing that, no action at all is in every way infinitely superior.

We meddle in each other's affairs

with influence and advice. Nine times out of ten our interference has a prejudicial effect. Yet, being for the most part thoroughly illogical and stone blind as to cause and effect, we pat ourselves morally on the back and cor tinue serenely to meddle till the end of our days.

Apathy has a saving grace—its tend-ency to a sense of proportion. Al-most invariably it possesses an intui-tive knowledge of the relative signifi-cance of the events of daily life. When sufficient occasion arises, it forms its judgments with clearness and rapidity and atones for its normal torpor with bursts of intense energy and a height of enthusiasm to which few energetic people ever attain.

ous disorder is the overmastering desire of the victim to "energize," the to-tal inability for rest and repose. The patient wears out both himself and the world he lives among. Obviously in-differentists are the philosophers of MABEL F. YATES.

A February Wedding.
All the decorations for a wedding in February were in heart shape. In the arches and doorways swung hearts of white lilacs, Roman hyacinths or violets tied with white or pale green rib-bon. The marriage altar was built with the pier glass for a background the mirror being curtained with strands of smilax. Near the top was a design of two hearts interlaced in violets and lilies of the valley. The bride's table had a large top made heart shape for the occasion, and mid-way between the center and the edge extended a wreath of smilax dotter with stem glasses filled alternately with violets and lilies of the valley. In the center was an immense heart of white and violet, and the candles in white had silver shades, with clusters of violets tied thereon. Wedding of white satin, with the monogram of the bride and groom in silver.

Lafayette Gingerbread. Cream together one-half of a pound of butter and one-half of a pound of sugar. Add one teaspoonful of salt, two teaspoonfuls of ground cloves, two teaspoonfuls of ground cloves, two teaspoonfuls of cinnamon, two and one-half teaspoonfuls of ginger, the grated rind of two lemons, one heaping toa-spoonful of soda dissolved in a little boiling water and timed in a little boiling water and stirred into one pint of molasses, six well beaten eggs, the juice of the lemons, one cupful of sour cream and six cupfuls of sifted flour. Make into small cakes and bake in shallow pans.

For a Colonial Tea.

Among items for a colonial tea the
Delineator includes a Washington cake, made as follows: One and a half cup fuls of butter, two cupfuls of sugar one cupful of cream, four eggs, four



enpfuls of graham flour, two teaspoonfuls each of baking powder and lemon extract. Bake in two loaves and ice with yellow icing, Citron leaves and stems and candied cherries form the

Treated by Three Doctors

Severe Attack of Dyspepsia,

Got No Relief From Medicines, But Found It At Last In

Burdock Blood Bitters

Mrs. Frank Hutt, Morrisburg Ont., was one of those troubled with this most common of stomach troubles. She writes:-"After being treated by three doctors, and using many advertised medicines. for a severe attack of Dyspepsia and receiving no benefit, I gave up all hope of ever being cured. Hearing Burdock Blood Bitters as highly spoken of, I decided to get a bottle, and give it a trial. Before I had taken it I began to feel better, and by the time I had taken the second one I was completely cured. I cannot recommend Burdock Blood Bitters too highly, and would advise all sufferers from dyspensia to give it a trial."

TYPICAL FRENCH CHILD.

The Everyday Life of a Girl Eleven Years of Age. Let me take Felice Boulanger (which sn't her name) as a typical French hild of my experience, gained after learly three years' residence in France. She is one of five children ranging in age from her brother of sixteen to the roungest girl of six. Felice has a skin ike the sheen of a pearl (which is narvelous considering the amount of adjectible food she boits five times day); big, deerlike eyes, long lashed; laintly shaped but seldom clean hands; thin, rasping and petulant voice even ike that of a starved and homeless cat -narrow chested, spider legged and standhaless generally. Yet she seems till of vitality-nervous, irritable vitalty-eats as much food as an English lavvy, and certainly has, as my Amerian lady friend says, "heaps of sense." But to see the child eating is painful, though interesting in a way.

An English girl of eleven years of age, like Felice, would be sent to bed at, say, 9 o'clock. Felice and her type and her younger sisters sit down to linner at 6:30 p. m. and stay up until II or later, listening to the conversa-tion of their elders.—Louis Becke in London Mail.

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These symptoms arise from a weal oudition of the heart and nerves Wherever there are sickly people with

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Miss Maggie I. Cleveland, Bayswater,

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was as well as ever." Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, of cents per box, or 3 for \$1.25. All dealers, or THE T. MILBURN CO., LIMITED, TORONTO, ONT.



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The property of W. J. Richardson, Lot 27, Concession 1, West of Communication Road, Township of Harwich, at 1 o clock

Thursday, March 30th,

Two general purpose mares, coming 3-year-old; one roadster filly, soming 'b-year-old; one roadster gelding, coming 5-year-old; one general purpose filly coming 3-year-old; one span of general purpose geldings, coming 3-year-old; ten steers, 3-year-old; two cows, poming in at time of sale; one fow, d-year-old, coming in fay; two fresh cows; two heifers in calf; two Durham heifers, 1-year-old, register-ed, by "Prowler"; one Durham heifer, 9-months-old, by "Prowler"; one Durham heifer, 9-months-old, by "Prowler"; one Durham cow with bull ealf, by "Scottish Lad"; five good ewes; ten shoats; one sow and pigs, All will be sold owing to lack of feed,

feed. Terms-All sums of \$10 and under cash, over that amount 8 months' credit on furnishing approved joint notes. A discount of 7 per cent. off for eash.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS. the matter of J. L. Scott, of the City of Chatham, in the County of Kent, dealer in Coal, Wood

and Ice,

Notice is hereby given that J. L. Scott, of the City of Chatham, in the County of Kent, carrying on business as dealer in coal, wood and incat the said City of Chatham, has ness as dealer in coal, wood and ice at the said City of Chatham, has made an assignment under R. S. O. 1897, chapter 147 and amending Acts, of all his estate, credits and effects (which includes his coal, ice, wood and farming business) to George W. Sulman, of the City of Chatham, in the County of Kent, Merchant, for the general benefit of his creditors. A meeting of his creditors will be held at the offices of Wilson, Pike & Gundy, Fifth atrect, in the City of Chatham, on Tuesday, the 21st day of March A. D., 1905, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, to receive a statement of affairs, to appoint inspectors and fix their remuneration and for the ordering of the affairs of the estate generally. Creditors are requested to file their claims, with the assignce with the proofs and particulars thereof required by the said Act on or before the day of such meeting, and notice is further given that after the 20th day of April A. D., 1905, the assignce will proceed to distribute the assets of the debtor anxong the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall of the debtor among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been given, and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.

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DRS. CURNELL & FISHER DENTISTS rner Sixth and King St. Over the Bee Hive. —Office 317, Residence 442

THE LOCAL BUDGET

George Wands has returned from Windsor, where he has been attending an I. O. F. banquet.

I still have some of those Mades' solid silver watches at \$2.50 E. J. MacIntyre, leading jeweler and optimization.

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LEADING JEWELLER AND OPTICIAN

Mrs. Alex. Cuthbert, of Dresdin, is the guest of her daughte. Mrs. Alex. McRitchey, Forsythe street. Mr. and Mrs. R. S Coltart, of Montreal, and Rev. Pur. Mrs. J. M. Nicol, of Wallacelurg, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Coltart, William street, to-day.

An old man, named Elliott, was committed for trial at Wallaceburg on Thersday on the charge of assaulting Mrs. Pangburn. He was released on \$500 bail. Elliott is 75 years old.

Vers old.

Chairman Austin of the Industrial committee of the City Council, has his eye open for new industries for Chatham. It was reported to him that Capt. Davidson, of Bay City, was contemplating the erection of another sugar beet factory in Canada and he promptly wrote to him to see if Chatham could secure it. He received an answer, however, that Capt. Davidson is not entertaining the idea of establishing another factory in Kent at present.

Alice McKay, a woman who maked

solid silver watches at \$2.50' E. J.
MaeIntyre, leading jeweler, and optician.

The fureral of the late Frederick William Robinson will take place Sunday afternoon at two colcok to the Maple Leaf centetery.

Come and bring your friends to the Box Socal, Toesday, March 28, in connection with 16 O. F. Lodges. Every lady expected to furnish a box of edibles for two. Admission Free.

E. L. Walker, of New York, musical director of the "Errand Boy," which is showing in Detroit, is spending a counte of days in the city the guest of his friend, A. E. Peake.

Ceoff Moore, of Massey's grocery store, cut his left hand with a broken pickle hattle this morning. The wound required the services, of a surgeon.

Messrs, G. W. Sulman, W. A. Hadley and W. Gordon have returned from Toranto, where they have been purchasing furnishings for the Elks alub rooms.

The Forester this month contains pictures of R. A. Harrington and Geo. W. Wands, of this city, two representatives from the high Court to the Suprene Court, which will be held at Atlantic City in July.

Councillor W. Regan, of Ridgetown, is in the city to deplay and the court of the Suprene Court, which will be held at Atlantic City in July.

Councillor W. Regan, of Ridgetown, was foremost and horogreesive citizens and he was a welcome visitor at The Planet editorial rooms. Mr. Regan is loval to Ridgetown. He says if is the best town in Ontains of the Court of the Says if is the best town in Ontains of the Court of the Says if is the best town in Ontains of the counting and Mr. Regan on anything is always worth considering.

C. P. R. CAR ROBBED

Last Thursday C. P. R. Agent D. J. Downey notified the police that a car had been broken into on the C. P. R. and olives, mustard and co coanut taken, P. C. Dezelia took the case up and, after some investigation, found sufficient evidence against lke Faubert to warrant his arrest. C. P. R. Defective Wright was in the city yesterday and went with Officer Dezelia when he made the arrest. Faubert was remanded till next Friday for trial.

Man seldom speaks of a wife'ss de-otion without getting in a good word for himself.



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FRESHET IS PAST

On Friday the ice bad formed mplete iam one mile below Prairie iding, and there was danger of a etition of last year's freshet The water had been running over the Raleich Scheme for some hours when Paul Trudell, John Crow and Wm. Thibodeau volunteered to try if they could break it. They got a boat, and armed with axes succeeded in breaking the key, and the ice was again started on its way towards the lake. This was accomplished shortly after two o'clock in the afternoon and before six o'clock in the evening the water had fallen over eight inches at the city docks. The necessity of the Government taking some action to relieve the ice pressure is more apparant each year, and if provision was made to break these jams as soon as they form, as was done in this case, thousands of dollars worth of property would be saved and a rejection of last year's disaster would not likely occur. The men who broke the ice yeaterday deserve great credit and very doubtless were the means of saving Thousands of dollars to the rate, ayers in the township.

FAILED TO MAKE GOOD

William Rayme is once again in the toils. Last night the police received a hurry call to the residence of Josie Wilkins on Queen St. P. C's Dodson and Groves hurried out and, on Cartre St., they ran across William Raymo and John Johnson, and athered them in. The two, it and athered them in. The two, it is a simed, learned through Johnson's mother, who works for Josey Wilkins, that she had some money, and the pair, it is alleged, went after it. They arrived too early, as the inmates of the house had not gone to bed. The police were notified and they gathered the two in before any depredation had been done. They were arraigned this morning and remanded till Monday.

THE MARKETS

There was a very good market his morning. Produce was in very good supply in spite of the bad ondition of the roals. Following is the full price list:

IN THE SHEDS. Butter, per pound, 25c.
Eggs per dozen, 17c to 18c,
Chickens, each, 25c to 50c.
Ducks, each, 30c to 40c,
Pork, 8c and 9c.
Peef, be and 6c lb,
Geese, 80c to 55c.
Turkeys, each, \$2 to \$2.50.

VEGETABLES,

Vagartables,
Carrots, per peck, 16c,
Beets, per peck, 16c,
Cabbage, each, 3c to 5s.
Cauliflowers, each, 5c to 8s.
Squash each, 3 for 18c,
Celery, 5c to 10c,
Parsnips, per peck, 10c,
Onions, per peck, 36c,
Potatoes, per bes, 16c to 15s,

DON'T WATCH BOYS.

Governor Maximovitch Withdraws Pa trols From the Schools. Warsaw, March 25.—The strikers in the coal and from districts of Somovice and Dombrova have ended at last, the workmen having resumed their labor yesterday morning. The pensant agitation continues, but only as a sporadic movement, controlled by Socialist agitators, who have been unable thus far to impress the peasants with their view of the necessity of a strike. M. Maximovitch, the new Governor-General, has withdrawn the patrois from the schools, being of the opinion that it is undignified to employ soldiers to watch school boys. Warsaw, March 25.—The strikers in

C. N. R. Bonds Allotted. London, March 25.—(C. A. P.)—Letters of allotment of the Canadian Northern Railway issue of £1,923,227

OUR EXPORT TRADE.

Reports of Interest About Australian and Jamaican Trade. Ottawa March 25.—The trade outlook in Australia is improving, according to a report received at the Department of Trade and Commerce from D. H. Ross, commercial agent for Canada in Melbourne. Australia's over-sea trade during 1904 amounted to \$94,501,278, the largest on record. Small quantities of Australian butter have been marketed in Vancouver, and he believes that some is finding its way to Eastern Canada. The export of butter is being stimulated by cheap cold storage freights. These had recently been reduced from 11-2 cents to 1-2 cent per pound, giving a large extra profit to the producer. A report from the Canadian commercial agent at Jamaica states that the customs duty of matches has been lowered in order to break up a local monopoly. Competing is asked for.

Recognize But One Certificate: Toronto, March 25.—A special meeting of the Domision Shorthorn Breeders' Association was held yesterday in St. Corpe's Hall, W. G. Petit, or Freeman, Ort., in the chair, to take action on nationalizing the records, which will be done. They also passed a resolution removing the registrar's office to Ottawa; but decided to petition the Legislature to continue the office of secretary at the Parliament Buildings for the benefit of breeders who desire to register their stock in Toronto. Ottawa, March 25.—The trade outlool

LIBERALS WIN VICTORY.

In Composition of Commission to Ela-St. Petersburg, March 25.-The Lib

victory in the composition of the Boulgan Commission to elaborate the scheme for national refresentation under the Imperial rescript.

Plenting themselves squarely on the demand for a charber or Parliament elected by universal suffrage with control of the budget administration, they insisted that a commission of bureaucrats could not be trusted to execute the popular will, and backed by the press they kept up their agitation for the participation of elected representatives. Powerful support was also furnished by the Zemstvos and Doumas and the professional and educational bodies throughout Rusua, which flooded M. Bouligan, Minister of the Interior, and the Committee of Ministers with resolution of the same tener and purpose.

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The Liberals, if they could secure control of the commission, would vote proposition for the election of a constituent assembly which would pronounce for a constitution. The Government, however, in order to prevent such a contingency, only yielded the adultsion to the commission of "selected," not "elected," representatives. The Government's progress undoubtedly is to restrict the body created under the rescript to a chamber composed of representatives selected by the classes

the rescript to a chamber composed of representatives selected by the classes sitting in conjunction with the council of the Empire, but having only a consultative voice in legislation, thus preserving intact the principle of autocracy.

Unless future events force the Government's hand this progress will be adhered to. But the Liberals contend that even if the Government succeeds to the point of actually assembling such a chamber it would be an anomalous Government which would easily force its own demands and necessitate either its suppression or transformation into a real legislative assembly.

CASTRO FLATLY REFUSES.

Says There Are No Issues With U. S. for Arbitration.

Willemstad, Island of Curacoa, March Willemstad, Island of Curacoa, March 15.—It is announced from Caracas. Venezuela, that President Castro yesterday repiled to Minister Bowen's final proposal for arbitration, denying that Venezuela has questions pending with the United States, and saying the case of the New York & Bermudez Asphalt Co. must remain in the courts. A Flat Refusal.

Washington, March 25.—Minister Bowen cabled the State Department yesterday from Caracas that President Castro, had flatly refused to arbitrate the pending issues between Venezuela and the United States. The subject was the principal topic at yesterday's meeting of the Cabinet. That the situation is not regarded as acute at this time was indicated clearly by the de-

meeting of the Calinet. That the situation is not regarded as acute at this time was indicated clearly by the determination, of the President and his advisors to pay no present heed to President Castro's refusal to arbitrate the existing differences. It is the indicated intentions of the President and Secretary of War Taft to await further developments in Venezuela.

Want Sailors Released.

The Hague, March 25.—The Government of the Netherlands intends, either alone or in conjunction with other powers having differences with Venezuela, to take vigorous, measures to secure the release of the live Dutch sailors illegally imprisoned for seven months in that country. It is thought probable that in the event of there being no material change in the situation in the Par East, some of the Netherlands warships maintaining neutrality in the Dutch East Indies can be transferred to

and in the rest of India from January I to March 11, 318,178.

Mr. Brodrick said he had communicated with the Vicerov of India looking to a remedy for this deplorable loss of life, and that it had been decided to send out a scientific expedition to investigate the causes. The expedition will start immediately.

Ex-Mayor Seeks Re-Instatement, Toronto, March 25.—Major Goodwin, of Steelton, a suburb of Saute Ste. Marie, does not want to be unseated. He was "reported" in connection with the Soo election trial and unseated by the local judge. He is appealing at Osgoode Hail on the ground that he was not proven guilty, that the judge exceeded his jurisdiction, and that the offence anyway did not merit disqualification.

Death From Skipping.

Chatham, March 25.—The first "skipping" death of the season occurred here yesterday when little Fred Robinson, the 12-year-old son of ex-Ald. Henry Robinson, died. A week ago Fred was skipping steadily for a couple of hours, and afterwards complained of feeling unwell. The next day he was sick in bed, suffering from an attack of peritonitis, and passed away yesterday.

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TENDERS FOR PRINTING

Tenders will be received by the undersigned until four o'clock p. in., Friday, March 3ist, 1905, for the county printing for one year, beginning April 1st, 1905. Forms for genders will be supplied by the Clerk on application. J. GOSNELL, Clerk County Kent.

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Application to Parliament

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislature of the Province of Ontario at the present session thereof for an Act validating and confirming certain agreements between the City of Chatham, the Town of Wallaceburg, the Township of Dever and the thatnam, the Town of Wallaceburg, the Township of Dover and the Township of Chatham, respectively, and The Chatham, Wallaceburg and Lake Erie Railway Company, relating to exemption from taxation of certain property of the Company for a term of veers.

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E. A. Evans, of Florence, was in

the city yesterday.

A. J. C. Shaw, of Thamesville, is spending the day in the city.

John S. Fraser, of Wallaceburg, was in the city yesterday on legal

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Sutherland and Judge Douglas and wife left for Dunnville to-day.

Frank Faubert, 5th concession, Chatham, lost a valuable mare on Friday, valued at \$125.

Latest and Nobbleer Suits and Jack-ts reached here to-day. Come quick ad get first pick. Urban.

The Ladies' Assisting Society will meet at the bome of Mrs. Kingsmill, William street, Monday, March 27,

A Leslie and E. A. Drake, of the Pere Marquette, Walkerville, were in the city yesterday on railroad

pleased to have all of his business."

At a meeting of the City Carpet, Ball Bowling League, held Wednesday evening, in the Royal Arcanum rooms, it was arranged that a meeting of the trophy and general committees to held on Wednesday evening, April 5th, in the R. A. 100ms, when the purchase of the trophy will be arranged, the date set for playing off the tie between Court Hope and Court Unity, A. O. F., and the grounds on which the deciding game will be played. Sceretary Norman Harper will notify all the lodges in the league concerned.

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Local Briefs

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M sses and ladies' solid gold signet rings from \$1.50. These are values never known before. E. J. MacIn-tyre, leading jeweler and optician, Rev. A. H. MacGillivray will ad-dress the temperance meeting in the I. O. O. F. Auditorium Sunday af-ternoon. Miss May Prate will sing Peter Haggart, of Blenheim, was n the city to-day.

M. J. Coulter, of Blenheim, was in the city yesterday.

Bert Merritt, of Blenheim, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

Those \$5.00 Raimooats we adver-tise are well worth \$7.50. Urban.

Those \$5.00 Raincoats we advertise are well worth \$7.50. Urban. Charles Dunn has gone to California, where he will in future reside.

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Millinery and Dressmaking apprentises wanted immediately at The Gorden Store.

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Fred. Shelden is pretty bright in a horse trade but it took a couple of little colored boys to best him the other day. Fred. Father enjoys the joke on himself. Two smiling little colored boys brought in two empty bottles to him and he bought the bottles. The lads watched where the empties were praced and watching their opportunity brought the bottles in and resold them. The youths once more confiscated the bottles and offered them to Fred, but it was a case of three times and out and on the third trip Fred, got wisc. IMPORTERS.

...SOCIETY...

Miss Ethel Ball has returned from pleasant visit with friends in London.

On Tuesday Mrs. (Rev.) F. E. Ma-lott gave a tea for a number of young married ladies. Miss Helen Thomas, Mr. Macbeth and Mr. Northway are spending Sunday in Windsor, the guests of Miss Ida Ellis, "Ashneath,"

The Planet takes the liberty to-The Planet takes the hierty to-day of reproducing a splendid ar-ticle on "The Willow Tree," from the March issue of "Birds and Na-ture." Mrs. Will Singer, the talent-ed writer of this city, is the author and this article has been more than favorably commented upon,

An elaborate production of the successful comedy drama, "Sweet Clover," will be given at the Grand next Monday with Otis B. Thayer and Miss Gertrude Bondhill in the cast. "Sweet Clover" is a play that will linger lovingly in the memory of theatre-goers. It is a play that awakens human sympathy, arouses a keen heart interest and appeals to the emotions. It is an extraordinary performance, potent with intellectual the emotions, it is an extraordinary performance, potent with intellectual character, beautiful with reficement, nervous and steel-like with indomit-able purpose, intense with passion, and a shining example of various and ductile art.

EFFECTED HIS ESCAPE

One of the funniest and most exofting arrests and escapes from oustody ever placed on record in this cennty was given to history on Thursday last. A warrant was issued for the son of a respectable and well-khown farmer in southern Harwich. The young man had been indulging too conjously of late and his father was anxious to have him placed out of temptation's way. The warrant was given to High Constable Coogan, and he sent his deputy constable, ex-Ald. Henry Weaver, out to execute it. It is claimed that the constable walked into the house, sighting across the top of a revolver in one hand and a pair of hand ouffs in the other. The wife was frightened half to death but the fun commenced when the man who was wanted appeared death but the fun commenced when the man who was wanted appeared at another door sighting across two revolvers. He requested the constable to lay saide his armament and to do his behests. It is said that this was done with alacrity and the wanted man drank the nourishment furnished. A Blenheim constable assisted in arresting the man who refused to be taken by the Chatham constable. Arrived at Charing Gross, the tug broke and the constable got out to fix it. As soon as this was done, their prisoner whipped up the horse and drove around the corner home, while the two energatic differers footed it to their separate homes some ten miles away. Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Sutherland and udge and Mrs. Douglas left Jo-day n the 12.23 for Dunnville.

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To See the Victorian.
Ottawa, March. 25.—The Messrs. Allan have invited the Cabinet Ministers and members of Parlament to go down to Halifax and board their new turbine to Halitax and board their new tyroine steamer Victorian and take a trip to St. John. The intention is to have a special train leave Monfreal on Tuesday and meet the Victorian on her arrival. The return from St. John will be made by special train, reaching Montreal Sunday.

, Oldest Orangeman Dies.

Acton, March 25.—On Wednesday there passed away at his home here Robert Mills in his 105th year. Mr. Mills was the oldest Orangeman in Canada, having first joined the order in Ireland ninety years ago. The fundral took place yesterday.

Fatal Electric Shock.

Montreal, March 25.—Constable Michael O'Connell was instantly killed in No. 9 Station yesterday by shock from an electric light wire carrying two thousand volts. O'Connell saw a lamp, with its wire attached, lying on the floor. Intending to hang the lamp to the ceiling—its usual position—he tooped down and lifted it. The wire was supercharged by crossing another wire exposed by the workmen, and the great voltage caused instant death. O'Connell was 22 years of age.

Washington, D. C., March 25.—Senon Don Manuel De Azpirose, Mexico's first ambassador to the United States, died yesterday from the results of exposure on thauguration day.

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The Canadian Order of the Woodnen of the World gave a very pleasant At Home last night in the I. O. O. F. Auditorium. There was a very good crowd present. N. H. Stevens occupied the chair and presided over a splendid program of music and speech. Excellent solos were sung by speech. Excellent solos were sung by Miss Swan and Wilfrid Smith. R. J. and Will Heath sang a duett and speeches were delivered by Dr. Hall, Mrs. Taylor, of Sarnia, and Mr. Ploughman, of Toronto. Excellent refreshments were served at the

Learning is pleasurable, but doing sthe height of enjoyment.

Every strong-minded woman be-ongs to at least one society for the suppression of something or other.

NEW EAU BOAT

Captain J. W. Averill, of this city, recently purchased the seeamer City of Grand Rapids, from Dan F. Toomey, of Dunkirk. He will operate the vessel this year between Cleveland, Rondeau, Port Stanley and the Canadian shore dooks. There has been no boat on that route for some time, the Urania being the last vessel on it.

Captain Averill has not completed his time schedule yet, but will do so shortly. The City of Grand Rap-ids has been newly fitted out and first-class passenger accommodations have been installed, Cleveland Lead-er.

The grave is the common treasury to which we must all be taxed.

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18.50 p.m. for London and intermediate The rain of the last two days has

The rain of the last two days has removed nearly all the snow.

The farm of the late S. Todd has been sold to Geo. Evans, of the Back Ridge, and he will take possession in the fall.

Mrs. J. K. Laird left last week for a visit with relatives in Elk Rapids, Mich., and other points.

N. E. Mallory's little son Glen is suffering from an abscess on his neck.

Mirrors are a nuisance in the house of a man whose face is branded with eczema. His own reflection shames him. Let him anoint his inflamed, itching skin with Weaver's Cerate and purify his blood with Weaver's Syrup.

JEANNETTE'S CREEK.

Without change for Northwest and coast points, leaving Toronto at 1.45 p. m., on Monday for WINNIPEG Tuesday "VANCOUVER Wednesday for WINNIPEG Friday for WINNIPEG Saturday for VANCOUVER And from North Bay, connecting with Roy Hamilton, the little 7-yearold son of W. Hamilton, is quite sick.
The fishermen who went as delegates to Toronto, were well pleased
over their reception by Premier
Whitney, and are also loud in their
praise of Mr. Clements, M. P.
Miss Flora Peck entertained the C.
C. I. students on Friday evening.
Rev. Mr. Wren and Mrs. Wren and
two little daughters were guests of
Mrs. R. Venning last week.
The river fishermen are not able
to fish this week, as the ice in unsafe and there is a heavy current.
H. J. Cartier spent Saturday and
Sanday in Chatham.
Thos. Dalton was in Windsor on
Tuesday, attending the funeral of
Mr. D. Revel, late conductor on the
Wabash.
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Wabash.
The roads are almost impassable.
The pumps are running.
There was no service in the Methodist Church on Sunday Rev. Mr.
Osborne was unable to get here.

KENT BRIDGE.

A Presbyterian Guild is formed in

Night Sweats

During the months of March, April and May, the Wabash will make sweeping reductions in one way soleolist rates from Canada to Texas. Old Mexico. California. Nevada, Oregon, Jdahe, Montana, Arizona, Utah, Washington and British Columbia. Also round trip tickets on sale daily at greatly reduced rates to the south and west. There is nothing more assuring to the traveller than his knowledge of the fast that he is travelling over the Wabash System, the great winter tourist route to the south and west.

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OISTRICT DOINGS.

Khox church and will meet every Friday evening at eight o'clock, Everyone is cordially invited to attended the meetings,
Alex. Gregory, of Toronto, spent Sunday at his home here.

Miss Ruth Goldworthy has gone to Ridgetown to resume her position as in future reside.

Miss Minne Badder, of Wallace-burg, is the guest of Mrs. A. Hub-

n. Miss Mattie Blackburn has return-Miss Mattie Blackburn has returned to Northville after visiting friends here for the past month.

Miss Kate Huxhes has been appointed organist and Dr. Bucke choir leader of Knox church in the place of Miss Rena Langford, resigned.

Rev. A. W. Hare has moved here, owing to evening service being held in Presbyterian church, by decision of Preabytery.

The Bible contest closed in the Methodist church on Wednesday night, Lome Riseborough's side winning by about 425 points.

Eleven years of constant use in Blyth Ont., is Dr. H. J. Milne's ex-perience with "The D. & L" Emulsion, Do you suppose he would have con-tinued ordering it unless it was the heart?

DARRELL.

The Epworth League of French's church will have a social evening on Tuesday, March' 28, to which all those connected with the League contest are cordially invited. A silver collection will be taken in aid of the League.

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League,
R. Abraham, after a short stay
among friends at Sandwich, returned home on Monday last.

Master A. Arnoid, who has been
seriously ill with congestion of the
lungs, has thoroughly recovered.
On March 16th, to Mr. and Mrs.
Henry Brown, a daughter.
A meeting of the ratepayers of
S. S. No. 2 was held in the school
house on Monday, March 20, in consideration of remodelling the school
house Mr. J. Kennedy, secretarytreasurer of the School Board, was
elected chairman, and S. G. Knight
secretary of the meeting. The motion of F. Blackbarn and D. French
that the secretary of the Board advertise Tor tenders and that the
estimates be submitted to the ratepayers, to be voted upon at the next
meeting, April 12, was carried. Thirteen members of the section were
present.

FLORENCE

Miss Minnie Budd has returne

from Woodstock.

Frank Childs and daughters visited at London last week.

Could enter. Mr. and Mrs. John Gould enter-tained Mr. and Mrs. John Bloom and daughter Stella, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Healey, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bloom and family and Wm. Desday evening.

family and Wm. Christner last Wednesday evening.
Mr. Healey, of Chatham, is visiting friends in Dawn.
Mrs. Morehouse, who has been visiting her brother and other friends here, has returned to her home in Lumsden, Assa.
C. Coleman is suffering with the Erippe.

grippe.
Miss L. Robertson, of Rutherford,
was at Florence last Sunday.

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EVEN HANDED JUSTICE.

The Bread Foundation in Chile Training and Homemaking. I sometimes think that not love, but justice, should be the cornerstone or which home government should build its fair edifice. Justice at the very foundation would do away with heartaches and grievances that are often ignored and resented, would prove more po-tential in the formation of character than any other possible quality in pa-

rental administration.

It is precisely because justice is wounded in the house of its friends that the sweetness of the home is often dashed with bitterness and that children tenderly loved and cherished are hurt and cramped in their proper development by that commonest of fetters, misunderstanding.

misunderstanding.
Passing on to practical, everyday routine, one often sees a scene like this: Johnny is busy with his studies, his Johnny is busy with his studies, his home work, that must be done before he can go out to play. By pegging away hard at the sums and the boundaries he can secure a half hour's ball before supper. Absorbed in his occupation, so important to him, he hears with dismay the command to leave it and amuse his little sister. Few mothers, however, hesitate to interrupt the pursuits of any growing boy or girl if by chance the claims of a younger child get in the way.

way. The opposite side in this case will be presented by some one whose urgent plea will be that by early bearing the yoke we learn compassion for weak-ness and unselfish sympathy. There is a grain of truth here, but it is par-tial truth.

Even handed justice in the home-Even handed justice in the home— the apportioning to the child of every age and stage of progress its rights as an individual, the exercise of care that each in his or her own sphere is pro-tected against wrong from without— tends to making full minded, genuine and lovable character.

It is wise to assign to the older chil-dren in the household certain respon-sibilities in the guardianship of the younger ones. But Mary's walks and talks should not always be spoiled for her because Hetty, half her age, in-sists on joining her, and Ralph's tools and collections and books should never be at the mercy of a small vandal nam-ed Hugh; who, happening to be a little brother, is allowed to meddle with property that is not his.

Only on a broad foundation of jus tice can we build in child training and tice can we build in child it allows homemaking. — Margaret E. Sangster in Good Housekeeping.

A Chicken Novelty.

A new method of cooking poultry has just found its way north, says one of the household magazines. A traveler in the far south praises a dish he had there. A chicken, for in the south they never say here a received. never say hens or poultry or fowls, is dressed and filled with a dough of chestnut meal. The legs are taken off at the second joint, and the wings shortened. It is then put inside a beef bladder which has been carefully pre-pared. The opening of this is tightly closed, and it is then cooked in a kettle of water, the fowl simmering in its

One of the Simplest of Sponge Cakes. Hot water sponge cake is one of the best of the cheaper sponge cakes. Beat the yolks of three eggs and a cup of sugar until very light, add a teaspoonful of lemon juice and a fourth of a cupful of hot water, and continue te beat, then gently fold is the stiffly beaten whites and a cupful of figur. The texture of sponge cake is too delicate to stand heavy icing, and for this cate to stand heavy icing, and for this reason plain boiled icing is preferred

Underslips For Transparent Fabric. The present fashion of transparent or semitransparent material for evening dresses demands silk slips for wearing beneath the dresses. The bodice slip



is cut to insure a perfect fit round the decolletage, and with pointed waist its lines are such as to give a smart appearance to the outer bodice. A good model for the skirt, here shown, fits closely round the waist and hips and with just sufficient flow at the hem to give a graceful effect in walking or deapting.

Cabbage Cooked Without Odor.
According to cooking school lore, cabbage should be cooked uncovered. The odor is quickly diffused by currents of air and is not noticeable. When cooked with the cover on the odor becomes concentrated and escapes with full force to every part of the house as soon as the cover is raised.

Cross Children Made Happy.
Cross children can often be transformed into the most amiable of little beings by a drink of water, a bite of something to eat, ten minutes' rest and a good "bear's hug" from mother, says Mrs. Theodore W, Birney of the National Congress of Mothers.

DISTRICT

MITCHELL'S BAY.

The chicken pie social held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunlop on Wednesday evening of last week, was a saccess. The program was rendered by Miss Hicklin of Chatham; Roy Clancy, of Wallaceburg, and the Campbell string band of Tupperville.

Our brass band will soon be in shape for another season of hard playing.

Joe Bram is slowly recovering after being laid up for some time with a dislocated ankle.

E. McDowell is sporting a new driver.

DAWN VALLEY.

The social held here last Wednes-The social held here last Wednesday aight under the auspices of the Ladies Aid of the Methodist church was a decided success. The program was furnished chiefly by Miss Trotter and Mr. Coats, of Florence, and Miss Thomas, of Groton, who delighted the audience with vocal and instrumental solos. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Craft's duett also received loud appliause Grace Healy aud the Dawn Mills quartette, which rendered several selections, were also pleasing numbers on the program.

NORTHWOOD.

John Roe is seriously ill with pneu-

Our two sawmills both started to saw on Monday morning. This will be a busy year for Peter Campbell, as he had a large stock of logs in this

bell, as he had a large stock of logs in this year.

The football boys realized about \$22 out of their concert, which places them in good financial standing. Peter Osterhout returned from Guelph last Eriday, where he was the local representative for the Canadian Home Cirole to the Supreme Lodge. They have just closed a prosperous and successful year, but next year promises to be still more successful.

Mr. Ogletree, of the Wallaceburg Sugar Beet Co., was in the village last Friday in the interests of the ompany.
Orvil Osterhout, of Chatham,

spending a few days with his parents here.

The next Sunbeam meeting will be held at the residence of Mr. Beech on March 28th. Everybody welcome. Fall wheat is looking very good since the snow has disappeared.

The roads are in a bad condition around here.

Do the Right Thing when sore chest and tickling throat warn you that an all-winter cold threaten. Use the staunch old remedy. Perry Davis' Pankiller, and get rid of the pest in twenty-four hours. 25 and 50c,

SOUTH BUXTON.

March has been pleasant thus far and the great banks of snow are rapidly disappearing.

We hear of several farmers sowing wheat, but there is not any growth in the ground yet; besides the land is much the worse of being stirred when it is so wet, and the furrows cannot be cleaned out. A party of 25 pleasure seekers took possession of Mr. Joes Bennett's home on Thursday evening last, when a very pleasant time was spent in music and cames till a late hour.

On Weinerden Late 1

hour,
On Wednesday last Mr. W. B.
Scamon and Miss Elsie Knott were
united in wedlock by Rev. Mr.
Thompson, of Charing Cross. They
will begin housekeeping on the old
Scamon farm. Scamon farm.
Mrs. James Gilbula has returned

Mrs. James Gilfula has returned from an extended visit to Detreit. The Foresters are preparing to erect a hall or lodge room in the near future. Plans have been drawn. Jos. Robbins, A. Robbins and Mrs. A. Scott are convalescing.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Matthews, of Ericau, sneet Sunday the greets of Erican, spent Sunday the guests Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Burk,

DOVER

The material for the new church at Bear Line is all hauled and the builders will start to work April 1. The hind church choir is progressing (avorably under the directions of their new leader, Mr. Ed. Jack-

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George McKenzie, of Mitchell's Bay,
took charge of the Hinds' church
services Sunday, Rev. Mr. Brown being ill with is grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Glassford have
returned to Chatham after a month's
visit with Mrs. Glassford's parents,
Mr. and Mrs. G. Foy.

A little lady visitor has come to
stay at the home of Mr. Dulodg's.
While Mr. Jackson, of Chatham,
was going to choir practise at Mr.
Chapplis a week ago Saturday
night his cutter upset in one of the
show banks on the seventh, throwing him from the cutter. The horse
ran about a mile, when it was stopped by Miss J. Gilmore and Mrs.
Fleming, who neld jit till Mr. Jackson came along. No damage was
done, however.

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Thursday, week, in this vicinity.
Mr. Watson, of Bear Line store, treated a number of his friends to an oyster supper Wednesday evening. The evening was spent in games and other amusements.

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Robert Rankin says that the story, "Uncle Perry," that is published in The Planet, is the finest he ever read. Bob knows The Planet publishes nothing but the best. The farmers are busy in this vicinity shoveling snow out of the ditches to let off water.

Wm. Roe, white at the picket mill, met with a bad accident. While handling plank one dropped on his foot and brussed two of his toes kery hadly.

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Chas. Jackson started farming on

ended the sale of Mr. Baker on the

Joha Owen sold a horse for \$80 last week.

The funeral of the late Mrs. John Stewart took place from her late residence on the lath concession to the Methodist cemetery on Sunday afternoon. Deceased was 71 years of age and was highly esteemed by all who knew her. She leaves a husband and four daughters to mourn her loss. The children are Mrs. Jon. Campbell, of Dover; Mrs. Dougal Crawford, of Dover; Mrs. John Milliner, of Quinn, and Mrs. S. Templeton, of Mooretown.

Quite a number of Baldoon people attended an auction sale at Tupperville the other days

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John Crawford, of Ailsa Craig, is visiting friends in this neighborhood.

A large number of our people at-tended the chicken pie social at Mr. C. Dunlop's, Mitchell's Bay, on Wed-nesday evening. They say it was a

success.

Messrs, Roe and Rankin are doing Messrs. Ree and kankin are doing a good business sawing lumber and pickets. They have two months sawing here before they move their mill up north.

The funeral of the late Mrs. John

a good time at their pancake social on April 21st.

Mr. Alex. Gordon had a narrow escape from being burt the other night. While driving home from lodge his horse got frightened and ran away.

Mr. John Owen sold a valuable horse one day last week.

Mr. Joseph Foy, of Glencoe, is visiting friends here.

D. Hoy is spending this week with friends in Windsor.
Wm. Kearns visited friends on the
Drake Road on Sunday.

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Hoping He Won't Find It. "That man's always looking for

"Yes, that's what he says, but he's one of those people who go round with a snow shovel in July and a pitchfork in January." March A Comment

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THE NEW VOGUE

INVENTIONS OF THE MODISTES THAT ARE NOW ON TRIAL

How the Revival of Cashmere Is Exploited—The, Elbow Sleeve Charm-ingly Graceful—Attractive Features Ulustrated In Smart Costumes.

The caprices of fashion are never so ackle as when the vogue of a season is being evolved. One of the tentative efforts of Paris, shown in the cut, illustrates the revival of cashmere. This



A COSTUME OF THE DEMISEASON

cachemire souple. Golden brown and red checked taffets compose the vest and undersleeves of the long basqued coat, which is cut in tabs decorated with small taffeta buttons.

Of the elbow sleeve, whose vogue Of the ellow sleeve, whose vogue seems assured despite all the atmospheric uncertainties of spring, one of the figures in the second cut gives a charming illustration. The dress is of red cashmere cloth, trimmed with nar-row lines of braid to match, the waistcoat being of white cloth, the cravat and sleeve frills of deep ecru net.

The hat of this costume also deserves notice. It is of a favorite shape. Made in red felt, it is trimmed with a shaded



CASHMERE AND VELVETEEN GOWNS ostrich feather and has a band former of three rows of huge red beads round

the crown. pretty role in the spring millinery, some of the brims of Paris hats being

The second figure of the sketch represents a dress of soft green velveteen, with little frillings of the same color in taffeta, bearing a vest of the palest shade of blue. The skirt to this is very novel and deserves special attention.

The sleeves represent the most not-able revival of the moment, a sleeve which sets outward from the shoulder and is narrow below the elbow. These entirely reverse the order of their predecessors, which sloped on the shoulder and were full at the wrist. It is difficult to decide which is the

more attractive.

This costume, again, exploits one of the very smart hats of the spring.

The draping of the bodices about the figure distinguishes many of the latest of both evening and day gowns.

AMY VARNUM.

For finger rings the emerald is said to lead all precious stones. Emeralds of elliptical and ovoid shapes are worn only by elderly women, while young women affect the square cut emerald. Sometimes this stone is outlined in small diamends, but far more fashionable is a fine beading of gold wire. At first blush so plain a setting might appear dull and unattractive, but it takes only a shert time for an observer to realize that those effulgent stones need as elaborate frame to set off their beauty. It the same unobstrusive way its set the dome shaped emerald, from whose polished surface the light reflects with a peculiar sheen.

Measure three level teacupfuls of entire wheat flour, and mix with it a heaping tablespoonful of finely crushed nuts—pecan, wainut, Brazil nut or any kind preferred. Add two cupfuls of cold water, beat or stir to a smooth batter, then add half a cupful or more of cold water to make the batter like sponge cake. Incorporate all the fresh air possible in two or three minutes' beating and stirring or until it is full of air bubbles. Fill the hot gem pans and put at once into a hot even.

The Value of Charcoal

Few People Know How Useful it is in Preserving Health and Beauty.

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Nearly everybody knows that charcoal is the safest and most efficient disinfectant and purifier in nature, but few realize its value when taken into the human system for the same cleansing purpose.

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rowdered willow charcoal, and other harmless antiseptics in tablet form or rather in the form of large, leasant, tasting lozenges, the charcoal being mixed with honey.

The daily use of these lozenges will soon tell in a much improved condition of the general health, better

sout tell in a much 10/1700c condi-tion of the general health, better complexion, sweeter breath and purer blood, and the beauty of it is, that no possible harm can result from their continued use, but on the con-trary, great benefit.

A Buffalo physician in speaking of the benefits of charcoal says: "I ad-vise Stnart's Charcoal Lozenges to all patients suffering from gas in stomach and bowels, and to clear the complexion and purify the breath, mouth and throat; I also believe the liver is greatly benefited by the daily use of them; they cost but twenty-five cents a box at drug stores, and although in some sense a patent preparation, yet I believe I get more and better charcoal in Stuart's Char-coal Lozenges than in any of the ordinary charcoal tablets."

Only a Beginning The rich widower was paying assidu-us court to the handsome young wom-

an lawyer.

If don't know, Mr. Welloph," she dements to be considered, you know."
"If that is all, Miss Maggie," he saic, we'll have no trouble." Here he slipped a diamond ring on her

"How does that strike you?" he ask

"H'm!" she rejoined, holding it up to the light and inspecting it critically.
"I think it will do quite well—as a re-

SHE FOUND A DIFFEREN E

A Buffalo Lady says: - Dr. Leon-hardt's Anti-Pill differs from the old methods in Medicine as day from night.

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The English "Society for the Prevention of Consumption" presided over by the Prince of Wales, was recently addressed by Sir William Broadbent, who stated that it was definitely known that every case of consumption began with a germ communicated from some other case. There is no such thing as inherited consumption. There may be local weakness which tends to consumption, but the germ has absolutely to be planted in that weak spot before consumption can ensue. This ought to comfort thousands of people who have "weak chests" or "weak lungs," They are not foreordained victims of this dread disease, All that's needed to bid absolute defiance to this deadly secure, is to be able to strengthen the weak lungs, and build up a strong body. The answer to this is found in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It so purifies the blood and increases the blood supply, that disease is thrown off, and the weak organs are nourished into perfect health, which defies germs of every kind. People, given up by doctors, emaciated, bleeding at the lungs with obstinate, lingering coughs, are being cured every day by the use of "Golden Medical Discovery." It is a strictly temperance medicine containing no alcohol, whiskey or other intoxicant.

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The threads of the silkworm, although of great value as a commercial product, are so coarse and rough com-pared with the silk of the spider that they cannot be used in such instru-ments.

Spider lines, although but a fraction of a thousandth of an inch in diameter, are made up of several thousands of microscopic streams of fluid, which unite and form a single line, and it is because of this that they remain true and round under the highest magnifying power.

A SCHOOLBOY'S DECISION.

Different, It Might Have Changed the

World's History.
"When Charles Wesley, one of the when Charles Wesley, one of the founders of Methodism, was at school a gentleman of the same name intro-duced himself by letter to the boy's father and declared his intention of making Charles his heir," says a writer. "From that time forth the bene-factor discharged the boy's liability at school and behaved as the hands Santa Claus all the year round. After some years the incognito asked the boy if he would accompany him to Ireland. Charles eventually decided against going. The stranger went his way alo In Ireland he struck up an acquaintance with a person who adopted his name of Wesley, or Wellesley, became the first Earl of Mornington, grandfather of the Marquis of Wellesley and of the Duke of Wellington. Charles Wesley accompanied his benefactor to Ireland there had been no Methodist church, British India might still have been menaced by foes, even if it remained British at all; Napoleon would never have met his Waterloo. and England might have become an appanage of France. All this turned upon the decision of a schoolboy."

ORIGIN OF LLOYD'S.

Humble Beginning of Europe's Great

Two centuries ago a man who had a cargo to send to the Mediterranean contrived to get rid of some of the risk by inducing a friend to take an interest with him. It was necessary to write out a statement of contract to which the guarantors subscribed. This was the first underwriting. These two men the guarantors subscribed. This was the first underwriting. These two men happened to be frequenters of Lloyd's coffee house in London, which was a favorite place for the merchants of the town to gather to discuss business or to

Others immediately saw the advantage of the scheme which their col-leagues had devised, and on the next leagues had devised, and on the next voyage the risk was parceled out among a larger number of the patrons of the coffee house.

Out of this small beginning has

grown the great European maritime agency, still bearing the name of the humble coffee house proprietor, and which not only writes risks on vessels, but rates them and publishes their arrivals at every port the world over, no matter how small or how remotely sit-uated.—From "The Annals of the

A Factory Chapel.

For more than half a century the lace manufacturing firm of Messrs. Thomas Adams & Co., Nottingham, England, have insisted on all their work people, who number some hundreds of both sexes, attending a short service such menuing prior to commence service such menuing prior to commence. service each morning prior to con service each morning prior to commencing their day's work. The firm have a large chapel underneath their warehouse, with an excellent organ, while the choir, composed of their own employees, is one that would do credit to many of our leading places of worship. A local clergyman attends each morning for the service, which usually lasts about half an hour, and a sermon is preached three times a week.

Dog Announces Cressings.

A blind man and a spaniel dog leading him with the aid of chain furnished, a cirious sight on Chestnut street the other day. Pedestrians looked on in amazement, and many followed the blind man and his friend to see if anything curious would happen when they reached a street crossing. Strange enough, the dog barked when the curbstone was reached and in that way informed the blind man that he should be careful and step down.

Chance For a Bargain,
Wife-Henry, dear! Husband-Well?
Wife-I want to make a bargain with
you. If you will let me have £2 this
afternoon I will let you do £3 worth
of grumbling about my extravagance.
—London Tit-Bits.

Mrs. Maguire—Tis Mary Ann O'Rell-ly thot's th' foine planny player intoire-ly! Mrs. Clancy—Shure, an' no won-dher! Isn't her Uncle Barney a planny "The reason," said Uncle Thomas, "that some stupid men get along better than some smart ones is that they don't keep talkin' all the time and makin' enemies."

BABY COVERED WITH HUMOUR

Ears Looked as if They Would Drop Off-Body Entirely Covered with Sores - Three Doctors Could Not Cure - Child Grew Worse.

CURED BY CUTICURA IN TWO WEEKS

Mrs. George J. Steese, of 701 Coburn St., Akron, Ohio, tells in the following letter of another of those remarkable cures of torturing, disfiguring skin humours daily made by Cuticura, after physicians and all else had failed: "I feel it my duty to parents of other poor suffering babies to tell you what Cuticura has done for my little daughter. A humour broke out all over her body, and we used everything recommended, but without results. Three doctors all claimed they could help her, but she continued to grow worse. Her body was a mass of sores, her little face was being caten away, and her ears looked as if they would drop off. Neighbours advised me to get Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and before I had used half of the cake of Cuticura Soap and the box of Cuticura Ointment, the sores had all healed, and my little one's face and body were as clear as a new-born babe's. I would not be without it again if it cost a fortune instead of the small sum it did cost us to cure our baby, after spending much money on doctors and medicines without any benefit whatever."

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COQUELIN'S REPLY.

How the French Actor Got Into the Sub Rosa Club. One of the most famous of the Quar-tier Latin clubs in Paris is the one

which is called the Sub Rosa. The elder Coquelin, the great actor, was present one night at the club's weekly feast and applied for member ship. Naw, the only rules of the Sub Rosa men are: "Think much. Write little. Be as silent as you can." The presiding officer, with this last rule in mind, answered the applicant by plac-ing before him a tumbler filled so full of water that another drop would have caused it to run over. Coquelin under-The club membership was ob stood. The viously full.

Over the table was suspended a rose the club emblem. While the glass still stood before him Coquelin broke a petal from the flower and laid it so gently on the water that not a single drop escaped. A silent man could join and make no frouble.

Around the table ran a ripple of smiles and little hand claps and nods of approval, and then, as if of one accord all began making bread balls. Then a cup was passed from hand to hand and each deposited his "ballot" in it, and all were found to be round. Not one had been pressed flat in sign of disapproval. So Coquella joined the Sub-Rosa club.—Warwick James Price in

As a man is within so he judges what is without.

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WANTED—A good housekeeper, or as man and his wife, without incumbrance, to work on a farm. Address A. L. Bienett, Blenheim, Ont., Box 206. GENTS CAPABLE OF HANDLING a high grade proposition can make a small fortune in a short time. Apply Cooper, 355-7 Clarence St. London, Ont.

WANTED—Married man to care for horses and garden. Good wages; steady employment. House and garden furnished. Apply in person-to Dr. Langford, Blenheim.

YOUNG MAN WANTED AT ONCE OVER MAN WANTED AT ONCE Over 21 years of age, with fair education and knowledge of farm stock, to take charge of a branch business for an established firm; good position. Must be able to deposit at least \$250. Write immediately, giving full particulars. A personal interview necessary, Address 40, Bank of Toronto Chambera, London, Ont.

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to four miles from Dresden, good land and on very reasonable terms. For further particulars apply to-D. V. Hicks, Dresden, Ont. ARM TO RENT-The north east half of lot 15, in 4th concession, Raleigh, 100 acres, known as the "Huthnance Farm." Apply to Mrs. C. C. Goodyear. Queen street, Chatham.

FARM FOR SALE OR RENT — The North half of Lot 9, Concession 5, Township of Chatham, containing 100 acres, 1-2 miles from Darrell station, 6 miles from Chatham. For further particulars apply to Thomas Campbell, St. Clair street, or address Box 243, Chatham P. O.

FOR SALE—Building, business and good will of an old-established merchant-tailor trade, one of the best in the West, average six to eight hands the year round. Stock very small. A snap for the right man, Satisfactory reasons for selling. Terms to suit purchaser. Apply J. Davidson, Thamesville, Ont.

FARM FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE for city property—River farm, 94-acres, all under cultivation; well watered and in high state of cultivation; one-half mile from school house, store and church. Houseand lots for sale in the city for \$375 and newards. Apply to M. H. McGarvin, Chatham.

BARM FOR SALE—North east halfs of Let 16, Front soncession, Township of Harwich, 133 acres. Allolesred, clay loam, two good assets frame houses. Large frame bare and eattle shed; stable and drivebarn combined; granary and implement house. Suildings all in good repair; about five acres of orchard; artesias well, windmill and pump; three other wells, Frice \$8,000.00, Apply on the premises to Mrs. John J. Walrath, og to W. F. Smith, barrister and suijelator, Chatham. Ont.

HORSE ASTRAY-Black pony mare astray, from Dover, and support to have gone into Tilbury. aged and was shod. A reward will be paid for information that will lead to its recovery. Address Capt. Jas. Steinhoff, Wallaceburg. 10

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Tenders addressed to John Kennedy, Chatham, will be received until Monday, April 10th, 1965, for repairschool house in Section No. 3, in Chatham Township; papering and siding, brick foundation, or papering and veneering.

Lowest or any tender not necessar-

NOTICE TO CUNTRACTORS.

Sealed bulk or separate tenders, addressed to Oliver H. Owene, will be received at the office of the undersigned architect until Friday, March 51st, 1905, for the various trades, including coment concrete foundation, brickwork, plastering, carpenterwork, painting and glazing, plambing and hot air heating, required for the erection and completion of a residence in Dover, about thirteen miles from Chatham.

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Wanted Thos. Jacques, of Toronto, will be at the fol-owing places to buy a car of horses :-Tuesday—March 28, Westoott Hotel

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April 1st- McGarwin's

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ably assisted by a strong bunch of jesters and merry makers.

Matinee Prices-Children 10c, nd adults, 25c. Night-25c, 35c. and 50c.

NEW FRUIT STORE. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

Abraham Jakoor Will open a Wholesale and Retail Fruit Store, Next to the Rankin House in the store lately occupied by Mr. Tilt, where on

Saturday, March 25, 1905, swill be found a choice assortment of FRUITS OF ALL KINDS,

Also Confectionery, Tobacco and Olgars. Parties requiring any of the above at Wholesale or re-tail will find it to their advantage to give Mr. Jakoor a call or telephone

District Dashes!

Mrs. Mary Lidster, relict of the late John Lidster, and one of the oldest and most respected pioneers of Zone Tp., passed into the rest beyond, Friday, March 10, 1905.—Thamesville Herald.

Mf: and Mrs. James Murray, of Howard, celebrated the 59th anniversary of their wedding on the 3rd inst. Both are in splendid health and quite active. Mr. Murray, who is 80 years of age, is one of the pioneers of these parts, coming here about 70 years ago. — Thamesville Herald.

Although Mrs. Chadwick is receiving her share of space in the different papers of this country and the United States, some of the details of her early life have, escaped notice. Cassie, in her girlhood, was a servant in the Mayhew Hotel, Thamesville, and many of the residents delight in telling tales of her escapedes there. Over thirty years ago, her father was section foreman of the Grand Trunk at Appin.

"No man should be mulcted in dam "No man should be mulcted in damages who breaks a promise he has made to marry a woman who, he afterwards learns, is afflicted with tuberculosis." This was the opinion given by Superior Court Judge Albertson, of Seattle, in passing upon a motion to strike out certain questions propounded in the suit of Rosens E. Grover against Mayor Zook, of Ballard, in which the young woman seeks to recover from him \$25,000 damages for breach of promise. The court declared the state had the right to prevent any marriage which right to prevent any marriage which would be dangerous to its welfare.

Mrs. David Henderson, of Tilbury, North, died on Monday, March 13, 905 aged 85 years. Deceased was North, died on Monday, March 13, 1905, aged 85 years. Deceased was married in Quebec about 65 years ago and removed to Tilbury North in 1850 and was among the oldest settlers of the township, settling on lot 18, M. R. S., where she has since resided Deceased was always a consistent member of the Fresbyterian Church and leaves many warm friends, besides a sorrowing husband, aged 87 years, and four sons and three daughters— Mrs. Margaret Dodd, of Alberta; William, of Winnipeg; John, of Blenheim; Mrs. Samuel Moffat, of Tibury North; Mrs. William Dodson, of Tibury West: Robert, of Tibury East, and David on the homestead.

Mineral Baths

Chatham, Dec. 18, 1901.

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For some years I was so badly used up with rheumatism in my hip and leg that I could not walk without suffering severe pain and finally got so bad that I was confined to my bed. I tried almost every kind of patent medicines beside consulting physicians, but obtained an relief. At last I was persuaded to try the mineral water and used it in liberal quantities. From the first I felta decided change for the better, and now I can say I have entirely recoved. I cannot recommend the mineral water too highly and am pleased to such a magnificent establishment erected for the treatment of cases like mine.

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BEN-HUR

The Grandest Spectacle of the Century to be Staged in Detroit.

Towering triumphantly as aost massive and picturesque as well s the most impressive dramatic spectacle in the history of the world, "Ben-Hur" will seek new honors at the Detroit Opera House the week of March 27th, Never before in the history of Detroit amusements has an announcement of a theatrical production created such a sensation, for it means something new to the public to see a dramatic spectacle on the colossal scale of the present production. The scenic settings to be used are those which marked the World's Fair run in St. Louis this past summer and the engagement now being played at the Big Chicage Auditorium, They were imported

SHORT SESSION

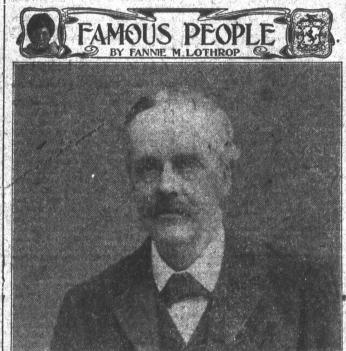
City Council Held Business Meeting Last Evening-The Radial Road By-Law.

The Council acted with despatch ast night and, after a quick twentyninute session, adjourned. During that 20 minutes, however, they passed a by-law granting partial exemption from taxes to the electric railroad, and also passed a number of accounts. Ald. Austin moved that Assess

Sonne be granted \$50 on account. Carried.

Ald. Ainsworth presented an application from Thomas Kime, for the position of Inspector. Referred to Board of Works.

Ald. Potter presented a reques from Jane E. Douglas for permission to sell a lot in Maple Leaf Cem-



ARTHUR J. BALFOUR

The Evolution of a Prime Minister The Prime Minister of Great Britain, Arthur James Balfour, is a strange paradox. A power in politics, he cares nothing for the game; with little or no ambition, he has risen to a position second only to that of the King; of a dreamy, philosophic temperament, he has proved himself a way.

paradox. A power in politics, he cares nothing for the game; with little or no ambition, he has risen to a position second only to that of the King; of a dreamy, philosophic temperament, he has proved himself a man of instant action in every emergency.

He was born in 1848 in Scotland, the son of a wealthy Scotchman, and Lady Cecil, sister of the late Lord Sallsoury. At Eton and Cambridge he won no medals for special brilliancy, and no microscopic examination revealed a germ of future greatness. He was a member of "The Souls," a society of enthusiasts vainly seeking the "ultimate" among the list of lite's unattainables. When twenty-six he entered Parliament, and was bored and cynical, taking neither himself nor his work seriously: a spectator of life rather than a struggler. As the weak member of "the Fourth Party," he was the good-natured butt of the House and was usually summed up by his fellows as "clever but hippelessly lazy."

In 1888, to the amazement and amusement of England, Sallsbury, his uncle, named him the successor of Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, Chief Secretary for Treland. This post that had brought the snow of age to the heads of strong men and had even killed some of them in the fierce days of the "Land League" was given to this young, gentle, easy-going individual. The Irish members smiled knowingly and rubbed their hands in the glee of anticipation—but it was all premature. Daniel was surely thrown into the hon's den, but the lions had not reckoned on the marvellous transformation.

The indolent, careless manner of Balfour suddenly fell from him as if it were a magic mantle. He stood before them a man of keen judgment, iron will, rigorous and virile force and a master in executive power. He braved allike their taunts, their threats, their insolence and their shuse until they became tired. They were like fairy bullets that hit him but did not hut him. His firmness, liberality and good sense at last won his enemies.

From one high position to another he rose without any seeming effort, till his pre

Entered according to Act of the Parliament of Canada, in the year 1904, by W. C. Mack, at the Der

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If you are Hanning to have a liome of your own, huy one of the lots still left in the "Athlette Ground Survey, and huid the kind of hours you want. The location is the best in the city, the green of the best in the city, the green of the best attends and railway stations, and aimated between two of the best attends and railway stations, and aimated between two of the best attends and railway stations, and aimated between two of the best attends in the city, For particulars see D. Melachlan, Business College.

A dull razer is full of the old nick.

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If the American drama had done absolutely nothing worthy in its long mareer but this; had its fame to rest solely upon this one noble product of Messrs. Klaw & Erlanger, it has justified its existence; for in this at least, it has shown that the stage may be given over to uses wholly worthy, highly commendable and which cannot fall to exert the greatest possible blessing on mankind—that of bringing home with immense force and dignity, the eternal truth and verity of the birth into the world of Jesus, the Saviour of mankind.

To every man, no matter what his

kind.

To every man, no matter what his conditions, "Ben-Hur" has its appeal, it appeals to the deep-grained, firm-rooted religious feeling in the human heart and brings back with great directness, the simple leasons and divine truths that every man born in a Christian land learned at his mother's knees.

The biggest ains are the ones for which we have no appetite.

No man is a fool who realizes his

Those whon, soglected coughs have killed were once as healthy and robust as you. Don't follow in their paths of neglect. Take

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right now. It is guaranteed to cure. It has cured many thousands.

THE KING EDWARD

Splendid New Grocery Store Opened Opposite Fifth St Bridge-Messrs New Firm.

The King Edward is the newest greaty business in the city, and at will always be found keeping up the



Messrs, George Bartlett and Harry Northwood, the proprietors, are bothwell known young men of this city. Mr. Bartlett has spent the better part of his life in the grocery trade and understands it thoroughly. Both members of the firm are graduates of the Malcolmson store. When last week they purchased the Bon Marche grocery from Chas. Dunn everyo



The King Edward is one of the best and brightest establishments of the kind in the city, and its appearance is such as to appeal to the thrifty housewife. The King Edward, the new store, with the new name and the new firm, will always be found giving close attention to business, and prompt delivery will be a feature.

Mr. Bartlett assures the public that any child can stop in the store and be assured of receiving just as careful attention as the mother or father would. The stock is bright and up-to-date, and the King Edward is equipped to meet all the requirements of the modern grocery

******* WORLD OF SPORT

LAURUSSE

CLUB RE-ORGANIZED. The many lovers and supporters of Canada's national game will be delighted to learn that Chatham will have a fast Intermediate lacrosse team this year.

A very enthusiastic meeting of lacrosse supporters was held in the Garner House parlors last evening, when the Tecumseh lacrosse club was re-organized for the coming sea

Among those who were present were: Messrs P. S. Coate, Geo. Heyward, W. Stone, Walter Piggott, J.

were: Messers P. S. Coate, Geo. Heyward, W. Stone, Walter Piggott, J. McCoig, Stringer, E. B. Northwood, Joseph Tilt, F. H. Brisco, Fead, Taylor, Striker, Bragg, Jacques, Fleming, W. J. Young, Grace, Elliot, Angus, Stewart, Alexander, W. Shillington, Oldershaw, W. Leitch, Fred Cowan and others. The following officers were elected:—
Hon. Past Presidents — Arthur Richardson and Robt. Gray.
Hon. Pres.—John McCoig, Hon. Vice-Pres.—Mayor Cowan, Pres.—Geo. Massey, Vice-Pres.—F. D. Laurie, Sec'y—W. J. Young.
Treas.—Walter Piggott.
Finance Com.—Jos. Tilt, Hy. Northwood, P. S. Coate, W. Stone and Geo. Heyward.
Playing Manager—F. Grace.
Rep. to C. L. A.—W. J. Young.
Executive—Massey, Laurie, Young and Piggott.
Patrons—H. S. Clements, M. P., A. B. McCoig, M. P. P., Geo. Stephens, ex. M. P., T. L. Parto, ex. M. P. P., T. A. Smith, Dr. Hall, N. H. Stevens, S. M. Glenn, J. Watt, Wm. Ball, Rev. A. H. MacGillivray, John Piggott, W. S. Hadley, W. E. Merrit, J. D. O'Keeffe, J. S. Tumer, H. D. Smith, W. E. Rispil, S. Stephenson, A. C. Woodward and J. M. Pike.
It was decided to enter the intermediate class, the same as last year, and to engage and sign players at once. The finance committee was instructed to zet out at once for subscriptions. It was not decided what arrangements would be made for securing grounds to play on.
It is expected that St. Thomas, London and Windsor will be in the same district as Chatham

PARK ST. DHURGH MUSIC TO-MORROW

MORNING. Anthem, "The Homeland,"
Tenor Solo,
Theme-The Second Table of the
Covenant,

EVENING.

Anthem, "Now the Day is Over,"
Ladies quartette, "On Day of Rest
and Gladness."
Theme—Parent and Child,

ALL FIGURES

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Sack Suits, both single and double breasted, in more patterns than you will see in two ordinary

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The Letter-Box *******

Chatham Planet,
Chatham, Out.:

Dear Sir,—A few days ago there appeared in the Chatham press an article copied from the Detroit Tribune, which I believe was inspired by the enemies of asphalt block, When I read it I was inclined to pay very little attention to it, but, after learning that it had been copied in nearly, all fine papers of Western Ontario, I felt it my duty to take steps to have it centradisted. Of fourse the people here it windsor know the pavement referred to on Ouellette avenue was not manufactured by our company. They also know that the report as it appeared in the aper was greatly exaggerated, and that it had been down double the time stated in the article, I enclose some testimonials from residents of Windsor who formerly resided in Chatham, and are well known and thoroughly reliable.

Yours fruly,
R. BANGHAM.
Windsor, Manch 24, 1905.

Women do not bid for compliments, but they know how to lead up to

The coign of vantage is all right f you can convert it into cash.

DISTRICT DOINGS.

TILBURY

March 25.—A strapping six-foot beggar with his arm in a sling and a breath on bim like a distillery, made the rounds of the village on Wednesday with such good success that he celebrated the event by getting good and drunk and locating in the livery stable for the night. He was arrested by Constable Wellwood, held in the look-up all night, and yesterday was sentenced to 610 fine or 30 days in Charham jail. He chose the latter, On his begging expedition he got quite abasive when his victims refused to "cough up" to assist in paying his fare to a St. Thomas hespital for treatment, An examination, however, showed there was nothing wrong with his arm.

A large crowd filled Anderson Hall last night on the occasion of a first class display of the Passion Play, the Coronation of King Edward and views of Irish scenery. The event was under the auspices of St. Francis & C. church.

views of Irish scenery. The event was under the auspices of St, Francis R. C. church.
A. F. Nelson leaves next week for New Ontario, and later for Alberta.
E. W. Jacobs has made the cham-pion bowling score of 264, the pre-vious record being 255, made by Harry Laird,

Whoseever serves his country well has no need of ancestors.

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The Chatham Daily Planet.

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CHATHAM, ONT., SATURDAY, MARCH 25, 1905

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Among The Trees

A Splendid Article on the Willow Contributed to Birds in Nature' by Mrs. Will Singer, the Maple

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impulse to toss aside her sewing, and jeiding, she took a broad-rimmed hat and crossing the lawn Tollowed a little by-path to the river, where she stepped into a cance and was soon afloat on the broad bosom of the stream. How pretty the banks looked with their great masses of foliage wrightened by featoons of wild cucumber vines! She thoroughly enjoyed the seene as she made her way down stream, each bend in the river opening out like a panorams before her appreciative eyes as she drifted idly, or glided swiftly, playing her paddle as deftly and loftly as any Indian maiden. Just ahead, where a great mass of foliage drooped over until it touched the water, she noticed a small-opening between the branches. Curiosity prompted her to steer her cance into this opening, and an exclamation of delight escaped her lips, as she found therself in a perfect little arbor! How pretty those gray-green minnows look! What a soft mellow light there is in here; I think I'll make myself comfortable and enjoy the movelty of this summer house," thought Mabel, as she placed a cushion under her head and looked upward. A slight breeze was stirting; just rippling the water and playing wift the willow leaves, making a musical murmur like the sweet warbing of some feathered songster. "How would you like to have me talk to you?" Mabel thought she beard the Willow Tees as, "Oh I would be delighted, especially if you have any nice legends in connection with your family."

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"Legends! To be sure we have; have yound fill the immense fireplace with your and cast flickerin

the grandfather would fell trees day and at right they would fell trees day and at right they would fob the brush burning through the daks between the logs. But do tell the legend, Willow Tree."

think that is rather sad. If I been the gods I would have d the cross, old father into a and had the maiden and her

"We, too, are an ancient family, for remains of us are found in the cretaceous rocks, and as for being numerous, our family embraces one hundred and sixty species, although we number only twenty distinct branches. David referred to us in his beautiful songs; when the Hebrews were led captive into astrange land they sat themselves down by the waters of Babylon and hanged their harps on willow trees."

"A Weepinz Willow grows over my grandmother's grave."

"Then the Weeping Willow will be of more interest to you, so I will tell you the history of that relative first. It is a native of Asia and it is said that its name was suggested by the continual lamentations of the Hebrews, although Thoreau—one of your men who went out into the woods and built himself a shanty on the margin of a little lake where he studied Nature and her wonderful secrets, delving deep into her hidden mysteries—says: It may droop—it is so little and supple—but it never weeps. It droops, not to represent David's tears, but rather to snatch the crown from Alexander's head."

"If the Weeping Willow is anative of Asia, how did it ever get over here?"

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"If the Weeping Willow is anative of Asia, how did it ever get over here?"
"I'm coming to that. A package was sent from Turkey to a Lady Suffolk in England. It was bound with a number of withes, one of which appeared quite fresh. Curiosity prompted Pope to take this withe and plant it in his villa at Twickenham, where it grew to be a beautiful tree and it is the ancestor of all those which have since lived in America. Pope loved this tree and after his death so many of the admirers of this poet—who though deformed and sickly, wrote such beautiful verses that they still live—came to gaze upon the tree that the owner became annoyed and caused it to be cut down. However, before this happened, a young British officer came to America and brought with him, carefully wrapped in oiled silk, a twig of the delebrated tree. This was given to a stepson of General Washington, who planted it near his home in Abingdon, Virginia. This child of Pope's willow flourished in an ailen soil and it is claimed that all the Weeping Willows of our broad and beautiful land are its children."
"That is an interesting bit of history. I wonder how it is that history is easier learned in this way than by reading it in books?"

The Willow Tree did not seem to hear her, no douth he was thinking of the different members of his family, and Mabel, who was quietly enjoying the novelty of her sylvan retreat, closed her eyes as if in sleep, when a leaf fluttered down upon her face. Its touch was so gentle that she would not have noticed it, if she had not heard a gentle rustling of leaves, which seemed to shape themselves into words.

"You have no doubt heard of the divining rods of the ancient Soythi-

"You have no doubt heard of the divining rods of the ancient Soyrhjans, which Herodotus tells us were of the Willow. Another number of our family, the White Poplar, was consecrated to Heroules because he destroyed Casani

In the brush burning through the chicks between the logs. But do tell the legend, Willow Tree."

"I auppose you have forgotten the pattern! If you had one of those old plates here you could understand it much better."

"Never mind; I have one at home which dear old graadmother gave me as a keepsake; it stands on a little bracket in my room. Tell me the legend, for I have never heard. It legend for I have never heard it had been in got heard it much it will move theroughly in my mind."

"The legend is a very romantic meet tradition has it that a wealthy madarin in China had a lovely sand only daughter named Lichi, who fell the will be the same than the same than the same the had been her father's secretary, lived on a highly cultivated island much of which had boose some day to bring to it his bride, the beautiful daughter of the fine grounds of the mandarin were which grew on his eating, and he father heard the two exchanging yows of love beneath an orange tree which grew on his eating. And he sternly forbade the unequal match, but the lovers contrived to elope and hy oncealed for a time in the garace's cottage from which they nade their escape in a boat to the sternly forbade the unequal match, but the lovers contrived to elope and hy concealed for a time in the garace's cottage from which they nade their escape in a boat to the county lovers island home. The engel father pursued them with a fight who had glored the compassion of the gods, who changed them into urtledoves, it is called the will.

"I think that is rather and If I would will be coosed to the maiden and her will be on the gods it would have dath the maiden and her worked when the willow trees which bordered their homes began to shed their heaves."

"It think that is rather and If I would have dath the maiden and her worked and drive is lated from the water here will be consecuted to the cross, old father into a land of the will be consecuted to the mind. The consecuted here included the cross, old states would have be a consecuted to the state of

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HIS GREAT LUCK

Insurance Commissioner R. E. Folk, of Tennessee, was talking the other day about the humor of the Insurance business.

ance business.
"It is ghastly humor," he said, "be-oause it hinges on death. Neverthe-less, there is a great deal of it. Every insurance agent has some odd and

insurance agent has some odd and new story to relate.

"One agent told me yesterday how he had met that morning a friend in a feeble condition, his face pallid, his eyes dull and his figure shrunken, "What is the matter with you, Herbert?" the agent said.

"I'm in luck," Herbert answered.

"My hoy, I'm in great luck."

"How so?" asked the agent.

"Why," said the other, "your company's medical examiner passed me only two months ago, and now my doctor tells me I have an incurable disease. How is that for luck?"

NOT LIKELY

Not long ago a man was charged with shooting a number of pigeons, the property of a farmer.

In giving his evidence the farmer was exceedingly careful, even ner-vous, and the solicitor for the de-

vous, and the solicitor for the defence endeavored to frighten him.
"Now," he remarked, "are you prepared to swear that this man shot your pigeons?"
"I' didn't say he did shoot 'em," was the reply. "I said I suspected him o' doing it."
"Ah, now we're coming to it. What made you suspect that man?"
"Weel, firstly, I caught him on my land wi' a gun. Secondly, I heerd a gun go off an' had seen some pigeons fall. Thirdly, I found four o' my pigeons in his pocket—an' I don't think them birds flew there an' committed suicide."

Dear Planet,-If you think that this heading will cause too great a rush for your caper then change it.
I do not wish to mislead the public so I'll at orce explain why I used this heading. I do not wish to induce the public to read my letter and towards the end discover that it is a patient aliented where the public to read my letter and towards the end discover that it is a patent climate advertisem nor do not wish to be accused

plagiarism either.

My brother Roy has asked me in two letters to write an account of my trip to Saskatoon. This I intended to do before this but it was so late when I got home with my loads that I wanted to sleep and did so. However, now that the sleeping is completely gone and I am working at home I can find time to do so. I call my story Frenzied Freighting because I started on a 220 mile trip with oxen and wagon on the 16th of December when there was some snow on the ground but not enough for sleighing. It is a story of amalgamatad because homesteading is an amalgamation of anything and everything you can find to do for the first three years in my case it is an amalgamation of farming, freighting and fishing. I hope this explanation justifies me in beading my letter as I have, and for the benefit of you ansophisticated easterners I'll do as Thomas Lawson does, explain some of the western terms I use that you mat better understand my meaning.

Friday, December 16, was an ideal day. Five bells saw me up and doing. The tent was brought up from the fish hole on the ice, the wagon backed to the great pile of fish. A temporary hay rack was made to fit inside the box; then the fish were handed to Mrs. Tobey two at a time and she laid them out in rows so as to economize space. This done, an old piece of fish net was stretched around the uprights to hold the hay in better. Forkful after forkful were thrown up and packed in. The tent, chuck box—lunch basket basket—bedding, lantern, etc., were stored away. The oxen straddled the tongue, the owhides—Donkhoboois harness—were thrown on and all was ready. A very affectionate good-bye was bid my wife and little one and them I hit the trail—or started on my journey.

I had invested in Chatham's Mannfacturing Co. stock at a discount, figuring that if I could reach Saskatoon and back with my loads that I would break even at last. Had I waited for a sure thing in Bain sleighs, Saskatoon word have been flooded with fish and I would not have been able to sell my own stock, amely, Jack Fish Lake fish, except at a great sacrifice. At the P. O. I met my partner, Buffalo Bill Graves, from Montana. He had fourhourses, but being small

she said three hundred yards away. This is not an hyperbole but plain facts.

"Good evening, Mrs. Anderson."
"Good evening, a lovely day; well now, bayen't we had a lovely fall. This beats Michigan all to spota. Why this is aimply grand; never saw the like before, etc." Finally I got a chance to speak.

"Yes, indeed, it's all right, but could we water our stock?"

"Goodness alive, my dear man, there is not adrop of water within four miles of here. Dan is away digging a new well now about three quarters of a mile away for ours is man out. You know iba, don't your Everyone knows big Dan. Why granious sakes ulive we have driven three miles to a sleugh, out fee, and brought it home and melted it for ourseless and stock, It's a perfect muisance. I do wish some one would bring a drilling outfit in here. It just keeps me going from morn till night melting ice and anow. You have fish, haven't you? Dan has been goung to get some fish from Mr. Delorem for some time but he hean't got them yet, and do you know my little girl here is just crasy for a white fish. If Dan was here I would surely buy some. How much yould you charge for one for Violat The poor filtle deur; is just crasy for a fish. Would you sell me one etc."

"Oh, if it is for that little tot fill glady five here one, for I am fond of children?"

"Oh, thank you ever so much, Now she'll remember that a long time. It's very nice of you, You live at Jack Fish, don't you? You're an old settler—I was tanned so she took me for a half breed—aren't you f I wust be nice to live near the lake and have all the fish you want and no bother for water. You know isabella Morrison, don't you? How labella Morrison, don't you? You have at Jack Fish, don't you? You have at Jack Fish, don't

for a fish. Would you sell he one, etc."

"Oh, if it is for that little tot I'll gladly give her one, for I am fond of children."

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W. Tobey of Meota, Writes The Planet Another Story of Amalgamated - A New View of the **Great West** **********************

Frenzied Freighting

about the rumors that are abroad about her going to get married to Mr. Petrie. Or probably you're Mr. Petrie yourself.

"Oh no, I am a married man and have a little girl a year old next Tuesday. Miss. Morrison is to be married on the 14th of January I understand, but I'll have to move on now."

now."

"You don't say so. Well I would never have thought you were married. You don't look more than 22. You must have been married very young. But it's better for a young man to marry and settle down, isn't it? I've been married seven years and just have one little girl. She is three years old. I'm rather glad Isabella is going to be married as she is getting to be more than a maiden. I hear her husband has lived rather gay and drinks a lot. Do you know anything about that?

"Well, he did, but he has not touched a drop for over a year now and

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I think he has quit for good, but I'll have to say good evening and start on, as Mr. Graves is getting anxious I see.

"Well, I'm so glad vou called in any way and I'm sorry we couldn't let you have water. That fish will please Viola so much.—

"Come on, Fred., come on," shouted Buffalo Bill as he started off on the wrong trail.

And I got back on my wagon.

"That is the wrong trail back to the main one, isn't it?

"Gracious sakes alive yes," she shouted still louder. "Why my good man that'll take you to Dan's brother's place, then to his mother's place and then nowhere. Why you cross that plowing and go out northwest. You'll come to Roger's next. They have water but are peculiar people and I don't think they will let you what there as they haven't much in their well, and the next place is Nolan's, fully four miles off, and it's nearly dark now, too, etc. "Good evening, Mrs. Anderson, and thank you for your information."

"Good evening, Mrs. Anderson, and thank you for your information."

"Good evening, etc., etc. She no doubt is talking yet, for I could still hear her for a long time after, and even above the rattling of the wheels. We had no intention of insulting Mrs. Anderson, but we had 210 miles yet before us. We drove on about two miles and then pulled in beside a bullf to pitch camp. The gearing was soon off, the oxen tethered, horses blanketed, and all fed. It was now we discovered that we had no axe. However, in this country if you haven't an axe you use an axe handle and everything moves on just the same. Fortunately we found a large pile of brush near our camping grounds and so had little trouble.

As soon as the fire was warm we took down our lunch boxes — two good sized dry goods boxes—dug out a chunk of beefsteak, some lard, etc., and fried it nice and brown. The butter was somewhat hard, consequently it went fast.

"Have some more sirloin, my dear Alphenso"

"With pleasure, my dear Gaston."

No, there was not so much ceremony as that.

"Dig in there, Fred, and help yourself; we'll eat your sliee

"Dig in there, Fred, and help your-self; we'll eat your sliged hog when we haven't much time to wait at dinner." 'Don't worry about me, Mr. Graves, for you'll soon be saying, Dig out, there, Fred, I haven't

Dig out, there, Fred, I haven't whole steer.'"

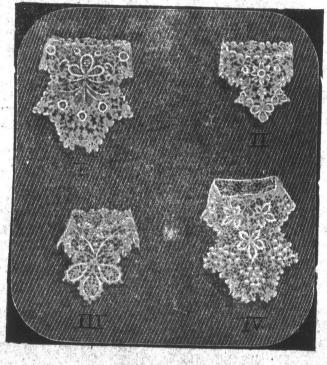
"Say, that brown gravy certainly makes good sopping, doesn't it?"

"You're right it does. Talk about living high, but we certainly are here—beefsteak, bread and butter, syrup, tes and cookies."

"Well, I guess we are; and think of that Christmas eake your woman has made for us, too. Tut, man, we'll kill it on Christmas, and that roasted chicken, too."

Now, gentle readers, it was not "service a la carte," but simply "a la wagon" cousine unsurpassed to your mind, but I'll warrant you that we both took more genuine pleasure and got more real good out of those plain victuals than if there had been Nabisco sugar wafers, etc. We were living in the open air, and if anything will give you a good, healthy appetite, the air of the N. W. T. will.

Lungh over, we put the grub and



These smart neck pieces are made of lace, and can be worn with any shirtwaist, though the lace used for the original design is expensive, each model can be duplicated in cheaper material and given a few decorative touches of fancy stitches to add to their becomingness.

Stock of lace combined with net,

This dainty bit of neckwear can be reproduced in less expensive lace and its beauty enchanced with tiny beads of steel or jet. 3. Scalloped face collar of pretty design, with the pattern outlined with

4. The opportunity for a combination of laces is shown in this design. With the deep cream applique, little circles of Mexican work are woven with pleasing effect.

******************** The Days of Auld Lang Syne

Interesting Events of Ye Olden Times Gathered from The Planet's Issues of Half a Century

From The Planet fvles from Aug. 10, 1861, to Aug. 27, 1861,

The following is the scale of wages paid to volunteers by the United States Government:
Ordcance Serg', \$26 per month.
Sergt., Major, \$25 per month.
Quartermaster Sergt., \$25 per month.
First Sergt., \$24 per month.
Sergt., \$21 per month.
Artificer, \$19 per month.
Corporal, \$17 per month.
Private, \$15 per month.
The rations are computed at \$20.

Private, \$15 per month.

The rations are computed at \$9 a month and the clothing at \$3, or \$30 a year. When in actual service the soldier does not require the whole of his rations or clothing and all that he does not take he receives the each for. The annual pay of a private is now about \$324, with the prospect of a suitable reward at the close of the war.

A special meeting of the town council was held on August 13th to take into consideration the propriety of granting the county council sufficient land in a desirable locality on which to erect a registry office and other county offices.

A meeting of the county council was held with the following present, Warden James Smith and Councillors Coatsworth, Call, Coutts, Evans, Green, Higgins, Houston, Laird, McIntyre, Ridley, White and Young.

A meeting of the township of Chatham council was held at Wallaceburg with the following present, Reeve James Houston, Deputy Reeve L. H. Johnson and Councillors Martin and Sanderson.

Mr. Sanderson moved the reading of a by-law to establish a road through the centre of lot 23, 2nd concession, North Gore. The by-law was read accordingly.

On Wednerday, the 14th, Mr. John

Duff, bro her of Mr. R. Duff, town councillor, met with a serious accident by which he lost a thumb and two fingers. His hand was struck against a circular saw in VanAllen's mill. Drs. Askin and Cross dressed the injary.

Cross dressed the injury.

The board of common school trustees for the town of Chatham met on Tuesday evening, the 15th inst., all the members being present. After some preliminary business tenders for the erection of a school house in Chatham North were opened, seven in number, when upon motion, duly seconded, the tender of Mr. Wm. Oldershaw was accepted it being the lowest. The sureties, Dr. A. R. Robertson and Mr. Duncan McColl, were also accepted. The amount of the tender was \$735.00, the building to be ready for occupation by the lat of November next.

In the town council proceedings appears the following:

"It was moved by Mr. Higgins, seconded by Mr. Evans, and resolved that this council do hereby approve of and confirm the sale of said lot No. 1 in block 50 of the school lands at \$10, to the municipal corporation lof the county of Kent for the purpose of erecting thereon a registry and other public offices and for no other purposes. The lot is on the corner of Weilington and Centre streets.

Yellow fever has made serious havor in the West India fleet of Great Britain. On board the Firebrand 38 deaths occurred between the 6th and 10th of June.

The following were the Chatham family markets:
Chickens, per pair, 16c to 30c.
Mutton, per lb., 4c to 5c.
Beef, per lb., 4c to 5c.
Butter, per lb., 9c to 12c.
Eggs, per doz., 8c to 9c.

Best for Babies

Nestle's Food is the nour-

ishing, fattening, healthful part of rich cow's milk. It'is

always the same-winter and

summer-and can be obtained

in any part of the globe. Ready for baby by adding

Nestle's Food

makes babies healthy. FREE

SAMPLE (sufficient for 8

meals) sent to mothers who

THE LEEMING, MILES CO., LIMITED

MONTREAL.

Be stupid, if you can;
's such a very serious thing.
To be a funny man."

Boracic acid in the soup, Wood alcohol in wine; Catsups dyed a lurid hue By using aniline.

NO ESCAPE.

The old ground hulls of cocoanuts

The milk—the kind the old cow give 'Way down at Cloverside-

Way down at Cloverside— It's one-third milk and water, and— And then—formaldehyde.

The syrup's bleached by using tin,

And honey's just glucose, and what the fancy butter is, The goodness gracious knows!

It's really a surprise to me The whole durned race ain't dead

Meantime all the germs and things
Are buzzing fit to kill;
If the food you eat don't kill you,
The goldarned microbes will.

A CAUSE OF HEADACHE

New Orleans Times-Democrat

The olive oil's of cotton seed, There's alum in the bread;

Served to us in spices; reckon crisp and frigid glass, Is dished out with the ices.

will try it.

water-no milk required.

The Planet.

Business Office B. STEPHENSON rroprietor.

SATURDAY, MARCH 25. 1905.

WELL DONE, MR. BRISCO.

Devotees of the dramatic and musical arts in the Maple City will scan with much interest and pleasure the Grand announcements for the next four weeks, which include such excellent bookings as "Sweet Clover," March 27; "Beside the Bonnie Brian Bush," March 31; Bertha Galland in "Dorothy Verden of Hadden Hall," April 5, and the "Wizard of Oz" on April 17.

Manager Brisco deserves congratu lations on his enterprise in securing such attractions, and a continuance of this policy will win for him and his house a largely increased confidence and patronage,

The past season has included some capital billings. Such productions as "The Sign of the Cross," "Pretty Peggy," and others proved very pleasing, but the dates now announce d promise to eclipse the past. The Planet does not usually undertake to extend any free theatre advertising, but, on behalf of the theatre-goers of our city, it desires to bespeak for Mr. Brisco a very hearty endorsation and liberal patronage for the splendid class of productions he has now booked.

BONUS TO FARM BOYS.

Hon. J. T. Craig, of the Oklahoma Legislature, is progressive in his ideas. He favors exemption from taxation for manufactories, provided the owners of lands expends \$250,-1000 in buildings and plants, but exclude breweries from the benefit of such exemption. Another measure fathered by Mr. Craig is calculated to encourage boys and girls to remain on the farm. He proposes to give every young man and woman between the ages of 16 and 21, who is actually engaged in farming, an annual reward of fifty dollars, to be paid in December, and will be a sort of Christmas gift. Such a reward will 'certainly be an inducement to many, though \$50 a year is not of much account to the young man of to-day. Some young men would not work on a farm for ten times that much. However, if it induces the young men and women to remain on the farm until the roving restlessness of youth has worn off, and the comfort and independence of life on the farm are appreciated, good will have been accomplished. Many a youth leaves the farm, starts in business or professional life, and ruins his whole career, whereas had he remained on the old homestead he would have made a success of life, and been in a position to enjoy the steady comforts of declining years "ayont" the forty mark, when, according to Dr. Osler, the constructive period of his life has passed.

FRATERNAL SOCIETY INSURANCE

In the following editorial the Toronto Globe expresses its views on the matter of Traternal society insurance:

"The large volume of insurance carried in fraternal societies in Cantain of the friends, eats supper har mother has prepared, we are clothes her mother has made, spends the afternoon reading story-books or gadding with her friends, eats supper har mother has prepared and spends. In the following editorial the Torance:

carried in fraternal societies in Canada makes their management a matter of deep public interest, and it is fortunate that they fully realize the importance of establishing their affairs on a sound financial basis. The recent increase in rates by the A O. U. W. was a move in the direction of stability, and, although it has oc casioned some complaint, the ultimate benefit that must result should reconcile the older members to the increased charge. Fraternal insurance has always been popular in Canada, and many of the societies or ganized attempted the impossible This was not unnatural, as there was no information available for their guidance. This need is now met by Mr. Hunter, Provincial Inspector of Insurance, who publishes a schedule giving the minimum of safety in rates, having regard to the low death rate and other favorable features of insurance in this Province. The membership of many of the new ly-organized societies was made up largely of young men, healthy and -what insurance men would call good risks. This favorable start aided by the revenue that came from rapid growth, made them feel that they were well within the limits of safety. It is a suggestive though ome companies attempted to give life insurance for one-third the pre mium demanded by the accepted estimates of the expectation of life.

"As the young men who organized the societies began to grow old the need of a better financial basis became apparent. It became evident that growth meant increasing liaA morning glass of

Effervescent Salt

makes life worth living. It clears the brain and cleans the stomach, makes the bowels move naturally, gives an appetite for breakfast, and makes every day the best day in the year.

T ALL ORUGGISTS, 25C AND 60: A BOTTLE

bilities as well as increasing revenues A few of the societies that had gone too far in their attempt at the impossible were unable to stand the strain, but the stronger among them have been successful in adjusting their affairs to the hard financial requirements of the actuarial tables. As to the change of policy there was naturally a divergence of views. Some of the older members realized that a society, even on an unstable basis, would last their time and serve

their purpose, and they were inclined to be indifferent as to what might happen after they were gone and their heirs provided for. The younger members, realizing the need of greater permanence, were inclined to insist on an increase in rates. They saw that if too much ground were lost it would be impossible to recover and disaster would be inevitable. "It is well that the wiser counsels

of permanence and stability are pre-

vailing, for it would be a great mis-

fortune if any of the fraternal or-

ganizations should meet with dis-

aster. The older members should realize the importance of this great

volume of insurance and be willing

1890 the Ontario Government ceased

to incorporate new fraternal insur-

ance orugnizations. This was a wise

nove, as it prevented attempts at

the impossible by the inexperienced,

and gave the established societies a

better chance of adjusting their af-

fairs on safe financial principles.

The Provincial Inspector of Insur-

ance has aided the feform by re-

quiring the publication of certain

facts with regard to their affairs.

The schedules they are required to

prepare for publication give suffi-

cient information to enable the pub-

lic to judge of their financial stand-

ing. This has a good effect in cor-

recting any tendency to sacrifice

future stability to present popu-

Government has effected an import-

ant reform in fraternal insurance

and has helped to avert threatened

RAISING A WIRL THE WRONG

WAY.

Atchison Globe

An Atchison girl of fifteen gets up

in the morning, eats breakfast which

her mother has prepared, goes up-

stairs and takes care of her room,

the mother has prepared, and spends the evening with her girl friends. She has done nothing wicked all day, and her mother is satisfied that she

CHARGE OF A DOUBTFUL JUDGE

Kansas City Journal.

A Missouri paper says that a new

"Gentlemen of the jury, charging

"Gentlemen of the jury, charging a jury is a new business to me, as this is my first case. You have heard all the evidence as well as myself. You have heard what the learned counsel have said, If you believe what the counsel for the plaintiff have told you, your verdict would be for plaintiff; but it, on the other hand, you believe what the defendant's counsel has told you, then you will find a verdict for the defendant; but if you were like me, and don't believe what either of them said, then I'll be d—d if I know what you'll do. Constable, take charge of the jury."

DODD'S

KIDNEY

judge arose to charge the jury and

is bringing her up right.

spoke as follows:

larity.

financial disasters.

The careful policy of the

to make such sacrifices as are es-

sential to future permanence.

mia, of Louisiana,

600 people present at the opening. Rev. Mr. Armstrong, of Moore, acted as reader and the Bishop of Huron preached. Rev. Dr. Sandys, the rector of the new church, presented Hans Caulfield, of St. Thomas, Joel Wright, of Wardsville, and Jonas Baker, of Enniskillen, to be ordered Deacons. The church was opened before the spire was completed.

WHAT DR. OSLER

REALLY SAID.

Echces and News, an important medical journal of New York, in an editorial, "Much Ado About Nothing," has something to say about the frenzied persons who have been criticizing Dr. Wm. Osler. It runs as follows:—

icizing Dr. Wm. Osler. It runs as follows:—

The American favorite funny story is about the Englishman who cannot see a joke. The tomato story with "They eat what they can and tin the rest" has circled the globe, and "What was the natter with the custard pie?" is equally famous. But now it is the Englishman's turn to laugh. We fancy that for some years to come no American on English soil can hear the word "chloroform" without feeling silly.

Americans may not know that with all their ability to see a joke they are world-famous for not being able to take a joke; and a more jovial

are world-famous for not being able to take a joke; and a more jovial joker, a more epigrammatic and witty member of society than Dr. Osler never made after-dinner speeches.

The furore that has been raised over his retiring speech at Johns Hopkins reminds one of the "Hobson's kiss" episode, and the "Dewey's house" business. It is of a par with the marvelous facility of the press to kindly a mighty flame from a very little matter, and it illustrates most delightfully our national tendency to take ourselves very serious-

dency to take ourselves very seriously. We can ha, ha at our neighbor's expense, but not at ourselves.

Now, when Dr. Osler in his dry and genial manner wished modestly to indicate to his fellow-workers that he felt he had lived his best days with them he facetimally quoted from Andicate to his fellow-workers that he felt he had lived his best days with them, he facetiously quoted from Anthony Trollope's novel, "The Fixed Period," the 'scheme on which the plot hinges, of a college into which af 60 men should retire for a year of contemplation before a peaceful departure by chloroform. He adds, pointing at himself, the barb which all the solemn readers of the daily news claim was hurled at their self-respecting selves, these words:—"That incalculable benefits might follow such a scheme is apparent to anyone who, like myself, is nearing the limit, and who, like myself, had made a careful study of the calamities which may befall men during the seventh and eighth decade."

He then adds, after resounting some of the well-known follies of the age:—"The teacher's life should have three periods. Study until 25, investigation until 40, profession until 60, at which time he should be retired on a doable allowance." The press missed this point.

To round up his playful allusion, eh says with affected hesitation:—"Whether Anthony Trollope's suggestion of a college and chloroform should be carried out I have become a little dubious, as my own time is getting toe short."

Dr. Osler is taking with him to Oxford a curious epistolary collection, for he has been bombarded with letters, telegrams, and articles from the senile and the pre-senile all over the country, stating in good set terms why they should not be chloroformed.

If Dr. Osler was to stay with us

oformed.

If Dr. Osler was to stay with as much longer we fear that he would have to take to heart the advice of John G. Saxe, who says:—
"Learn to wear a soler phiz,

DAYS OF AULD LANG SYNE

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Apples, per bush., 50c to \$1.00. Ducks, per pair, 12c to 25c,

The Zone township council was composed of Reeve Adin McIntyre and Councillors Watts, Stephenson and Councillors Wat Burgess and Corlett.

ed the following:

Mr. Stephenson presented a petition from John McKerrall praying for the improvement of a sidewalk opposite the North American Hotel.

In the council proceedings appear

William Lyon McKenzie is report ed seriously

The following was the list of of-icers of the Confederate Government.

THE EXECUTIVE. President-Jefferson Davis, of Mis-

ssippi. Vice-President-Alex. H. Stephens, of Georgia.
THE COUNCIL.

Secretary of State-R. M. T. Hunt

Secretary of State—R. M. T. Hunt-er, of Virginia, Secretary of Treas.—C. L. Mem-minger, of South Carolina. Secretary of War—Leroy P. Walk-er, of Alabama. Secretary of Navy—Stephen R. Mal-lory, of Florida. Postmaster General—J. H. Regan,

f Texas. Attorney General—Judah P. Benja-

The new Episcopal church was opened August 25, 1861. There were 600 people present at the premise.

One Very Common Cause, Generally

Overlooked.

Overlooked.

Headache is a symptom, an indication of derangement or disease in some organ, and the cause of the headache is difficult to locate because so many diseases have headache as a prominent symptom; derangement of the stomach and liver, heart trouble, kidney disease, lung trouble, eye strain or ill fitting glasses all produce headaches and if we could always locate the organ which is atfault the cure of obstinate headaches would be a much simpler matter.

ter.
However, for that form of head-ache called frontal headsche, pair ache called frontal neadache, pain back of the eyes and in forehead, the cause is now known to be catarrh of the head, and throat; when the headache is located in back of head and neck it is often caused from catarrh of the stomach or liver. At any rate catarrh is the most common cause of such headaches and the cure of the catarrh causes a prompt disappearance of the headaches.

There is at present no treatment for catarrh as convenient and at-

for catarrh so convenient and effective as Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, a new internal remedy in tablet form, composed of antiseptics like red gum, blood root which act upon the blood and cause the elimination of the catarrhal poison from the systhe catarrhal poison from the system through the natural channels. Miss Cora Ainsley, a prominent school teacher in one of our nor-mal schools, speaks of her experience with catarrhal headaches and culo-gizes Stuart's Catarrh Tablets as a cure for them. She says: "I suffered daily from severe frontal headache and pain in and back of the eyes, at times so intensely as to in-capacitate me in my daily duties. I had suffered from catarrh, more or less, for years, but never thought it was the cause of my headaches, but finally became convinced that such was the case because the head-aches were always worse whenever I had a cold or fresh attack of ca-

"Stuart's Catarrh Tablets were highly recommended to me as a safe and pleasant catarrh cure and after using a few fifty cent boxes which procured from my druggist's I was surprised and delighted to find that both the catarrh and headaches had come for good." tarrh.

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"Mrs. Coinly is simply haunting the stores for pieces of old jewelry."
"Why doesn't she buy things that are up+to-date?"
"Oh, she wants things that will look like family heirlooms."

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FRESH RECIPES.

Out of the Ordinary Items For You Even so commonplace an article as ominy is transformed into a dish worthy of the main place in a luncheon when prepared according to these di-rections of the Boston Cooking School Magazine, which is also the source of the other recipes given here.

Wash half a cup of hominy in cold water, drain and add a pint of canned tomato pressed through a sieve, half a teaspoonful of salt and a dash of paprika. Let it cook over boiling water until tender, then stir in one or two tablespoonfuls of butter and turn into a shallow dish to cool. When cold, but not too firm, shape into cylinders, roll in sifted breadcrumbs, then cover with egg and roll again in the crumbs. Fry to a golden yellow in deep fat. Serve hot, with cheese sauce, for luncheon or, without sauce, as an accompani-ment to game or roast mutton or pork.

Cheese Sauce.—Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter. Cook in this two table spoonfuls of flour, one-fourth a tea-spoonful of salt and a dash of paprika, then let it cook while gradually add ing one cup of milk. Let it boil three or four minutes, then stir in from onefourth to one-half a cup of grated

Baked Bananas.—These are an entree with roast or broiled meats, particularly lamb and mutton. Select five bananas of small size. Pull down a section of the skin of each banana, loosen the pulp from the skin, remove the coarse threads that adhere to the pulp and return the pulp to the original position. Lay the fruit thus prepared in an agate pan and bake until the skins are blackened and the pulp softened. Remove the pulp from the skin without injuring its shape, bend each on the serving dish into a half circle, pour sultana sauce over it and serve at once.
Sultana Sauce.—Pick the stems from

half a cup of sultana raisins, wash and set them to cook in boiling water, re-newing the supply when needed. When



PRUNE WHIP WITH BOILED CUSTARD.

ender there should be a cup of water. Add half a cup of sugar and a teaspoonful of cornstarch diluted with cold water and let simmer ten minutes. Add a tablespoonful of butter and the juice of half a lemon.

Prune Whip.—This makes a sweet

dish for luncheon or dinner. Wash ten prunes and let them lie overnight in cold water. Cook until tender, then cond water. Cook inth tender, then press through a sleve. Add a scant fourth of a cup of sugar and let cook until thick. Have ready the whites of two fresh eggs, beaten dry. Cut and fold these into the hot prune mixture. When the egg is set, remove from the fire and set aside to become cold. Serve with boiled custard.

Boiled Custard.—Scald a cup and a half of milk over hot water. Beat the yolks of two eggs, then beat again with ne-fourth of a cup of sugar and few grains of salt. Gradually add a little of the hot milk, mix thoroughly and turn into the rest of the milk. Cook and stir until thickened slightly.

Cocoa, Cacao and Coca. In the United States the taste for chocolate is growing with the greatest rapidity. Right here is a good place to settle the difference between the words cocoa, cacao and coca. Cocoa is the name of the palm tree which produces the cocoanut, a fruit too well known to

every one to need description. . Cacao is the fruit of another tree which grows in tropical America and in some parts of Asia and Africa. It is from this tree that we obtain chocolate. The finest bean comes from Luzon, in the Philippine Islands.

Coca is the name given to a shrub of South America, the leaves of which are used by the natives to allay hunger and thirst and to deaden pain. From these we get cocaine.

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blue, with red brown for the stems.

Notes From Good Housekeeping When onions are used for flavoring scops a deep, rich color and a pleasant flavor are obtained if the outside skin is well washed and left on.

For squeaking shoes insert an awl carefully between the layers of leather in the sole and with the machine oil can oil the sole through the little open-With two quarts of gasoline on wool-

en cloths we removed two years of Chicago coal dust from a 9 by 12 foot Axminster rug, lifting the sort of the sort coal and calling back the original brightness. It is said that a cayenne pepper sand-

wich will oftentimes induce sleep. It is made of cracker, buttered and sprinkled with the pepper and eaten just be-

fore reflring.

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JUSTLY INDIGNANT.

A son of the Old Dominion had been A son of the Old Dominion had been out with the boys. As he softly opened the hall door the melodious voice of his better half greeted him with this query: What time is it? It is early, my dear, responded the Virginian. How can you say so, exclaimed his spouse, when the clock has just struck two? All right, said the Virginian, his voice thundering virtuous indignation. All right? If you choose to take the word of a d—d Vankee clock against that of a Virginian gentleman you may do so, but I have my opinion of you!

CHARITABLE.

Van X.-Is Stoneface a deep think-

De Q.—I guess so. At least none of his thoughts get near enough to the surface to get out!

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WHAT THE WORLD ESTEEMS, YET

ONLY FEW FIGHT FOR.

LEGACY TO ONE'S CHILDREN

Satered according to Act of Parliament of Can-ada, in the year 1906, by Frederick Diver, of Terente, at the Dep't of Agriculture. Ottawa.

Los Angeles, Cal. March 19.—What the whole world esteems, yet what only the few strive for; what a man reverences and values as priceless, yet often fings away, and what every one wishes to bequeathe to his children is the subject of to-day's sermon, the text cho-sen being Proverbs xxii, 1, "A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches."

What is capital? "Money, property or stock employed in trade, manufac-ture, etc., the sum invested or lent as distinguished from the income or interest," is the definition given by the lexicographer. It is wealth producing

lexicographer. It is wealth producing wealth, not wealth being absorbed or being eaten up by expenses.

But capital, according to the lexicographer's definition, is not represented in gold ingots or coin only. I climb with the miner a hillside in Colorade or Newsde. with the miner a hillside in Colorado or Nevada. He points to some rock and says, "There are millions of dollars' worth of gold burled here." "Why do you not get it out?" "Because," he an-swers, "I have no capital. I must have machinery to break the rocks; I must have miners to burrow into yonder depths; I must have money to cart way my over to the smelling furnace.

depths; I must have money to cart away my ore to the smelting furnace. Money must be had before you can produce money."

I go into a store and see at work the busy manager of a great mercantile firm. I say to him: "Why are you working for others? Why do you not work for yourself? If you are smart enough to manage a business for other men, certainly you are smart enough to manage a business for yourself." "Aye, aye," answers the manager; "that is true. But I have not the money to start a business like this. I must have hundreds of thousands of dollars to sink before I can make a cent. I must buy my goods from the wholesale dealsink before I can make a cent. I must buy my goods from the wholesale deal-eer before I can sell them to my cus-tomers. I must rent a store and hire clerks and spend enormous sums for advertising. All these outlays demand a large amount of capital." Capital represents the seed and the land, to use an illustration of the farm.

Income represents the harvests. The farmer must own or hire his farm and plant his seed before he can get his harvests, or his hnome. Now, as the farms and the miner's machinery and the merchant's stock are nearly always alved form the standardin of money. the merchant's stock are nearly always valued from the standpoint of money, it is a common custom to give these sentences as truisms: "It takes money to make money." "Everything animate as well as inanimate will bow before the sceptre of gold." "Midas' touch has in his hand the grip of iron." But today the author of my text emphatically says: "The best producing capital a man ever had in life is a good name.

A good name, in the first place, is not A good name, in the first place, is not a pauper. Her mansion is not the poorhouse. Her wardrobe is not filled with rags. Her family plot is not a potter's field. As a rule, she has a comfortable house to live in. Her sitting room has a glowing fireplace. Her library shelves are filled with books. with rags. Her family plot is not a potter's field. As a rule, she has a comfortable house to live in. Her sitting room has a glowing fireplace. Her library shelves are filled with books. "She is not afraid of the snow for her household, for her household are clothed with scarlet." "She is like the merchant ships—she bringeth her food from afar." "Her hushand is known in the gates when he sitteth among the elders of the land." For what her hand findeth to do she doeth with all her might. She gathereth the rewards of an earnest and practical inconstruction. This editorial was written in the happy competency and a healthful physical and mental existence.

You can see this fact demonstrated in almost every department of life. "Honesty is the best policy," "whether it is found within church walls or down in the busy commercial section of a great city. My text does not say, "Be good, and you will be financially poor." Oh, no! If it did, that statement would not be true. It would not

VALUE OF A GOOD NAME

tile life or in domestic life.

Why does your family physician have such a large practice? You trust him not only as a good doctor, but as an honest man. You know when he is called he will not put you to bed for an attack of grip and call if pneumonia and charge you \$100 to cure you of a disease you never had. You know he will not run up useless bills against you, as some dishonest dentists do, who, if they cannot find any cavities in your teeth, will bore holes into them just to send you a bill to make you support them and their families. You know that yonder merchant has a large business, not because he offers better goods than his rivals, but because you can believe his statements in reference to those goods. Indeed, I go further than my original assertion in reference to my text. A good name is more often found in a comfortable home than it is in a hovel. it is in a hovel.

time after his famous conquest the English commander wrote to a dear friend as follows: "What do you think of the total defeat of Bonaparte by the British army? Never was there in the annals of the world so desperate or so hard fought an action or such a defeat. It was really the battle of the giants, My heart is broken by the terrible loss I have sustained, of my old friends and companions and my poor soldiers." In the battle of Waterloo, in which you have to struggle for a good

name, you will have to make many sacname, you will have to make many sac-rifices, as did Wellington. But, as a rule, you will not have to suffer pov-erty, hunger, homelessness and cold. A good name is won by industry, fru-gality, purity, honesty and doing with all your heart and mind what your hand finds to do. These characteristics of man, earnestly and faithfully followed through life, will inevitably land a man in a better place than the poorhouse or in a better place than the poorhouse or potter's field. It does not follow because you are financially poor that you are holy; it does not follow that because you live in a palace that you are a rascal. Beau Brummel died a pauper; Peter Cooper lived in a rich man's mansion.

But a good name does more than pay and clothier's bills. It does more than give you a title deed to the house in which you live. It offers to you the most priceless gift of Jesus Christ, the love of your family and your friends and the love and respect of the community in which you live. There is an old proverb which says: "A man cannot live on love alone. When poverty knocks at the door love files out of the window." Poor proverb that! The richest home on earth where love is not is poorer than the poorest man's hovel where love dwells. The love of a community is yours if you will earn it with the deeds and loves of a good and clothier's bills. It does more than it with the deeds and loves of a good

it is in a hovel.

"Seek ye first the Kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things will be added unto you." That means clothing, food, home, education. As a rule, all these blessings accompany the industry of a good name. In order to win a good name, sacrifices you will have to make. In order to win the battle of Waterloo, Wellington had to make awful sacrifices. A short time after his famous conquest the English commander wrote to a dear

It with the deeds and loves of a good man.

If you were a great man, a truly great man, I could not say this. One of the heavy prices a truly great man, as a rule, has to pay for his greatness is to suffer misrepresentation and slander and hate. Most of the contemporaries of John Milton never could appreciate the true worth of the blind sage, who, in the black exile of national contempt had to go to his study for comfort until his blinded eyes saw more of the glories of heaven than the two eyes of any inspired writer have even seen since Apostolic times, Many a soiled statue in Westminster Abbey could be washed as white as the driven snow if it were only possible to collect

this bitterness were not true, as a rule, to the innate meanness of the human race, but rather to its inability at certain times to appreciate the heroes and heroines who were sacrificing their lives for the good of their fellow men. But, my friend, you need not be afraid that the world will be unable to appreciate you good works, if you are doing any good works. You are not a great warrior, a great statesman, a great reformer. You are only an ordinary man, living an ordinary life in an ordinary place. Therefore, if you are kind and loving and gentle and forgiving and helpful to your fellow men they will be kind and loving and forgiving and gentle and helpful to you. Why? Because each day of your life you come into personal touch with your little world, and the friends and the people of your community see you just as you are.

Taking another step forward in my subject, I declare that a good name is the most glorious of all inheritances which a man can leave to his children. It means more, infinitely more, than gold. It means more than fame, more than social position, more than land destate. It means more than anything else on earth that you can give. Most

estate. It means more than anything estate. It means more than anything else on earth that you can give. Most of us want to leave our children the best we can. We must not forget to give them this treasure, which is of more value "than great riches."

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How can parents financially poor leave to their children the greatest of inheritances? Let me explain more in detail. The adjective "good" comes from the substantive "God." To be "good" in the highest sense means to be "goodlike" or "like Christ." Therefore, when a father bequeaths to his son a "good name" he gives to him, in the highest sense, a Christian example well lived. He seems to step to his boy's side and put his hand in his boy's hand and say: "My son, I want you to come with me and kneel in prayer. I want you to come with me and learn to read the promises of God in His to read the promises of God in His holy book. My son, when sinners ear tice thee, I want to tell you where I have found strength in the past to resist temptations. And when sorrows come, as come they will, I want you to learn where you can find God as a refuge and strength." Side by side with their children the Christian parents walk. Side by side they go with them through life. Long after the parents have pillowed their heads in the dust, the memories of their good names or their Christian examples live on to guide their offspring. Are you not going to leave to your children the inheritance of a good name or a Christian to read the promises of God in His tance of a good name or a Christian example, such an inheritance as that which your fathers and mothers left

If any young men and women need If any young men and women need to be held to the cross of Christ by the Christian example of a parent's life, trusting in God and being with God, those children of yours need if. They have exactly the same kind of temperament that you have. They are high-strung. They are impulsive. They can be easily swept of their feet by success. strung. They are impulsive. They can be easily swept off their feet by success and discouraged by defeat. What are they going to do in "the swellings of the Jordan?" My brother, even with all the advantages of the Christian surroundings of your boyhood still you have a hard struggle. What, then, are your children going to do when temptations assail them? They have never seen their father kneeling in prayer or walking with Christ. They have never thought that you had a divine succorer. "A good name" as an inheritance? Why, it is simply priceless in value. Is not, for your children, a good name rather to be chosen than great riches?

Rut. if our good names are essential to our children after we are dead, how to our children after we are dead, now much more essential are they for us when we step out from this life into the next! The heaviest money bag that was ever secreted in the dark vaults of the rich man who despised the poor Leazurs grovelling on his palace steps cannot be carried by him or his friend one single inch beyond his grave. De you not think it an absurd thing for a rich man to struggle and to keep on struggling for something he cannot keep over a few years at best? This money may and in all probability will, do his children a damage after he is sone. It is an old saying that "Shrouds have no pockets," yet many men seem to live as though their shrouds would be different from all other strouds or that they would live on forever and never have a shroud. Is this bearing the name of the Lord God Almighty to you a meaningless figure? Will you not at least rejoice in it as much as you would for bearing

in it as much as you would for bearing the name of a human friend in your hand? You remember some years ago your business was going absolutely to pieces. You did not know which way to turn. The bills were coming in and your business was going absolutely to pieces. You did not know which way to turn. The bills were coming in and had to be paid, or you would be flung into the bankruptcy court. All mightiong you kept walking the floor. You kept saying to yourself: "Oh, God, what shall I do?" The morning broke, but that morning was as black to you as midnight. Suddenly there came a ring at your doorbell. You thought it was one of your creditors. The hammer of that bell struck your brain as though it was a butcher's bludgeon. The parlor door opened. At first you were too dazed to look up. But when you looked, you saw, not a creditor, but a dear old friend—perhaps a father, a brother or a Jonathan. "Harry," said he, "I hear you are in financial trouble. You know I have lots of property. Well, here is a blank cheque to which I have signed my name. You can draw on me for all you need. God bless you, my boy. Good-bye. You will come out all right." What did you do? Did you thank him? Oh, no. You were too deeply moved for that. You just cried like a little child. Then you brushed your tears away and went forth to meet your step was firm; your lips wore a happy smile. In your hand you bore the name of your friend who had financially saved you.

When God gives us a good name He gives to us a pledge that He will see us through all the struggles of life. He says: "The sheep upon a thousand fills are mine. The gold buried in the deepest mines is all mine. The winds obey my volce. All that I have is thine. I will, if necessary, give it thee in this struggle of life." Oh, my friends, cannot you to-day feet that God is back of you when He gives to you the offer of a "good name?" Will you bear the name of Christ as your Savidour's name? Will you allow your name to be engraved in the pathers." All the struggles of life." Oh my friends, cannot you to-day feet that God is back of you when He gives to you the offer of a "good name?" Will you bear it chon your forehead? Will you allow your name to be engraved in the pathers.

and poverty, you choose between Christ, with all the wealth of a universe, and gold as an oriole which might spread her yellow wings and be gone in a night.

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When Cyrus offered to Artabazus a cup of gold and gave to Crysantas a kiss, Artabazus said, "The cup thou gavest to me was not so good gold as the kiss thou gavest to Crysantas," Why? Whey Cyrus gave his kiss he gave to his favorite his heart. He gave to him the symbol that hereaftes he gad all that he had were Crysantas. May the dear Christ place upon every one of our lips, a holy kiss! And then when he becomes a part of us and we a part of him, we shall bear his name, and all that he has shall be ours, and all that we have shall be his. With that one kiss we shall enter into the royal family of which God is the Faroyal family of which God is the Fa-ther and Christ the Elder Brother. His name shall be upon every forehead. "A good name." Oh, let us change the text! "The Christ name is rather to be chosen than greaf riches."

A Family Reunited.

The work of the Provincial Immigration Office at the Union Station is no tion Office at the Union Station is not without its touches of romance, as the following story shows. Last week an elderly man and his wife arrived here from Norway in search of two sons who had settled in New Ontario a year ago. They did not know the exact whereabouts of the young men, and Mr. T. Southworth, Director of Colonization, was asked to give what assistance he could in locating them. Pending the tion, was asked to give what assistance he could in locating them. Pending the result, temporary employment was obtained for the man in this city. Yesterday the immigrants arriving in Toronto included two young Norwegian girls, who could not speak a word of English, and who had through tickets from Norwey to Liester. Out which English, and who had through tickets from Norway to Lisgar, Ont., which, as the sequel proved, should have been made out to New Liskeard. The services of Mr. A. L. Hertzberg, Consul for Norway and Sweden, were requisitioned and it was then found that the girls were daughters of the man and woman mentioned, and were looking for their brothers. The parents and their daughters were soon brought together, and their rejoicing at the reunion was augnters were soon brought together, and their rejoicing at the reunion was most sincere. Meanwhile, the Coloni-zation Department had, through its re-cords of New Ontario settlers, traced the sons, who are farming near New Liskeard, and have written to them. A reply was received later, asking that the parents and daughters be sent on and expressing pleasure at the manne in which the officials had looked afte them.-Toronto Globe

What Sulphur Does

FOR THE HUMAN BODY IN HEALTH AND DISEASE

The mention of sulphur will recall to many of us the carry days when our mothers and grandmothers gave us our daily dose of suiphug and mo-

lasses every spring and fall.

It was the universal spring and fall "blood purifier," tonic and cureall, and mind you this old-fashioned remedy was not without merit.

The idea was good, but the remedy

The idea was good, but the remedy was crude and unpalatable, and a large quantity had to be taken to get any effect.

Nowadays we get all the beneficial effets of sulphur in a paiatable, concentrated form, so that a single grain is far more effective than a tablespoenful of the crude sulphur.

In recent years, research and experiment have proven that the best sulphur for medicinal use is that obtained from Calcium (Calcium Sulphide) and sold in drug stores under the name of Stuart's Calcium Wafers. They are small chocolate coated pellets and contain the active medicinal principle of sulphur, in a highly concentrated, effective form.

Few people are aware of the value of this form of sulphur in restoring and maintaining bodily vigor and health, sulphur acts directly on the liver, and excretory organs and purities and excited the look by the

liver, and excretory organs and puri-fies and enriches the blood by the

prompt elimination of waste material.

Our grandmothers knew this when

our grandmothers knew this when they dosed us with sulphur and molasses every spring and fall, but the crudity and impurity of ordinary flowers of sulphur were often worse than the disease, and cannot compare with the modern concentrated preparations of sulphur, of which Stuart's Calcium Wafers is undoubtedly the best and most widely used. They are the natural antidote for liver and kidney troubles and cure constipation and purify the blood in a way that often surprises patient and physician alike.

Dr. R. M. Wilkins while experimenting with sulphur remedies soon found that the sulphur from Calcium was superior to any other form. He says "For liver, kidney and blood troubles especially when resulting from constipation or malaria, I have been surprised at the results obtained from Stuart's Calcium Wafers, In patients suffering from boils and pimples and even deep-seated carbuncles, I have repeatedly see them dry up and disappear in four or five days, leaving the skin clear and smooth. Although Stuart's Calcium Wafers is a proprietary article, and sold by druggists, and for that reason taboged by many physicians, yet I know of nothing so safe and reliable for constipation, liver and kidney troubles and especially in all forms of skin disease as this remedy."

At any rate people who are tired of pills, cathartics and so-called blood "purifiers" will find in Stuart's Calcium Wafers, a far safer, more paiatable and effect, we preparation.

Men are too often influenced by the fear of being called cowards.

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enter it." "What! Not the reigning king?" asked the joke loving judge.

Friday Vizer, a familiar negro about town in a certain part of Mississippi, had been found dead, and, being a member of no church or lodge-very unusual for a negro—there was no one to pray for his soul in the great beyond. A few old intimates, however, carried the body to the cemetery in a rude pine coffin, and Bob McRaven, one of the number, an old "befo' de wah darky," was called upon for a few remarks. Bob removed his hat and stepped rever ently and sadly toward the open grave and in solemn, funereal tones said:

"Friday Vizer, you is gone. We hopes you is gone whar we s'pects you ain't!" -Lippincott's Magazine.

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Both Strong. "For a moment," he related, "I held my breath"-

"how strong you must be!" He edged away, blushed and felt in

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AMONG THE TREES

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Have you never noticed that the leaves of a Poplar are placed with one edge to the sky, the other to the earth? In this way they are more susceptible to the wind and move about more readily, hitting against one another and making the noise of which you speak. It is claimed that is how the Poplar got its name, because it kept saying poppop. In India they have a tree which
the natives call a pee-pul tree for
the same reason."

"We have a beautiful Aspen growing on our lawn and its leaves, too,
are continually maying."

are continually moving."

"The Aspen, or Tremulous Poplar is another member of our family. There is a strange tradition about the quivering leaves of the Aspen."
"Oh, do tell it to me," said Mabel, starting up so quickly that the canoe made an alarming move which set all the pretty minnows desting them. the pretty minnows darting about as if in fright.

"Be careful," said the Willow in a warning tone, "the water is shallow or you might have had a wetting. (Well," and the voice seemed awed and solem, "It is said that the wood of the cross on which the gentle Sa-viour agonized and died, was taken from an Aspen Tree, and ever since it trembles and shivers at the remembrance. As one of your poets so apt-

Far off in highland wilds, 'tis said, Bat Truth now laughs at Fancy's

Iore, That of this tree the cross was made (Which erst the Lord of Glory bore; And of that deed its leaves confess Ber since a troubled consciousness.

"Others again, say that it was the only tree which did not bend its head when Jesus passed, acknowledging His sovereignty. There is another werse of poetry which includes both of these traditions.

For fear the aspen, pallid and weak, Which sighs by the moorland side, And gave the wood for that hallowed

On which the Saviour died; Which stood erect while its fellow-trees stooped,

Till its merited punishment came,
And since the doom of that terrible

Till its merited punishment came, Tand since the doom of that terrible day

Has quivered and bent with shame.

"The ancients place a deep meaning on the quivering of the leaves, baying that it is to remind us how time flies."

"I will think of these things and Book at our beautiful tree with a greater interest," she said. "I never knew there were such pretty legends about trees as I have learned within the last few weeks."

"You have carried with you in your rambles, the 'ears of imagination' and that is why. Birds, too, have legends, and flowers, some of them being very beautiful; but my subject is trees and only those of our family. The aspen is a useful tree as well as pretty. On the mountains of Arisona they often grow to the height of sixty, seventy and even one hundred feet. Their seeds are provided with hairs and thus are wafted great distances by the wind. Often they fall on ground rendered infertile by fire or on steep mountainous slopes where the heavy rains wash away the soil. Here they

quickly germinate. quickly germinate, the seedling plants grow very rapidly even in ex-posed situations, and soon the bar-ren, sandy places are a mass of wav-ing, tender green. The land is thus often reclaimed through their agenor. I will give you an instance of this in connection with Napoleon, of whom you no doubt have read in your history."

"To be sure I have; he was some times called the 'Little Corporal.' "You are right. Well, it is said that the greatest monument to his name was brought about through the agency of some of my relatives," and the Willow Tree waved its plumy branches proadly.

Mabel was listening intently, as the wind played lightly in the green roof

wind played lightly in the green roof overhead.

"For fully one hundred miles along the Bay of Biseay," continued the Willow, "There stretched a threatening array of sand dunes, which year by year pursued their irresistible march inland, some years to the extent of nearly two hundred feet. The restless winds which swept across the broad Atlantic, would catch this sand and carry it in great waves over the smiling plains of sunny France, burying fields, meadows, vineyards, houses, churches and even villages in their onward march—leaving behind them only gray billows, to which clung branches of bracken, a few starved bunches of scrub oak, and thickets of white and purple gorse, fighting stubbornly for a foothold upon the shifting sands. In some places would be seen a straggling group of pines, the protesting remains of a great forest. Napoleon caused a great number of Willows to be planted there and steadily the land way regulared and today the to be planted there and steadily the

to be planted there and steadily the land was reclaimed, and to-day that stands out as the greatest of Napoleon's victories."

"You might also add—and one that did the most good for his people."

Mabel lay back on her cushions pondering silently over all the wonderful things she had heard. A new world had opened out to her and she wandered through it with ever-increasing admiration. The rustling of leaves, the twittering of birds, the breaking of the tiny waves against the side of her cance, the ever-changing clouds—all had a new and a deeper meaning to her. Thoughtfully she fingered the Willow leaves so near her face, deep in reverie. The willow Tree was silent too; presently it stirred its many leaves and a musical murmur floated to her ears as it seemed to say:

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SCHOOLMAM EXPERIENCE WITH LONDON COUNTY COUNCIL.

How Her Simple Request for a Towel Roller Set the Wheels of the Cumbrous Municipal Machine in Motion -Before it Was Secured an Official Visit and Vigorous Correspondence Were Required-An Astonished Of-

During the summer of 1904 the Lon-County Council forwarded some new round towels for the use of the Infants' department of a National infants department of a National School in a remote suburb of London. The schoolmistress rejoiced in the acquisition, but, unfortunately, the school possessed no roller on which to hang them—the towels hitherto in use being of a shape that enabled them to be supported. be suspended from a nail in the wall. She therefore requested her school managers to provide her with a towel-

This simple request set the wheels of the cumbrous municipal machine in motion. The managers discussed the question, and were of opinion that a to vel-roller was not a part of the fa-bric, but came under the head of furniture, for which the Council were responsible. So the secretary was asked to inform the Council of the need of the towei-roller, at the same time offering to obtain the article and have it fixed for the Council if they were permitted to do so. mitted to do so. It was ascertained that a new towel-

It was ascertained that a new towelroller could be obtained for 9½d.

After a few weeks had passed an inspector from the Embankment journeyed out to this remote infant schoolreturn fare, first-class, 2s 9d—apparently to satisfy the Council that the
towel-roller was really wanted. More
weeks elapsed, and nothing was heard
of the matter. So the secretary wrote again to the Council to ascertain how again to the Council to ascertain how the question was progressing. In reply he was informed that "the Council's decision with regard to the supply of a towel-roller was that "the stores de-partment had been requested to ex-pedite the delivery of the article."

pedite the delivery of the article."

This was encouraging, and the patient teacher awaked its arrival in pleasant anticipation. A few weeks later she received the gratifying news that the roller had actually been forwarded. But by accident the long-expected roller was delivered at another school, much to the surprise of the teacher in charges who let it were teacher in charge, who laid it upon a shelf, thinking that the Council in its shell, thinking that the Council in its wisdow, had some special purpose in view in sending her a towel-roller that she had not asked for.

Meantime a vigorous correspondence was proceeding between the infants' mistress and the Council, and eventually the roller that had externed with

ally the roller that had strayed was

ally the roller that had strayed was found and the mystery of its disappearance cleared up. But when it ultimately reached its destination it turned out to be only an old one—a towel-roller that had been used before and discarded by someone.

Nevertheless, the old roller was better than no roller, and the happy teacher, rejoicing in the pleasures of possession, promptly called in a man with a hammer and four stout nails. The thing was fixed firmly to the wall, and the young unwashed revelled in the joys of a round-towel.

In course of time another official appeared upon the scene. He was an executive officer who had come dewn to "see about putting up a towel-roller

to "see about putting up a towel-rofler that had been supplied by the Educa-tion Committee of the London County Council."

His astonishment was great when he found the article already in position. His duty forestalled, the work done. But the question arose, who was to pay for the fixing? This was a knotty oint, and evidently occasioned consid point, and evidently occasioned considerable anxiety, for yet another official visit was made some days later to instruct the mistress to pay the bill for fixing, amounting to sixpence, send up the receipt, and the amount would be refunded. This has been done, and doubtless the Council will return the sixpence some day. sixpence some day.

Burns Got the Silver.

Bobby Burns' associations with Carlisle were of an active personal character, as there are interesting anecdotes
to prove. It was at Carlisle that he
fell into the company of three farmers,
and in the course of their convivality
the farmers agreed with Burns to try
their hand at versemaking, and all four
deposited half a crown on the table
for the one who wrote the best. Burns,
by the way, on entering the room, was
welcomed by the others as "Johnny
Peep." What the farmers wrote is not
known, but the following was Burns'
production, and of course he lifted the
"siller": Bobby Burns' associations with Car L Johnny Peep

I, Johnny Feep,
Saw three fat sheep,
And these three sheep saw me;
Half a crown aplece
Will pay for their fleece,
And so Johnny Peep goes free.

Sir C. C. Knollys, K. C. M. G.

Sir Clement Courtenay Knollys, K.
C., M. G., at present Colonial Secretary
of Trinidad and Tobago, who has been
appointed Governor and Commanderin-Chief of the Leeward Islands, in
succession to Sir Geraid Strickland, appointed to be Governor of Tasmanta,
was born in 1849, the fourth son of the
late Rev. W. F. Erskine Knollys, honorary Canon of Canterbury, says The
London Star. From Magdalen College,
Oxford, he went into the Colonial Civil
Service in 1874, and has at various
times administered the Governments of
Barbados, St. Lucia and Grenada, in
addition to his present appointment at
Trinidad and Tobago. In his university
days he was a notable carsman, and
rowed in the Oxford and Cambridge
races of 1872 and 1873. He won the
Diamond Sculls at Henley in 1872, and
the Goblets in 1873, and was champion
amateur sculler in 1872.

Antiquity of the Cotswold. Sir C. C. Knollys, K. C. M. G.

Antiquity of the Cotswold. The Cotswold must be one of the oldest breeds of sheep, for tradition has it that King Richard I (1189-1199) sent animals of the breed to Spain, and that it was from these, always famous for the excellence of their wood, the Merino breed was raised which breed was introduced in England at the latter end of the eighteenth century.

FREIGHTING

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time. We were anxious to get ar time. We were anxious to get an early start, and so I fell asleep thinking of getting up early. After a time I awakened, and I waited to see if Bill was awake, and then called, "Bill, get up; it's time." Bill grunted, turned over, looked up at the dome of our tent and sighted the moon, about three hours up, as he said. Now, Bill is an astrologist, so the said.

he said:
"The devil with you, Toby: that
moon is not three hours high and it
was up when we went to bed. You
don't get this Bill out at no twelve
c'alock."

o'clock."
Shortly afterwards two rigs passed from town, and thereafter I had respect for Bill as a time reckoner. The next time I awoke it was about 4 a. m. by the moon, according to Bill's calculation, so we got up, at least I did. I started the crackey, as Bill called it, and when he felt the warm waves of air he crawled out and dressed in peace and comfort. We had no stove, you know. We built our bonfires near the slit, or door of the tent. As soon as Bill was dressed he sighted the moon. "Ring around the moon and one star inside of ring. That means a

was dressed he sighted the moon.

"Ring around the moon and one star inside of ring. That means a snowstorm to-day or to-morrow."

Sure enough, at nine a m, the snow came in chunks. C. M. C. stock dropped five points; B. S. went up. However, we put up the necessary wherewith to hold our C. M. C. stock and continued on our way rejoicing. We reached Hamilton's shortly afterwards, and there watered our stock. The snow never daunted us, for, as Bill said, it would just be a light shower and the wind would take it all off the trail. We soon came to a perfect network of trails, and so enquired as to which one would take us to the Carleton trail. We were told to take the right hand one until we crossed another trail and that told to take the right hand one until we crossed another trail and that would be the Carleton. This we did, only to discover that we should have passed over that until we came to the second trail. Wee were on a hay trail. A thin, consumptive looking Englishman directed us right. We cut across country and soon struck the right trail. We travelled on for a few miles farther, when I went in to ask the time, etc. "Me no speak English, me Doukho-bor."

Got no clock, tick, tick, tick ?" I said this and made the motion of the pendulum of a clock, but she couldn't understand, so we went on our way. Again we camped; this time under more disagreeable condi-cions, since the snow was flying. tions, since the snow was flying. However, there was plenty of wood and grub, and little else we cared for. "Now, I don't wish to fill your paper with one letter, so I'll not write more, but hope to continue the account of the trip better than I did the trip on the train I started and just went to Winnipeg.

Hope all my friends and enemies are well and that my friend Peter Satellite has recovered from the shock of Clancy's defeat. I'm still slive, working hard and growing fat.

shock of Clancy's defeat. I'm still alive, working hard and growing fat, I've gained seven pounds this winter. Alvin Moore never weighed more than 176 before. He new weighs 197 lbs. How's that for Jack Fish? Jack Fish will grow everything successfully but pumpkins, and the reason it won't grow pumpkins successfully is this: The vines grow so fast that they spoil the pumpkins dragging them around the farm. Good-

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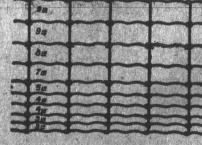
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