the restores.

The new store is located in Berlin, and will be opened to the public in April of this coming spring. This will make four clothing stores un-

der the control of Thornton & Dougles. They are already established in Stratford, Guelph and Chatham. A magnificent factory in Hamil-ton, now nearing completion, will be opened and occupied by the firm's

skilled workmen, during the coming

Pusiness enterprise, combined with

strictly honest methods has been the keynote to this firm's splendid suc-

SHE DOESN'T TALK WAR

But France Feels Strain of Ger-

man Attitude on Patience.

Will Appeal to the World In Open Con-

ference at Algeoiras and Cease to

Hold Any Further Private Negotiations-French Journals, However, Bitterly Attack Germany's Course

People Are Calm,
Paris, Feb. 21.—Germany's rejection

of France's proposal at Algedras that the proposed Mercacan police system shall be French and Spanish has given renewed gravity to the Franco-German

situation.

A semi-official note was issued announcing France's intention to discontinue private negotiations and to carry the question of policing Morocco before the judgment of the world in the open conferance. The note states that Germany's reply indicates that it is evidently the desire of Germany to have the conference fail, and it adds that the delegates will not separate before 15 days have elapsed, and of discussing all the questions on the ori-

discussing all the questions on the ori-ginal program. The latter statement indicates that there is no present in-tention on the part of France to create a rupture by withdrawing from the

French Peeple Calm.
Notwithstanding the renewed strain in Franco-German relations growing out of the Moroccan question, public

sentiment here remains entirely calm. The journals, including those in the governmental interest, bitterly attack Germany's course in the Algeciras conference. They agree that France has reached the limit of her concessions.

However, there is no recurrence of public excitement over possibilities of

public excitement over possibilities of war.

Even the sensational newspapers make no illusion to war. La Libertou alone says: "While France wants peace, she does not want the Government to show weakness before the infexible and almost humiliating pretensions of Germany."

The comparative steadiness of the bourse vesterday also indicates a discourse vesterday also indicates and discourse vesterday also indicates a discourse vesterday also indicates and discourse vesterday also indicates and discourse vesterday vesterday also indicates and discourse vesterday vesterday also indicates a discourse vesterday vester

ourse yesterday also indicates a dis-osition, philosophically, to accept the

claims, relative to existing loans. Other points with regard to the con-trol of the finances of Morocco also aroused objections.

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When our buyer was East a few days ago, an immense range of White Mercerised Vestings was offered and accepted by him at a very low price. These we are turning over to you at a great saving:-

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Our Annual Sale

### **GRANITEWARE**

Commenced on Saturday. In order to give every person an opportunity to secure some of

the goods at the cut prices, we will continue the sale for ‡ the remainder of this month. We quote a few prices :-

No. 9 Tea Kettles, regular \$1.25 now \$1.00; Teapots, regular 75c now 50c.; udding Pans, regular 25c now 19c; Double Boilers, regular \$1.00 now 75c.; vater Pails, regular \$1.00 now 90c; Preserving Kettles, regular 60c now 40c; Vash Bowle, regular 30c now 20c. Everything in our very large atock equally ow. Ask for the "Bargain Counter." SPOT CASH.

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#### THE RANKIN HOUSE LICENSE GOING AHEAD The Firm of Thornton & Douglas are WAS THE SUBJECT OF DEBATE Establishing a New Store in Berlin

The firm of Thornton and Douglas, clothiers, whose headquarters are located in Stratford, Ont., are adding another to their list of retail establishments in this province.

The best proof of success in the mercantile field is shown in the expension, and improvement of business. Hon. G. W. Ross Brings up Action of West Kent Commissioners in the Legislature--Premier Whitney Makes Strong Reply-Says From Now on Every Man Can pansion and improvement of business equipment. The Litornton & Doug-las people have enjoyed prosperity and the success of their enterprise is apparent wherever they have lo-Expect a Fair Deal Whether he be Grit or Tory

Special to The Planet. Toronto, Feb. 20.—In the course of the addresses of the leader of the Opposition, Hon. G. W. Ross, and the Premier, Hon. J. P. Whitney, on the motion to adopt the speech from the throne, allusion was made to the license situation in Chatham in connection with the Hotel Rankin. The full text of the remarks of the respective leaders on this question was as follows: as follows:

After alluding to what he term-After alluding to what he termed "a wholesale swinging of the political axe in license law administration," Hon. G. W. Ross undertook to illustrate from specific cases in Ottawa, Chatham and Toronto.

Regarding Chatham he said:
"Another flagrant case occurred in Chatham, where the license of the Hotel Rankin, one of the best in the town, was cancelled simply because

town, was cancelled simply because the proprietor was a Liberal. Were there no politics in that f If not, I trust the honorable leader of the Government will furnish an explana-

"The liquor interests to-day are under the political whip of the Conservative party. No man can secure consideration or toleration it his politics are wrong. They are kept in a position of political subserviency and obedience. It is a very bad heginning."

NEW NOVEL

Arthur Stringer's new novel, "The Wire Tappers," is to be published about the middle of April, and is described by the Cleveland Plaindealer as "a vivid and intimate study of certain phases of criminal life." Yet at the same time it is a story of burried and gripping action, and respected resident. of hurried and gripping action, and promises to be the most popular of Mr. Stringer's books. The hero, if such he can be called, begins his career as a telegraph operator at Komoko Junction, eleven miles west of London, on the Grand Trunk, and the accident which results in his flight is still a matter of walk re-

merly a resident of Harwich, but had been living in the city for the past two years. She was about 65 years of age. The death was very sudden and unexpected, the cause being heart failure. The late Mrs. Masterson's husband predeceased her some years ago.

There survive her four sons and

wo daughters, who are as follows: Henry, of Kent Bridge; Edward, of Dover; Thomas, of San Francisco; Michael, of Raleigh; Mrs. M. J. O'Neil and Mrs. A. C. Arnold, of this

### TOKIO CHEERS

ng the latter part of the winter Florida and Cuba, but will be back

n his Erie Beach farm early in the

the accident which results in his flight is still a matter of well-remembered militad history. The author secured the services of Arthur William Brown, the young Hamilton artist now making a name for himself in New York, to prepare the illustrations for the volume—so that it will be in every way a Canadian product.

Mr. Stringer, by the way, is spending the latter part of the winter

imperor of Japan Breaks Through Custom in Personal Welcome

Tokio, Feb. 21.-The arrival of Prince Arthur of Connaught, coming to pre-sent the Order of the Garter to the Japanese Emperor, is the occasion of absolutely unprecedented evidences of rejoicing. Contrary to all custom, the Emperor received Prince Arthur at the position, philosophically, to accept the events at Algeciras.

Anether Clash.

Algeciras, Feb. 21.—France's and Germany's projects for the creation of a state bank in Morocco were submitted to the conference yesterday. Both the French and British delegates consider that the German proposition shows an absolute disregard qf France's position as the largest and most privileged creditor of Morocco by giving every power equal controlling capacity on the administrative body without reference to preferential claims, relative to existing loans. Shibasi station. The platform was crowded with court dignitaries and officers in full uniform. The decorations Shibasi station. The platform there consisted of Union Jacks and

there consisted of Union Jacks and Rising Suns. The city was decorated with flags, lanterns, flowers and triumphal arches.

The impressive ceremony of the investiture of the Emperor of Japan with the British Order of the Garter teek place yesterday in the presence of about eight high personages, including Crown Prince Arisugawa, the imperial princess, Premier Saionji, Foreign Minister Kate, the household ministers, Field Marshal Yamagata and Oyama, Field Marshal Yamagata and Oyama the entire membership of the party headed by Prince Arthur of Connaught which brought the order, and the Brit-ish ambassador, Sir Claude M. MacDonald, and the members of the embassy. Only those personages who were spe-cially invited were permitted to be

An hour after the ceremony the Emperor visited Prince Arthur of Connaught and expressed to him his appreciation of Great Britain's friendship. A banquet was given at the palace last night, at which court dances were given by the court's exclusive artists.

Salvation Army Immigrants. London, Feb. 21.—"Last year we sent 4,000 to Canada, this year we expect to send 10,000. We have not had twen-

ty complaints."

Such was the testimony of General
Booth in an address before the colonial institute on immigration. He de-clared a million were on the verge of, starvation in England and argued that immigration was the only remedy for this condition.

Gets 10 Years and 50 Lashes.
Napanee, Feb. 21.—Thomas Newport, an English laborer, working as a farm hand near Enterprise, was sentenced yesterday by Judge Madden to 10 years in Kingston pentientiary and to receive 50 lashes. Newport attempted to murder an Assyrian peddler named Syaid last December on the highway near Enterprise, striking him with an axe. Gets 10 Years and 50 Lashes.

#### DEATH'S OALL

purify the atmosphere. A new era is drawing and we hope to make the administration of the license laws

as reasonable and decent in the future as they have been unreasonable and indecent in the past.

"We want the people to have confidence in our efforts and to understand that from now on every man can expect a fair deal whether he be Grit or Tory."

The death occurred at six o'clock this morning at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. M. J. O'Neil, Wellington street, of Mrs. John Masterson

The late Mrs. Masterson was for

The funeral arrangements have

### KILLED THE RAT

Public School Trustees have a Lively Time in the Central School During Their Meeting

Last night while the members of the Supply committee of the School Board were pondering over the matter of teachers' salaries and other grave and important things, Prin cipal Plewes' private room in which the meeting was being held, was visited by a bold and ferocious look-

ing rodent of monstrous size. The rat made its appearance from beneath a couch and was first no-

ticed by Chairman Paxton. The creature settled itself back on its haunches and observed Mr. Paxton with gleaming eyes. It was as large as a small cat according to

ton with gleaming eyes. It was as large as a small cat according to Dick's story, and had fierce bristles which stood up on its back like those on a wild pig.

The genial chairman pinehed himself thrice, then being assured that it was not a nightmare, motioned to his colleagues to have a look at the monster.

The daring animal hurriedly took to cover, but the sporting blood of the trustees was up, and they gave hot chase. Brooms, fire shovels and other emergency implements of offence and defence were hastily brought into service.

The rat's hiding place was discovered to be in the springs of the couch from under which he originally emerged. On being unearthed, the creature paid the penalty of his daring and was put to death.

It died from a thousand wounds, and a half dozen Chatham school trustees stood flushed with victory, their cudgels uppraised should the beast show any further signs of life.

The "remaine" were conveyed to the back yard, and the Board resumed business.

LADIES LOOK YOUNGER.

Which is the desire of one and all, Take the trouble off visiting Prof. Dorenwand's private show rooms at Garner House, Ohatham, on Thursday, Feb. 22nd, and see the many beautiful inventions in Styles of Human Hair Coverings, Wigs, Bangs, Switches, etc., and inspect his new patent structure

### FOR SUPPLIES

enders Were Opened by the School Trustees Last Evening-G. W. Sulman is Low Man

A meeting of the Supply commit ee of the Public School Board was held in the Central school last even ing to open and consider tenders for upplies. Three tenders were received and the one from G. W. Sulnan was the lowest. There were present at the meeting

In the course of his reply the Premier, Hon. J. P. Whitney, said: "I am glad my benorable friend, the leader of the Opposition, has alluded to matters of license ad-Chairman Paxton and Trustees Rob erstson, McArthur, Somerville, and Andrews, and Principal J. W. Plewes. One of the most exciting and inalluded to matters of license administration. It is quite true that I declared the administration should be removed from, and independent of, party and political influences. We found the system steeped in political immorality by our predecessors. This we are seeking to remedy.

"The leader of the Opposition has alluded to the case at Chatham. It was the practice of the late Government to make their licenses absolutely and in every instance for political reasons. It may be that the poson, which permeated the atmosphere during their disgraceful regime, has unfortunately extended to some of the men who support this Government. They have been unable to escape contamination. But we are undertaking to clear and purify the atmosphere. A new era teresting incidents of the meeting was the killing of a huge rat, about one foot in length. Mr. Rat has had his nest in a lounge in the office of the school for some time. He didn't give up without a struggle, but there were six against one and the merry chase down the hall resulted in the ending of the life of

### DEFIES COMMISSION

rederick Nichols Absents Himself Though Subpoenaed.

ays Refusal to Give Evidence Wanted by Hydro-Electric Power Commission Would Be Breach of Faith With Shareholders of Company, but Pre-mier Whitney Will Take Decided Action to Ascertain Reason.

Toronto, Feb. 21.—Yesterday after Toronto, Feb. 21.—Yesterday afternoon in response to a subpoema requiring Mr. Nicholis, of the Electrical
Development Co. of Ontario, to give
evidence as to the eost of his company's works at Niagara Fails and the
cost of producing electric power, W. E.
Middleton, his solicitor, appeared before the Hydro-Electric Power Commission to say that the non-appearance mission to say that the non-appearance of his client was due to the fact that he could not furnish the information desired except by authority, which was not obtainable in the absence of the president, Sir Henry M. Pellatt. Then Mr. Middleton added:

"Mr. Nickella is extensive of the opin-

"Mr. Nicholis is strongly of the opin-ion that in giving the particulars de-manded he would be guilty of a breach of faith with the shareholders of the mpany."

of rath with the shareholders of the company."

The commission adjourned for legal counsel, and will announce their ultimatum this morning.

Mr. Nicholis, in an interview last night, said: "The other companies controlled by American capital, have never furnished any such information as they require from us."

Hen. Adam Beck, chairman of the commission, declined to make any statement. It was learned, however, that the Canadian Niagara Power Co. had promised to give any information that the commission might require.

The Ontario Power, Co., however, takes the same stand as that taken by the Teronto Co.

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Premier Whitney, in his address at a McNaught meeting last night, touching on the matter, stated that he had no direct knowledge of the incident, but he was emphatic in his assertion that when the matter was brought before the Government that body would take a decided action and thoroughly and publicly investigate the reason why such refusal could be made.

### DISTORTED A DECISION.

Chief Justice Mulock Calls Down G. H Watson, K. C., in Plumbers' Case. Toronto, Feb. 21.-The trial of the plumbers' supply men, which was re-sumed yesterday before Chief Justice Mulock, was again marked by periodi-cal objections by George H. Watson K. C., against the class of evidence

K. C., against the class of evidence introduced in the case of Messrs. Alex. A. and Peter McMichael.

Mr. Watson, to convince the court that he was right in one contention, proceeded to read a decision bearing on the point that it was good against the corporate body but not against its members personally.

"Tou are distorting that decision," said his lordship, and the objection was overruled.

overruled.

B. J. Morris, formerly secretary-treasurer of the Supply Association, fell downstairs at his home yesterday morning and was so badly injured that he will be unable to be present at the trial. The secretary of the Master Plumbers' Association was, however, present, and gave similar evidence to that given in the joint trial.

GOES TO PRIVY COUNCIL

Right of Christian Brothers to Teac Ottawa, Feb. 21.—The case involving

the right of members of religious com-munities to teach in the separate schools of Ontario will go to the Privy Council. Application was made yes-terday morning to the Supreme Count to hear the case, but leave was refused on the ground that the court has no jurisdiction.

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All Brushes of good goods. We bought 25 gross of these goods and we intend to sell them in a RUSH.

Come and get your share of

### SULMAN'S BEE HIVE

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### GRAND OPERA ... HOUSE 2-Performances-2

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Wed'y, Feb'y 21st The Musical Comedy Success Peck's Bad Boy

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Prices, 25c, 50e, 75c, \$1, \$1.50. •++++++++<del>\*</del>+++++++++++++

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WITH George H. Summers and Miss Belle Stevenson.

OPENING PLAY "The Fugitives."

Change of play at every performance. Matinees Wednesday and Saturday. Prices—10c, 20c, 30c.; Matinez 10c. and 20c.

### The Planet.

S. STEPHENSON - Proprietor. WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, '06

TEACHERS SALARIES.

There is a general feeling asserting itself in the Province of Ontario to-day that the standard of public school teachers should be raised. The Whitney Government has realized the importance of this question, and, as a result, it is expected that legislation will soon be introduced whereby the public school system will be greatly benefited and improved.

This is one of the most vital problems before the people at the present time. Everywhere educationists are taking the matter up and the concensus of opinion seems to be that if good work is to be received or expected from our schools, sufficient recompense must be offered to induce good material to enter, and remain in the teaching profession.

The Chatham Public School Board has become interested in the progressive spirit of the times, and at their last meeting a committee was appointed to consider what schedule of increased teachers' salaries should be adopted in Chatham. This committee is now giving the question their earnest attention and in order that they may be better able to deal with the subject intelligently and arrive at the most satisfactory conclusion ,it might be well to take into consideration , what is being done in other cities. In Toronto increases aggregating \$60,000 were made in teachers' salaries. The following, from the Toronto News, in a report of a meeting of the Toronto Board of Education, may assist the Chatham Board in their de-

ing to you, for it is one of the funniest shows on the road; take our word formale teachers be \$400, to be increased at the rate of \$50 a year until a maximum of \$850 is reached. The present minimum is \$350 and the maximum \$700.

In group, for it is one of the funniest shows on the road; take our word for it and go and see if it is not just what we say it is.

The play is full of bright and sparkling specialties; catchy music, combined with the pranks of the Bad Boy, make it one of the most entertaining of plays.

Prices—25, 35 and 50 cents.

"Trustee Rawlinson protested that this would mean an increase of \$35,-000 or more in the salaries of female teachers alone.

'If the principle is right,' said Trustee Simpson, 'it shouldn't make

any difference whether there are four teachers or 400.

"It was decided to raise the maximum for Public school principals to gagement in this city has been very

gagement in this city has been very great ever since the announcement great ever since the announcement when the minimum to remain at \$1,700.

"These men are backed in their demand for higher salaries,' said Trustee Parkinson, 'not only by prominent citizens but by the press as well. I think their request should be recognized.'

"The minimum salary of male assistants in the Public schools was raised from \$700 to \$800 per annum."

"Dr. Ogden championed the cause of the Kindergarten assistants. He

"Dr. Ogden championed the cause of the Kindergarten assistants. He claimed that the minimum of \$250 was a disgrace to the Board of Education. It was decided that this should be increased to \$300, salaries to advance at the rate of \$20 per year until a maximum of \$375 was reached. This made it necessary to increase the minimum salaries of Kindergarten directresses from \$350 to \$400, to be increased in four years to \$400, to be increased in four years

to \$500, the maximum. In Chatham conditions are different than in many places. We have am excellent staff of teachers, but while it is not necessary to secure a more efficient service, it is vitally important that we should retain the service we have.

It is to be sincerely hoped that the trustees in their wisdom will do everything in the best interests of Chatham's educational advancement, and adopt such legislation as will properly encourage those who have under their supervision one of the most responsible duties of mankindthe moulding of the minds of the young.

### EAST BRANCH.

Oh, how good, those jingle bells sound on the river.

The young people are also enjoying fine skating.

C. Little is able to be around again after a few weeks illness.

Miss Brush and Miss Mickle, of Amherstburg, are spending a few weeks on the Branch guests of Miss Beama Mickle.

Thomas Richardson and I. N. Mo.

Beama Mickle.
Thomas Richardson and J. N. McCoy spent Saturday in the Maple
City.
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Shaw attended
the wedding of Miss Kate Shaw to
Mr. Lynch on Wednesday at Keith.
The social in the Otter Creek school
room has been indefinitely postponed.
Mrs. Fred. Teeter and Miss H.
Lynch were in Chatham on Satur-

Misses F. and B. Richardson have been appointed missionary collectors on the north and south side of the

Mr. Dally skated all the way from Marine City on Saturday and is visiting friends at Tupperville and vicinity.

Be careful what you say to some

### Inside Information

Planet Readers Chance for Profit-Everyone Ought to Grasp th s Opportunity

tion" of suffering that warns of serious trouble in the future, unless the ach needs the help of Mi-o-na. digestive system is strengthened.

If you cannot eat and digest three good, square and satisfying meals each day without discomfort, your stomach needs Mi-o-na tablets. They are not a mere temporary relief, but are composed of valuable medicinal agents which strengthen the digastive organs, and cure and prevent stomach troubles.

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THE STAGE

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ANNOUNCEMENTS .

Perk's Bad Boy, matinee and night

Summers Stock Co., week-Feb. 26.

(Supplied to The Planet by Press

Agents.)

PECK'S BAD BOY.

"LITTLE JOHNNY JONES."

This city will have the opportun-

emphatic success, "Little Johnny Jones," this notable attraction being booked for the Grand Opera House on Saturday, Feb. 24th.

Prices-25, 50, 75c., \$1 and \$1.50. Seats now on sale at Priscos'.

Geo. H. Summers, Belle Stevenson

Burglar's Slide for Life, Modern Brigandage, Wanted a Dog, and many others.

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is more than a fat food.

There is no animal fat

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body. That is why chil-

dren and anæmic girls

thrive and grow fat upon

it. That is why persons

with consumptive tenden-

cies gain flesh and strength enough to check the progress of the dis-

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Little Johnny Jones-Feb. 24.

At The Grand-

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ach needs the help of Mi-o-na.

Every reader of The Planet should grasp the opportunity offered to try Mi-o-na. Just one little tablet out of a 50 cent box of this remedy before each meal for a few days, and you will soon have astrong stomach and perfect health.

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When there are pains or distress from a leading stomach specialist after eating, headaches, belching of which will be sent free. The R. T. gases, a sour taste in the mouth, diz-

### DISTRICT DOINGS.

### TILBURY

Feb. 20.-A very sudden death oc curred here about six o'clock yester-day morning, when George Oliver, of Toronto, died at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Adams. Deceased came to Tilbury about three weeks ago to take a position in the butch; er shop of R. Adams. He had been in his usual health up to the time of his death, having been at his work in the butcher shop on Saturday.

Death was due to heart failure. He leaves a wife and family in Toronto, where the remains were taken yesterday afternoon for inferment. J. H. Dennis spent Sunday at his

home in Chitham.

A twelve year old adopted daughter of James Clark, of Tilbury East, died very suddenly yesterday morn-If you don't think Peck's Bad Boy will be funny at the Grand to-night you surely have another think coming to you, for it is one of the funing of heart failure. E. R. Dromgole was in Windso

Her many friends here will regret to hear of the death of Mrs. Jame Reynolds, formerly of Tilbury, which occurred on Sunday last at her in Wheatley.

Amherstburg and Tilbury played

a border league hockey match here last night, which resulted in a vic-tory for Tilbury by a score of 7 to 3.

### DRESDEN

Feb. 21.-The Young Peoples ciety of Christ Church met at Mrs.
Will Hughes' on Monday evening.
The meeting of E. L. on Monday
was literary. Papers were given on
the lives of Wilberforce, Nelson and
Gladstone by Earl Manchester, Owen

Lou Francis passed away yester

Lou Francis passed away yesterday after several months of suffering from consumption. The funeral will take place to-day.

Mr. Will Francis, of Windsor, arrived just after his brother's death.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Little, of Chatham, spent Sunday in town.

Miss Leila Hicks officiated at the pipe organ in the Methodist church Sunday in the absence of Miss Aikins.

Invitations have been issued by Invitations have been issued by Mrs. Ogletree for a party on Thurs-

day evening.

The Misses Annie and Hattie McDonald entertain the same evening,
Mrs. 7. P. Wright is improving nicely.

Hope is also entertained of Mr. J. D. Stott's recovery.

The King Cobalt Mining Co. is very expectant, at latest reports from their claim. Ore has on analysis proved worth \$756 to the ton.

### BLENHEIM

Feb. 20.-The funeral took place on Saturday of Eleanor S. Sterling, aged 14 years, second daughter of Wm. Sterling, of Bridge End. The de-ceased had been suffering from pneumonia, to which she succumbed Thursday. Service was conducted by Revs. Holmes and Cowan. The re-mains were interred at the Evergreen and the Summers Stock Co. will hold the boards at the Grand Opera House for one week, beginning Monday, Feb. for one week, beginning Monday, Feb. 26th, playing an entirely new reper-toire of plays. The vaudeville fea-tures are particularly strong. The latest productions in the moving pic-ture line are exhibited nightly with such feature films as The Lost Child,

J. B. Shillington has returned after J. B. Shalington has returned after visiting with relatives at Brigden and Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Edmonds returned on Saturday from Ottawa, where they have been visiting relations.

Ed. Warwick, of Chatham, is visit-

ing relatives in town.

The anniversary in connection with
Trinity church will be held on Sun-Trinity church will be held on Sunday next. Canon Craig, of Petrolea, will conduct the services.

On Ash Wednesday, Feb. 28th, at 7.30 p. m., the Lenten services will commence. The services will be conducted by the rector. On Wednesday, March 7, Rev. J. W. Hodgins; Wednesday, March 14, Rev. B. A. Kinder, B. A.; Wednesday, March 21, Rev. W. F. Brownlee; Wednesday, March 28, Rev. T. B. Howard; Wednesday, April 4, Rev. R. McCosh. Revial services are being held in the Methodist church by the pastor, Rev. J. W. Holmes.

Alex. Forbes left for Waskada, Manitoba, with a carload of horses.

A. G. Shillington and J. Peters were visitors to the Maple City on Sunday.

Sunday,
Miss Ada Seaman conducted ser-vice at Charing Cross last Sunday

vice at Charing Cross last Sunday morning.

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church hold a social this evening at the home of Rev. Geo. Gilmore.

At the February meeting of the town council the following town officials were appointed: Clerk, J. W. Gibson, at \$300; treasurer, James Rutherford, \$75; solkettor, R. M. Thompson, \$60; M. H. O., A. R. Hanks, \$25; assessor, R. Coburn, \$75; engineer at power house, C. E. Wharram, \$1.75 per day; pound keeper, W. S. Eberlee; chimney sweeps, David Baxter and Jos. Hamilton; fence viewers, C. Johnson, S. Conlin and S. H. Russell; constables, John Marshall, Al. Brethour, D. Clark,

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Mr. Wigle, of Leamington, was Mr. Wigie, of Leamington, was a Blenheim visitor on Thursday last. Miss A. E. Samson has returned from visiting Miss Ethel Titus, Im-lay City, Mich. Mr. T. P. and Miss Warner enter

Mr. I. F. and Miss warner enter-tained about forty guests at rapid euchre on Friday evening. Mrs. A. McPhall is visiting her bro-ther, James Kindree. Mr. Jos. Steward and son John, and

the Misses Minnie and Marion Stew-ard and Mrs. L. H. Edmonds were in Ridgetown yesterday attending the funeral of Mr. Alonzo Mitton.

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was read by Miss Mildred Albertson,
after which Mrs. Coutts gave a talk
on United Canada. A pleasing feature was two solos by Miss Hollinture was two solos by Miss Hollin-rake, of Chatham, who sang "Three Green Bonnetts" and "Four Leafed Clover," Miss Smith rendered a beautiful piano solo. Mrs. Fraser occupied the chair in the absence of Mrs. Duncan.

Jack Bebensee as spending the day in Chatham.

in Chatham.

The Messes Hall, evangelists, have had much success and will continue throughout this week.

Will De Pencier spent the week end at Dr. Stewart's.

Rev. Mr. Freeman took the ser-

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Charles Willson, from Florence, has decided to go West.
Feb. 20.—Miss Kathryn Stewart is spending the day in Chatham.
Mr. Brown is seriously ill.
The bachelors ball will be held in Ferguson's Hall to-morrow night.
A number will attend from Chatham, Ridgetown and Bothwell.
Mrs. Annie Buller west to Ditroit Mrs. Annie Buller went to Detroit esterday, where she will remain the

Logan Stewart is laid up with Ben Franklin was in town yesterday. Mr. Morrison, from Ridgetown, is

in tewn to-day.

The next meeting of the Art Cul-ture Club will be held at Miss Nellie Mayhew's and will be in charge of Will De Pencier left yesterday for

Toronto.

The Literary and Art Club has under consideration the question of joining a National Historical Society, Margaret Frances Allen secretary.
Misses Florence Burnett and MoDonald spent Sunday with Miss Winnifred Edwards.

RAILWAYS CONSIDERING IDEA OF MAKING NEW ARRANGE-MENTS RE SLEEPER BERTHS.

(Gazette, Wednesday, Jan. 24th, 1996.) Railways are seriously considering the advisability of entering into an agreement by which the travelling public will either have to pay for their berths in sleepers by 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the day they purpose taking a sleeper, or forfeit reservations. It is contended that many people make reservations over the wire or at ticket offices for a certain night, and under the present arrangements such berths are held until the trains start out, but these people do not inform the companies of their change of plans, but keep the berths reserved until the train leaves. Then the berths are empty and the companies are minus the money they should bring.

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Plans, specifications, etc., can be seen at the office of the architects. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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### CAB

By CLARA TAYLOR

Copyright, 1905, by E. C. Parcells Far down in the valley a headlight

gleamed, and Carl Wilbur turned to his "Here she comes, Jim," he an-

"Something's the matter," declared Jim; "she's running." "That's what we'll be doing in half an hour," laughed Carl. "It's not often

that we have the honor of pulling the president and whole board of directors. The old girl will have to do us proud

He glanced affectionately at the huge locometive panting on the siding. It was one of the newest on the division, and with the five cars making up the president's special it would be better than a mile a minute most of the way after the "eight" had been passed.

The Haven section was on the south slope of the divide, and once in drop-ping down the grade they had to make complete figure eight in order to make the turn properly about the spur of Mount Diavolo. Carl was lost in speculation as to just how far he could extend the leviathan, and not until Jim leaned out from the platform in front of the firebox did the latter realize that Carl was facing toward the approaching train.

"I was talking about Susie," he laughed. "Wondered why you called her the 'old girl.'" Carl faced about just as a slip of a girl in a faded print dress came run-

ning down beside the track. He has-tened toward her with a cry. Her face wore the look of some hunted creature. 'I can't stand it any longer, Carl," she panted as she half stumbled, half threw herself into his arms. "I want

you to take me away."
"Next week, dear," he soothed, as he patted the curly head resting upon his shoulder. "Bear it for a week until I can get my layoff, and we'll slip off to Haven and get married. You can wait that long, can't you?"

"Go back there!" the girl shuddered. "She would kill me, Carl. "It's not as bad as that is it?" he

asked. For answer she drew back the



IT WAS GORDON, THE PRESIDENT, WHO BROKE THE SILENCE. tattered sleeve from the slender white story of stepmother's abuse.

"Did she strike you?" he asked, mothering an oath. "She found out shout that ride in the cab last week, and she said she would will me." Even the recollection of that awful scene brought the tears afresh. Carl turned to Jim. "If this was the regular run," he said, "I could get Baxter to take her in the car, and it would

be all right. We could get married in Haven without a license, and then I could defy Mrs. Hammond."

"Baxter must be in Haven by now, objected Jim. "Sixty-seven is the first train out in the morning. Ain't you got a friend who'd take her in?"

"Not one," grouned Carl. "We'll have to take her in the cab." "Remember what Caddon told you last week," reminded Jim. "Told you then that the next time you let her ride in the cab he'd lay you off."

"I don't care," protested Carl. "I'll take her out of the way of that fiend if I never handle a throttle again." Susie, who knew Carl had got into trouble for letting her ride on the engine with him, looked up protestingly. "I'll stay, dear, she said quietly. "I'm not afraid. Maybe some one will take

Carl thought of the terror in which Mrs. Hammond was held in the town and shook his head, but, despite his urging, Susie shook her head. She was trembling with fright, but she would not let her lover get into trouble. He had been ten years working for the

She was still protesting when the special came panting up the grade, and the two heavy engines were uncoupled and run on to a siding, while 680 puffed leisurely down to take the train. She

window for his orders from the dis-patcher, and now he came toward the engine. "All right," he shouted as he banded up the yellow tissue. "Clear" amplitude. The distance between their crests is 1,000 feet. Waves of the north Atlantic are normally 528 feet from crest to crest and twenty-six feet high.

—London Post.

TWO IN THE track all the way to Haven. Not going to take her, are you?" he added as his glance fell upon the girl.

It was Susie who answered that she

was not going, and Adams turned toward the rear of the train.

He had just given the signal to pull out when down the road came the swaying figure of a woman crazed with anger. One glance told Carl that it was Mrs. Hammond, and without a word he reached down to where Susie was standing and with a powerful jerk lifted her into the cab, while at the same moment he threw over the lever There was an answering snort from the engine, which drowned the cry of the baffled woman, and the train moved

Hubbard type, with the engineer's cab er. As soon as he was under way Carl helped Susie over to the other side of the boiler and then glued his eyes to the track ahead.

There were ten miles at a slow speed as they dropped down the side of the mountain, but once the "eight" was passed it would be clear running. Meanwhile it would take all of his care to hold back the train and keep from going into the "eight" at such a speed that the engine would leave the track.

They had gone half of the distance and were running through the cutting when a loosened stone fell from the side and crashed through the window and struck Carl full upon the head. He fell back stunned, and as he did so the lever was thrown over, and 680 bounded ahead under a full head of steam.
With a scream of terror Susie climbed

over the boiler again and stooped over her almost unconscious lover, endeav-oring to stanch the flow of blood that made a line across his face. With trembling hands he forced her away. "The 'eight!' Running away! Stop!"

he gasped. In a flash she grasped his meaning. The engine under a full head of steam was bounding down the side of the figure eight. It was impossible for the fireman to climb over to the cab at the speed they were going. She must act

quickly if she would save them. In her rides in the cab she had learned the use of the various levers and cocks, and once or twice Carl had let her hold the throttle along a straight stretch. Now she grasped the throttle and pulled it over. She knew that to attempt to check the speed too sudden-ly would be as bad as to let it continue,. With white face and set teeth, she worked at the throttle until the speed gradually slowed, and just as the "eight" came into sight she realized that at last she had the powerful en-

gine under command.

She brought the machine to a stop, and Adams came running forward.
"Serves you right!" he shouted as he sped along the track. "Got gabbing with your sweetheart and let the engine get away from you. Fine sort of engineer to be trusted with the special You'll be on the carpet for this in"-He came to a stop as he climbed into the cab and at a glance comprehended the tableau he saw there. He knew something of Carl's story, and Jim told him the rest while Susie, all unconscious of the sensation she had made bent over the form of her lover.

When at last she had brought him back to consciousness and stepped to the door of the cab to go in search of water she found the entire party stand-

ing beneath her. It was Gordon, the president, who broke the silence.

"Young woman," he said severely, "it is against the rules of this road for visitors to ride on the engines. I shall have to ask you to come back into my private car. The fireman says he can run the engine and Adams will fire for him, so as soon as we move Wilbur back there we will go on. I might add that we have discharged Wilbur for violation of orders, but on account of his wife to be we are going to make him division superintendent. Of course he broke the rules, but I, for one, an rather glad of it."

With an impulsive gesture. Susie sprang forward and planted a kiss directly beneath the grizzled mustache. "So am I," she said quietly.

The Escorial is to Spain what St. Denis is to France, the burial place of kings. Built by Philip II., it was begun in 1563 and finished in 1584. The king lived there for fourteen years and died there in 1598, finding the place congenial for his gloomy temperament. The French stripped the convent of much of its golden ornaments in 1808 and did irreparable damage to the in-terior, afterward repaired as far as possible by Ferdinand VII. The elms with which the slopes below the edifice are planted were brought from England in the reign of the Bloody Mary. It stands 2,700 feet above sea level and is exposed to gales so furious that they once, it is said, hoisted an ambassador, coach and all, into the air, and whirled the lords of the bedchamber round and round the courtyard like dead leaves .-

It is usual in other places than nov els to hear of waves running mountains high, but in reality the mountains of the sea are by no means steep and passenger run. This one trip would enly appear so when two systems of waves meet, as in a choppy sea, and add their amplitudes. For example, as is shown in a series of wave measurements lately undertaken by the French government, the highest normal waves encountered in the southern Pacific are walked down the track beside the en-gine and stood beside the cab as it was oupled on.

Adams was waiting at the telegraph amplitude. The distance between their

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Best Arrangement For Giving an Ar-

For giving style to the room which must serve as living room and reception room at the same time there is no one note so effective as the proper fitting up and pracing of the piane. Where room will about it should be drawn across a corner, and the first essentials for this arrangement are the drapery and the manning of lighting facilities

The light is most easily and simply managed by attaching a small cande-labrum of two or three candles to the front of the piame itself, putting it in at the low point at the left, where the light falls upon the music. With electric lights this can be easily managed, or without it cantiles will well repay for the trouble in later conveniand artistic effect.

To the fastidious aste the little metal touch given by andelabra is emphasized in a way worth while by the addition of hanging handles in the same design and material. These are put on at each end of the instrument and have their reason of sistence in the saving of finger marks with every change of

The drapery managed with two materials—a soir silk, which is gathered over the back, or, rather, the front, surface, and heavy embroidered straps, which are used as a narrow frieze across the top, and a correspond

ing band across one bottom. These hold the drapery silk in place, and if the plane is to be perfectly ca-parisoned there should be designed at the same time another broad strip which is lined, solded over envelope fachion and laced together into a my sie cover for permanent use on the rest. There are all sorts of latitude in the choice of decoration. The least elaborate plan is to choose linen, having it stamped in a design that would lend itself to the ordinary long and short

PRETTY PARTY BAG.

and couching stitutes, which can be carried out in heavy rope silks.—Bos-

One That Is Capacious and Stylish at

ten Traveler.

A pretty bas for theater or party use is a designoie possession. The illustration shows a design which makes a bag capacious enough to hold a small wrap in addition to other parapher-nalia. The materials required are two six inch embroidery rings, three-quarters of a yard of heavy brocaded silkthat which has wide velvet stripes running lengthwise is most effective-



THEATER OR PARTY BAG. narrow satin ribbon to wind the hanfull, as desired. Hem the straight ends of the silk over the rings, holding the outside of the ring and the wrong side of the silk toward you. Gather as you proceed, compressing each hem into a little less than half the circumference of a ring. Wind the remainder of the rings with ribbon. Attach rosettes to handles and also at the two points where all but ten inches of each selvage is gathered closely together to form the ends of the bag. This leaves ends open five inches. The bag is pretty, yet very inexpensive, if made of richly colored Japanese cotton crape. Good Housekeeping.

The rocking chair is one of the most pernicious sources for harm to the pa-tient that can be imagined, and many a weak or nervous person has been driven to the verge of collapse through its presence in the room and the thoughtless use that has been made of it. The one place near the house, says Vogue, where it may be said to have any legitimate right is on the piazza, and then only if all the other chairs are of the same persuasion. But to lie in bed or to sit up in a chair, weak and ready to faint with the exertion, and then to have nurse or relative occupy a rocking chair near one and rock, rock, rock in ceaseless restlessness, is said to feel one's senses leaving one in a of approaching insanity. This, however, is something rarely understood or even known by the majority of nurses, whose one idea of resting is to adopt

One exemplary trait in a Japanese woman is her love of neatness, a trait which her American neighbors might sometimes take pattern from. A Japanese will wear a robe that her ancestors for ages back have worn, but it looks as fresh and charming today as though just purchased. Nor does a Japanese woman often grow atout. She has sufficient strength of mind to forego sweets and rich foods. Her daily hot plunge is never omitted, and the daily hour spent at her toilet is the most important part of her day. Her coffure is so fearfully and won derfully constructed that it is not sur-prising that it is built to remain for days at a time. The smooth, perfumed masses rolled back from the low forehead form a fitting contrast to the quaint little painted face and extreme-ly white teeth of the Japanese bella.

THE PIANO CORNER.

# WHAT CAUSES HEADACHES?

### **Blood Poisoning, Always!**

The blood is poisoned by retained tissue waste, due to defective action of the bowels, kidneys or skin. The tissue waste, or dead cells, circulating in the blood, irritates the nerves and brain, and headaches and neuralgia are bound to arise. Headache powders and opiates of any kind do harm, by aiding the retention of the blood poison in the system. To cure headaches, purify the blood by opening the bowels, and by stimulating the kidneys and skin to increased

Testimonial of Mr. Bert. Corneil, Taylorville, Ont. Chronic Headaches Cured by Fruit-a-tives

To Pruit-a-tives Limited



"Fruit-a-tives" cure headaches and neuralgia because they purify the blood by their splendid action on the liver, kidneys, bowels and skin, and thus remove all poisonous material from the system. With these eliminating organs all active and working as nature ends them to work, there can be no poisons in the blood, and there

can be no headaches or neuralgia. A week's treatment will PROVE how thoroughly and quickly

50c. a box or 6 boxes for \$2.50. Sent prepaid on receipt of price if your druggist does not handle them.

Manufactured by FRUIT-A-TIVES LIMITED, Ottawa



### District Doings

THORNCLIFFE. Rev. Mr. Mitchell is holding a eries of meetings in the church. Mr. and Mrs. H. Shaw called on friends in town on Friday.
The Louisville Baptist minister preached to a large congregation in the Thorncliffe Hall on Wednesday

vening.
Mrs. W. Deline had a small quiltng bee on Friday, 9th.
Mr. Lemon Shaw is visibing his
parents for a few days.
Mr. Baker and family have moved

to Thamesville.

GORE OF CHATHAM. Mrs. John Hunt, of Winn, Mich., arrived last week to spend some time

at the home of her brother, Mr. Al-Willard Oliphant, who has been ill valescent.
C. H. King has sold his farm to
James Phair, but will reside on it till

spring.

Mrs. Chas. Robinson rreturned to her home Saturday morning after a short absence to find it on fire, the pipes in the upstairs having come down. She succeeded in getting it

out herself.

Mrs. Albert Wills is somewhat better.

Miss Lizzie, daughter of Mrs, Chas.

Robinson, is very ill. The average man doesn't care what you think of him as long as you don't say it.

It is a good rule not to repeat that which you feel is not entirely, the truth.

How Many You must have had 60 at least!
What? Only 40? Then it must be your gray hair. Ayer's Hair Vigor stops these frequent birthdays. It Birthdays?

New England parson who

gives all the early, deep, rich color to gray hair, checks falling hair, and keeps the scalp healthy. 2.0. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

little church of Jonesville is once more tossed upon the waves, as sheep without a shepherd."-ONLY A

announced to his congregation one Sun-

day, "You'll be sorry to hear that the

**Common Cold** BUT IT BECOMES A SERIOUS MATTER IF NEGLECTED. PNEUMONIA, BRONCHITIS, ASTHMA, CATARRH or CON-SUMPTION IS THE RESULT.

Get rid of'it at once by taking Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup

Obstinate coughs yield to its grateful soothing action, and in the racking, persistent cough, often present in Communitive cases, it gives grompt and sure relief. In Authums and Breachitais it is a successful remedy, rendering breathing casy and natural, enabling the sufferer to enjoy refreshing sleep, and often effecting a permanent sure.

manest cure.

We do not claim that it will cure Consumption in the advanced stages, but if taken in time it will prevent it reaching that stage, and will give the greatest relief to the poor sufferer from this terrible malady.

Be careful when purchasing to see that yen get the genuine Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Put up in a yellow wrapper, three pine trees the trade mark.

Mr. Wm. O. Junkins. Spring Lake.

Mr. Wm. O. Jenkins, Spring Lake, Alta., writes: "I had a very bad cold settled on my lungs. I bought two bottles of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup but it only required one to cure me. I have never met with any other medicine as good."

### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* ICE CREAM PARLORS

One of the finest assortments of Candy in the city, resh every day. WHOLESALE and RETAIL

OPPOSITE BANK OF MONTREAL

Ice Cream or goods delivered to any part of the city. Light lunches served.

J. H. Rhody In Wigzell's Old Stand. ......

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WE HAVE ON HAND A LARGE SUPPLY OF Lime. Cement. Sewer Pipe,

Cut Stone, & Etc. All of the best quality and at the lewest possible

J. & J. Oldershaw,

A Few Doors West of Post Office. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

One man's point of view is as good as another's, until you sit on it. Occasionally it is possible to repeat a story as it was given out first hand,

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OF CANADA.

Is Now Open for Business

King Street, Opposite Market

(In premises lately occupied by Smith Seed Store) Deposits of \$1.00 and Upwards Received. Interest Paid Four Times Per Year .

W. WALLACE BRUCE, Manager \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

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orner Sixth and King St
Over the Bee Hive.
:--Office 317. Residence 442 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

#### PROBABILITIES

Special per G. N. W. Toronto, Feb. 21.-11 a. m.-Show-ery to-day, becoming colder to-night Thursday, northerly winds, fine and moderately cold

Supplied by W. W. Turner. YESTERDAY

Maximum. TO-DAY. Lowest during night .....

### LOCAL BUDGET

E. C. Graves, of St. Catharines, was no the city yesterday. R. L. Gosnell, of Blenheim, spent yesterday in Chatham.

Mrs. Cheff, of Dover Centre, was a city visitor yesterday. David Cummings, of Hamilton, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

F. A. Ross, of Windsor, was Chatham on business yesterday. John Dawson, of Thamesville, w Maple City visitor vesterday. McKeough & Trotter shipped a large 16-foot yacht to Montreal yes-terday.

The collectors' returns rolls for 1904 have been delivered to the City Treasurer.

Miss Lyda Tyrrill returned to Florence yesterday after a visit to friends in this city.

New springs were placed on the doors at the public entrances to the post office this morning. Probate of the will of the late wm. Shaw, of Camden, has been granted to Charles Shaw.

Probate has been granted in the will of Joseph Martin, of Big Point, brother of D. M. Martin, of this city. The sections, girders, seams and fittings of a new bridge for Glacer, B. C., passed through Chatham this morning on a special set of cars.

Mrs. Goodyear, Queen street, is suffering from a stroke of paralysis. This is the second one she has had and but slight hopes are entertained for her recovery.

Wm. Murphy, employe at Taylor's mill, cut the end of one of his fingers off while working a machine yesterday. He will be unable to attend his york for some time.

J. W. Humphrey has purchased a house and a parcel of land on the corner of Hilliard and Head streets. Mr. Humphrey intends erecting a couple of houses on the property during the coming season.

The death occurred at the Home of the Friendless, on Monday, of Charles Withers, a school teacher, Charles Withers, a school teacher, who had been retired for some time. The deceased was English by birth and was 68 years of age. The funeral took place at two o'clock yesterday afternoon.

### A WORD TO OUR READERS.

As we have received notice from some of the papers with which we have clubbing rates, that their supply of premiums is nearly exhausted, we would advise our subscribers to renew their subscriptions before the end of this month. There is also a probability of some of the city papers raising their subscription prices.

If "they laugh, who win," and "they who laugh grow fat," then want ad-vertisers should be both mirthful and obese.

ORANGES LEMONS BANANAS COCOANUTS LETTUCE

E. A. Mounteer Phone 186

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At the Kent Bakery

### BAD FALL

James Rankin of Wagon Works Seriously Injured this Morning-His Condition Dangerous

A serious accident occurred at the Chatham Wagon Works at 7.30 this orning.

morning.

James Rankin, a wheelwright in the employ of the wagon works, fell down the elevator shaft from the second storey to the floor below, sustaining injuries of a very serious nature. The unfortunate man alighted the his back and internal injuries to his kidneys was the result,

A physician was hurriedly called, and the injured man was conveyed to the General Hospital. The physician in attendance says the extent of Mr. Rankin's injuries has not yet been ascertained. He is now in a yery precarious condition.

very precarious condition,

#### THOS. FIELDER DEAD

Thomas Fielder, an old and respect ed citizen, passed away at one o'clock to-day at his home on Emma street. to-day at his home on Emma street. He had been ailing for some time and his death was fully expected by his friends. Deceased was very well known in Chatham and was held in high esteem. His death robs the community of a valued member.

### BAD SIGNS

Officer Groves to-day served no ices on King street merchants who have placed projecting signboards in

have placed projecting signboards in front of their places of business.

The practice is contrary to a bylaw passed by the City Council some years ago, which prohibts projecting signs and verandahs being placed on King street between 'William street and the Gas Co.'s works.

Those having projecting signs in front of their stores have been given till next Monday to remove them.

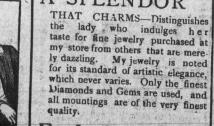
GENTLEMEN WHO ARE BALD

Or have thin hair, should call on Prof. Dorenwend, at Garner House, Chatham, on Thursday, Feb. 22nd, and see his wonderful devices in Toupees and Wigs worn on over 75,000 heads. Explanation and demonstration free. Private apartments at Hotel. Don't fail to see his new invention, patented all over the world

### FOR SALE

House and Lot in most desirable part of the city; has all modern conveniences; possession April 1st. There is also a stable on lot. Will be sold at a bargain if sold within the next 30 days. Apply to DUNN & MERRITT, Phone 295. Fifth St.

### A SPLENDOR



### E. J. MacIntyre,

Leading Jeweler and Optician. Marriage Licenses . . .

### WAITED ON GOVERNMENT

Delegation From Kent Ask for Assistance in Drainage Schemes

Were Given very Encouragement and it is Expected Grant Will be Made Good Work of H. S. Clements

On Monday a deputation consistng of H. S. Clements, M. P., J. M. Pike, Reeve Pardo and Councillor James Wellwood, of Raleigh, waited upon Premier J. P. Whitney and members of his Cabinet, asking for Government spitters. Fovernment as istance in the matter of repairing the Dauphin and Pike

The general representations were made by Mr. Clements, who has worked persistently during the past year to get assistance for those so much in need of it, on the two impaired drainage schemes.

paired drainage schemes.

It was shown to the Government that a vast amount of money had been spent on the two schemes for diking and reclaiming, and attention was drawn to the amount of taxes paid and the revenue added, which made it impossible for the residents adjacent to the schemes, to spend the amount required, to rectify the damage done to the embankments and the pumping system by the destructive flood of 1904.

Although the Government, on general principles, have, been inclined to turn down the numerous requests for aid on drainage schemes, the deputation were successful in obtaining the assurance that the Government.

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the assurance that the Government would reconsider.

Mr. Clements and the members of the deputation whom he accompanied, expect that with the assistance of Dr. Reaume, who has always taken a keen interest in the matter, that a substantial grant will be made this year.

Messrs. Pike, Wellwood and Pardo took up the Pike interests, while Mr. Clements made representations for the Dauphin scheme.

Sir Wilfrid In Toronto. Sir Wilfrid In Toronto.

Toronto, Feb. 21.—Yesterday Sir Wilfrid Laurier attended two brilliant functions. In the afternoon he was present at the marriage of Miss Ellen Elizabeth Gladys Burton, daughter of the late Warren Burton and grand-daughter of the late Sir Thomas Burton, to Allen Featherston Aylesworth, only son of the Fostmaster-General, which took place at St. James' Cathedral.

dral.

Sir Wilfrid gave the bride a bronze figure, with electric attachments.

Last night Senator Melvin Jones gave a formal dinner in honor of his

Dr. Tyerman Has Resigned. ronto, Feb. 21.—Prince Albert

Toronto, Feb. 21.—Prince Albert, Saskatchewan, is vacant.
Dr. Tyerman, the successful Liberal candidate, is in the city on a visit. He said yesterday he had malled his resignation as soon as he heard Judge Prendergast had completed his recount. Legal technicalities would have prevented its acceptance before the recount was ended. count was ended.

Vice-Admiral Dead.

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London, Feb. 21.—Vice-Admiral Sir Harry Grenfell died here Monday.

Vice-Admiral Grenfell was second in command of the China squadron. Born March, 1845, he served through the Egyptian war, 1882, getting the Kh3dive's bronze star, and was made C. M. G. in 1900.

Smallpox Stops Banquet.

Winnipeg, Feb. 21.—Owing to an outbreak of smallpox in the country, the banquet proposed by the Conservatives of Carman, Man., to Premier Roblin, has been called off for the present.

Sombra Mill Burned. Sombra, Feb. 21.—The large flour and grist mill owned by Morrison Bros. of this place, burned to the ground yester-day. It is a total loss, but it fully in-sured.

Edmonton Fire.

Edmonton, Alta., Feb. 21.—The hard-ware store of Cameron & Co. was completely gutted by fire Monday night, Loss \$10,000.

Enemies Sink Canadian Tug.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 21.—The Reid Wrecking Co. tug salvor of Sarnia, Ont., has gone down in 20 feet of water at the Pere Marquette freight dock at Ottawa Beach. Capt. Reid suspects that an enemy of the Canadian Wrecking Co. had a hand in the sinking.

Died In Cells. Died In Cells.

London, Feb. 21.—Walter Henderson, a laborer, 25 years of age, died in the police station cells yesterday morning. Henderson was arrested early last evening for drunkenness.

HOCKEY.

Yesterday's Record.
O. H. A. Senior. 

Markham Tournament.

Markham 6 Jones Bros. 2
Rangers 5 Deer Park 4
Kinnears 5 John Inglis 4
Waterloo-Oxford League.
Tavistock 4 Drumbe 8
Ayr 12 New Hamburg 4
Manitoba League.
Winnipeg Vics 9 Portage la Prairie 6
Kenora 7 Winnipeg 5
Exhibition.
Port Colborne 5 Port Dalhousie 4

Port Colborne. 5 Port Dalhousie... Vankleek Hill .. 4 Buckingham Jrs. \*Played Wednesday.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diph-

### WILL FEED **OUT FIRE**

Warden Sturgis say County Council will Fight C. 1. Board

County Will Stand all Chanese of Appeal on Judge Bell's Decision

The continuation of the reference of the dispute existing between the County and the Collegiate Institute Poard, relative to the maintenance of county pupils at the school, was held before Judge Bell in Harrison Hall this morning.

The Judge has already decided up on one point, viz., that the County may pay only 80 per cent. of the maintenance of such pupils, and the argument is now being held re the adjustment of accounts. It was adjourned until next Monday.

In conversation with a Planet reporter this morning, Warden Sturgis, who, with County Commissioner Grant, attended the argument this norning, had the following to say in reference to the proposed appeal on Judge Bell's decision in reference to the 80 per cent.

"Will the County pay 100 per cent of the maintenance of County pupils at the Collegiate Institute? Oh, certainly not. We will pay what

Oh, certainly not. We will pay what we are forced to pay by law-80 per cent.—and nothing more.

"So the Collegiate Institute Board is thinking of excluding County pupils from the Collegiate Institute. Well, if they do they will lose the Government grant and the County grant, and we will spend our money with the other schools through the County who are taking up constinuation work. We have always been willing to pay our fair share for the maintenance of our pupils at the C. C. I. and we shall always continue to do so.

to do so.
"Probably the Collegiate Institute Board forget that the County has money invested in the school building. If they exclude our pupils they will have to buy out our interests in the school.

"No, we will not compromise the matter. We are now naying our fair share and if the Collegiate Board appeal Judge bell's decision, we will fight it.

"There are a number of fire-eaters on the Board and if fire-eating agrees with them we will see that they keep on eating it."

### HAS BEEN ALL RIGHT EVER SINCE

FH. Belyea, P. M., Proves That Dodd's Kidney Pills Cure Permanently

Some Years Since He Used Them Now And He Has Had Good Health Ever Since-Story of Well-Known New Brunswick Man.

Lower Windsor, Carleton Co., N. B., Feb. 19.—(Special)—"Yes, I have good health ever since I used Dodd's Kidney Fills. The speaker was Mr. T. H. Belyea, postmaster here, and one of the most highly respected men in this part of the country. Asked to give his experience with the great Canadian Kidney Remedy Mr. Belyea continued:

continued:

"I had been troubled with my kidneys for a number of years. I tried several kinds of plasters and other kinds of medicines, but did not seem to get any lasting benefit. Hearing Dodd's Kidney Pills so highly recommended I decided to try them and they made a complete cure of me. That is two years ago and as I said before I have had good health ever since I used Dodd's Kidney Pills."

Dodd's Kidney Pills cure once and for all. There is no stage of form of Kidney Disease that they do not cure completely and permanently.

Improvident people are often up in the clouds looking for some of those silver linings.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited. Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.

Some time ago I had a bad attack of Quinzy, which laid me up two weeks and cost a lot of money.

Finding the lump again forming in my throat. I bathed 'freely with MINARD'S LINIMENT, and saturating a cloth with the liniment left it on all night.

Next morning the swelling was gone and I attributed the warding off of an attack of Quinzy to the free use of MINARD'S LINIMENT.

G. F. WORDEN.

St. John. The man who puts heart into his work will always get ahead in it. As a rule the orator who uses the biggest words has the least to say.

G. F. WORDEN

The woman who lies about her age doesn't prolong her life. Ask for Minard's and take no other

FOR SALE Choice building lots for sale on 4 owe and Poplar Streets. The lots are 56 by 120 ft. to an alley 14 feet wide at back, They are all tiled drained and covered with choice fruit trees, namely: Peaches, pears, plums, cherries and apples. They will be seld at a bargain, They are nicely situated, being only one block from paved street and electric cars. THOS, M. FRENCH,

WANTED-Dining Room Girl want-ed. Montana House, WANTED—Chamber maid and dining room girls at the Grand Central Hotel.

WANTED—Good servant for general housework. Apply to Mrs. R. J. Downey, C. P. R. crossing, Queen

FOR SALE OR TO RENT-New two-storey house on Ursuline Ave., also lots for sale. Apply to Miss Charles, Lansdowne Ave.

A FEW CANVASSERS WANTED To sell goods and repeat orders from the same customers. Liberal in-ducements. Apply Alfred Tyler, 355-7 Clarence St., London.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT — Three acres, with house and stable, two miles from Chatham. Apply Box 13 Planet Office.

ROOMS TO RENT-For housekeep-ing; centrally located, with mod-ern conveniences. Address Box 24, Planet.

DESIRABLE APARTMENTS TO RENT—A flat containing seven connected rooms, with modern conveniences, including bath room. Apply to the Chatham Lean and Savings Company.

BOAT LIVERY FOR SALE — Welk known Boat Livery at Rondeau Cash business and pays 80 per cent of investment annually. First-class references. Full particulars on application. W. R. Fellows, Jr., Prop., Blenheim, Ont.

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## THIS SPACE

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We thank the residents of Chatham and vicinity for their liberal patronage—the continued increase in the amount of business we are doing is very pleasing to us, ano we shall try in every way—both in the quality and price of our goods to make it satisfactory to all customers.

7 lbs. Best Rolled Oats, 25c.

Mixed Pickles 12c. per Court.

Mixed Pickles 13c. per Quart Brooms, 15c, 25c. and 3oc. Corn Starch, 6c. per package Very Bright Syrup, 50c. per Gal. I Corn, I Peas, I Tomatoes 25c 8 Bars Soap 25c.

Pickles 10c per Bottle Naval Oranges 25c. per Bozen 3 lbs. Mixed Biscuits 250 8 lbs. Buckwheat Flour 25c. Clearing Sale of CROCKERY, CTHINA LAMPS and GLASSWARE Still going on. Lots of bargains left yot; come and get

John McConnell, Park St. Phone 190

This would be a pleasant world if men would pay debts as cheerfully as they pay grudges.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff

## The Public

General Hospital Sale

C. AUSTIN & CO'S

Friday Saturday

-FEBRUARY 23 and 24

For the Third Time the Ladies' Assisting Society have arranged with Austin & Co. to conduct a sale on the two days above. The ladies will take charge and will receive for their share

Ten Per Cent. of the Entire Sales of the Two Days

This amount will be applied towards swelling the funds for Building a Maternity Ward.

The stock of Spring Goods is practically complete in all departments, and we are assured was never so choice in both assortment and design as this season.

By making your purchases THIS WEEK. All lines of Winter Goods marked at bargain prices.

## Special Attraction!

The ladies who will represent SWITZER-I,AND in the coming FAIR of NATIONS will have a....

Candy Counter...

at which you will be able to purchase delicious Home-made Candies during the Hospital Sale.

## DINNER SERVED

SPANISH SENORITAS

On the second floor of the Millinery Department you will find an excellent Lunch Room where you will be able to secure a good hot lunch at reasonable rates. This Department is managed by the ladies representing Spain in the coming Fair of

The total receipts from the Candy and Lunches belong to the Assisting Society.

## REMEMBER

The Sale is at AUSTIN'S.

The Ladies' Assisting Society of the Public General Hospital.

Mrs. J. C. Pritchard, SECRETARY... Mrs. W. E. Rispin, PRESIDENT...

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### Store Closes At 6.15 . .

Except Saturdays. Some three years ago, when we commenced closing at 6.15, we were told it would not pay—that it was a fad-and other \* things not altogether to complimentary. It is not a fad-we considered a + long time before commencing, but once convinced it was right, we went ahead with it.

We think that our employees are entitled to consideration in the matter of hours, and the public generally has backed this up splendidly.

We are anxious to have your business, and promise you the best of goods, very reasonable prices, prompt and civil attention. We promise you everything that goes in the make up of a first class grocery store, and amay we ask you to remember that we close at

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Was never before in such good shape to cater to your wants as it is right now. We have the best equipment that money can get for us, our men are strictly first-class, we use the best supplies to be found and our prices are very fair. One trial will convince you that we should always do your work.

Sanitary Plumbing of every kind.

Tin, galvanized, sheetfron and copper regular or special.

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Why spend months and months at a shop where you do nothing but hem, overcast, sew on hooks and eyes, etc., for weeks and weeks and then after you are through what did you hearn about cutting? Absolutely nothing? For you will know no more how to dut a dreas at the end of the year han you do d the first day you went there. We teach you how to use a system the first day you are with us, after that you commonce cutting We teach you how to put upon the common of th Rainy weather means raincoats. Best \$6 quality for \$3.99 at the Urban closing sale. day you are with us, after that you commence cutting. We teach you how to put tragether not only the lining, but all the outer goods in coats, skirts, saists, wrappers, sleeves, in fact sverything find fresimaking, including sailor collars, bettha's, betts, gird es, ac We feach you how to out and put together everything in the fashion books, from the plainest shirtwaists to the most elaborate toilette. Whether you be the wife or daughter of a farmer, laborer, mechanic, merchant or millionaire, you should learn dressmaking. No accomplishment you can acquire will prove to you of such everyday, life-long value as a practical knowledge of dressmaking. Consider what you will be able to save by being able We are selling this week eight ladies' jackets worth \$8 for \$98 at the Urban bankrupt sale, Garner Block.

the Urban bankrupt sate, Gainer what you will be able to save by being able to make your own garments. We have taught girls, who after taking a course with the have start d a dressmaking shop and the we have taught over 1,500 girls in this way within the past 4 years and all said they were more than satisfied after completing the course.

Charge for full course is only \$10.00, to be paid when through it satisfied. And we also give to each person a system worth \$5.00 free. No pay in advance and none at the end, unless you are thoroughly satisfied. We will teach at Cha'ham from Mar 5th to Mar. 22ad, i ours from 8.30 to 5. All wishing to learn, or for full particulars be sure to see us at the Garrer Hotel, on Thursday, March Sth between 10 and 5 e'clock.

THE MISSES ELLISON, We have ladies' tailor suits to suit almost any person at \$2.98. \$3.98 and \$4.98 this week at the Urban closing sale, Garner Block.
Splendid musical program by. Christ Church Guild, Friday ewening, Feb. 23rd, Sunday School Hall. Admission 15 cents. Best local talent.

THE MISSES ELLISON,

BR. A. W. THORNTON DENTIST. Office over A. I. McCall & Co's Drug Store Cor King and Fifth 'Phone, Office 164, Residence 285.

Breelsior Paint will give you what you desire — a nice, glossy finish. Try it. Drew & Mocalium.

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SURGEON, OCULIST, SPECIALIST

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Miss Stella Tillson is spending

James Foster, of Tilbury, was

First class dairy butter at the King

W. R. Kickey, of Bothwell, was in the city on business vesterday.

Wilfrid McCorvie is confined to his me on Joseph St., through illness

We have any amount of first class dairy butter. The King Edward Gro-bery. Phone 51.

Miss Lizzie Labadie, of Blenheim

alled on city friends Monday even

Gordon McCosh left this morning

Gordon McCosh left this morning for London, after a visit to his parents in this city.

Music lovers will want to hear Ruthven Macdonald Thursday night in Victoria avenue church.

Miss Mabel Rose, who has been visiting her relatives in Chatham, has returned to her home in Blenheim.

Bryson Rankin is home for a few

days from Ottawa, where he is working in the interests of the Wm. Gray & Sons Co.

E. A. Mounteer has installed one of the latest and most improved dough-mixing machines in his bitk-

ty guest yesterday.

Edward Grocery. Phone 51. J. S. Fraser, was a city visitor

DR. OVENS, M.D.

Embalmers. Opposite P.O. Open Day and Night.

5c. a Drink. Try One.

CHATHAM'S ONLY MILLINERY STORE

See Our Window A full line of well

Trimmed Hats for the small sum of 99c C.A.COOKSLEY,King St.

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Peck's Bad Boy, Grand, at 8.15. Railway Meeting, Power House, at

Prayer meeting in the city church-Court Hope, 6244, A. O. F., in their

Catholic Order Foresters, in their Hall at 8.

Revival service, William St. Paper tist Church, at 7.45.

### THE LOCAL BUDGET

Mrs. D. Ward, of Joseph street, is

mproving.
M. Dedon, of Merlin, was in town
Monday.

J. H. Burnje, of Dresden, was in own yesterday. Wm. Scott, of Tilbury, was a city visitor on Monday.

Wm. Reynolds was a visitor from Tilbury on Monday. Walter Mills, of Ridgetown, was a nity visitor yesterday.

Wm. Eardly was in the Maple City from London on Monday. H. Flaverty of Merlin, was a Ma-ple City visitor on Monday.

Hear Rathven Macdonald Thursday night, Popular prices.

A number from the city attended a chicken pie social, held in French's Church, Darrell, last evening.

Get in ine-admission 15 cents, at Y. M. L. S. Pedro Social, St. Jos-eph's Hall, Friday.

A linen shower was tendered Miss Alma Smith last evening by Miss Jean Grover, Sheldon Ave.

The members of the Separate School Board met in committee last Monday evening, relative to the new lists of R. C. school supporters.

Carnations, Lilies, Tulips, Hyacinths, Azalias, the best and cheapest, at Victoria Ave. Green Houses, 'Phone 181.

The Catholic Order of Foresters,

friends.

Rev. Father Muggan, of Merlin, spent Monday in Chatham. Hot Oysters served, Friday and Saturday, Spanish Lunch Room, Austin's Sale. Business men given David McPherson, of Woodstock, was in Chathlem on Monday.

prompt attention.

Notices of a Board of Trade and F. Carter, of Forest, is spending a few days with Maple City friends. Progressive Pedro at St. Joseph's Hall, Friday, under auspices of Y. M.

citizens' meeting in the C. W. & L. E. power house for this evening, have been sent out by W. A. Hadley. William Lecocq, who was injured recently, was around again this

Wanted, first class waist and skirt Found-a way to have a good time

ery on King street.

go to Y. M. L. S. Pedro Social, Fri-Miss Ursula Dillon, of Raleigh, spent Monday in the city visiting Wanted, first class wa

Ald. W. H Bensen has returned from Tillsonburg, where he attended the obsequies of his brother-in-law, the late Edgar Wilson. Mrs. Bensen will return to the city in the course of a few days.

This is our last week of the Urban This is our last week of the Orbital beautrupt closing sale. Now is the time to purchase a nice fur scarf, It will pay you to invest now for next season when you can buy them less than manufacturers' prices.

A special meeting of the Public School Board will be held on Friday afternoon at 2.30 to inspect the new plumbing work. A special inspector will be here from Windsor to thoroughly neas on the work. ughly pass on the work.

N. Massey, License Inspector, was called to Orford on Tuesday in re-sponse to a message that his bro-ther Edward had been seriously injured. At the time of the accident he was hauling stone, and slipping on a piece of ice, fell heavily against one of the wheels of his wagon and broke a shoulder bone.

J. W. Patterson, who for some time past has been a salesman in the lecal Thornton & Douglas store, he least Thornton & Douglas store, leaves to-morrow for Petrolea, where he is going into business with C. W. Detenbeck, of St. Catharines. Mr. Patterson and his partner have pun-chased R. S. Ford's stock of men's

chased R. S. Ford's stock of men's farmishings.

Seeneer Stone and John Houston left on the C. P. R. this morning for Boronto, where they will attend the convention of the Fairs and Exhibition Societies of the Province. The convention will be held to-day, and to-morrow. Mesars. Stone and Houston are representatives of the West Kent District Agricultural Societies.

commencing Reb. 15th, W. E. Risnin City Passenger and Ricket Agent
Agent G. T. R. and Waksash Railways, will issue special rate tickets
to all western points at the following very low nets: To all Pacific
Goast points, \$40.75; Billings, Montana, and Butte, Montana, \$32.75;
Colorado Springs, Denver, Col., Odgen, and other corresponding points,
\$37.75; Nelson and Rossland, B. C.,
and Spokane, Wash., \$38.25.

Ald. Stone probably had little idea

Instead of bouquets for Billy, some of the hotel keepers will be looking for bricks.

keepers reap a harvest if local op-tion carried in this city?

The reporters would much more appreciate an Early Adjournment By-law, or a Hot Air Reduction By-

Ald. Stone is barking up the wrong tree, and it is not a coon, but a big, fighting grizzly, that will come down as a result of his efforts. Lives of aldermen remind us

And how most important matters Are "laid over" or "deferred."

If Alice Roosevelt's harriage was a success financially, how much is Mrs. Nick. Long-worth?

A young Englishman, doing the world, and incidentally its inhabitants, contributes the following ode to Chathem:—SOGGY.

I've been in swamp in India, I've tackled Irish bogs, And I've even seen morasses That would not carry frogs.

Yes. I've struck some dirty places, But travel as I would, couldn't find the equal Of "Good old Chatham 'Mud'."

### Suffering Women

Find-Health and Strength in the Use

of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Every growing girl and every wo man nearing middle life suffers from ailments peculiar to her sex. At these health and happiness of times the health and happiness of every girl and woman depend upon the richness and regularity of her blood. Look at the young girl whose blood is weak and watery. Her face is pale, her lips and gams bloodless. Her head aches and her back aches. She has no energy, no life, a poor appetite and no desire for exercise. She complains that even to walk up-She complains that even to walk up-stairs leaves her breathless. And the woman in middle life - she is ner-vous, irritable and depressed - liable to sudden attacks of pain and dis-tress that only a woman knows of. She turns from food; horrible dizzi-ness, hot and hold flashes, make her ness, hot and loold flashes, make her life miserable. But Dr. Williams' Pink Fills bagish all this misers, because they fill the veins with rich, strong, healthy blood which gives tone and strength to every delicate organ. The case of Mrs. Geo. Danby, of Tilbury, Ont., is one of the many that proves that no medicine can compare with Dr. Williams' Pink Fills in curing the ills of womancitizens' meeting in the C. W. & L. E. power house for this evening, have been sent out by W. A. Hadley. Lamon Bros., the enterprising North Chatham bakers, in order to keep abreast of the times, have installed a new dough-m xer in their bakery.

Ben. Blonde left this afternoon for Owen Sound, Meaford and Port Elgin to purchase lumber. While away he will attend the Ho Ho Concatenation at Owen Sound.

Miss Evelyn Berube, Park St., will entertain a number of her young friends to-morrow evening in honor of her cousins, Miss Mabel and Frank Ross, of Olivet.

Ald W. H. Bensen has returned

every ailing girl and suffering woman in the land strong and healthy if in the land strong and healthy if they are given a fair trial. But great care must be taken to see that you get the genuine pills with the full name, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, on the wrapper around each box. Sold by medicine dealers everywhere or sent by mail at 50c. a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by writing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Sold His Wife For \$50.

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Windsor, Feb. 21.—Mrs. Richard
Cowells, residing in Gosfield, North
Township, preferred to the police yesterday the charge that her husband had
sold her to a neighbor, Frank Dobson,
for less than \$50. Cowells, she said,
had disposed of all the farm stock and
included his wife. Officers have been
sent to arrest Cowells.

Many men gave lavishly of gold, To build bridges and castles and tow-ers of old.

If you want everlasting is a factor be, Give the poor and needy Rocky Mountain Tea.

A. I. McCall & Co. 1 Suffocated In Grain Bin.

Port Hope, Feb. 21.—Yesterday afternoon James Soulthorp lost his life.
While attempting to remove an obstruction he fell into a large bin of
wheat and was quickly drawn under
by the suction. Medical aid was summoned, but life was extinct when the
body was recovered. The deceased is
surrived by a widow.

If you have lost your boyhood spirits, courage and confidence of youth, we offer you new life, fresh courage and freedom from III health in Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea. or Tablets.

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Colored Dress Goods In novelty Check Tweeds, Broadcloths, Chiffon Venetians, Notte Cloths, Cashmeres, Henriettas, Pans mas, Lustres, Mohairs and Costume Serges

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Priestley's Silk and Wool Henriettas, Mohairs, Brilliantees, Sicilians, Endoras, Cordonas, Lucanas, Rosettas, Taffatas, Eoliennes, Venetians, Chiffon Cloths.

Our Dress Making Parlors Are now open for the season and will be Toronto, well-known as a leading Modist of the Queen City. Satisfaction Guaranteed.

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### WILLIAM GORDON

PRINCE RUPERT

The above caption is the euphonious and appropriate name which the Grand Trunk Pacific have adopted for their terminus on the Pacific coast. The people of Canada were given an opportunity of naming this city, which some day will become one of the greatest scaports on the Westof the greatest scaports on the West-ern coast of America, and 12,000 dif-ferent names were submitted by those who took partb in the contest. A name has been chosen that is sig-nificant of Canada and one that was prominent in the early history of the country, when nearly the entire area. prominent in the early history of the country, when nearly the entire area of British North America was known as Prince Rupert's Land. Under the terms of the competition that the name should contain not more than three syllables, nor more than tenteres, the name which complied, with the conditions and most nearly resembled that selected was Port Rupert, this name being suggested by Mrs. John Orme, of Bennechtre, Ontario, and by Mr. R. Kirkwood, of Coppercliffe, Ontario, The judges, however, decided that "Prince Rupert' was a more pleasing name and more appropriate, and awarded the two hundred and fifty dollar prize to Miss Eleanor A. Macdonald, of Winnipeg, Manitoba, who was the only-Miss Eleanor A. Macdonald, of Whanipeg, Manitoba, who was the only one who submitted this name. The Grand Trunk Pacific, however, recognizing the spirit of the contest, awarded the same amount to each of the two contestants who submitted the name Port Rupert.

Eut why Prince Rupert! What

had the dashing young cavalry leader of the cavaliers nearly three hundred years ago to do with Canada? Prince Rupert was really the first British Canadian business magnate. He was a promoter of the Hudson's Bay Company, and its first Governor, they would be convinced of the great good they can do."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills can make eventeen other noblemen and gentlemen, incorporating them as "The seventeen other noblemen and gen-tlemen, incorporating them as "The Governor and Company of Adventure ers of England, trading into Hudso Eas," and securing to them "the sole trade and commerce of all those seas and straits, bays, rivers, lakes oreeks and sounds in whatever latiseas and sounds in whatever latitude they shall be, that lie within the entrance to the Straits commonly called Hudson's Straits, together with all the lands and territories upwith all the lands and territories upon the countries, coasts and confines of the seas, bays, etc., aforesaid, that were not already actually possessed by or granted to any of our subjects, or possessed by the subjects of any other Christian Prince or State. The first settlements of the country thus granted, which was to be known as Rapert's Land were made on James Pay and at Churchill and Hoyle's River.

on James Pay and at Churchii and Hoyle's River. Prince Rupert was born in 1619, the son of Frederick V., Elector-pala-tine and Elizabeth, eldest daughter of James I. of England. He was a the son of Frederick V., Elector-palatine and Elizabeth, eldest daughter of James I of England. He was a man of impetuous bravery, but at the same time showed lack of caution. When only 13 years old he took part in the siege of Rheimberg, and at the age of 18 commanded a regiment of cavalry in active service. At the beginning of the civil war in England he was placed at the head of a regiment of horse and took part in several battles. Notwithstanding a serious error at Marston Moor, he was soon appointed Commander of all the Royal troops. After the defeat of Naseby, on June 14, 1645, he retired to Bristol, but surrendered that city on August 22. The King thereupon deprived him of his commission. In 1648 he was, for want of any competent man, appointed to command the fleet. He was blockaded by Blake in Kinsale Harbor, and in October, 1649, forced his way out and steered for Lisbon. Blake pursued him and he was only savedy by assistance from the King of Portugal. He subsequently escaped to the West Indies, but after the restoration of Charles II. he was made a Privy Councillor, and served under the Duke of York against the Dutch.

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He was afterwards Governor of Windsor Castle, where during the last nine years of his life he devote himself to scientific and artistic pur-suits. He died November 29, 1682.

Many a man finds the key to the situation only after some other fellow has poked the lock.

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### District Doings

RICHMOND

Mr. Jas. Jack is putting down a pipe beside his gas well, which we hope will prove more successful than

Mr. Jas. Glover purchased a fine lot of pigs from Mr. R. McKenzie. Mr. Henry Stenton has lost a fine collie dog. It strayed away about

Mr. Henry Beatie finished his corn husking on Saturday last. The wheat crop in this vicinity has been looking fine all winter. It has been as green as it would be in early

spring although considerably head-ed out. The snow that has been scattered over the fields of late will

be a great protection to it, and we look forward to a bountiful harvest. It is rather provoking to the farmers to arrive at the car track and find that the car has just gone. The extra car that was sent out on Saturday was highly appreciated, although it failed to catch everyone wishing to go to town, and the day was so cold that no one cared to wait outside. Each concession should have a waiting room, no matter how small, as a protection from cold and rain

how small, as a protection from cold and rain.

The Ladies' Assisting Society and Willing Workers will hold their reg-ular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. N. Rhunke.

Almost anybody would rather have a steady job than steady work.

has, while the fool is looking for

## HEART DISEA

RELIEVED IN 30 MINUTES

AND THAT IS NO IDLE STATEMENT TO CATCH THE UNWARY, BUT A THOUSANDS OF TIMES OVER PROVEN AND VOUCHED FOR FACT—AND THE MYSTERIOUS POWER OVER THIS DREADED DISEASE LIES IN THE FORMULA OF

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Weak heart—weak blood—weak nerves travel hand-in-hand, and you find the symptoms in such sensations as palpitation, fluttering, shortness of breath, weak and irregular pulse, smothering spells, chilly sensations, fainting spells, swelling of feet and ankles, weariness, tired feeling; all these presage heart disorder and you cannot afford to neglect them. Dr. Agnew's Cure for the heart is a tried remedy—the sure remedythe quick acting remedy - a real life saver.

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Be the Most Considerate Land lord in London.

Is it worth \$250,000 to be known as the best landlord in London? Lord Ca-the best landlord in the designation is dogan's right to that designation is not likely to be questioned after this, but most people will agree that the above sum is a big one to have paid

As a matter of fact his lordshipwho recently was lord lieutenant of Ireland—has always been known as one of the "squarest" as well as one of the richest of London landowners.



LORD CADOGAN.

He is one of the four or five men, including the Dukes of Bedford and Westminster, who own most of London, his particular domain being the historic district of Chelsea, and ever don, his particular domain being the historic district of Chelsea, and ever since the estate passed into his hands since the estate passed into his hands he has made a point of favoring his tenants as perhaps no other proprietor has done. That he had deprived himself of \$250,000 rather than embarrass them was not known until a few days ago, however, when it was divulged in a speech on the proposed taxation of land values which C. A. Whitmore, M. P., addressed to the ratenavers in M. P., addressed to the ratepayers in Chelsea.

This speaker declared that when North street, Chelsea, was remodeled, a while ago, Lord Cadogan was approached by a syndicate which asked him to sell the property to them. To which the earl replied: "I will sell it, but I must incist mon your granting. which the earl replied: "I will sell it, but I must insist upon your granting new leases to every one who is in that street, so that no one is turned out for five years, and so that they will all have ample notice."

"That," said the member of Parliament. "made a difference of 650,000

ment, "made a difference of £50,000— \$250,000—to Lord Cadogan—in other words, if he had sold it outright with-out a condition of that sort, he would have got £50,000 more than he did."

Geography As It Is Taught.

Little Rob was the prize geographer of his class; that is, he could locate cities and bound countries with great glibness. He could draw the most real-istic maps, printing in the rivers, mountain ranges and cities from mem-ory. Rob considered geography purely in the light of a game, in which he al-ways beat, but he never associated it with the great world about him. Rivers to him were no more than black wige. with the great world about him. Rivers to him were no more than black, wiggly lines; cities were dots, and States were blots. New York was green, Pennsylvania was red and California was yellow. Of course Rob had never traveled. He was born in a canon near the country school he attended. One day the teacher made the discovery of Rob's idea of geography through the following incident. After vainly inquiring of several of the children where British Columbia is located, she called on Rob, who, as usual, was called on Rob, who, as usual, was waving his hand excitedly, wild with the enthusiasm of pent up knowledge.

"It is on page sixty-eight," he de-

clared.

After the roar had subsided the teacher explained that that was only a picture of British Columbia. Then she asked Rob to bound British Columbia.

"Can't, teacher; it's all over the page"—Success

Cigar Lore.

Cigar Lore.

"Little yellow specks on the wrapper are positive indications of a cigar's excellence. Choose a speckled cigar and you can't go wrong."

The speaker was a skate salesman. The tobacco salesman laughed at him. "Are you a victim of that error, too?" he said. "Listen, and I'll tell you all about those little yellow specks. "We are in Cuba. In mile-long rows grow the tobacco plants in the blinding sunlight. Suddenly the sky is overcast, a shower falls. Then the clouds disappear and the sun shines again upon plants dotted here and there with immense raindrops—raindrops peculiar to Cuba, as large as the largest pearls. "These drops become burning-glasses in the sunlight. The same as real lenses, they concentrate the sun's heat, and on the leaf beneath them the little yellow specks that you venerate are burnt. These little yellow specks indicate the tobacco's quality no more than freckles on a man's nose indicate his ability.

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"To choose cigars by their specks is as foolish as it would be to choose salesmen by their freckles."

Women and Their Work.

Mrs. Roosevelt has one well developed hobby, and that is the collecting of old china.

Miss Bertha Krupp, daughter of the famous gunmaker and manager of the great plant at Essen, is an ardent florist.

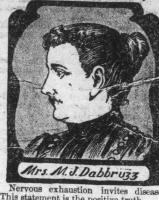
florist.

The French critic, Sarcey, says that Sarah Bernhardt was admitted, to the Conservatoire when but a little girl, solely on account of the ability with which she recited the "Two Pigeons."

Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, who before her marriage was Gertrude Vanderbilt, and who for several years has been an industrious sculptor, has accepted from the builders of the new Hotel Belmont at Forty-second street and Park avenue, New York, a commission to do much of the designing for the interior decorations of the hotel. She especially is to design the caryatides for the corridors and the thing room.

A HEALTHY OLD AGE OFTEN THE BEST PART OF LIFE

Providence has allotted us each at least seventy years in which to fulfill our mission in life, and it is generally our own fault if we die prematurely.



Nervous exhaustion invites disease. This statement is the positive truth.

When everything becomes a burden and you cannot walk a few blocks without excessive fatigue, and you break out into perspiration easily, and your face flushes, and you grow excited and shaky at the least provocation and you cannot bear to be crossed in anything, you are in danger; your nerves have given out; you need building up at once! To build up woman's nervous system and during the period of change of life we know of no better medicine than Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Here is an illustration. Mrs. Mary J. Dabbruz, of 150 Main Street, Winnipeg, Manitoba, writes: Dear Mrs. Pinkham:

"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been a blessing to me through that delicate period known as the change of life. For six years it disturbed my entire system. I had hot flushes, was extremely nervous, became pale and debilitated, very irregular in the monthly flow, and the blood all seemed to be in my head. I had frequent palpitation and throbbing of the heart; in fact, my whole system seemed to be in disorder.

"I received no relief from the suffering

be in disorder.

"I received no relief from the suffering incident to this period until I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; but I date my relief from the time I took the first bottle. I gradually improved, nature took her course painlessly, and in due time I was a well woman."

Mrs. Pinkham, daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., invites all sick and ailing women to write her for advice. Her great experience is at their service, free of cost.

Washing Water.

Labor and soap may both be saved in the laundry by the use of soft water, and even the hardest of water may be easily softened without the addition of emicals. Three or four days before it is to be used draw sufficient water for the washing and expose it in tubs, etc., to the action of the sun and air.
The trouble is only that of a little forethought and is well repaid.

For the Kitchen Table The housekeeper who cannot have a sinc covered kitchen table will find several squares of hard wood an inch in thickness and about five inches across a great convenience for setting hot dishes on. The wood should be sandpapered and each block have a screw eye, with which it is hung un-der the ledge of the table.

A blush doesn't always indicate the

Suffered for One Year - Water Caused Agony, Heat Intense Pain Grew Worse Under Doctors Could Not Do Any Housework.

### ANOTHER WONDERFUL CURE BY CUTICURA

"About a year ago my hands began to crack and peel. I tried many remedies, but they grew worse all the time. At last they became so sore that it was impossible for me to do my housework. If I put my hands in water, I was in agony for hours; and if I tried to cook over the stove, the heat caused intense pain. I consulted a doctor, but his prescriptions were utterly useless, and I tried another, but without the least satisfaction I got my first relief when I purchased Cuticura Soap and Ointment. After using them for a week, I found to my great delight that my hands were beginning to feel much better, the deep cracks began to heal up and stop running, and in six weeks my hands were entirely well, one cake of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment making a complete cure.—Mrs. M. Drew, 18 Dana St., Roxbury, Mass."

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Soak the hands or feet on retiring in a strong, hot, creamy lather of Cuticura Soap. Dry and anoint freely with Cuticura Ointment, the great skin cure. Wear on the hands during the night, old, loose gloves, or bandage the feet lightly in old, soft cotton or linen. For red, rough, and chapped hands; dry, fissured, itching, feverish palms, with brittle, shapeless nails and painful finger ends, and for itching, burning, and scaling eczemas, rashes, inflammations, and chafings, this treatment is simply wonderful.

\*\*Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills are sold throughout the world. Depost London, "Charterhouse Sci. Paris, Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Bash. Towns & Co., Sydney. Botter Drug & Chem. Corp., Bash. Towns & Co., Sydney. Best of the World Corp. Bash. Towns & Co., Sydney. Best of the World Cure Helbing, Scaly Humours."

NORMAN MILLS PRICE.

Canadian's Success As An Illustrator In Old London.

tor in Old London.

It is always a pleasure to record the success of Canadians abroad. An instance recently brought to notice is that of an. Norman Mills Price, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Price, of 512 Bathurst street, Toronto, who is distinguishing himself as an illustrator in London. Mr. Price was educated in Brampton Public and High Schools, and in the Toronto Art School, says The Globe. For a time he worked for the Grip Lithographing Company, chiefly in illustrating and drawings from life. Then, with two enterprising companions, he struck out for new fields. For a year the three young



NORMAN MILLS PRICE

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Canadians pursued their studies at the art schools of London, and then, with much pluck and some misgiving, opened a modest studio in Fleet street, London, for illustration in its various branches. The young men did so much better than they expected that at the end of a year they were able to take vastly improved questers and bloomed. end of a year they were able to take vastly improved quarters and blossomed out as "The Carlton Studio," at 180 Fleet street. At the present time they have a staff of thirty in their employ, and the firm has established a sound reputation. As their work did not always receive justice in the mechanical ways receive justice in the mechanical treatment for purposes of reproduction, the young Canadians put in an expensive photogravure plant, and have for some time made their own cuts. Mr. Price is the leading artist of the enterprise, and has won considerable distinction by his excellent work in books and magazines. One of the latest and best examples of his work is that contained in a new edition of "Lamb's Tales From Shakespeare," to which he contributes twenty full-page colors. Tales From Shakespeare," to which he contributes twenty full-page color illustrations. Here is The New York Times' comment on Mr. Price's fine work in this handsome volume:—"The illustrator of the Lambs' Tales' is, of course, an interpreter of Shakepeare. Mr. Price's pictures are to be judged only from a high standard. But they suffer nothing by comparison; they are praiseworthy alike as pictures and as illustrations. They have original force and delicate imagination. Beatrice and Imogen are beautiful women, trice and Imogen are beautiful women, and like enough to their characters. Some of the large groups are most impressive, and the sense of mere theatricalism is not present in them. The artist has drawn his inspiraton directly from the poet."

It may be added that Mr. Price is twenty-eight years of age, and is a brother of Mr. Harold W. Price, demonstrator of anatomy in the School of Practical Science and a particular strategies of the School of Practical Science and a particular science and a property of the School of Practical Science and a particular scien of Practical Science, and a nephew of Dr. James Mills, Dominion Railway

PAINTING BY MACHINE.

British Admiralty Adopt New Metho

on Warships. The belated cruiser Encounter, which was laid down at Devomport in January, 1900, has just passed her official trials. She commissions for the Australian station next Febru-

A novel experiment has been suc-A novel experiment has been suc-cessfully carried out in connection with the painting of this warship. Instead of employing a little army of dockyard "mateys" to coat the hull with service grey, Admiral Henderson has tested a new mechanical

apparatus.

The principle of this automatic painting machine is very similar to that of the oil-fuel burner. The paint is put in a cylinder, and air compress-ed into it at a great pressure. By opening a little stop-valve the paint is sprayed with considerable force over the surface to be covered. Some little experience of manipula-tion is necessary, otherwise too heavy a deposit results.

a deposit results.

The Devonport correspondent of The London Express states that the top-sides of the Encounter, now lying in the Hamoaze, present a beautiful, glossy apper. quite free from that str. so often noticeable in warships sainted by hand.

The saving in time and cost is said to be very substantial. It is only practicable to employ this apparatus against a large surface, such a deposit results

apparatus against a large surface, such as a ship's broadside, where the color is uniform, as the pressure diffuses the paint considerably. Fancy work and the cutting of lines will continue to be done by hand.

Tea Consumption.

The British Board of Trade has compiled some rather interesting statistics concerning the consumption of tea and coffee in various lands. The amount of tea used in Great Britain exceeds that of all the other countries of Europe and the United States together. In 1884 the tea consumption in that country was five pounds per head. In 1900 it rose to nearly six pounds.

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Russia and the United States come next in the quantity which they consume, but they do not use more than a pound each, while the Frenchman cannot get rid of more than one-twentieth of a pound per annum.

But in the use of coffee there is a different story to tell. Except Russia, England drinks as little coffee as any nation in the world. Seven-tenthe of a pound per year is sufficient for an Englishman, while an American requires ten and a haif pounds. The next largest consumers are the Germans, with six pounds per head, and the French, who consume more than four and a haif pounds.

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One Victim Will Die and Attempt at Suicide May Be Fatal. Yorkton, Sask, Feb. 20.—The following facts in connection with a terrible shooting tragedy at Canora, on the C. N. R. line, west of Kamsack, have been obtained from Sergt. Junget of the Northwest Mounted Police

A man by the name of Schiltz shot fatally Saturday a man by the name of Price, a neighbor, and failed in an at-tempt on the lives of his own wife and

He then shot himself with probably fatal results. He is supposed to be

FIVE YEARS DYSPEPSIA CURED "No one knows what I suffered from stomach trouble and dyspep-sia," writes Mr. A. P. Agnew, of Bridgewater. "For the last five years I have been unable to digest and assimilate food. I had no color, my strength ran down and I felt miserable and nervous all the time. always had a heavy feeling after neals and was much troubled with a dizziness and specks before my eyes. Dr. Hamilton's Pills were just what I needed. They have cured every symptom of my old trouble. My health is now all that can be desired." By all means use Dr. Hamilton's Pills; 25c, per box at all dealers. ers.

Attempt to Assassinate a President. Washington, Feb. 20.-Minister Russell at Caracas, cables the State De-

partment "The United States Minister at Bo gota requests me to send the following: On the morning of the 10th, while the President of Colombia was riding in a carriage in the suburbs of Bogota, three nounted men attempted to assassinat him, firing eight shots, five of which struck the carriage. The President was uninjured. The assailants escaped. Much excitement and indignation at the cowardly attempt. The city is quiet."

A MILLION DOLLARS SQUAN-DERED.

It is estimated this sum was wast ed last year by people trying to find a cure for catarrh. Foolish for suf-ferers to experiment when it's so well known that "Catarrhozone is well known that "Catarrhozone is the only remedy that cures permanently. Other treatments only relieve, but Catarrhozone cures and prevents the disease from ever returning, "I had Catarrh in its worst form," writes G.F. Fadden, of Royan, Que. "I was so bad that ordinary medicine didn't even relieve; but Catarrhozone cured perfectly." No chance of disappointment with Catarrhozone—it's certain as death to cure your Catarrh—just try it. cure your Catarrh—just try it.

New Government Detective. Ottawa, Feb. 20.—A new chief of detectives for the Government railway system has been appointed in the per son of G. A. Williams. He succeeds
Detective Skeffington, who was on the
Intercolonial for twenty years, and with
have his headquarters at Monoton, N.B.
Mr. Williams is a native of Valleyfield, 39 years of age, and speaks and writes French and English fluently. Mr. Wil-liams was in the service of the Cana-dian Secret Service Agency, Montreal, from April, 1895, to April, 1902. In 1902 he served in South Africa as a lieutenant in the 4th Canadian Mounted Rifles

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Accused of Two Robberies. Belleville, Feb. 19.-A man named Austen Hill was arrested in Oshawa Saturday afternoon by Constable Hayes of this city. Hill was charged with stealing clothing from a man named James French. He is also charged with

robbery at Owen Sound some time ago. AFRAID OF STRONG MEDICINES

Many people suffer for years from rheumatic pains, and prefer to do so rather than take the strong medicines usually given for rheumatism, not knowing that quick relief from pain may be had simply by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm and without taking any medicine Internally, Rev. 'Amos Parker of Magnodia, North Caroline, suffered for eight years with a lame hip due to severe rheumatic pains. He has been permanently cured by the free application of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. For sale by all druggists.

### ELECTIONS

THE WONDERFUL ETHER.

A Startling Conception of the Universal Medium

Of all the theories of the ether that lately propounded by Professor Osborne Reynolds is perhaps the most startling. It inverts all our previous ideas on the subject. According to this, the youngest theory of the ether. we must look upon the ether as the one really substantial thing in the universe, its density being 10,000 times greater han that of water, while matter, which seems so substantial, consists, so to speak, in an absence of mass and has the character of a mere wave in the ether. On this newest view "we are all waves," as the author of the theory, bursting into poetry, exclaimed at the close of the eighth section of his Rede lecture. This astonishing proposition, which has cost its author no less than twenty years of labor, asks us to imagine that the universe, except those minor portions which constitute matter, is built up, like a bag of sand, of grains of definite shape and in size so inconceivably small that their diameters are no greater than the seven hundred thousand millionth part of the wave length of violet light, which in its turn amounts to only sixteen millionths of an inch, and so closely packed that, though not absolutely immovable, the four hundred thousand millionth of the seven hundred thousand millionth of one sixty thousandth part of an inch-i. e., the four hundred thousand millionth part of their own diameter-would represent approxi-mately the mean free path through which these particles are free to move. Professor Reynolds tells us that the density of this medium, far from being almost indefinitely small, is nearly 500 times as great as that of the densest matter known to us on earth and its pressure more than 3,000 times greater than that which any material yet tried has been known to sustain.

To get some idea of this conception of the ether picture to yourself a billiard table carefully packed from one end to the other with line after line of billiard balls, each line so nicely fitted or geared into the next that the balls are packed almost as close to each other as is possible, yet not so very tightly as to prevent absolutely all motion among them. Imagine again that you have not one layer of balls, as on a billiard table, confined by the sides of the table, but layer upon layer piled one above the other and extending absolutely without limit in every direction. Remember that these balls or grains are so minute that, say, 11,200,-000,000,000,000,000 of them laid side by side along a line would only occupy a single inch, and you will have a picture so far as may be of Professor Reynolds' conception of the universal medium, ether.—W. A. Shenstone, F. R. S., in Cornhill Magazine

The Venerable Eugenie. The rumor as to the grave indisposi-tion of the ex-Empress Eugenie happily proves to have been unfounded. but it must be remembered, all the same, that her majesty is now nearly an octogenarian, having been born in 1826, only seven years later than Queen Victoria. It argues marvelous vitality that she has been able for so long to resist the sorrows which began to fall on her so thickly just five and thirty years ago, when she and her consort lost their empire, and the heavie blow of nine years later, when her only son fell under the assagais of the Zu lus. But, then, the ex-empress has always shown herself to be possessed of a certain amount of iron in her composition, derived no doubt from her Scot tish grandfather, a Kirkpatrick of Closeburn, who settled at Malaga as a wine merchant.-London Chronicle

Vanished Red Dog.

Files of the Nevada Transcript of 1860 tell of the visit of a theatrical company to the mining town of Red Dog. The company, headed by Mc-Kean Buchanan, Virginia Buchanan Frank Mayo, Charles Wheatleigh and Elizabeth Saunders, all of whom occupy prominent places in the history of the American stage, played three nights in Red Dog to an average busi ness of \$1,200 a night. The plays produced were "Camille," "The Robbers" and "The Octoroon." Today not a vestige of a house is to be found on the former site of Red Dog, which was about nine miles from Nevada City.

Speed Mania Speed mania is getting to have scientific recognition. The medical superintendent of the Montrose asylum men-tions motoring as the latest addition to the list of predisposing causes tending toward insanity. He reports two victims of the new "motor mania" at his institution. "He gives no details to enable us," says the Hospital, "to determine what form the craze assumed or whether the tendency was homicidal, suicidal or of a less personal character. But in any case the new menace to mental stability is disquieting."

Literate Kansas. Governor Hoch administers an eye opener to cultured Boston when he affirms that of all the states Kansas has firms that of all the states Kansas has among her people the least percentage of illiteracy, excepting only lows. The east doesn't half know what President Roosevelt thoroughly learned in his recent tour—that the west and southwest are most active and liberal in the promotion of school education. Our colleges and universities are also numerous and in the average as good as the ous and in the average as good as the best.—St. Louis Republic.

DODDS

Nursery Furniture Nursery furniture should be small, but it should be light in weight also The little bent wood chairs are very good. They can be lifted and carried about by very small people, and they have no angles to bark shins on unawares. Do not overdo the nursery idea. Let the decorations stop with the walls. Children tire of Mother Goose rugs, furniture and china. Fresh white curtains that wash are better than pic

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HOUSE SITS FIVE MINUTES.

An Exceedingly Short Session of the Legislature on Monday.

Toronto, Feb. 20.—The Legislature had practically nothing to do yester-day, and it was done in less than five minutes. Few members were in place To-day the debate on the address will be continued by the Opposition leader, and then it is expected Mr. Whitney will conclude the debate before 6

Among the petitions presented were several asking that section 606 of the Municipal Act be repealed. This is the section under which municipalities are made liable for damages arising are made liable for damages arisi from defective sidewalks and roads. Col. Matheson laid on the table a formal report showing the amended regulations regarding the working of the Succession Duties Act.

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soothing and healing properties of this remedy, its pleasant taste and prompt and permanent cures have made it a favorite with people everywhere. It is especially prized by mothers of small children, for colds, croup and whooping cough, as it always affords quick relief, and as it contains no opium or other harm-ful drug, it may be given as confi-dently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by all druggists.

Old Man Burns to Death.

Metcalfe, Feb. 20.—On Saturday af-ternoon about 2 o'clock the residence of Michael Wallace, an aged farmer of ed by fire. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace ar both about 80 years of age, and their daughter-in-law and three small chil-dren were all that were present. The old gentleman spoke of going into the house for something, but his daughterin-law warned him not to go, but while she was taking her children out of danger into an adjoining field he went He perished about four feet from the front door in the hallway. His body and contents totally destroyed.

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THE IMMIGRANT.

olish little immigrant Has crossed the unknown see

He did not bring a single cent, No baggage was revealed; Upon what scenes he turned his back His lips are ever sealed.

He may be homesick-who can tell? The tears are in his eyes.

No doubt he finds this foreign show
A land of strange surprise.

What tales were told to you?
Did you believe that work was light
And gold on bushes grew?

And long the time you roam; You cannot take a dollar back When you go sailing home McLandburgh Wilson

CAUSE FOR THANKS.

Rev. Dr. Herridge of Ottawa Preache

on National Affairs.

Rev. Dr. Herridge of Ottawa preached a notable Thanksgiving sermon this year. Here were some of the things for which, in Dr. Herridge's opinion, Canadians should be grateful:—"We have an immense asset in our timber, our minerals, our native industries, and especially in these wheat-growing lands of the west, only a small fraction of which have as yet been cultivated. Though wealth may not be increasing for some of us, there can be no doubt that it is increasing as a whole in every part of the country. We are free from any acute form of social or political disturbance. No desolator political disturbance. No desolat ing plague has come nigh our dwellings mg piague has come nigh our dwellings. We enjoy peace throughout our borders. The quality of our immigrants, as a rule, gives good hope that they will do useful work amongst us. The beginning of a new transcontinental railway will open up fresh districts for settlement, and those two commonwealths, which have been created this wealths which have been created this year in the west are bound to play no unimportant part in the future history of the Dominion.

"Canadians surely did not need to be told," went on Dr. Herridge, "that material wealth element would never make

told, went on Dr. Herridge, "that material wealth alone would never make this nation great. If that was what we aimed at, the result might be a kind of vulgar prosperity, but nothing more. Unless the growth of manhood kept pace with the growth of money, wealth would only make the littleness of soul more plainly, more pathetically, more grotesquely evident. We were accus-tomed to speak of Canada as having a great future, but that depended upon the Canadians themselves. Among our various enterprises none required more care and none would prove more lucracare and none would prove more lucra-tive than the manufacture of men. The spread of education among our people was necessary, for true culture had a value in itself, apart from any material results attending it. With our schools open to everyone, it may be thought that we have not much reason in Canada to be over-concerned about educa-tional affairs, but I am not so sure of this. For one thing it seems to me that the meagre salaries given to our teachers are little short of a national disgrace. We ought to see to it, of

course, that they are properly que lified.

The trustees of our schools should be men of broad intelligence and sympathetic insight into the character of a teacher's work; but if we almost starve those who train our youth, and that is what in companions are to do don't be the teacher's work. this is what in some cases we do, does it not look as though we regarded their task as quite a secondary matter? Now education is a primary matter; if our schools and colleges were destroyed, or even crippled in their efficiency, we might bid farewell to any hopes of national greatness. The growth of self-culture was a hopeful sign, but it was not enough to insure a nation's greatness. Canada needed men of steadfast industry and of broad intelligence, and most of all men this is what in some cases we do does broad intelligence, and most of all me who feared God and worked for right

"We are beginning to see this mor and more clearly. We are finding out that such a thing as a public con-science is not superfluous. It is true san creed and base desertion of prin san creed and base desertion of principles are not unknown amongst us. Philistines are still in the land, but we seem more resolved than ever to conquer them, and if necessary to drive them out. We begin to see that selfthem out. We begin to see that self-respect will not allow evil to go unre-buked; even although it does not di-rectly affect our personal interests we have somewing to do. We are emerg-ing out of the selfish indifference which will tolerate almost anything, and are learning to insist upon it that our com-mercial and civic and political methods mercial and civic and political methods shall at least bring no discredit upon the name Canadian. We feel that we cannot afford to have a doubtful reputation in anybody's eyes, but that, on the contrary, with our vast Dominion, our free institutions, and our fine possibilities as a people, we ought to set the example of a people who think too much of themselves to be taken up with mean, petty and sordid aims, but are determined rather to work out their destiny in the spirit of God's gentlemen.

"I do not think that the most san "I do not think that the most sanguine prophet is likely to exaggerate the outlook for Canadian life during the next half century. The tide of immigration is at last flowing towards us. Our magnificent resources are becoming better known both to ourselves and to others. We discern with growing distinctness the part we have to play in that Imperial dream, which moves toward a great unity of the British race, and yet at the same time we are more and more conscious of our own individuality. Now if we are but true to the trust committed to us, if we Individuality. Now if we are but true to the trust committed to us, if we are resolved that Canada shall lose nothing through our selfishness or our folly, if these vast plains of ours can be filled with men or thrift and intelligence, men of clean hands and pure hearts; if we fuse our various creeds into a simpler creed, which teaches us to love God and to love our brother also, then there need be no fear for the future of this Dominion. Our big country will be also a great country, and with deeper reverence and more ardent faith we shall return thanks to the source of every blessing for the goed lead which He hath given us."

A citizen to be.

Ah, foolish little immigrant!

Good luck to you while you are here

on National Affairs.

The Lord's Prayer. The question having arisen as to whether the English version of the Lord's Prayer is a true reproduction of the original as found in Matthew, a native Greek scholar proceeds to answer it. He deals with the petitions in order, translates each word with all the shades of meaning of the original and then presents the whole in this form:
"Our Father which art in heaven, hallowed be thy name—thy dominion come thy (fixed) purpose be done, as in heaven, so, too, en earth. Give us this day our mere (or simple) bread and forgive us our debts as we forgive our tempter's snare, but deliver us from the

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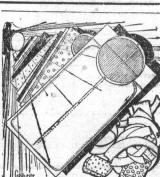
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Speeches by Premier Whitney and Ex-Premier Ross.

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Ashamed Of, But the Premier Could Not Forget Some Things-Facts Mentioned Speak Louder Than the Empty Boast.

Toronto, Feb. 21.—The House yesters day listened to speeches by the Opposition and Government leaders. Nearly every chair was occupied and the galleries contained hundreds of spectators, drawn, no doubt, by the promise of a fine forensic battle.

Mr. Pense, returned by the electors of Kingston, was introduced by Hon. G. W. Ross and T. H. Preston. The Opposition rattled the desks for a full minute after Mr. Pense took his seat.

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Mr. Ross on the Address.
In resuming the debate on the address, Mr. Ross said he was glad that

the long period of opposition had broadened the views of the Government supporters. The great bulk of the people felt that the services of the Liberal party during the past 39 years were of immense value to the country. They had nothing to be appared. They had nothing to be ashamed of.
Mr. Ross outlined what had been done
for agriculture. The agricultural college had at least given the Government
a Minister of Agriculture; the Liberal
party had given the province a license law, a good road policy and a mining policy. From what had been done by

law, a good road policy and a mining policy. From what had been done by the late Government immense pulp industries had sprung up. The Liberal party had built the Temiskaming Rallway, which now pays a surplus, and they had developed the water powers at Niagara Falis, which yield a large revenue.

A Surplus at Last.

He believed the treasurer would be able to boast of a surplus—he was glad of it, but how did he get it? It was got because the Liberal party had provided for it. The treasurer was something like a symbolical Jack Horner eating his Christmas pie. If there had eating his Christmas pie. If there had not been a Liberal party there would

be no pie.

"The surest way for the hon, gentlemen to remain in power is to walk in our footsteps in these respects," asserted the ex-Premier.

Twe Appointments,

He touched on the education department by criticizing some recent appointments. He would not object to either of the gentlemen, the provincial librarian or the deputy minister of departments. Your agent, Mr. R. A. Murphy has to-day handed me your check for \$80 in full esettlement of my illness

librarian or the deputy minister of edu-cation, but previous experience should have been a requisite qualification. Mr. Ross said his policy had been to draw men from the profession for such

draw men from the profession for such positions. These two appointments were indisputably political.

"I do not think there is any deterioration in our school system," said Mr. Ross, who was now speaking from his seat. Figures were quoted to show a large increase in the number of students passing the high school and the junior matriculation examinations. He

would hall with delight any move of the Government to raise the salaries of the

The License Appointments.

Had the license inspecters been removed from party influence, as promised by Mr. Whitney when in Opposition?

Mr. Ross thought it was merely a case of changing from one party to another; he would say from one party to a worse. The public did not approve of the removal of the Toronto inspectors. What would be the consequences fors. What would be the consequences of all this? If the inspectors were to be under the political whip of the Government it would be a bad thing. He would wait, however, for further evidence. All this had now was a bad beginning.

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Only Half a Minister.

The grovince was promised a Minister ter of Mines. It had got only half a minister. There was plenty of material inside the House, yet the Premier had passed them over. There was a good deal for him to do, and perhaps he would degelop into a pretty good half. New Ontario, said the late Premier, was his day dream. In preventing the Helen mine falling into the hands of the United States steel trust, the Government had gone as far as a Government could go, but he believed that even the present Government was glad that the assistance was given to the Soo in stries. The Temiskaming railway was projected and we have Cobalt.

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The old Government had been criticized for assisting the Grand Trunk Pacific. It had been said that the road would be built anyway. The fact was the scheme was hanging in the balance.

The Spoils System.

A large number of men had been dismissed without cause. Their sole offence was in heing Libergis. It was

offence was in being Liberals. It was true that the Dominion Government had dismissed hundreds from office— he had the returns before him, but there were so many he could not count them But in these cases investigations were conducted while the present Govern-ment had conducted only two investi-gations. Mr. Ross said the Government had made 880 appointments, not inhad made 880 appointments, not including justices of the peace and issuers of marriage licenses. Could anyone imagine a more heartless proceeding? Of these 580, 35 were necessary, owing to death. He did not object to a Conservative getting a dead man's job. They were welcome to as many dead men's shoes as came their way.

Some Omissions.

As a catalogue of what the Government proposed, the speech from the throne was very good, but you could

throne was very good, but you could not tell what a book was like by the catalogue. The Opposition would sup-port any good measures brought down. There would be no carping criticisms, but the Opposition would hold the Gov-ernment strictly to its promises.

A good deal had been left out of the speech from the throne—that was to be expected. In the speech there had been no reference to a bill for a repeal of the tax on corporations, so stoutly advocated during the Opposition life of the present Government. Likewise he noticed that there was no reference to the promised reduction of the succession duties, or the abolition of the public works department or the repeal of the office of clerk of forestry. However, since possession of office had

broadened the members of the Government, some of these propositions might be discarded.

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Premier Replies.

There was not a single act of commission or omission in the Government's record that it might be now wished to have changed, said Mr. Whitney, who opined that the "awful warning" in the downfall of the late Government would be an effectual deterrent

ernment would be an effectual deterrent from wrongdoing.

Mr. Ross had started out to tell the history of that Government, but how much had he told? Had Mr. Ross dared to say the present Government had fol-lowed in the footsteps of the old? Mr. Whitney referred to the Minnie M., North Renfrew and other episodes of the kind.

Coming to the license question, the speaker said that the present system of administering the law, while defective, was the best in sight. The Chatnam incident merely showed that the poison of the late Government's princi-ples had extended to some of the men who supported the present Government. The action of the Provincial Secretary had shown an intention to dishiss from had shown an intention to dismiss from office license officials who acted for party gain. The Government would continue to choose proper men. The Ross Government was referred to as having been able by thimblerigging to delude both liquor men and the temperance folk into the belief that he favored each individually.

Hastings' Dismissal.

Mr. Whitney said that License Inspector Hastings was one of a group of chief heelers of the Liberal party for the last ten or fifteen years. In dismissing other officials he had been dismissing other officials he had been

of chief heelers of the Liberal party for the last 'ten or fifteen years. In dismissing other officials he had been allowed to remain.

"I was surprised when the members for Toronto came to the conclusion that they would leave him in." admitted Mr Whitney. "I thought they made a mistake, but I thought their views should govern. After a trial of some months, it was shown that he could not remain in office with regard to the license administration of the city." The Government would not the city." The Government would not be deterred in future, but would "do the same thing under similar circumstances and considerations."

Pulp Concessions.

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Mr. Whitney scored the former policy in pulp concessions. From 10,600 to 15,000 square miles had been given away just before a general election. without any competition, whereas now tenders for such concessions were being

advertised, as with timber lands.

Mr. Whitney compared the surplus
of the Temiskaming railway with the
deficit on the Intercolonial, and announced that a very different policy from that of the late Government would

Niagara Given Away. Still more vigorously assailed was the late policy re Niagara water power. No more priceless possession imaginable could have been given away than had gone for a nominal return, so small that it could hardly be credited until documentary evidence was scanned. To-day conditions at Niagara showed that three-quarters at least of the re-turns which should come to the Gov-ernment would never come to them, and the fault would lie with the late Gov-ernment, which had deliberately given them away to the people who were at

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that time very close to its heart, be-cause of the approach of the general elections.

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Leavitt a Poet.

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He was glad Mr. Ross had referred to the appointment of Messrs. Leavitt and Colquhoun, Mr. Leavitt, the librarian did not possess a tithe of importance in the Conservative party as was possessed by W. T. R. Preston in the Liberal party organization, yet Mr. Preston was appointed librarian in the Legislative building. Mr. Leavitt had written (Mr. Whitney emphasized the "written") as much poetry as the leader of the Opposition. of the Opposition.

Mr. Ross: "Perhaps not as bood."

Mr. Whitney: "Perhaps, but always

his own."
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The Globe had commended Mr. Colquhoun as a good man for the position of deputy minister of education. Mr. Whitney then went on to say that it was not the intention of the Government to appoint experts as ministers or deputy ministers.

Autocrat of the Department.

Mr. Whitney said the ex-Premier could not remain quiet in his seat on the mention of the name of Prof. Macellum of the university, the reason Macellum of the university, the reason

for which being that the profes given the speaker a couple of years ago, some information respecting the university, for which he (Macallum) was given a severe verbal castigation by Mr. Ross. This was one of the reasons why the educational system had deteriorated until the officials high and low iorated until the officials high and low hesitated to do anything for fear of be-ing taken to task by the autocrat of the department. Mr. Whitney dialated on the education question which he said was close to the heart of the bulk of the people, and answered other points raised by the Opposition leader.

The Spoils System.

The spoils question was referred to. Mr. Ross had not told of one minister at Ottawa who had himself dismissed over 700 in one department. The Gov-ernment was told in some quarters that it would not be returned at the next election because it would not dismiss the officeholders, while on the other hand defeat was threatened because it had dismissed them. For years there had not been an officeholder appointed who had not been told they must work: day and night for the welfare of the late Government. These men were the "hidden workers and heelers and trait-ors" of the late Government and there were some there yet. There were officeholders going about the province saying "what kind of a Government have you got that dare not put us out?

More Reformers had been left on the commission of the peace than multiplied by five had ever been appointed by the late Government, Mr. Whitney said. He closed promptly at

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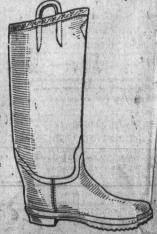
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