Story of great interest will be be the ADVERTISER on Tuesday next, ntinued from day to day till finished ill appear in these columns by special arrangement with the author, Mr. Stuart Livingston, a well-known Hamilton barris We will not anticipate further than to assure our readers that the novel is sure

to arrest and hold their attention from first to last. The plot is unique and the literary merits of the story superior.

DEATH OF AN EX-M.P. Sheriff McConkey, of Simcoe county, died on Friday. He was the father of Mr. B. R. McConkey, manager of the Bank of Com merce at Guelph, formerly of this city. Away back in the '60's, the Sheriff was Away back in the '60's, the Sheriff was M.P. for North Simcoe. He was a Liberal.

THE ONTARIO HOUSE.

ool Question Discussed-Licen

TORONTO, Friday, Feb. 21. TORONTO, Friday, Feb. 21.

A discussion took place on the distribution of the poor school grant, the Opposition, so far as heard from, insinuating that the grant was construed unduly in favor of separate school establishment by the Education Department. The lucid explanation given by the Minister of Education of the manner in which the fund is distributed convinced the House that the construction put on its apportionment and the separate school law was erroneous. The remainder

of the sitting was taken up by second read-ings of public and private bills.

Mr. Balfour presented a petition praying for the incorporation of Walkerville into a

town.

The Government bills were read a first time: To amend the General Mining Act, and to secure the costs in certain actions against justices of the peace. The following among other license com

missioners have been appointed:
North Brant—Thomas Ryall, Justus Vanderlip, Christopher Barker.
North Oxford—John Douglass, William
Stuart, William Stewart.
East Middlesex—William B, Scatcherd, Allan
Bogue, John Kennedy.

The Government have made the following appointments: To be notaries public—Alexander Stuart Clarke, Mount Forest; Ashman Bridgeman, St. Thomas; George Henry Cowan, London.

MANY LIVES LOST.

The Breaking of a Coupling Pin Causes

Suisson, Cal., Feb. 22 .- While a train Suisson, Cal., Feb. 22.—While a train of eight locomotives was returning from the scene of the blockade yesterday morning the middle coupling broke four miles north of this place, causing a collision between the rear engines and the forward ones. A large number of laborers riding on the engine were instantly killed, three seriously injured, one of whom will probably die. Two of the engines were badly damaged and the track blocked.

MARRIED BY TELEPHONE A Ceremony Performed as a Joke Pre

LAPORTE, Ind., Feb. 22.—Minnie Worley, aged 22, telephone exchange operator at South Bend, and Frank Middleton, aged 25, in a like position at Michigan City, became acquainted over the wires during their night watches. Finally Middleton proposed in tun that they get married by telephone, and Minnie consented. A Michigan City justice was called in and performed a legal convence. consented. A Michigan City justice was called in and performed a legal ceremony, but without the necessary State license. This occurred last week and passed off as a joke. Now eminent legal counsel pronounce the marriage legal and binding, and say Justice Dibble is liable to imprisonment for performing the ceremony without the necessary license. The groom will go to South Bend to see his bride, and divorce proceedings will probably be instituted unless they agree to live together.

Suicided by Jumping Into a Well. FORT WAYNE, Ind., Feb. 22.—Thursday night William Milliman, a wealthy farmer of Milan township, ten miles from this city, committed suicide by jumping into a deep well. He was 80 years old and had become despondent over the long continued illness of Steward Milliman, his favorite

Fire at Strathroy.

STRATHROY, Feb. 22.—Early this morning a large frame dwelling house on the corner of Fraser and English streets, owned by Elder Collins and occupied by Wm. Campbell, was destroyed by fire. The contents were insured in the London, Liverpool and Globe Insurance Company—amount not known. Only a small amount of turniture was saved.

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A. O. U. W.

Toronto, Feb. 22.—During the last year the certificates issued by the Canadian A. O. U. W. Relief Society amounted at \$328, 500. Total amount of certificates in force at end of year, \$1,963,500. There were nine assessments last year. Board of Directors: President, J. R. Miller, Toronto; first vice-president, J. Villey, Montreal; third vice-president, J. J. Villey, Montreal; third vice-president, M. A. Jones, Bowmanville; secretary, H. M. Wilkinson, Toronto; treasurer, Jas. Watt, Toronto; medical director, Dr. W. J. Roe, Georgetown.

Mysterious Desth of a Brant County.

AN ORIENTAL HORROR!

on Board Lost.

The Duke of Orleans Pardoned, Expelled from France.

Young Abraham Lincoln in a Critical

Condition

Tennyson III.
London, Feb. 22.—Lord Tennyson is suffering from a severe attack of influenza at his home on the Isle of Wight. His condition is serious.

The Muzzle.

London, Feb. 22.—The Government intends to adopt the closure in order to shorten the debate on the address, as it is occupying the time of the House to the exclusion of much more important business.

Sympathizers with Evicted Tenants Ar-

rested.

Dublin, Feb. 22.—Seventy arrests were made yesterday at New Bridges, county Kildare, of persons engaged in re-erecting the houses of evicted tenants on the Clangery estate. The police dispersed the crowds.

Gladstone's Illness.

(Via Dalziel's News Agency.)
London, Feb. 22.—Mr. Gladstone is ill with catarrh. His illness is the result of the severe chill which he took while attend-

ing the funeral of Earl Sydney.

LONDON, Feb. 22.—Mr. Gladstone is much better to-day.

Late German Election Returns. BERLIN, Feb. 22.-Later returns from the

tives, 13 National Liberals, 66 Ultramontanes 12 Liberals, 3 Poles, 1 Independent Liberal, 10 Alsatians, 3 Democrats and 1 Dane. In 104 other districts second ballots will be Sailors Saved.

London, Feb. 22.—The steamer Bayfisher has arrived at Port Talbot, Wales, with Capt. Putnam and eight of the crew of the Capt. Putnam and eight of the crew of the ship Sovereign, from Cardiff, which was run into by the steamer Highgate off Sun-day Island Tuesday. The men were nearly exhausted when picked up. Twelve of the Sovereign's crew have now reached land, but the fate of the remainder is unknown. A Political Revulsion

rrespondent says: The clear Cartel majority that existed in the last Reichstag has irrevocably vanished. It is likely the Socialists will sweep Berlin, with the exception of the first district. The Socialists have had comparatively little success in the mining districts. They have gained most in the manufacturing districts and the large

(Via Dalziel News Agency.)
PARIS, Feb. 22.—At a meeting of the
Cabinet to-day, it was decided to remit the sentence imposed on the Duke of Orleans, convicted of violating the Exile Act conerning his family, and sentenced to two ears' imprisonment. The Duke will there

Drowned by Hundreds. The steamer China, from Hong Kong and Yokahama, reports that during the storm along the Boshu coast, Jan. 24, 1,000 fishalong the Boshu coast, Jan. 24, 1,000 fishing boats, with nearly 3,000 fishermen, drifted out to sea. Nine hundred boats with all on board were lost. Most of the bodies drifted upon the beach. The grief of the families and friends of the lost was

heart-rending.

The same day eleven boats were wrecked off Tobishma during a storm and 50 fishermen were drowned.

Jan. 25 twenty-three fishermen were drowned on the coast of Maschawa.

A storm swept over the coast of Toukomo and Chosie Kadsusa district the night of Jan. 25. Over 300 fishing boats that were out never returned.

out never returned. Funeral ceremonies for 600 fishermen

supposed to have been drowned have been observed. Whole villages are in mourning. Extradition-The Fishery Trouble.

London, Feb. 22.-Lord Salisbury in imated yesterday that he would accept the United States Senate's changes in the ex-

It is reported that now that the extradition treaty between Great Britam and the United States has been disposed of, the recent conferences between Minister Pauncefote and Secretery Blaine Minister Pauncefote and Secretery Blaine at Washington have been resumed with good prospects of a satisfactory understanding being reached. The results so far reached, it is said, are that American fishermen are to have the same rights in ishermen are to have the same rights in Canadian waters as the Canadian fishermen have in American waters. As the Canadian fishing grounds are by far the most valuable, to gain this concession Secretary Blaine is said to have agreed to the admission of British sealers in the Behring Sea on the same terms that American sealers are permitted there. It is expected some official statement on these subjects will be made public shortly.

Biggar's Burial. LONDON, Feb. 22.—The funeral of the late Soo. Total amount of certificates in force at end of year, \$1,963,500. There were nine assessments last year. Board of Directors: President, J. R. Miller, Toronto; first vice-president, Robert Alexander, Galt; second president, Robert Alexander, Galt; second president, M. A. Jones, Bowmanville; secretary, H. M. Wilkinson, Toronto; treasurer, Jas. Watt, Toronto; medical director, Dr. W. J. Roe, Georgetown.

Mysterious Death of a Brant County Man.

Brantford, Feb. 22.—The body of an unknown man was found yesterday lying near the road passing the Hersee farm, on con. 2, township of Blenheim. The body had one ugly wound just back of the left ear, from which a quantity of blood, frozen was dressed in a small, brown-checked ulster overcoat, checked tweed coat and vest, black pants with gray stripes, fine, new and clean underclothing, brown felt hat, clean linen shirt, collar and pearl cuff buttons marked "W. West." Pieces supposed to have been marked with his name or initials were cuf from several parts of his collar and underclothing with a knife, and his right hand pants' pocket was turned outside. The coroner is investigating the contains of Mr. Bigger to Ireland is in the contains of Mr. Bigger to Ireland is in the contains of Mr. Bigger to Ireland is in the contains of Mr. Bigger to Ireland is in the contains of Mr. Bigger to Ireland is in the contains of Mr. Bigger to Ireland is in the contains of Mr. Bigger to Ireland is in the contains of Mr. Bigger to Ireland is in the contains of Mr. Bigger to Ireland is in the contains of Mr. Bigger to Ireland is in the contains of Mr. Bigger to Ireland is in the contains of Mr. Bigger to Ireland is in the contains of Mr. Bigger to Ireland is in the contains of Mr. Bigger to Ireland is the c Joseph Biggar, Parnellite member of Par-

detained by fog. The funeral has, there fore, been deferred until to morrow. British Parliament

mons Mr. Henry Matthews, Home Secretary, replying to Mr. Labouchere, stated Le Caron, the spy, had not received any payment from the Government since he appeared as a witness before the Parnell Commission. London, Feb. 22 .- In the House of Com-

Commission.

Mr. Labouchere demanded an explicit assurance that a list of the witnesses summoned to appear before the Parnell Commission should be furnished before a vote was called for on the expenses of the Commission.

Mr. W. H. Smith said he could not give assurance that the Government would furnish any information in regard to the ex-penses of witnesses.

Mr. Stansfield's amendment for the for-

Mr. Stansheld's amendment for the for-mation of parochial councils subordinate to the county councils was defeated—254 to 181.

Mr. Ackland moved to amend the ad-dress by an expression of regret that there was no mention of free education in primary schools.

The persistent attendance of the Princ of Wales in Parliament is exciting aston. of Wales in Parliament is exciting astonished comment. Ever since the session began his Royal Highness has never missed a night. When tired of the Lords he strolls into the Commons, chaffs with the Lord Chancellor in the first and Speaker in the second. He even nods to the Irish members, and is hail-fellow-well-met with any-body. LONDON, Feb. 22.—Ackland's amend

ment to the address in reply to the Queen's speech last night, was rejected 223 to 162. W. H. Smith announced that the debate on the Government's motion, that the House adopt the report of the Parnell Commission, was fixed for March 3.

Summing Up.

BERLIN, Feb. 22. -Returns received from all parts of the Empire show the Government and Cartel parties have lost sixteen, and the Socialists gained nineteen seats in the Reichstag. The Cartel majority is absolutely destroyed. The entire Catholic party has sustained unexpected losses. The election of 21 Socialists is so far assured. In 35 districts the Socialist candidates are at the top of the poll, but failed of a majority, and await second ballots, with good chances of success. Up to the present the returns received show that the Cartel Union have lost 31 seats. Socialists will also contest 33 districts in which second ballots are necessary. The Center party and the Liberals hold their ground. nent and Cartel parties have lost sixteen

The National Zeitung estimates from the The National Zeitung estimates from the returns thus far received that the Cartel parties have already lost eighteen seats. The paper says that owing to these losses of the Cartel parties the Government will be unable to secure a majority in the Reichstag. Latest returns account for 234 seats in the Reichstag. This leaves 163 seats to be accounted for of the 234. The election failed in 92 districts, making supplementary elections necessary.

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The 142 members elected comprise: Ger The 142 members elected comprise: German Conservatives, 22; Imperialists, 10; National Liberals, 9; Centerists, 52; German Liberals, 11; Socialists, 20; Poles, 3; Alsatians, 10; Democrats, 3; Danes, 1; Independent Liberals, 1. The Freissinege Zeitung reckons the Cartel combination has lost 27 scats.

A Socialist procession, celebrating their victory in Berlin on Wednesday night, came into collision with the police. One of the latter was dragged from his horse and terribly beaten. His legs were also broken, and when he was carried to a policeman's shelter the mob madly wrecked the building.

with fixed bayonets were posted on the Hamburg frontier to prevent the meetings Hamburg Frontier to prevent the meetings of the Socialists. The Socialists constantly jeered the soldiers, who finally charged them, severely wounding eight civilians. There has also been an exciting collision at Cotbero, a Province of Brandenberg, between soldiers and civilians, which has resulted in severe wounds and much blood.

Old World Wirelets.

Cholera is spreading in Mesopotamia. Italy will send representatives to the abor Conference at Berne.

Lord Hartington has arrived in Egypt. He was much benefited by the voyage.

It is reported that £30,000 of the large estate left by the estate left by the late Joseph Biggar has been bequeathed for a fund to be devoted to free education in Ireland.

The Porte has granted £500 for each of the American missionaries—McDowell and Wishart—as compensation for the plundering and ill-treatment of them last summer by Nestorians.

THE RAILWAYS.

Scheme of the Canadian Pacific-Earn ings of the Grand Trunk.

A Montreal telegram says: The Canadian Pacific Railway is arranging to havo a line of three or four steamers to go straight around the world, or as straight as the intervening land will allow. They will start from Montreal, Halifax and New York in the fall, so as to avoid the summer heat in India and the Suez Canal. The route will run through London, Gibraltar, Malta, Suez, Penang, Calcutta, Hong Kong, Yokohama and Vancouver, and passengers will be on the same steamer throughout the voyage. A Montreal telegram says: The Canadian

The Pennsylvania Northern Central Railway annual report for the year ending Dec. 31, shows: Gross revenue, \$6,069,956; operating expenses, \$4,125,599.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 22.—A further reduction in passenger rates from St. Paul and Minneapolis is announced by the Chicago, Burlington and Northern road to take effect Feb. 25.

A conference has been arranged to take place at Toronto next week between Sir Joseph Hickson, Mr. Van Horne and the Joint Esplanade Committee on the im-provement of the Esplanade.

During January the Michigan Central ran an average of 41 trains per day over the Canada division, which is a single track road. Over 50 trains passed a given point on some days, but the reduction of work on Sundays cut the average down.

The following is the return of traffic of the G. T. R. for week ending Feb. 15, 1890: 1890—Passenger train earnings, \$93,763; freight train earnings, \$247,182—total train earnings, \$240,045, 1889. earnings, \$340,945. 1889—Passenger train earnings, \$92,441; freight train earnings, \$92,441; freight train earnings, \$241,891—total train earnings, \$334,372—increase, 1890, \$6,673.

CANADA'S CAPITAL.

Thompson's Amendment to th Dual Language Bill Carried-

149 to 50.

[Special to the ADVERTISER. OTTAWA, Saturday, Feb. 22. There is a lull after the storm and all is quiet about the corridors this morning. A mber of the members have gone home and others do not care to come up to the House, where they have been chained this past two weeks. The Minister of Finance is closeted this morning with the Bankers' Committee revising once more the Banking

Finally revised voters' lists have been re eived by the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery from East Huron, West Huron,

Proceedings of the House.

OTTAWA, Friday Feb. 21. The House of Commons sat to-day for a few minutes with closed doors, discussing a eport of the Internal Economy Commission Mr. Foster presented a return of the charte the Bank of British Columbia. Mr. Chapleau presented a return respecting the

Chapleau presented a return respecting the settlement of the half-breed claims in the Northwest.

Mr. Amyot resumed the debate on Mr. McCarthy's bill respecting dual language. In the course of his remarks he told Mr. McCarthy in reply to that celebrated phrase, "bastard nationality," that he would prefer to belong to a bastard nationality than to have the member for North Simcoe as its father.

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Mr. Holton, of Chateauguay, claimed to represent fairly the views of his co-religion-ists of the Province of Quebec. He de-clared that the true friends of the minority

clared that the true friends of the minority of that Province were not those who stir up racial and religious prejudices. He was satisfied that if the majority were lett alone they would do all that could be asked to make the position of the Protestants comfortable and secure.

Mr. Laurier in a spirited and vigorous address argued that upon local questions the people of the Provinces should prevail, and congratulated the Government that by the force of circumstances they had been the force of circumstances they had been driven to accept the Liberal principle of Provincial rights. He told the House that he had made no compromise, no arrangene had made no compromise, no arrange ment with Sir John Macdonald, and that it amendment, arguing that as Canada pro-vided the revenue, there could be no vided the revenue, there could be no grievance in the Federal Government con-

grievance in the Federal Government con-trolling the printing of ordinances.

Mr. Beausoleil opposed all the motions.
Mr. Clarke Wallace, Mr. Casgrain, Mr.
Ives and Mr. Dupont declared for the
Thompson amendment, and Mr. Watson,
Mr. Scriver, Mr. Paterson and Dr. Platt
for the Davin amendment.

Mr. McCarthy warned the House that he
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Yeas.—Messrs. Audet, Bain (Soulanges), Barnard, Bechard, Bergeron, Bergin, Bernie, Blake, Boisvert. Borden, Bewell, Bowell, Gargin, Chapleau, Choquett-Cameron, Campbell, Cargill, Carling, Carpen, ter, Casey, Casgrain, Chapleau, Choquett-Chiouard, Chiouard, Chiouard, Chiouard, Collombe, Curran, Davis, Bawson, De St. Georges, Desaulairer, Devis, Bowell, Cargin, Devis, Bowell, Bowell,

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That all the words after "resolved" be expunged and the following be substituted: That this House, having regard to the long-continued use of the French language in Old Canada, and to the covenants on that subject embodied in the British North America Act, cannot agree to the declaration contained in the bill as the basis thereof, that it is expedient in the interest of the national unity of the Dominion that there should be community of language amongst the people of Canada. That, on the contrary, this House declares its adherence to the said covenants, and its determination to resist any attempt to impair the same. That at the same time this House deems it expedient and proper, and not inconsistent with the covenants, that the Legislative Assembly of the Northwest Territories should receive from the Farliament of Canada power to regulate, after the next general election of the Assembly, the proceedings of the Assembly, and manner of recording and publishing such proceedings.

The majority included the whole Government following, with the exception of Mr. McCarthy, Mr. Peter White, Mr. McNeill, Mr. Weldon, of Albert, Col. Tyrwhitt, Col. Denison, Col. O'Brien, and Mr. Wilson, of Lennox, and a fair support from the Liberal broades.

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The Liberals who voted with the majority were Messrs. Bechard, Blake, Borden, Bowman, Brien, Burdett, Campbell, Casey, Casgrain, Choquette, Chouinard, Cook, De St. Georges, Dessaint, Dupont, Edgar, Edwards, Eisenhauer, Flynn, Jones (Halifax), Kirk, Langelier (Montmorency), Langelier (Quebec), Laurier, Lister, Lovitt, McIntyre, Meigs, Mills (Bothwell), Purtell, Rinfret, Trow and Turcot. The minority included the eight Conservatives whose names are given above, and Bell, of Addington, and the following members of the Opposition: Charlton, Welsh, Lander, kin, Geoffrion, Gillmor, Davies, Paterson, Weldon (St. John), Scriver, Amyot, Somerville, Platt, Waldie, Mulock, Innes, Prefontaine, Beausoleil, Bourassa, Sutherland, Dr. Wilson, Bain, McMullen, Armstrong, Doyon, St. Marie, Livingstone, Yeo, Dr.

Macdonald, Watson, Ellis, Hale, Gauthier, Semple, Perry, Barron, McMillan (Huron), Neyeux, Rowand, Lang, Dr. Robertson

and Couture.

Thirty English speaking Liberals and ten English-speaking Ministerialists are included in the minority. Mr. Cockburn, Mr. Wallace und Mr. Scriver, of the famous thirteen, are among the opponents of the bill. Mr. Davin, with characteristic indifference to his record, voted against his own amendment. All the Northwest members are included in the majority.

Capital Notes. Sir Richard Cartwright is absent in New

The house was fuller than it had been or any vote since the opening of the

THE ANNUAL MEETING

First Presbyterian Church Congregation Considers Annual Reports

Officers Elected.

Rev. Alex. Henderson, of Hyde Park, resided at the annual meeting of the First resbyterian Church, which was held last night at the schoolroom. Mr. Bapty submitted the report of the Board of Managers, which stated that there was a slight agers, which stated that there was a signal falling off in the revenue, due to the unsettled state of the congregation. As they were unable to mortgage the property they had raised \$1,500 by note, and with the assistance of the Ladies' Aid had forwarded assistance of the Ladies' Aid had forwarded a check for \$2,000 to Rev. Dr. Proudfoot. The money was borrowed at 6 per cent., and payable in sums of \$400 or more each year. The Ladies' Aid had also promised to apply its annual surplus to the clearing off of the debt. Miss Smibert's bequest of \$500 had been applied to the reduction of the mortgage, which now amounted to \$2,800—total debt, \$4,300. The report also recommended: 1. That a committee be appointed to consider the appointment of an organist, and the improvement of the church music. 2. That Messrs. E. Hamilton, D. Mills, W. J. Lind and J. W. Ferguson be appointed to act as ushers and take up the collection. 3. That the W. Ferguson be appointed to act as ushers and take up the collection. 3. That the usual grant of \$50 be made to Sunday school. 4. That the congregation stand while singing, instead of remaining sitting, as at present.

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The financial statement was also	sub-
mitted:	
RECEIPTS.	
Weekly offerings\$	385 37
Interest	8 39
Choir concert, net proceeds	10 50
Estate of late Miss Smibert	500 00
Collection, Aylmer church	32 14
Collection, Northwest Indians	31 00
Collection, thanksgiving	17 13
Church Improvement Committee	23 94
Total\$3	,008 47
EXPENDITURES.	
Salaries	.587 50
Paid on church debt	500 00
London Presbyterian fund	18 20
General Assembly	13 00
Pulpit supply	57 00
Interest	177 88
J. B. McKillop, interest and discharge.	8 16
Interest note, church improvement	43 35
Paid on church debt	19 41

Faid on church debt.
Fire insurance.
Session clerk (poor fund).
Aylimer church.
Northwest Indians.
Sunday school.
Londor Furniture Company (chairs).
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Fire, water and gas.
Sundries.
Paid balance due treasurer Jan. 1, '89.
Balance on hand. Total..... Messrs. J. I. Anderson, M. D. Fraser, Gibson, Bapty and Robt. Reid were ap-pointed to act with the Session in the mat-

er of music. The rest of the report was adopted as read.

A motion by Mr. Fraser and Mr. Reid to reappoint the old Committee of Management, instructing them to consider and report on the constitution at the next annual meeting, was passed, with the addition of the name of Mr. J. I. Anderson to the list

Mr. Anderson was reappointed clerk. Mr. A. M. Hamilton,

Mr. A. M. Hamilton, re-appointed treasurer.

Auditors—Dr. Hotson and Dr. Hodge.
The report of the Ladies' Aid showed a balance on hand of \$468 10; a total amount raised since its inception of \$1,208 10. The surplus funds had been voted to assist in to grant to Dr. Proudfoot, and they also promised to do their best to assist in paying off the debt incurred in that connection. They acknowledged the bequest of Miss Smibert of \$500, as from one of their first and most useful members.

The report was received and adopted with a vote of thanks, moved by Messrs. R. Reid and M. D. Fraser.

The Sunday school report was read by Mr. John Anderson, showing 17 classes, 22 officers and teachers on the roll, and 136 children. The contributions of the school to the various schemes of the church were

children. The contributions of the school to the various schemes of the church were very creditable. The report was adopted, with a vote of thanks to the teachers and officers, as suggested by Mr. Lind, who spoke in high terms of the services of the Sunday school workers.

Mr. L. Gibson read the report of the Congregational Missionary Society The amount raised for missions during the year was \$665 31, distributed as, follows: Foreign missions, \$239; home missions, \$167 31; augmentation, \$80; French evangelization, \$75; aged and infirm ministers, \$36; Knox College, \$40; Manitoba College, \$15; assembly fund, \$8; Welland Canal mission, \$5.

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The report of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society stated that \$104 had been raised by the society, but the membership had fallen off from 28 to 25. The report showed that help had been extended to the Northwest and in other directions. Report adopted, with a vote of thanks to the ladies.

The Victoria Mission Band reported a membership of 43, while a legacy of \$500

The Victoria Mission Band reported a membership of 43, while a legacy of \$500 from the late Miss Smibert and other collections made up a sum of \$605 for the work of the church; also adopted with a vote of thanks.

A motion was then passed to print the reports which had been submitted.

Mr. Hamilton moved that the next annual meeting lee held in the last Wednesday in January of 1891. Carried.

Mr. Reid was then moved into the chair, and a resolution was moved by M. D. Fruser, expressing their sense of the many obligations which Rev. Mr. Henderson had laid the congregation under in the past, as well as by his services this evening, and thanking him for it all. Mr. Lind seconded the motion, which was supported by Mr. J. H. Fraser and Mr. Robert Reid, and carried with a standing vote and great applause. Mr. Henderson made a sitiable acknowledgment, and the meeting was adjourned.

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SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS. THE WEATHER

TORONTO, Feb. 21—11 p.m.—The storm center has moved northwest from Nova Scotis, and the center of the high area has drawn slowly southeast from Dakota to Illinois. A cold westerly gale has been general in the Gulf and Maritime Provinces, and fresh westerly winds, with fair, cold weather, has prevailed in Ontario. In the Northwest the weather has been fine, with slowly rising temperature. Minimum temperatures this morning Calgary, 6° below zero; Qu'Appelle, 24° below; Winnipeg, 16° below; Prince Albert, 22° below; Toronto, 3°; Montreal, 10° below; Quebec, 14° below; Halifax, 12°.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES YESTERDAY.

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For 24 hours ending 8 p.m.—(Observations taken at 3 a.m. and 8 p.m: Highest, 21°; lowest, 10°; mean (daily), 17°.

PROBABILITIES.

For the next 24 hours for the lakes:
Winds, mostly west and southwest; fair,
weather, with local snow; a little higher

HEROISM.

Michael McDonough Saves a Train at the Cost of His Life.

Arron, Ohio, Feb. 22.—Michael McDonough, aged 50, discovered a rail which had been placed across a track just outside of the city limits yesterday. A train was in sight and McDonough had only time to lift one end and drag it from the track, when the engine struck the other end and the rail was dashed against his head, crusning his skull like an egg shell. The engine and cars did not leave the track.

CURRENT CONDENSATIONS.

CANADIAN.

Late returns from Haldimand give Mon-tague (Tory) 232 majority. Lake Michigan reopened on Friday. A schooner left Queen's Wharf, Toronto, for

The Governor of Nova Scotia in opening the Legislature refers to the revival of the shipbuilding industry and the develop-ment of iron mining.

Archbishop Cleary was out driving at Kingston, when the horses ran away and dashed into a fence. The Archbishop jumped out and escaped injury.

AMERICAN.

The latest snow blockade on the Central Pacific line, over the Nevada Mountains, has been broken. The State treasurer of Louisiana, W. L. Hemingway, of Mississippi, is found to be over \$250,000 short in his accounts.

Washington's birthday is being observed quietly with the usual parades of military organizations, closing of public buildings and business houses and displays of bunt-

Bishop Walker of North Dakota, has let the contract for a Gospel car, which will be properly fitted for the conduct of religious ervices in the country where few churches The Probate Court at Cincinnati has de-

rhe Probate Court at Cheinnan has de-cided that John B. Mannix, assignee of the late Archbishop Purcell, is an embezzler to the extent of \$227,995 27, and that his ondsmen must pay it. John Hang, of Duluth, committed suicide by swallowing a large quantity of

arbolic acid. It is believed he was cay heavy losses in a mining deal in accia. His estate is worth \$200,000. The books of the officers of Lawrence county, Illinois, show that ex-Sheriff Ed Ryan is short \$2,658; ex-County Clerk L. G. Pitman, \$1,081; ex-Treasurer J. W. McCleave, \$59,500. The investigation covered a period of eight years.

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Fire in Weigeltown, a suburb of Erie,
Pa., destroyed the Weigel House, one of
the oldest and most noted hotels between
Buffalo and Cleveland. Proprietor J. G.
Rhoades, his wife and two daughters
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Bond; evening song, evangelstic service; ser-mon by the pastor to backsliders. Seats fur-nished for all who will attend.

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K ING STREET PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. Walter M. Roger, M.A., pastor. Discourses on the Life of Christ continued; II a.m., "Why was Jesus Baptised?" Jp.m., "The Great Wrestling Match Between Christ and Statan." 2:45 p.m., Sabbath school and Bible class. Strangers welcomed.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER Day Saints—Preaching to-morrow at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., by Elder John H. Lake, president of the Canada Mission.

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THE CONCERT OF THE SEASON IN
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A FRICA-DR. GRACEY OF BUFFALO, N. Y., will lecture in Queen's Avenue, Methodist Church, Monday evening, Feb. 24, on "Personal Experience in the Dark Continent." Chair taken at 8 o'clock. 56u wt

W ESTMINSTER RINK-GOOD ICE-Admission-Ladies, 5c; gentlemen, 10c.
Band on Monday, 24th. 55tf

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O'N WEDNESDAY, FEB. 26. Neli Coope has been instructed to sell at 388 Ridou street, a lot of household effects consisting o pictures, carpets, hanging lamp, eight-day parlor clock, sewing machine, lounge, chairs extension dining table, crockery and glassware No. 9 cook stove, parlor stove, also contents of six bedrooms, besides sundry other articles Sale at 10:30.

Auctioneer, 241 Dundas street 58-u-ty

MORTGAGE SALE.

Under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, which will be produced at time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction, subject to a reserve bid by D. H. Grand, auctioneer, at his auction rooms, the Bazar, No. 265 Dundas street, in the city of London, on Saturday, the 1st day of March, A.D., 1899, at 12 o'clock noon, the following valuable freehold lands and premises, viz, in the township of London, in the county of Middlesex, being composed of part of lot No. 12, in the second concession of the said township known and described, on the plan made by William McMillan, Esq., D. P. L. S. of that part of said lot No. 12, laid out and intended by one Benjamin Cronyn, as an addition to the said city of London as lots No. 16, 35, 38 and 41 (except that portion of said lot, No. 38, owned by Patrick Ryan), together with that portion of the street laid down on said plan, forming the southerly boundary of lots 16 and 41, being all thereof with the exception of that portion conveyed by one Benjamin Cronyn to Thomas Geoghan, and duly registered as plan No. 7. Terms, 10 per cent. of the purchase money to be paid at time of saie and the balance within fifteen days thereafter with interest at 6 per cent. For further particulars apily to Densison & Macklem, 15 Toronto street, Toronto, vendors' solicitors. MORTGAGE SALE.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE One Night Only—Tuesday, Feb. 25. A Royal Feast. Survival of the Fittest LILLY CLAY'S COLOSSAL GAIETY COMPANY,

Under the personal management of Sam T.
Jack. 40-ARTISTS-40. Presenting the
georgeous spectacle of
Beauty in Dreamland, or Pearls of the Orient
(Copyrighted May, 1889).
The sparkling burlesque of "The Devil's
Frolic, or Little Faust on a Lark." And
the picturesque burlesque of "Anthony and
Cleopatra. Prices-25, 50 and 75 cents. Plan
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GRAND OPERA HOUSE, Four Nights, Commencing Wednes-day, Feb. 26, and Saturday Matinee. MR. FRANK TUCKER,

RAILWAY TIME TABLES

CORRECTED TO NOV 18, 1889.

GRAND TRUNK-Southern Division MAIN LINE-Going East. Limited Express (A). 4:15 a.m. 4:35 a.m Mail. Atlantic Express (A). 11:06 a.m. 11:39 a.m 11:39 a.m 11:39 a.m 11:39 a.m 11:39 a.m 11:39 p.m 12:5 p.m Imited Express (A)..... MAIN LINE Going West.

Sarnia Branch. Accommodation......Pacific Express (B).....

London, Huron & Bruce. London & Port Stanley. St. Marys and Stratford Branch,

 Mixed—Mail
 11:20 a.m.
 7:35 a.m

 Express
 5:35 p.m.
 2:15 p.a

 Express—Mixed
 9:20 p.m.
 6:00 p.m

Toronto Branch. Hamilton—Depart—
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* These trains for Montreal.

† These trains from Montreal.

(a) Runs daily, Sundays included.
(b) Runs daily, Sundays included, but makes no intermediate stops on Sundays.
(c) No. 38 carries passengers between London and Paris.
(b) This train connects at Toronto for all points in Manitoba, the Northwest and British Columbia via North Bay and Winnipeg. E. DE LA HOOKE, City Passenger and Ticket Agent, No. 3 Masonic Temple. MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY.

Canada Southern Division—Going East. Leave Leave St.

Canada Southern Division - Going West.

[Note.—No trains to or from London on Sundays.] Thos. R. Parker, City Ticket and Passen-ger Agent, No. 1 Masonic Temple.

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OFFICE OPEN FROM 8 A.M. TO 6 P.M. Tenders Wanted for Business Property SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Y. M. C. A. till March 1, 1890, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purchase of the house, lot and stables adjoining Victoria Hall on the south, 45 feet frontage on Clarence street by about 11% feet deep, with right of way over 9§ feet from Clarence street. Terms cash, subject to a mortgage for \$1.700, bearing interest half-yearly 6 per cent. per annum. Full particular on application to Secretary Y. M. C. A., to whom tenders are to be addressed and to be marked "Tenders." 54k yt yx

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of Jane Cameron, late of the City of London, in the County of Middlesex, widow, deceased. Middlesex, widow, deceased.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1887, chapter 110, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said Jane Cameron, who died at the said city on the 5th day of January, A. D. 1890, are on or before the 12th day of March, A. D. 1890, to deliver or send by post, prepaid, to the undersigned solicitor for Samuel Scott, of the said city of London, the executor of the said estate, a statement in writing of 'heir Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, and the full particulars of their claims, and of the securities (if any) held by them. And further that after the said date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said research of the said deceased amongst the persons entitle the said accessed amongst the persons entitle which notice. In wing regard only to the claim of the said assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim notice shall not have been received as aforesaid at the time of said distribution. H. E. NELLES, solicitor for the executor, 437 Richmond street, London.

Dated at London, Feb. 13, 1890, 50e 13 22 M1 ONTARIO AND QUEBEC RAILWAY.

Detroit Extension. TENDERS will be received by the under-signed up to Saturday, the 23nd inst., for the ERECTION OF A PASSENGER STATION on the line of the Ontario and Que-bec Railway at the town of Windson. Plans and specifications may be seen after this date at the Engineer's office at Chatham. The low-est or any tender not necessarily accepted. H. est or any tender not necessarily accepted. W. D. ARMSTRONG, Engineer, Feb. 13, 1883

TENDERS FOR RELIEF WOOD. TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the undersigned up to WEDNESDAY, 26th FEBRUARY, or the delivery of Half Cords of firstclass quality wood, not less than one-half Maple, to be measured at the Wood Market Clerk's office before de-LD. JOHN BOYD, THOS. H. TRACY, Chairman No. 3 Com.; City Engineer



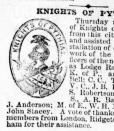
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LONDON'S SOCIETIES.

Correspondence solicited from the members of all the societies. No personalities allowed. Address "Editor Societies Column," ADVER-



A court of the Independent Order of Foresters was instituted in town on Friday evening last by Mr. Dickson, an organizer for above society. The court will be known as Court Huron, and starts off with a membership of 27. After the instituting ceremonics had been owing were Installed as

ODDFELLOWSHIP.

Rapid City Lodge, No. 18, of Manitoba, was instituted Jan. 30 by the grand master, formerly of Stratford, Ontario.

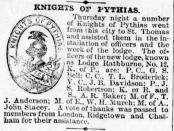
Frederickton, N. B., is to have an encampment shortly.

The Oddrellows of Kingsville had a lively day when their new hall was dedicated by Grand Secretary J. B. King, of Toronto.

Grand Marshal Daugharty, of Leamington, has a degree staff which, it is said, has no superior in that section of country. The floor work is mainly Mr. Daugharty's own arrangement of the staff of the staf

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A Hamilton correspondent writes: "There is no man in this city who is more widely honored and respected when we will be the ward Mitchell. Too know him is to love hid Edward Mitchell. Too know him is to love hid Edward Mitchell. Too know him is to love hid is so to the work of the has an enemy in the war is southful if years taken an active interest in Free has for years taken an active interest in Free has for years taken an active interest in Free has for years taken an active interest in Free has for years taken an active interest in Free has for years taken an active interest in Free has for him and the him active interest in Free has for him and the him active him and him an

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Grand Watchman—Thomas Chambers, Montreal.

Grand Trustees—T. D. Pruyn, Napanee; M. A. James, Bowma-ville; John Kent, Toronto.

Supreme Lodge Representatives—Past Grand Masters Col. M. D. Dawson, London; J. Robertson Miller, Toronto, and Daniel Spry, Barrie. M. D. Carder, grand recorder, St. Thomas, was elected alternate.

Provincial Medical Examiner—Dr. Widdifield, Newmarket, Executive Committee—Thos. C. Irving, Toronto; H. A. Eager, Hamilton; Henry Jennings, Penetanguishene, and F. G. McCready, Brockville.

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Grand Lodge Solicitor-Past Master Workman Warren Totten, Woodstock.
Among the district denuty grand masters are the following: St. Chair, T. L. L. Lewis, Chatham, Eric, A. E. Haines, Aylmer; London, R. J. C. Dawson, London; Guelph, W. H. Leigler, Cuelph; Huron, Geo. Patterson. Seaforth; Simcoe, W. R. Fenton, Beeton; Brant, Sam. Redmond, Norwich.
Toronto was decided upon as the place of meeting for 1891.

LODGE NOTES.

Lodge Chelsea, S. O. E., intend celebrating their universary by giving a supper to their friends and the members of other lodges at an early date.

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Bros. A. Wilkins, Rockett, J. Simmons and J. Nutkins, of the Sons of England, returned to the city on Saturday night from the Supreme Grand Lodge meeting at Port Hope. They speak very highly of their treatment while away.

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East London Council, No. 25, Canadian Order Chosen Friends, is looking forward to having a full house at their concert in the East End Town Hall on Wednesday evening. A first-class programme has been provided, and tickets are selling fast.

A district division of the Sons of Temperance for West Durham was formed at Tyrone on Friday, all the divisions in the riding being represented. Officers were elected and installed by James Brooks, the grand worthy patriarch, W. H. Bowell and Grand Scribe Bro. Arthur Foley, of Maple Grove, acting as district conductor.

DOMINION GRANGE. The Tester Condemned-No Change

The report of the Committee on Legisla-

tion was taken up clause by clause and discussed. A motion was passed

That we, the members of the Dominion Grange now in session, consider that the grain tester, as it is used at present, is detrimental to our interest, and we take this opportunity of saying we do not not want it. Also that we recommend that no change be made in the present tariff on flour. Also that binding twine be placed upon the free list.

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The committee's report on combines and monopolies was fully discussed and the following motion passed:

That we would take this occasion to commend the action taken by Mr. Wallace, M.P., in his efforts to provide legislation against combines, and express a hope that he may persevere until he secures such measures as will free our country from the curse of combines, and we recommend the Executive Committee to bring the above before the Government at Ottawa.

A report read by Bro. Currie, on officers! A report read by Bro. Currie, on officers'

report, was adopted. A report of Com-mittee on Claims and Grievances was read

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Worthy Master, Officers and Patrons: The success of our order depends entirely on our order.

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Worthy Master, Officers and Patrons: The success of our order depends entirely on our selves; no outside influence can swamp us if we keep on the highway and move on. Every we keep on the highway and move on. Every we keep on the highway and move on. Every we keep on the highway and move on. Every we keep on the highway and move on. Every we keep on the highway and move on. Every we keep on the highway and move on. Every we keep on the highway and move on. Every we keep on the highway and move on. Every we keep on the highway and move on. Every we keep on the highway and move on. Every on the round the patrons would see that see the highway and move on. Every on the round of the patrons would suggest. Don't be afraid of a few cents to keep up the Grange, but tells like a rileshot somewhere the less. In session hours, do not gather in groups for conversation; give the Grange the advantage of anything you have to say. Don't take against time, say all you on the stream of the angent of the advantage of anything you have to say. Don't take against time, say all you only the say of the

mously:
That the members of this Dominion Grange tender their hearty than s to the Warden and members of the County Council of Middlesex for their kindness in granting the County Council Chambers for the use of this Dominion Grange.

The Grange then proceeded to the installation of the officers-elect, and the session was heroubt to a close.

PEARLS OF GREAT PRICE.

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At the second day's inecting of the Grand Lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen in Toronto a petition was received from Granville Lodge. No. 29, Grand Lodge of Oregon and Washington to the with drawal of the Province from the American Lodge of Oregon and Washington to the with drawal of the Province from the American Jurisdiction and annexation to the jurisdiction of Ontario. It was decided to pay suprome relief call No. 10, announting to \$2,87010, out of the general fund of the Grand Lodge.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Grand Master Workman—John Milne, Essex Center.

Grand Foreman—F. G. Inwood, Toronto. Grand Overseer—U. F. Mac Watt, of Barrie.

"the planet has a faint moonlike ray." Enormous sums have been given for pearls in all ages, because they were so beloved. Cleopatra would have swallowed a diamond had not a pearl been costlier, arch snobbess as she was! and the "pearl of great price" has been a synonym for the most precious possession from time immemorial. A whole fleet of boats is kept up to visit the pearl oanks in the oriental seas, and the banks nave to be guarded and kent in order by the possession from time immemorial. A whole fleet of boats is kept up to visit the pearl canks in the oriental seas, and the banks nave to be guarded and kept in order by the company between "the seasons." The diver who fetches up the parent mollusk has no easy time. He is highly trained to his work, and works hard, diving with his life in his hand; for sharks abound in the pearl seas. Forty to fifty plunges a day are very common, five diving at a time relieved by five more, who can retain their breath for several minutes—the average is one minute and a half—and bring up 100 oysters at each plunge. The boats, when full, must be completely unloaded before nightfall; if not, the dead oyster might open and drop pearls before it was stacked. Then comes the stacking in pits, as high as a room's wall sometimes—and glad am I that I do not live to windward of an oyster stack! The stacks are sold by auction, the buyer taking his chance whether any pearls are in the oysters he so buys. He may spend his all upon a stack and not get a single pearl. He may find a "pearl of great price" and recoup all former losses.

When found the pearl has to be polished with pearl dust, a process which does not injure the opalescent surface derived from the decay of the fish. It is drilled by the blacks and strung with others with great dispatch and skill. The pearls are next sorted, those clearest in color and roundest in shape being preferred. Then they come to be set, and the setter is paid one stilling per pearl for his work. The largest sum known to have been given for a single pearl is said to have been given for a single pearl is said to have been paid by Tavernier at Catifa, in Arabia. It was oval, spotless, two inches long, and its price was £110,000. A very fine British pearl that has found a resting place in the crown of England came from the Conway.—Cor. Gentleman's Magazine.

The coffee berry contains two grains. The ripe berry resembles a large red haw. A pulp covers the coffee grains, and this substance has a pleasant, sweet taste.

As there are three flowerings so there are three gatherings, or pickings, a year. The coffee year ends June 30. A good day's picking is an arroba—thirty-two nounds—to the large is an arroba—thirty-two nounds—to the

ing is an arroba—thirty-two pounds—to the hand. Men, women and children can pick hand. Men, women and children can pick coffee, and thus employment can be given to the entire family on a coffee plantation. The berries are placed in large baskets and then in carts, usually drawn by oxen, and transported to the paved yard, or inclosure, where they are spread to cure by the sun.

The old fashioned way was to remove the outer pulp, when dry, by rude machinery, and then to break the thin, tough membrane-like skin which holds the two grains together

and then to break the thin, tough membrane-like skin which holds the two grains together by a pounding process. The coffee was then thrown into the air by negresses, after the manner of the old time winnowing of cereals. The large coffee plantations have improved machinery and methods of drying, decorti-cating and cleaning coffee, but there is still great room for improperation. as follows:

That we take great pleasure in congratulating the officers and members of Dominion Grange on the unanimous kindly feeling now existing within the order of Patrons of Husbandry in the Dominion of Canada, as no claims or grievances have been laid before us.

(Signed) E. B. TOLF, GEO. LETHBRIDGE.

A propert was read by Pre. Herichtel.

The Earth Inside the Sun. If the sun was a hollow sphere the earth could be placed in the center of it, with the moon moving round it at its mean distance of 237,000 miles, and there would still be more than 200,000 miles between the moon and the edge of the sun.—[New York Journal.

Best sets of teeth guaranteed. Fifteen years established. Painless extraction, 211½ Dundas street. J. B. Cook, dentist. Bitter oranges, bitter oranges, bitter oranges for marmalade. A. MOUNTJOY, City Hall.

"BARKWELL'S BRONCHIAL BALSAM" cures all kinds of coughs and colds, croup and bronchitis. Ask for "Barkwell's," take no

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Old friends are best, and if ever sufferers had a friend, Hagyard's Yellow Oil can justly claim the distinction. Pain never stays long where it is used, while for croup it is a specific. Parents should keep it in the house a safeguard regular to sold on the house as a few ready and the safe as th the house as a safeguard against accidents, frost bites, chilblains, sprains, bruises,

Portraits.—A quarter of a million portraits to be given away with Cottam's celebrated Birdseed and Washing Compound. Cottam's Washing Compound is claimed to be the best in the world for all domestic purposes. For sale by all grocers.

An Interesting Report. An Interesting Report.
The Inland Revenue Department has re cen by issued a bulletin of about 30 pages, which is devoted exclusively to the subject of baking rowder, and which shows that the majority of the goods in the market are adulterated and unlit for use. Prof. A. McGill, who has had charge of this important work for the Government, says that "imperial baking powder is an excellent powder." A word to the sensible housekeeper should be sufficient.

Frank C. Swan, Apothecary, Haver-hill, Mass., says: "WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY sells better than any other cough remedy. I can recommend it. I have used it and sold it for 30 years."

Lime light lantern entertainments given in connection with churches, Sunday schools or societies. Terms reasonable. John Chapman, 930½ Richmond street.

Queen's Avenue Methodist Church-Queen's Avenue Methodist Church— Evening service, Anthem, "Jerusalem" (Parker), solo by Mr. Skinner. Duet, "O Rest in the Lord," (Blacke), Mrs. Keltie and Mr. Skinner.

Spring shipment of ladies' and gents' fine shoes. Prices low. R. KIRKPATRICK, 219 Dundas street.

WOMEN OF BRAINS.

Need Any Ambitious Woman Despair of Her Own Success?

HARRIET HUBBARD AYER.
[Copied from New York Press.]

Mrs. Harriet Hubbard Ayer is the youngest child of the late Henry G. Hubbard, one of Chicago's oldest and most distinguished citizens. As a child she was extremely delicate, but so bright that at the age of 4 she could read as well as most children at 10. At 15 she graduated at the head of her class from the Convent of the Sacred Heart, in Chicago. At 16 she became the wife of Mr. Herbert C. Ayer, a then wealthy iron merchant of Chicago and Youngstown, Chio.

Society knew Mrs. Ayer as a leader because of her wealth, her beauty, ability and hospitality. Her intimate friends knew her as a loving mother and noble woman. The poor as their friend, not in words alone, but always in deeds of kindness. HARRIET HUBBARD AYER.



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She was then, as now, a person of the best impulses, and generous to a fault. The most remarkable thing, however, in the history of this interesting woman is that, although born and raised in luxury, she met disaster bravely and unflinchingly when it came, thinking, as usual, more about the welfare of others than her own comfort and concern.

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Mrs. Ayer is a woman whose history would read as far more improbable than the wildest fiction ever written, and of whom, in recounting the sad story of her life—and how in a few hours she found herself instead of rich in millions, absolutely destitute, with two little daughters to support—the New York Herald said, "She is a woman whom any country may be proud to call her daughter." To-day Mrs. Harifiet Hubbard Ayer's name in the business world is a tower of strength. She has gained the confidence and respect of every business house with which she has had dealings. It has been her motto to always tell the truth. Her advertisements, which the whole country have read, are plain and truthful statements. The result of such a policy is this: Mrs. Ayer is the head of a great and prosperous business, founded by her, and to-day by her guided and directed in all its departments.

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and directed in all its departments.

Mrs. Ayer is a woman of perfect breeding, as a well-born American, cultured and accomplished, she has been cordially received by the litterati and beau monde of London and Paris. She speaks French and Italian as fluently as English, and her knowledge of literature is very extensive. HOW MRS. AYER ACCIDENTALLY OBTAINED

THE FORMULA FOR THE FAMOUS RECA.

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MIER CREAM.

One day, in Paris, Mrs. Ayer, while
suffering intensely from the scorching sun of
a July journey across the English Channel,
was offered a pot of cream by an old French
lady friend, to be used on her face when retiring, being assured that it would do
wonders in softening and beautifying the
complexion. Its effects were so magical
and so marvelous that Mrs. Ayer became
anxious to possess the formula for the cream,
which she learned was not an article to be
bought, but the old French lady finally sold
the recipe, which (so she told Mrs. Ayer)
was the one used by her beautiful and
famous ancester, Julie Recamier for 40
years, and was the undoubted secret of her
wonderful beauty, which Mme. Recamier
retained until her death.

WHAT THE RECAMIER PREPARATIONS ARE,
AND WHY THEY ARE TO BE USED.
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\$10,319,174 46 9,557,238 44 1,717,184 81 31,119,019 62 4 90,087 10 15,200,603 38 173,085 16 161,602,428 37 Increase in assets
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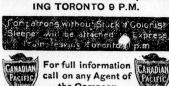
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London, Saturday, Feb. 22.

THE St. Catharines Star (Tory) now charges Mr. Rykert with breaking his pledge to a private meeting of the party. Perhaps there was money in it.

ONE year ago to-day the thermometer stood 22° below zero. Where is the iceman who would not rejoice to see "history repeat itself" before sundown? They are making plenty of ice in the far Northwest. ce Albert the thermometer regis tered 50 ° below zero this week, and at Ed-

BRANTFORD EXPOSITOR: At the first to the indiscreet action of an elector plance one would be likely to reject the glance one would be likely to reject the idea that the duties the tariff took out of of yesterday. No doubt if a protest were entered Montague would be knocked out once more, but it is probable that the the pockets of the people for sugar alone exceeded considerably the whole expenditure of the Province of Ontario. But so it ture of the Province of Ontario. But so it is, and the figures bear it out. Give the people free sugar, and more money will be saved annually by the consumers than is in the near future, will allow the election spent altogether by the Government at to stand and keep their powder dry for the

According to Rev. J. S. Ross, of the Centenary Church, Hamilton, formerly of this city, Hamilton is the wickedest place in Ontario. As the statistics on which Mr. Ross bases his calculation are published by the Dominion Government, we will be charitable enough to give the we will be charitable enough to give the Ambitious Cty the benefit of the doubt, and concede that recent revelations in the Dominion Parliament point to St. Catharines as a probable competitor for the unenviable notoriety of first place in moral depravity.

THE United States has paid over \$2,000,-000,000 off the debt since the close of the civil war, and now has little more than \$1,-000,000,000 to wipe out. This is a wonderful record. But for the war the greater portion of the debt would never have been contracted, and but for the pensions paid to old soldiers and widows the debt remaining could be wiped out in a year or two and the taxes very much reduced. It is a fact worthy of comment that the \$98,000,-000 payable this year in pensions to par-ticipants in or sufferers by the late war is more than double what is now paid out in a year for interest on the national debt.

Ir was thought that the grippe was severe in Canada, and no doubt it hastened the deaths of many old men and women and people with weak lungs, but the ravages of the malady in the Dominion was nothing to what they have been in Mexico, which is now in its throes. According to a reliable correspondent in the city of Mexico, the situation is alarming. He says:

the situation is alarming. He says:
The progress of the influenza and its results
have been truly terrific. The disease reached
us in the middle of January and has grown
steadily worse, until it is now at its height. us in the integration of the control of the control

THERE is a marked agricultural revival in Great Britain. Owners of land are reported by the collectors for the Board of Agriculture to be experiencing less difficulty in obtaining tenants, and a more hopeful tone prevails generally among farmers. It is also satisfactory to note that the area of land under cultivation in the extent of about 54,000 acres, even Ireland showing an addition to the cultivated area. Tracts of land have been brought into cultidom. The area of arable land still contimues to decrease and that under grass to experiments to meet the growing demands an increase under every head, and sheep number 500,000 more.

the genus lover. This has been fittingly illustrated in a singular occurrence reported from Watanga county, North Carolina. An old bachelor of 72 winters, by the name of Neil, wanted to marry Miss Myra McCulleck, a pretty young girl 17 years old. Neil loved the girl better than his own life, and when he proposed to her she refused to marry him. He begged and that many of the people of Germany enterpleaded with her, and finally she told him she never intended to speak to him again. Neil immediately went away, and, securing an axe, he laid his right hand across a log, and with one stroke cut it off at the wrist, saying it would be a mark of affliction upon r learning to love a young girl, whom he ought to have known would never marry him. This is a sort of Spartan self-

men with romantic ideas of matrimony Rather should it show the necessity for men of that stamp cultivating a little fore-sight, instead of trusting to their hindsight for a justification of their absurdities.

HALDIMAND.

The Haldimand election has resulted in the return of the Tory candidate, not a few votes polled for him being obtained by most discreditable and illegal means, according to reliable information from the county. Dr. Montague has once more been success ful, and it is possible that he may remain in undisturbed possession of the seat. Up the time of this man's advent in the constituency, there was never any irregularities among the voters, but since Monta-gue issued the forged letter from the Queen to the Indians, since legerdemain and bulldozing at the polls became common occurrences, and all kinds of tricks were played to gain the vote of the Indian wards of the Government for the Conserva tive nominge, the constituency appears to have become thoroughly demoralized. There have been five elections in the constituency within as many years. In the first, Messrs. Colter and Merritt were the candidates, and Mr. Colter was successful. In was an interim election to fill a vacancy, and Mr. Colte was prevented from taking the seat to which he had been elected. At the general election Mr. Colter was again successful, but by a shuffle of a most indefensible character he was "counted out," Dr. Montague being given the seat by a majority of one. ague was unseated, and in the election which followed he had an apparent majority of 18; but it was again found that he owed his success to corruption, and he was un-seated. In the next contest Colter was

next contest. We know whereof we write when we say that the Haldimand people have reached the conclusion that they have had a surfeit of political contests.

WORKING WITH A SOLDIER ON HIS

BACK.
The German elections, held on Thursday last, seem to have resulted in decided gains for the Socialist element in the body politic. At this writing it is hard to say whether Bismarck's bill, aimed at the suppression of the Socialist movement, or Emperor William's declaration that it is necessary for the State to pay special attention to strikes and labor troubles have contributed most to the result. Bismarck's drastic remedy for labor troubles was unceremoniously rejected by the German Parliament, which in times gone by was wont to do the bidding of the Chancelor with marked servility, but no one expected that the humiliation of the Chancellor would be added to by the Emperor, whose declaration that it was highly advisable to summon an international conference to consider labor matters has caused a sensation on both sides of the Atlantic. It may have been that the Emperor wishes to pose as a bit of a politician himself, and that he intended his call for a labor conference to be a bid tor the vote of workers for Government candidates. If that was Wiliam's object, it has failed, for the strength of the Socialists has increased two-fold, and many Government supporters were defeated. Such a result of the Emperor's confession is quite natural, for the Socialist deputy-he who wishes the State to forcibly ameliorate the condition of the wage-earner — could point to the fact that the highest imperial authority was on th as his calling of a conference was a confession that the existing state of affairs was not satisfactory, an admission which Bismarck and his associates have nitherto strenuously resisted, as the recent anti-Socialist legislation clearly proved. There is an old cartoon-whether it is

German or French, it is immaterial to our argument, as both countries are similarly circumstanced — which represents the laborer as going to his daily toil with a soldier strapped on his back. It seems to us that if, instead of calling a conference to talk about strikes, the German Emperor had sat himself down and donned his thinking cap he would have discovered that the only real relief which United Kingdom increased last year to the can be afforded to the German people and to their armed-to-the-teeth neighbors lies in taking the soldier off the back of the worker. An international conference lookvation in different outlying and hilly districts in various parts of the United Kinging armies and the abolishment of the huge navies that are kept on the seas would be of some real value to labor. There cannot increase. The satisfactory results of recent be a doubt that the existence of these enormous forces not only result in the grinding of large neighboring towns, are leading to an extension of fruit culture, and no doubt more will be done in this way from year to they exist, and the taxation incident to year. With respect to live stock, there is their support and to the sustenance of so many drones in the body politic is collected, it cannot be expected that the sorrows of the masses will be It has been said that there is no fool like the old fool, and there is much truth in the adage, especially when he belongs to the adage, especially when he belongs to the control of the marked, the plan suggested by the German Emperor for the improvement of the con-dition of the workers is about as sensible as would be the putting of turpentine on a boil. Turpentine may drive a boil out of sight, but the bad blood that caused the boil becomes more poisonous than before, tain this idea. That the recent proposals of the Emperor will but confirm them in their impressions goes without saying.

The highest meteorological station in Europe is on the top of the Sounblick, in Austria, 10,168 feet above the level of the sea. The operator is Peter Lechner, who lives there with no human companion, and with no communication with the outer world except by telephone and telegraph.

SINCE the Legislative Union of Great Britain and Ireland, Jan. 1, 1801, when the Irish Parliament ceased to exist, 29 Admin-

MINOR JOTTINGS

istrations have been in existence—thirteen before the accession of Queen Victoria, and sixteen since that date. The only surviving statemen who have held the position of Prime Minister during the present reign are Mr. Gladstone and Lord Salisbury. The present Parliament is the 24th of United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland. IN THE British metropolis, flowers are

fading as trimmings for evening dresses, and the fashion is setting in towards birds and the fashion is setting in towards birds and insects. Flights of jet swallows are seen fleeing across the skirt of an evening dress. Perhaps the bodice will be ornamented with a swallow, too. Huge butterflies made of jet, gold tinsel, or of pearls and iridescent beads, are made large enough to come right across the front of the bodice of an evening dress. The wings are outspread, and the butterflies are said to be modeled from natural specimens. Smaller butterflies hover about the shoulders and on the skirt.

THEY have a sort of telephone in Africa hat answers pretty well, and for considerble distances it carries news at least as able distances it carries news at least as that as Uncle Sam's mail travels. Last year Mr. Hodister, while exploring the Mongalla branch of the Congo, met a chief who promised to accompany him up an affluent of the Mongalla when the explorer made another journey up the river. In November last Mr. Hodister returned to the Mongalla, and was greatly surprised when he reached the chief's town to find that ruler with his baggage packed and his attendants around him, all ready to start. The chief said he had been notified two days before by the sound of drums that start. The chief said he had been notified two days before by the sound of drums that a white man was coming up the river on a steamboat. From village to village the news had been sent swiftly up the stream far in advance of the little steamer. The drum telephone in the Congo basin is not, however, so highly developed as near Cameroons, where the natives have an elaborate code of drum beats and can send a large variety of information traveling through the air.

Some curious facts and figures with regard to the cost of running Atlantic liners gard to the cost of running Atlantic liners were given at a social gathering of the employes of the Allan Liners at Glasgow the other evening. It was stated that a great deal more *than £1,000,000 had been spent in building the fleet of the Allan Line, but reference was more particularly made to the cost of keeping the boats running. The first cost of building vessels was a trifle to the cost of running them. Incredible as it may seem, the money that it took to keep the fleet of ocean steamers running would in less than three years exceed the cost of building, so enormous was the expenditure in wages, port duties and repairs of tear and wear, and other outlays incidental to voyages. In the Allan Line this expenditure amounted to £1,000,000 in a year, and all that had to be paid out of the earnings before the owners could get any dividend. The amount paid in expenses would be enough to give £20 to every family in Glasgow, taking the population at 600,000, with six persons in each family. If the pay-clerk had to pay the sum in single sixpences at his window, and people passed in procession at the rate of 50 every minute, getting 6d each, and that was going on pine hours a working day, in four years and a half every man, woman and child in the United Kingdom would have passed the pay-box, and the pay-clerk would still have about £50,000 to diswere given at a social gathering of the empassed the pay-box, and the pay-clerk would still have about £50,000 to dis

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walkerton will Toronto, Feb. 22. in the finals for the C Walkerton, Hamilto Granite and Guelph yesterday morning the result being:

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WALKERTON WINS!

Closing of the Curling Contest for the Ontario Tankard.

Walkerton Wins a Well-Fought Fight.

London Curlers Elated-The Rinks Well Patronized and the Game Goes Bravely On-General Sporting

CURLING.

LOCAL CURLERS ELATED.

Local curlers are in great fe ther about the "cold wave" which is on at p esent, as it gives them lots of ice at the new Simcoe Street Rink. Every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday the ice is reserved for skat-ing, but no other days. Morning, noon and night the merry sound of the "stanes' can be heard, interspersed with shouts of "Bring her along all the way," "That's the way to curl," "Gie us the in turn, Tanmy," and "Mon, but that was a gran snot." All day yesterday the ice was keen and the curlers full of enthusiasm. A number of new curlers are to the front this season, some of whom give promise of becoming first-class skips in the course of a hundred years or so. Several matches are talked of in the near future if the cold weather only

walkerton wins the tankard.

Toronto, Feb. 22.—The first day's play in the finals for the Ontario Tankard left in Walkerton, Hamilton Thistles, Toronto Granite and Guelph. Play was resumed yesterday morning at the Victoria Rink, the result being:

THERD DRAW.

Walkerton.

Hamilton Thistles.

W. Richardson,s....21 John Harvey, s.....19

R. B. Hughes, s.....18 John Kernor, s.....16

Total......39 Total...... Majority for Walkerton, 4 shots.

Total......36 Total........ Majority for Granite, 1 shot.

Total34 Total37
Majority for Walkerton, 3 shots.

ONTARIO SILVER	TANKAED HONOR ROLL.
The following is	s the honor roll since the
competition was	commenced:
	Tt Commet
Winning Club	Year. ing Club.
Hamilton Thistle	1875. Hamilton Mechanics
Toronto	1877. No other competitor
Hamilton Thistle	1878 Port Hope
Bowmanville	1879
Port Hone	1880Bowmanville
Hamilton Thistle	
Toronto Caledonia	n 1882 Bowmanville
Brampton	1883 Barrie
Ct Manya	1884 Orillia
Ori lia	1885Hamilton Thistle
Toronto Granite	1886
Paris	1887 St. Marys
Thamesville	1888
Galt	1889 Toronto Granite
Walkerton	1890Toronto Granite

In the consolation prizes the struggle in Toronto now lies between Toronto and St. Marys, the Granites, Hamilton Thistles and Guelph having withdrawn.

The Lucknow and Listowel curlers played at Wingham on Friday for the district medal, Lucknow winning by six shots.

re: LISTOWEL LUCKNOW. J. Allen, Wm. Allen, J. Murdoch, ...16 Dr. Tennant, skip...25 A. Lawson, A. McPherson, Wm. Little,22 J. B. Hunter, skip...19 . M. Alexander, L. L. Lillico, M. Climie, V. Climie, skip...

whouted:
"Tickets for St. Marys!"
"Here you are," said the curlers.
"Are yez all goin' to Saint Marys? Byes, take the advoice of a frind and get off at Kelly's Sidin'. They'll whollop the divisiont of ye!" All the same the Londons went on an

FOREST CITY VS. LONDON.

A match will probably be played shortly between the Forest City and London Curling Clubs. The match will be an interest

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ing one, and those who love a good game should take the opportunity of watching this one. The Simcoe street rink has one great recommendation for spectators, and that is that there is no dampness about it, owing to the current of air passing through above. PROBS.—The Weather To-day will be fair with snow. Strong's Pulmonic Balsam

BASEBALL. THE CHAMPIONSHIP OF FLORIDA.
The Chicago and Philadelphia clubs played at St. Augustine, Fla., Thursday, for the championship of Florida, the former winning by 8 to 3.

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PREPARING FOR WORK.

At a recent meeting of Struthers, Anderson & Co.'s baseball team (amateur champions of London) to arrange matters for the coming season, the following officers were elected: Secretary, E. A. Cunningham, treasurer, Geo. E. Forsythe; manager, Reg Christian. The team is now well equipped and will be ready to receive challenges from any amateur teams in Canada when the season opens. The following well-known amateur players comprise the the team: R. Quinn, e.; E. T. Johnson, p.; Mead. Adams, 1b.; T. R. Marshall, 2b; Chas. Johnson. ss.; Wm. Hiscott, 3b., S. Hanson, l.f.; B. W. Glover, c.f.; E. A. Cunningham, r.f.

THE KENNEL.

THE MERICO CUP.

LONDON, Feb. 22.—The final contest between previous winning dogs in the coursing match for the Waterloo cup came off yesterday. North's Fullerton was the winner, and Trevor's Downpour was the run-

Charles Wood, the suspended English jockey, has two sons whom he is educating with a view of sending them to Cam-

with a view of sending them to Cambridge.

The stallion Newcourt, lately sold by Mr. Hodgens, of London, will be located at the farm of Mr. J. B. Pratter, of Marysville, Mo.—(Canadian Sportsman.

Starter Caldwell is suspending delinquent jockeys at Clifton with great regularity. Amongst the recent offenders are the names of Slack, P. Fitzpatrick, Carson, Coffee, Trainor and Myers.

Mr. A. Roe, of Wingham, has lately purchased a weanling and a yearling by Garfield. This stallion is a full brother to Florence G., 2:24½; Topey, 2:30½; and Belle Roy, 2:42; and is making quite a reputation for himself amongst the breeders in his section of country.

DRAUGHTS.

Mr. C. H. Freeman, Providence, R. L., has issued a challenge to play anyone for a purse of \$500 to \$1,000. Here is a chance for Barker, Wyllie or Reed. Mr. Freeman very modestly says that the question as to "champion of the world" is to be entirely eliminated from the contest. He has no desire for the honor.

THE RING.

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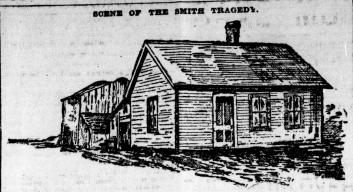
THE RING.

Jake Kilrain, the puglist, is about to retire temporarily from the fistic arena. Rheumatism or something else has been gradually getting the best of him. He can hardly close up his hands, an dhis right shoulder is lame and his legs very sore. ENGLAND'S MERRY MEN.

Loyal British Oak Lodge Holds Its First Last evening upwards of 150 good-looking and good-natured representatives of Merry England assembled round the festive board and good-natured representatives of Merry England assembled round the festive board at the Western Hotel to do justice to the first anniversary supper of Lodge British Oak, No. 82, Sons of England. An excellent spread was provided in the spacious dining-room, where the following gentlemen, among others, sat down: Mayor Taylor, Messrs. W. J. Anderson (chairman), Richard Jupp, Edward Parnell, James Jupp, George Trebilcock, William Mingo, Fred Mountjoy, Matthew Ferguson, R. Gould, Jun, James Cassidy, Edwin Dicker, T. O'Keefer, John Mortimer, S. Angels, P. Earle, George Herald, R. H. Cullis, R. N. Geildhart, R. Pugsley, George Langdon, Wm. Benness, John White, Sidney Rogers, W. Chapman, W. B. Geach, Alfred Hicks, Edward Jury, Chas. Clue, Thomas Elston, Thomas Ray, F. Barber, W. Slade, W. M. Waldock, John Steven, W. Bong.— Wheatcroft, Joseph Simmons, Fred Harding, Jas. MeGuffin, Pat. McCarthy, Wm. Reid, Philip Edwards, Ben Kaye, Wm. Truman, W. Fenn, Henry Pugsley, Edward Martin, G. Riddle, J. Jones, Henry Powell, John H. Brown, T. Richards, John Warthouse, Hra Collins, John Wrigley, Detective Mason, John Cox, W. W. Rogers, F. P. Lrake, W. Adams, George Pook, Wm. Pook, J. K. Tallin, T. Cooke, E. Green, C. F. Warcup, Alf. F. Wicks, W. W. Fitzgerald, A. Maudsley, James Alldis, Wm. Stiling, John Parry, John Switchen, W. Lawarce, Henry Stayner, Benjamin Dolby, George Dolby, Edward Dolby, Wm. Bailey, and others.

After justice had been meted out to the good things provided, the following programme was taken up by Chairman Aderson:

"Queen, Royal Family and the Governor-general."
The "Army, Navy and Volunteers." Re-ponded to by Bro. Wicks with a military



[The above is from a photo of the Smith house on Regent street, taken expressly for the ADVERTISER on the morning after the tragedy. The closed door in the front of the house enters into the room where the body was found.]

"WILLFUL MURDER."

Another Scene in the Regent Street Tragedy.

Coroner's Jury Find Henry Smith Guilty of Murder.

Evidences of the Deadly Struggle-An Unreliable Witness—Demeanor of the Prisoner.

The inquest on the body of Mrs. Henry Smith was resumed last night. No very Smith was resumed last light.

damaging evidence against the prisoner was produced as compared with the previous night. Mr. Smith seemed more at ease, and scarcely any sign of emotion or fear was visible on his countenance as one by

one the witnesses were examined.

The first to testify was Mrs. Annie Cochrane. To Mr. McKillop witness said: I live on Huron street, near Mr. Smith; Cochrane. To Mr. McKillop witess saint:
I live on Huron street, near Mr. Smith;
knew Lucy Smith; did not see her on Tuesday; James Middleton came to my house
about 7:55; I walked down to Smith's house
with him; got there at 8 o'clock; went in
the back door; did not see Smith, but met
Mrs. Reddick at the corner of the house
with Samuel Reddick and George Burt; met
Mrs. White at the back shed door; witness
asked the others to go in; went in and
found Mrs. Smith's body lying on the floor
by the front door; I said to the rest, "Come
on in," and they came; I said, "Witness
what I'm doing." I laid my hand on Mrs.
Smith to see if she was dead; she
was dead, but not quite cold; I
put my hand under her head and as I did so
I felt there was no hair on the back of her
head; I laid a cushion under her head; I
then spoke to Mr. Smith and said, "Smith,
you are a murderer;" he said, "Mo not so
bad as that;" he said, "When I came in
from the barn she was knocking herself
about, I did not do it;" I said, "If you do not
know who done it, who did?" He made no
reply; I turned round to Mr. Tierney; and
said, "You go, Mr. Tierney;" I said
nothing more to Smith; I noticed the
left temple of the woman bleeding, and I
saw her eyes were all disfigured, and saw a
pool of blood on the floor close to the right
hand side of her head; could not say how
much blood there was; there was blood in
other places—from the end of the table
near the back door to where she was lying;
saw hair near my feet and in different places;
saw Detective Ryder picking it up; saw a
poker lying by the front of the stove; did
not notice the poker until the policemen
came; they came about half an hour after I
did; they were P. C. Woolway and Gall;
they arrested Smith and took him away;
there was no fire; I saw the police light the
fire with coal oil; there was no coal; saw
the dishes on the table; there was a cup
and saucer and a piece of toast on a plate
and two cups by themselves.

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poker away; there was hair on the poker when the policeman picked it up; when I first went in the three cups were separate; there was a milk pitcher an the table.

Mrs. Margaret Reddick, was the next witness. She said: I know Henry Smith; knew his wife; went to his house with Mrs. White on Tuesday night last at about 8 o'clock; saw Mr. Smith at the gate as we came up; he said, "Who's that?" he said, "Mrs. Smith's dead;" I said, "No; not dead!" he said, "Yes; really dead;" then we went into the house; saw Mrs. Smith on the floor near the front door; someone said, "Smith, you murdered your wife;" he said, "No I didn't;" he said when he went to the barn she was all right, and when he returned she was dead; I did not touch the body but saw some blood; saw a pail and sponge on the stove;

two big bunches by the stove; it looked as if the woman had been dragged along the floor by her hair; the most blood was where the woman was lying; saw the poker lying by the stove; there was hair hanging round it and it seemed to be stained with blood; the hair was that of deceased. Witness picked up the poker and found the hairs on it; saw the coat (produced) lying on a chair; there was blood on it—on both sleeves; the poker and coat were taken down in the patrol wagon.

poker and coas were tasts down patrol wagon.

To the Coroner—Smith seemed a little excited; he was under the influence of liquor, but ceuld not be called intoxicated. To a Juryman—Smith did not account for the blood on bis face.

Mr. Judd—Did anyons tell you Smith had been washing the blood off the woman's face?

witness—I think I heard some one say

Witness—I think I heard some one say he had.

To a Juryman—The blood on his hands was dried, and could not come there by washing the body.

Dr. Waugh, the next witness, gave the details of the post mortem examination, which be made with Dr. Mitchell. The notes made at that time showed that the body was warmly clothed; the clothing was soaked with moisture, not blood; the left arm was discolored from bruises made recently, and there were similar bruises on various parts of the body; the wounds on the head were recent, and death was caused by these and the loss of blood combined with the shock; the injuries to the head were discoloration of the face by suffusion of blood; both nasal bones were broken; it would require a severe blow from an instrument like the poker produced to break these bones. The fracture could not be caused by a blow from the fist; the cut over the left eye must have been done by some instrument; there must have been lows all over the head to have caused this some instrument; there must have blows all over the head to have caused

blows all over the head to have caused this discoloration; the pulling out of the hair would not cause it, but might have added to it; there were only two recent cuts on the face in which the instrument had broken the skin; the wound on the nose would not be sufficient to cause death.

To the Coroner—The wounds were too numerous to have been self-inflicted.

Mr. Judd—Would it have been possible to tell whether deceased had been subject to fits?

Witness—I could not.
Mr. Judd—If a person had fallen on a hard substance would those bones have been broken?
Witness—They would not.
Dr. Mitchell was called and corroborated the witness of the worklow witness. the evidence of the previous witness.

Mr. Judd—You agree with Dr. Waugh's

witness—Yes.
Mr. Judd—Then this is a case where two doctors do not disagree.
The Coroner—You think that this is

unusual, do you?

Detective Ryder was called, and said he

you, Smith?" he said, "Yes;" I asked him if he was the man who killed his wife; he said he was; I asked him how he did it; Smith said, "I don't know; I hit her with smith said, "I don't know; I shit her with my fist, and went out to the barn, and when I came back she was dead;" the next morning Smith asked witness if it was any good having counsel, and witness said it was no good as the case was clear.

To Mr. Judd—I told this to Detective Ruder.

The witness seemed rather muddled as to when he told Ryder the story and finally said he could not remember when he

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NUMBER ONE.

Veekly Grist of Tax Remittance Cases -A Determination to Charge \$25 for the Use of City Hall—

No. 1 Committee of the City Council met last night, those present being Chairman Mosle, Mayor Taylor, Ald. Taylor, Ald. Glass, Commissioner Grant, Secretary Pope. The petitions of Mattie Hillson,

Pope. The petitions of Hattie Hillson, Joseph Durkin, Mrs. Kingsworth were granted; Rebecca Yeo, half remitted; W. Richards, refunded; George Elliott, resewer rate, City Clerk to make connections according to Commissioner's report.

The matter of the irregularities in the voters' list, discussed at previous meetings, was taken up, and it was decided that \$30 be granted to provide a clerk to check the voters' list of 1890 when prepared by the City Clerk.

The motions of Ald. Anderson re the administration of justice, earlier assessment and the consolidation of the city debt, were laid over on account of that gentleman's absence.

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An interesting communication was read
from A. McLean, chairman of the Street
Railway Committee, Ottawa, asking the
London Council to join in applying for
power to be granted municipalities to construct street railways similar to the present
Waterworks Act, and giving the municipalities power to purchase any systems at
present within their limits. It was decided
that the Clerk should acknowledge receipt
of letter and say that the Council would
take the matter into further consideration
before acting.

The customary annual grant was recommended to be given to the Women's Christian Association.

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The communications of J. S. Niven and G. M. Connor were referred to the Inspector, and those of G. E. Van Tuyl and A. Isaac were filed—no power.

Ald, Taylor referred to privileges extended to Stratford and other points east of this city whereby residents of those localities could go to Toronto on certain days at greatly reduced rates, while from same places low rates were not given to London. It was decided to communicate with the management of the company re-

London. It was decided to communicate with the management of the company regarding the matter.

The Port Stanley harbor question was taken up and it was decided that the City Clerk should ask Elgin, Port Stanley and St. Thomas to appoint committees to wait on the Government at Ottawa regarding the matter. the matter.

The bylaws as far as No. 1's duties are The bylaws as far as No. 1's duties are defined passed the committee.

The Hunt ball question came up, and Mr. Pope asked what sum should be charged the Hunt. The sum was placed at the new regulation rental, \$25. The members expressed themselves as determined to stand by the new rental, and all future applications will only be granted on payment of that sum

they arrested Smith and took him away; there was no fire; I saw the police light the fire with coal oil; there was no coal; saw the dishes on the table; there was a cup and saucer and a piece of toast on a plate and two cups by themselves.

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teething.

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Applying Manures.

Prof. Roberts, director of the Cornell
University Experimental Station, lays it

down as a standard principle to which he adheres in running his farm that manures should be applied either where a plant is growing or where one is immediately to be grown. For instance, he would begin in the fall and spread upon a meadow the manure which is to fertilize the corn crop of the following spring on that plot of ground. The roots of the living clover etc., form a network that entraps the valuable elements of the manure as it is dissolved by the winter's snow and rain. We hear a great deal less than formerly nowadays about "fermenting" manures, but a great deal more about hailing green stable menure direct to the fields and then spreading it, to let the soluble portions at once be absorbed by the soil, and be fitted by the processes of nature itself for plant food. A recent writer makes bold to declare that "no one can as yet prove that this is not the best way." For fall wheat Prof. Roberts manures just as soon as the land has been plowed, and then thoroughly works soil and manure together before the seed is drilled in. Mr. R. J. Graham, the secretary of the Ontario Creameries Association, who, we understand, is very successful in the management of his dairy farm near Belleville, adopts the plan of sowing catch crops, such as rye, on which, in fall and winter, manure is thoroughly spread. Plowed in the following spring that makes a grand preparation for the season's corn crop. On this very point we find the following in a letter written by an Ohio farmer: "In my limited way, I find that even a catch crop of rye turned under in May—other things being, so far as I can see, equal—is making increased fertility for my soil over the usual plan of manuring. The rye saves all wash and leaching; its growth turned under has, if nothing more, returned to the soil all demanded by the growth of the rye and what would have been otherwise lost by waste. Possibly a gain has been made by not only mechanical action, but soil ferment, and who of our agricultural teachers will give us the answer?"

The manure which Prof. Roberts applies to his fall wheat ground he of course cannot take direct from his stables as made. That would not be practicable. At a convenient point he has a large open pit with a cement nowadays about "fermenting" manures, but a great deal more about hauling green

take direct from his stables as made. That would not be practicable. At a convenient point he has a large open pit with a cement bottom, in which the manure is piled as made. Connected with the pit is a tank to catch any leakings that may occur before seeding. Above all things, the farmer cannot afford to waste manure. It is the very life of his farm. How it can best be saved and applied to the land with the least outlay of labor consistent with securing the best results in plant growth, is a subject upon which we would like to hear briefly from some of our readers.

tions will only be granted on payments that sum.

Treasurer Pope reported that if taxes were not indiscriminately remitted a surplus would be left of about \$7,000.

After a few minor matters had been dealt with the committee adjourned.

With the committee adjourned.

The first chapters of the book are already in the hands of the compositors, and it will not be very long before the work is ready for publication. DR. TALMAGE has christened his forth-

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LOCAL MARKETS.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

London, Saturday, Feb. 22.

The deliveries to-Cay were good in wheat and cats but outside of these two lines and hay they were light. Wheat ranged from \$125 to \$135 per 109 lbs, and \$2c per bushed standard. Oats steady at 80e for both white and black. Pens quiet; only two small lots offered and sold at \$40 and \$9c. Barley sold at 70c to 75c for what offered; no bright to's were brought forward. Clover seed sold at \$3.20 to \$3.25. Dressed hogs unchanged at \$5 to \$6. Butter scarce; pound rolls wanted at 18c to 20c; choice large roll and crock sold at 17c to 20c; choice large roll and crock sold at 17c to 8c. Eggs quiet at 18c to 18c; some large lots sold at 15c. Quotations:

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Toronto Market.

Flour—No movement reported and no de mand said to be heard; prices nominally un changed; nothing definite to quote in the way of yalues.

Harley remained persistently inactive, no movement reported either here or at outside points, but holders are said to have been steady in consequence of some sales across the line.

Eggs sold as before at 14je to 15c for fresh; pickled nominal at 12je.

Hogs—Rail lots inactive, with values unchanged, at \$550 to \$562 for good to choice lots.

English Markets.

Beerbohm's Report by Cable.

LONDON, Feb. 21.

Cargoes off coast—Wheat none, corn rather

casier.

Cargoes sold—Wheat, I.

Waiting—Corn, I.

On passage—Wheat steady, corn rather
easier: mixed American corn, prompt, 18s.

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Walla, 7s ½d; corn, 3s 8d; peas, 5s 8d.

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Montreal Market.

MONTREAL, Feb. 22.

FLOUR—Receipts, 500 bbls.; sales, none reported. Market quiet at unchanged rates. Quotations are as follows: Patents, winter, \$5 00 to \$5 25; straight roller, \$4 25 to \$4 50; extra. \$4 00 to \$4 25; superfine, \$3 00 to \$3 75; strong bakers, \$4, 50 to \$4 75; Ontario bags, \$1 25 to \$2 25; city bags, \$4 80 to \$4 90 for strong bakers.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 hard Manitoba, \$1 03 to \$104; No. 2 hard Manitoba, \$0 corn. 49c to 49c; peas, 67c to 88c; oats, 28c to 30c; barley, 40c to 56c; rye, 50c to 50c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, \$3 50 to \$4 00; cornmeal, \$2 25 to \$2 30.

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CHIGAGO, Feb. 21.

LEADING FUTURES CLOSED:

WHEAT.—Feb. 75;c: May, 71;c: July, 76;c.

COTN.—Feb. 27;c: May, 29;c: July, 30;c.

MESS Pok. 19;c: May, 20;c: June, 20;c.

MESS POKK—March, \$9 70; May, \$9 95;

LARD—March, \$5 72; May, \$5 87½; June, 50;c.

\$5 924. SHORT RIBS—March, \$4 70; May, \$4 774; June, \$4 85. Sinc. \$4 85.

CASH QUOTATIONS.

Ro. 2 spring wheat, 75½c to 75½c; No. 2 red, 75½c; No. 2 corn. 27½c; No. 2 oats, 19½c to 19½c; pork. \$9 70 to \$9 7%; lard. \$5 70 to \$5 72½; short rib sides, \$4 70, dry salted shoulders and short clear sides unchanged.

Ganada held at 55c; No. 2 extra Canada at 57c; No. 1 Canada at 60c.

FLOUR—held steady; dull.

WHEAT—Receipts, 33,350 bm; exports, none; sales, 3,664,000 bm futures; 11,000 bm spot; spot dull; e off; we fairly active; to the down; vator; option rat Feb., 85c; March, April and May, so; June, 85c; July, 83c; Aug, 83d; Ser, 19cs, 85c; July, 83d; Aug, 83d; Ser, 19cs, 85c; July, 83d; Aug, 83d; Ser, 19cs, 85c; July, 85c; July, 85c; March, 35c; April, 36c; May, 36c; Jule, 85c; March, 35c; April, 36c; May, 36c; Jule, 87c; July, 88c.

OATS—Receipts, 133,000 bm; sales, 340,000 bm; futures; 161,000 bm spot; spot fairly active; weaker; options active; heavy; Feb. and March, 26c; April, 26c; May, 26c; spot, No. Z. 26c; to 28c; mixed western, 26c to 29c; white do, 29c to 34c.

EAST EUFFALO.

butchers cattle, which sold at \$500, balance was common cows and culled helfers, for which there was no demand.

Sheep and Lambs—Offerings, 12 cars; market strong and higher for choice; best sheep, \$6 to \$15. choice to extra, \$565 to \$6; good to choice, \$525 to \$555; fair to good, \$5 to \$525; fair to good, \$5 to \$525; fair to good, \$5 to \$525; fair \$6. choice, \$525 to \$550; fair to good to choice, \$660 to \$65; fair, \$625 to \$550; fair to good to choice, \$660 to \$65; fair, \$625 to \$550; fair to good to choice, \$660 to \$65; fair, \$625 to \$550; fair to good to choice, \$660 to \$65; fair, \$625 to \$550; fair to good to choice, \$660 to \$65; fair, \$625 to \$550; fair to good to choice, \$660 to \$65; fair, \$625 to \$550; fair to good to choice, \$660 to \$65; fair, \$625 to \$550; fair to good to choice, \$660 to \$65; fair, \$625 to \$550; fair to good to choice, \$660 to \$65; fair, \$625 to \$550; fair to good to choice, \$660 to \$65; fair, \$625 to \$650; fair to good to choice, \$660 to \$65; fair, \$625 to \$650; fair to good to choice, \$660 to \$65; fair, \$625 to \$650; fair to good to choice, \$660 to \$65; fair, \$625 to \$650; fair to good to choice, \$660 to \$65; fair, \$625 to \$650; fair to good to choice, \$660 to \$65; fair, \$600; fair to good to choice, \$650 to \$650; fair to good to choice, \$650 to go

prices; firm. mediums and Yorkers, good mixed and heavy, \$4 25; pigs. \$4 10.

Feb. 21.—Hogs—Estimated receipts, 21,000; official yesterday, 23,872; shipments, 9,350; left over, 7,000; light, \$3 85 to \$4 65; mixed packing, \$3 85 to \$4 65; heavy shipping, \$3 20 to \$4; rough packing, \$3 75 to \$3 85.

The Oil Market.

The Oil Market. PETROLEA.
Feb. 22.—Oil opened to-day at \$1 072. closing at same figure.

LONDON AND PRECINCTS

He went out of doors and froze:
He sat in the house and fried;
He finally turned up his toes;
The last thing we heard was he died.
Mr. Jas. Egan, of this city, is enjoying a

oliday in Ottawa.

It has been decided that the next Do-ninion census will be taken on April, 4,

Rev. A. A. Durkin, O. P., of New York, who has been visiting his parents in this city for a few days, left yesterday for Columbus, Ohio.

New postoffices have been established in Ontario as follows: Balaclava, North Grey, Hendrich, South Middlesex, Hurtubise, Russell, Shrubmont, New York. James Wilson charged Isaac Young, of Caradoc, before Squire Jarvis to-day, Caradoc, before Squire Jarvis to-day, with larceny of various articles of household furniture, etc. The case was dismissed for want of evidence.

The Lilly Clay gaiety combination, which appears here on Tuesday evening next, will undoubtedly attract large houses as it has in every city in which it has yet occupied the boards.

occupied the boards.

Squire Jarvis has been considering the additional evidence against McColl, of Parkhill, in the matter of the death of Charles Blanchard, and has concluded that he evidence does not warrant a reopening Among those who returned from Ottawa to the West this morning were Joseph Marshall, M.P., George Moncrieff, M.P., Mr. J. M. Denton and Wm. Thompson, of the agricultural department of the Ap-

Shortly after 6 o'clock last evening the fire department received a call to the warehouse of Joseph Hall, Bathurst street, where a fire had orginated in one of the rooms stored with agricultural implements. No serious damage was done. This is the second fire on the premises which has occurred under suspicious circumstances and the proprietor has reason to believe that it was a deliberate attempt to burn the place. A New G. T. R. Car.

hand said to be received in the way of values.

Wheat-Inactive, no movement reported; No fall, lying outside, was held at Sec, with supers at 78 for it or No. 2 red; nothing offered on the spot except No. 1 hard, which was held as before at \$1.04.

Outs-Steady, with five cars of mixed to around the spot except No. 1 hard, which was held as before at \$1.04.

There is a new car just placed on the G. T. R. rails for the use of the Western C. T. R. rails for the use of the use of the Western C. T. R. rails for the use of the Western C. T. R. rails for the use of the Western C. T. R. rails for the use of the use of the Western C. T. R. rails for the use of the Western C. R. R. rails for the use of

T. R. rails for the use of the vestern branch. The car is fitted with reclining seats for ladies and gentlemen, with lavatories and every modern convenience in the way of heating, etc. The car was built at the G. T. R. car words here under the supervision of the assistant mechanical superintendent, Mr. McIlwain, and will be used for the first time on Monday to convey the Young Liberal Minstrels to Toronto.

Adjourned Sessions. Adjourned Sessions.

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The adjourned sessions were held at the court house this morning. Judge Elliot, who was present, stated that it would be unnecessary for him in future to attend these adjourned sessions, and the magistrates present could elect their own chairman. Mr. Murray Anderson was then appointed obsimms. The charges against trates present could elect their own chairman. Mr. Murray Anderson was then appointed chairman. The charges against Chief Schram and Detective Graham were taken up. The complaint was preferred by a man named Breen, one of the men concerned in the recent cocklight. It was alleged that the fine imposed had been put only Graham and not by a magistrate. The charges were dismissed in both cases. Two new constables were appointed.

The Harmony Club.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

—One of Stratford's oldest citizens died Friday morning in the person of Mr. Robert Myers. He was 64 years of age.

—The friends of Mr. McGillicuddy, editor of the Goderich Signal, will be pleased to learn that he is now on a fair way of recovery.

overy.

Mr. Robert Colgan, of Thorold, late of Fullarton, has sold his farm in the 9th concontaining 107 acres, to Mr. James Phipps, for \$6,030.

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—James Lanaway, a resident of Woodstock for 50 years, was found dead in bed Friday morning. He was enjoying his usual health early in the week. Deceased was 89 years of age.

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—A Drayton man tendered for the office of assessor of that village at the moderate salary of \$1. After his offer was accepted he declined, and the position was given to another applicant at \$12.

—Dr. Bell, of Amhersburg, had a narrow escape from being killed Wednesday evening. He was out in the country attending a patient when the horse and rig went over an embankment. The doctor escaped with a few bruises, but the horse was killed and the buggy smashed to atoms.

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—Quite a number of petty burglaries have been committed in Petrolea lately. Among the losses reported are: Geo. Primmer, 23 cans of oysters; C. Maston, 13 dozen of eggs and 3 dozen oranges; E. McDermand, 1 pair of boots; M. Mann, 1 caddy of tobacco; R. Green, 1 pair of overalls; A. Scarsbrook, 12 cans of oysters; A. F. Rose, 1 ham of pork.

—Mr. Robert Skinner, liverykeeper, Ingersoll, who sleeps in his office, found that someone had during the night stolen \$25 from his pocket and a watch from his deak. A man named Bendall was suspected and inquiry revealed that he was on the early C. P. R. train bound for Toronto, He was arrested and taken back with the proporty.

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—A reward of \$25 is offered by John Hoffman, county constable, Ayimer, for the three masked burglars who, at 2 o'clook Wednesday morning, entered the residence of Mr. A. J. Davis, of Malahide, and stole the following articles: One silver penknife, stamped "A. D."; a dozen silver spoons, some stamped "A. D."; two silver salts, six silver nut picks, one meerschaum pipe, a \$10 greenback, and some small change. Other houses were visited in the neighborhood, and money stolen.

HAVE THEY A CLUE?

A Hat Found Which Has Been Identified as Mr. B. Sifton's.

Yesterday afternoon some of the party carrying on the search for the missing Mr. Sifton, of St. Johns, came upon footprints leading through a field owned by Mr. Thos. Fraleigh, and after following them for some distance they found a hat which some recognized as belonging to the missing man, and the one which he had worn when last seen on Monday night. In the immediate seen on Monday night. In the immediate vicinity of the hat the ground bore marks of several feet or, if made by one, the person making them had been bewildered and wandered round in a circle. A short distance from the hat the sod was hard and no trace of footmarks could be seen. The hat was found about 50 rods from the Proof Line or about one mile from Mr. Sifton's residence.

when the news of the discovery reached A chinney fire at the corner of Princess avenue and William street gave the boys a run late last evening. The fire was given its quietus before any damage was done. obliberated all marks of any kind in their eageness to search for a clue. As the hat would show that Mr. Sifton had been coming towards the city instead of going home it serves to strengthen the opinion that he missed his road and perished. It is thought that if such is the case he could not have gone much further than where the hat lay, as the tramping might easily be accounted for by the man's exhaustion. The entire party are now searching the underbrush and are in hopes of recovering the body within the next 24 hours.

Mrs. Sifton, mother of Mrs. J. W. Morden, West avenue south, who has been visiting at her daughter's here, has been called to her home in London owing to the sickness of her husband. Mr. Sifton has been so much exposed to the weather in endeavoring to find some trace of his brother, B. E. Sitton, of St. Johns, a village near London, that he has contracted a severe cold, and if he consulted his own health he would be in bed instead of prosecuting the search for the missing man.—[Hamilton Times.

LONDON SOUTH.

Mr. Wm. Wigmore, father of Mrs. John Mr. Wm. Wigmore, father of Mrs. John Ward, of Craig street, is lying very ill at his daughter's house. Mr. Wigmore is an octogenarian and fears are entertained that the illness may prove fatal. He is much respected by his many acquaintances, all of whom will hear with regret of his illness. Wood thieres are aniaving quite a harvest.

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Wood thieves are enjoying quite a harvest from the vicinity of Garfield avenue and Queen street. One resident there got in several cords, and the first night missed a large quantity. The same thing happened the next night, when he determined to try and catch the thief. So he sat up nearly the whole night with a gun and a bulldog, but towards morning, thinking his woodpile would be all right, he went to bed to have a rest. What was his astonishment on going out at the break of day to find that while he had been having his little rest part of his wood had disappeared. Another resident complained of similar treatment and vows all sorts of vengeance if he catches the thief.

EAST LONDON.

The funeral of the little son of Mr. Jas Browne, of 514 Elizabeth street, took lace this afternoon. He was a general avorite, and his demise is a sore affliction

COMMERCIAL UNION.

Sir Richard Cartwright at the New York Board of Trade Banquet.

made on consignments: consignments of all kinds of produce solicited. 72 Colbort

Montreal Market.

**Mont the best of all reasons that unless the arrangement was mutually beneficial it could never be permanent. Sir Richard went on to point out that he desired to bring the people and public men of Canada and the United States into close contact, and he was certain from his own experience as a minister that nothing but good could come of it. That Canada needed direct representation of Washington and power to make her own treaties. He closed by observing that the twell-being and prosperity of the United States must needs be a thing the vast majority of Canadians must desire not only because the prosperity of the United States powerfully affected the prosperity of Canada, but because a matter of fact, take Canada all through there was scarcely a Capadian family in most portions of the Dominion which had not to-day a son or brother or a near kinsman residing in the United States.

Disastrous Boiler Explosion.

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(Via Dalziel's News Agency.)

RUTHERALEN, Va., Feb. 22.—The boiler of a saw mill exploded here this morning with terrible violence, killing several employes and wrecking the building.

Englishmen to Buy the Union Stock Yards.

CHICAGO, Feb. 22.—A morning paper says the Union Stock Yards of Chicago, the largest in the world, will doubtless soon be sold to an English syndicate. The price of rich Englishmen are ready to exchange that sum for a controlling interest.

An Inhuman Father.

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An Inhuman Father.

(Via Dalziel's News Agency.)

PHILLIPSBURO, Feb. 22.—Charles Stites heated a poker red-hot last night and drew it several times across the back of his year-old infant while it was lying in a cradle. Stites is a brutal character, and has often beaten his wife and children. He has been heard to say he would kill this baby "As he did the other," meaning the child that died suddenly a year ago. He has been arrested.

Young Abraham Lincoln's Condition.
[Via Dalziel's News Agency.]
LONDON, Feb. 22 — Young Abraham
Lincoln, son of the American Minister, upon whom an operation has just been performed

for an obstinate abcess, is much worse to-day, and his condition is regarded as very critical. Young Men.—The Rev. J. Philp. M.A., who preaches in the Congregational Church on Sunday, will in the evening service address young men specially.

"Longfellow was right," said Mrs. Gazzan to her husband, as he came unsteadily up stairs at 1 a.m. "Wha' d'e shay!" asked Gazzam. "Life is reel."

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An Equal Rights Candidate.

SARNIA, Feb. 22.—At an Equal Rights convention held here yesterday John D. Beatty was selected as a candidate for West Lambton in the Provincial election. He has

ot yet decided to accept. not yet decided to accept.

A Jury-Briber Sontenced.

CHICAGO, Feb. 22.—The jury in the Cronin jury bribing case, this morning brought in a verdict finding the only remaining defendant on trial, Jeremiah O'Donnell guilty, and fixing his punishment at three years in the penitentiary.

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But something always ailed it, and it always
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Its functional activity, somehow, was very

In SEARCH OF FORTUNE.

I couldn't summon the courage to blow it out again, even after the first impression of the nightmare had passed away. I was thoroughly unnerved. I had never bena coward. Until then I had never known what actual fear was, but I give you my word, dad, that the dream had made such an impression upon me that had any one entered theroom suddenly I should have soreamed.

When I went down in the morning the farmer was first to notice that I looked queer. He asked me if I wasn't well. I said it was nothing; that I thought I had a billious attack. I was heavy over my work and listless all the morning, and after dinner, which I couldn't touch, the farmer told me the best thing I could do was to take the afternoon and go for a good long ride in the country.

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ing alone and in a new world, and having to shift for yourself, makes you "grown up" pretty early, and I fancied myself a young man, though I supposed everybody looked upon me only as a boy.

You may be sure when Belle told me that there was something about Hewitt that she didn't like, I wasn't going to tell her she was a goose. I was too glad to have her that way of thinking, but I didn't share her prejudice. Hewitt and I "cottoned to each other," as the saying is, from the first, and in a month or two we became constant companions in our leisure time. Hewitt told me his story and I told him mine, and, of course, I told him about you and the girls.

When I got a letter from home I used to read it to him, and he got to know you all through me. He soon found out that I was in love with Belle, and he promised me he wouldn't breathe a word to anybody about it. That was my secret, and I think I rather liked it being a secret, fancying it was more romantic. Hewitt was as frank with me as I had been with him, and he told me all about himself. His father and mother were dead. They were gentlefolk, but had been poor, and he had been taken by his uncle, who had promised to give him a start in life.

"And a nice start he's given me," said Hewitt, "sending me out to this place, and telling me it's my only chance, and that it's all he can do for me, as he is a married man with a large family himself. It's a nice look out for me. Oh, how I wish I had been born rich—I shall never make a farmer."

He was quite right there—he never would, for he alidn't test to it at all and if it

nor he didn't take to it at all, and if it hadn't been for the premium and the yearly money paid for hiskeep I expect Mr. Sandys would have got rid of him pretty quick.

He was always talking about what a jolly life he'd have when he grew up if he only had money, and once he said he didn't think there was much he'd stick at to make it.

wouldn't work.

He made perpetual motion things—but they which I thought very nice and gentlemanthrough the sky.

But there was a slight obstruction in the piston rod or groove.

And the only trouble with it—he could never make it ity.

And he made marine toboggans for sliding on the sea.

A very pretty compromise for bieycle and boat.

And on the second trial trip, he said 'twas his "idee."

The thing would slide tremendously if he could make it float.

And he made a panacea that would cure every The long-sought life-elixir, to the world so the took the medicine himself, a large, greenlooking pill.

And twenty minutes later he laid him down and died.

The thing would slide tremendously if he could make it float.

All this time I was working away and keeping in Farmer Wilson's good books, and though I got a bit more money it wasn't much, but I'd made myself master of the business, and I believed that when I was a bit older I should be able to get into somesting better, and in due time, perhaps, launch out on my own account and be independent.

I had wonderful dreams, I can tell you, in the world representation of the properties.

farmer told me the best thing I could do was to take the afternoon and go for a good long ride in the country.

I was very glad of the permission, so I saddled the horse I generally rode and went straight of to Sprigg's Farm. I knew I should have no peace until I had seen this mysterious Hewitt, who, according to Belle, was so like me that he might have been my brother.

Three months after that, dad, Mark Hewitt and I were the greatest "pals" in the neighborhood. I found him a nice agreeable fellow, like me in appearance, certainly; so like me, that when we looked at each other as Belle introduced us we both burst out laughing. But to my unutterable joy Belle told me she didn't like him, and I fancied he wasn't the sort of fellow that would go falling in love with anybody but himself.

Directly my mind was easy on that score I felt quite a relief. The ideathat Belle didn't like him made me take to him at once. You may laugh, dad, and think that I was beginning to be jealous nice and early, but that was the feeling I had, and I couldn't help it. You see, be-



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I thought he was only bragging—talking wild, like young fellows do sometimes. I was so grateful to him for not falling in love with my sweetheart that I didn't like to think he was a very bad-hearted fellow.

Besides, he was very useful to me and helped me with Belle. He used to invite me to come over sometimes of an evening, and that gave me an excuse for being at Sprigg's Farm, And when he and I and Belle went out for a walk about the place together he'd go off and leave us alone, which I thought very nice and gentlemandal three years he wrote home and got some money from his uncle. I suppose he told him he could do some good with it, and he went way and I didn't see anything of him for some time.

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Miss Grace Gey. of this city, is visiting Miss Thompson in Mitchell.

Mrs. H. Heard, of this city, is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. Heal, of St. Thomas.

Mrs. Moore, wife of T. D. S. Moore, of the Toronto Globe staff, is visiting in the city.

Miss Aggie Yates, of London, is visiting her sister, Mrs. (Rev.) George Richardson. —[Goderich Signal.

Mrs. Thomas Sumner, of London, Ont., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. L. E. Emmons, on Wall street.—[Port Huron Times. Mr. J. C. Chapman, of this city, is an-nounced to sing at the anniversary services of Thamesville Methodist Church next Sun-

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Christ Church Temperance Society held

L. Wood, of Huron Conege. The extension proved very enjoyable.

At the official quarterly meeting of Dundas Street Center Methodist Church held last evening a unanimous invitation was extended to Rev. A. C. Courtice to remain another year as paster of that church. Mr. Courtice expressed his thankfulness and the pleasure it would give him to remain, provided the authorities of the church see hit to grant the request of the Board.

A Free Press Statement Denied.

Mr. D. A. Thurston, son-in-law of Squire Sifton, whose mysterious disappearance has occasioned considerable comment, hands the following communication to the ADVER-

ollowing communication to the Abver-user with the request that it be given due

Married at Hamilton.

A most pleasant event occurred last even-ing at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John McAllister, 166 MacNab street north, bein the marriage of their daughter Annie to Mr. A most possible for the security of the nuptial knot. The bride was attended by Miss Jennie Allan, of this city, the groom being supported by Mr. W. H. Wigmore, of London. After the ceremony ties guests, numbering about 50, sat down to a most sumptuous repast, during the guests, numbering about 50, sat down to a most sumptuous repast, during the course of which congratulatory remarks and good wishes were freely expressed, Rev. Dr. Fraser and Mayor McLellan referring very feelingly to the bride and the ligh esteem in which she is held, particularly by the people of Knox Church, where larly by the people of Knox Church, where larly by the people of knox Church, where larly by the dard the steem of the string terms and an energetic worker. The presents, unusually beautiful and numerous, bore strong testimony to the estimable character of both bride and groom. A most pleasant and enjoyable evening was spent, and at 9:25 the happy pair took tie train for Montreal, accompanied by the best wishes of their many friends in this city.

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Out celebrated actors than anyone else, except their families, and she could furnish volumes of unwritten biography concerning them. The house is full of mementos, from paintings by Jefferson to cast-off costumes of McCullough, and every nook and cranny speaks of William Warren. I found Annie Pixley "where my trunk be room after him." It is a privilege to occuping promin this house is the kitchen. Here the after-theater suppersuaded by the most ifference in the star of the presence of the miss of the miss of the presence of the miss of the miss of the presence of the miss of the presence of the miss of the miss of the miss of the miss of the presence of the miss of the miss

of Thamesville Methodist Church next Sunday and Monday.

The Women's Auxiliary in connection with All Saints' Mission Chapel, Hamilton road, held their usual fortnightly meeting last evening, with a good attendance.

William Lear and Hugh Cameron were each given a term of two months under the Yagrancy Act by Magistrate Parke this morning. One drunk was discharged.

We are asked to draw attention to the fact that Mr. J. W. Hyman's name, district inspector of the Mutual Life, was accidentally omitted from advertisement in to-day's papers.

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t of flour sifted with one teanful baking powder, a little salt, one g; mirith one pint of sweet milk; beat tell to batter, and bake quick in butted ap pans. These are delightful sakfaor tea cakes. The above quantes w make twelve es w make twelve.

One pate buttermilk, half a cupful of outter r lard, one-half teaspoonful soda dissolve in the milk, one-half teaspoonful baking bowder mixed in the flour, enough flour tenake a stiff dough. Roll out quite thin, ca in squares, and bake on a griddle on the lop of the stove. SCOTCH SCONES. BREAKFAST MUFFINS.

Break two eggs in a bowl and beat till very light, add pinch of salt, and by degrees thee crituls of sweet milk and one quart of flour, in which are well mixed three caspounds of baking powder. Beat this nixture very hard and hearly fill the ger pans, which have been well greazed, and bake 15 or 20 minutes in a hot oven.

BAKED BEANS.

Soak dried beans all night in soft water, exchanging this in the morning for lukewarm, and then, two hours later, for still warmer. Let them lie an hour in this, before putting them on to boil in cold water. When they are soft, drain and turn them into a bake-dish. Season with pepper and salt, with a liberal spoonful of butter. Add enough boiling water to prevent them from scorching, and bake, covered, until they smoke and bubble. Remove the cover, and, brown. Serve in the bake-dish.

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Pare and cut raw potatoes very thin, with either the vegetable slicer or a sharp knife. Put them in cold water and let them stand in a cold place from 10 to 24 hours. This draws out the starch. Drain them well. Put about one pint in the frying-basket, plunge into boiling lard, and cook about ten minutes. After the first minute set back where the heat will decrease. Drain, and dredge with salt. Continue this until all are fried. Remember that the fat must be hot at first, and when it has regained its heat after the potatoes have been added must be set back where the potatoes will not cook fast. If the cooking is too rapid they will be brown before they have become crisp. Care must also be taken when the potatoes are first put in the frying kettle that the fat does not boil over. THIN FRIED POTATOES.

A Very Useful Article.

And food we construct the first beautiful a bone, caref it, and call the crook of the coverage such that can be collected off protein personal forms and such as in the construction of a country of the construction of a country of the construction of the confort To the Editor of the Advertiser:

By to-day's mail I send you a hook for hanging stable lanterns on, which may be termed "The Chalmer's Safety Hook." It is a double hook, and I have such faith in its perfection that I am not afraid to offer to pay any building burned through the lantern being knocked out of it by a brute beast. It must be all of fifteen years since I made the first one, and have had it in constant use ever since. Any boy I0 years of age can make them if he follows the description given below: Take a piece of No. 12 wire (nothing lighter), say fourteen inches long, hammer all the crooks out of it, then two or two and one-half inches from each end bend the wire bringing said ends towards each other and make well-formed hooks. Now grasp one of the hooks firmly with hook towards your left side, project the turn of said hook say one-half inch over the corner said hours and hours and hours and hours and hours and hours an d GINGHAM:

The hook sideways; the same must be done to with the other hook; this is to give the lantern handle more casy access to the "safety hook." The end of the wire of said hook sideways; the same must be done to with the other hook; this is to give the lantern handle more casy access to the "safety hook." The end of the wire of said hooks; should also be bend in a similar manould also be bent in a similar manner to allow the lantern handle more easy egress. Now the hooks are formed and the wire requires to be bent in the center by bringing the hooks towards each other. This had better be done on a one-half inch bolt or pin. Each hook requires a three-quarter turn around said bolt which will leave said hooks side by side, and being bent in the manner described will give an eye by which it can be strung on a wire stretched acros the entire stable (which all well-regulated stables should have), along which you can slide the lantern at ease to wherever wanted. The hooks must be left wide enough apart to allow the lantern handle easy ingress and egress. In placing the lantern shove the handle up between said hooks, and when above them give it a quarter turn to the right and let it down, when you will find it langs in both hooks, and when you wish t displace the lantern lift it above the hooks and give it a quarter turn to the left, bringing it against the wires, which wil guide it out when the operator takes it downwards.

Trusting this may prove a building saver to many and a onlyenience to most of your numerous readers, I remain, sir, yours most truly,

Poole, Feb. 15, 1890. ner to allow the lantern handle more easy egress. Now the hooks are formed and the

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Men often go up to a temptation, from which they should fly, in a self-confident way; and they often fly when they should stand and fight.

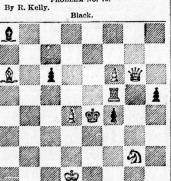
Prayer is not eloquence, but earnestness; not the definition of helplessness, but the feeling of it; not figures of speech, but compunction of soul.—[H. More.

God is the light, itself unseen, which makes everything visible and clothes it in colors. The eye does not perceive the ray, but the heart feels the warmth.—

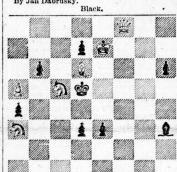
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PROBLEM NO. 75.



White to play and mate in two moves.



squares, and the Dishops are all anger.

"If, sir, that is the way you play, sir, I am done!" he cried, and the che ssmen rattled on the floor. His ecclesiastic opponent gathered them up and put them in the fire. For a few minutes they glared at each other, and the clergy assembled looked on in horror. Suddenly the absurdity of the situation struck them both. The Bishop burst out laughing at the childishness of their quarrel, and their hands came together.

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J. R., Toronto,—Did congratulations allude to recovery from la grippe?

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No day can be cause of grief and bitter reflection to a good man, none is there which he is unwilling to remember; he prolongs the period of existence, and may be said to live twice, in that he can enjoy the days that are past.—[Martial.

How foolish is selfishness! How marked by unwisdom is that spirit which would absorb all about one's self, foneying thereby to attain a greater happiness, but succeeding only in bringing misery to others and not satisfying self.

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Collingwood.—Some years ago the sold for to lumbermen. Consult a lawyer. Could it was and the water out of its natural course into a swamp damaging other property and digging a ditch on private property, after being forbidden, caused the water to back up and damage the building. What steps should be taken?

ANS.—You had better consult a lawyer. If the work was done under a bylaw on cause of action; but if not, upon the facts stated you could recover damages, and only can you have outlet from further water by proceeding under the Ditches and Watercourses Act.

Kingsyllle.—L sued A and garnished M;

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Kingsville.—L sued A and garnished M; ten days after A made an assignment to the sheriff and then left the country; L stood trial and got judgment; M paid money to clerk of court; the next day after court assignment papers were showed to the clerk informing him to pay the money in court to sheriff; can L legally claim this money or must it be paid to sheriff? Ans.—Upon the facts stated L is legally intitled to the money in court as at the time of the assignent A's interest had been attached and was no longer at the disposal of A. The money in court is to satisfy L's judgment against M, the garnishee. An application to the judge for payment out of court to L is the proper remedy. Consult a lawyer.

a lawyer.—D before his death having made his will, giving his personal property to his widow and his farm to his two infant children and appointing executors, the executors should have the will proved in the Surrogate Court and probate granted. The widow should pay off and take an assignment of the mortgage, and keep possession of the property in order to secure what she has paid. The deed to the trystees of the school site can only be got by an order of the High Court or on the consent of the official guardian, if the testator died since July 1, 1886. The purchase money can be paid into court by the school trustees, who in such a matter should act only on the advice and through a lawyer in order to protect themselves. tect themselves.

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LYNNYILLE.—What are the hours during which postoffices should be kept open, and have they any right to lock the office up during the day? In carrying the mail, has the party any right, when with the mail, to the contract of the mail of the

a woman whose husband is in debt is not liable to be seized under execution by creditors of the husband whether the latter is able to work or not. 3. A monthly tenant is entitled to a month's notice to quit ending with a month of his tenancy. 4. A tenant who refuses to give up possession after the termination of his tenancy, by legal notice or otherwise, may be ejected by summary proceedings before the County Court Judge, under the act respecting overholding tenants, as to which you had better consult a lawyer. 5. A tenant in arrears for rent must either give up possession of the premises or he cannot claim any exemptions from distress. This is a practical remedy to obtain possession in some cases. Notice must be given by the landlord before or at the time of scizure. 6. It a man gives a note for the balance due on a machine he is liable to be sued, and on judgment against him the machine area he sixed. To Our Confreres.

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SUNDAY READING.

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INQUIRER.—A's husband dies leaving a wife and children and having made a will. What legal right has his wife to his land and his personal property, and if she married again has she any claim whatever on his property? Ans.—She can claim her dower in his real estate, which is one-third for life, whether she marries again or not. She can also take what is given by the will unless the will provides that she shall forfeit by marrying again.

Delhi.—Can a railroad company cut down all timber inside of 100 feet from center of track without paying a reasonable sum for the cutting of the same? Ans.—The company can fell and remove all trees within six rods of the track, and are only liable to compensate you in case they appropriate the timber or wood. In case the price is not agreed upon, you can bring an action within six months. The value could only be estimated upon what similar trees a montaged upon what similar trees are sold for to lumbermen. Consult a lawyer.

Collingwood.—Some years ago the town and township turned the water out of its natural course into a awamp damaging its natural course into a swamp damaging of the provides a swamp damaging in the period of the compensate you in case they appropriate the timber or wood. In case the price is not agreed upon, you can bring an action within six months. The value could only be estimated upon what similar trees are the price is some yourself the tree is the price is some yourself the tree is the price is good to be some House which he built on the Isle of Wight, he repeated this prayer of Martin Luther's, and many an English homes of the water out of the water out of the passes of the price is the happier for a similar recognition of Divine Providence in all its affairs:

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God bless our going out, nor less our coming in, and make them sure; God bless our daily bread, and bless Whate'er we do—whate'er endure; In death unto his peace awake us. And heirs of his salvation make us.

Happily wise is he who in each day sees the realization of yesterday; who in each day sees a future that too soon becomes a past. Happy he who brings his dream so close to his every-day life that each action makes visible a part of the future. He who lives in the past loses the incentive to action; he who lives in the future loses the blessing of the present; but he who lives in the present, seeing, feeling it the future of the past, the past of the future, lives with heart and head attuned to the highest in himself and his time: Use the present—'tis all we have; the near future of to-morrow may not be ours for opportunity, for pleasure, for woe. Use the only time we have for the men and women who need what we can do for them, what we can give them. TO-DAY AND TO-MORROW. we can do for them, what we can give them. Silence may enwrap every present emotion, every present possibility to-moriow, and to-day have become a part of the eternal

every present possibility to-moriow, and to-day have become a part of the eternal past.

To the perfectly regulated life there should be no future, but each day should fill its part, not as a promise of to-morrow, but as the fruition of yesterday. To-morrow may be a thief robbing to-day of vital force. Yesterday is the unchangeable prophecy of to-day.

To-day is the future of yesterday. It is ours. Yesterday has gone from us; to-morrow may never be ours with to-day's strength of mind and body, with to-day's enthusiasm, with to-day in our hearts that will burn good intentions for to-morrow, and we come into our inheritance, not a vessel of promise, bearing buds ready to blossom, but a vase of ashes, dead and worthless. For it is given to few to rise to so great eminence to-day that to-morrow the world points to them as a warning against the iuture.

To-day is ours—only to-day. We may design a to-morrow, but the filling of the design depends on the work, the pleasure, the effort, the purpose, the living of to-day.—[Christian Union.

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he moth was beautiful—so bright That, while the sunbeams played at seek ad hide among the roses white And red, like blushes on the cheek

auty yielding soft assent some low love-tone's sweep awaking,

To some low love-tone's sweep awaking, He, in his gay attire content, And many a knightly courtesy making, Seemed, as he passed, on mischief benz, If not on absolute heart breaking.

The roses, gentle and polite,
Bowed distantly, as maidens do
Who still maintain their dowered right—
The manner's old, but good as new;

Amere acquaintance, that was all, Related to the village miller, They held him in their graces small As any other hady killer, Or animated dandy doll, And scion of the caterpillar! The moth danced gayly on his way, Nor other fellowship desired.

Nor other fellowship desired,
Till, where a group of pansies lay,
In regal elegance attired,
He pansed and looked, like one amazed,
Upon their bright and sunny faces;
Their elfish hoods and dimples dazed,
And dulled and dimmed his gaudy grace
Zbashed, eclipsed, benumbed, he gazed,
Then dropped and died in their embrace

-W. S. Snyder

What Bacteria Are.

The great majority of these microscopic plants are what botanists call bacteria, the smallest form of vegetable life. So small are they that it would take, in some cases, as many as fifteen thousand of them arranged in a row to extend an inch. They have different forms, some being round, some oval, some rod shaped and others much the shape of a corkscrew, or spiral. In all cases they are so small that one needs a powerful microscope to study them, and in no case can we perceive them singly with the naked eye. When countless millions of them are grouped together in a mass or colony we can see them about as we are able to see at a great distance in approaching army, of which we are totally unable to distinguish a single soldier.

We have said that these bacteria move

We have said that these bacteria move about, and this is true of most of them, although there are some which do not appear to move at all, but remain fixed where they for move at all, our remain nixed where they find a good feeding place. Those that have motion behave in a very peculiar manner's some wobble about in one place without moving forward in the least; others dart hither and thither, back and forth, at an apparently twicking the state of the st furious rate, rocking and twirling about, and turning a hundred somersaults as they

Bacteria multiply very rapidly, and they sacteria muttiply very rapicity, and they do this in a very strange way. A single one breaks itself in two; then each half grows to be as large as the first. Then these, in turn, divide up again, and so on, until from a single one we have many thousands in a short time. To give you the figures, such as they are a give one are multiply as a convented. are, a single one can multiply at so enormous are, a single one can instrupt at so enormous are that in forty-eight hours it can produce something like 280,000,000,000 of bacteria. Great consequences follow this enormous increase of bacteria; for, while one which is so small in itself can do little, the vast army resulting from the multiplication of one is able to accomplish much —Professional Company of the of one is able to accomplish much.—Professor Frederick D. Chester in St. Nicholas.

Chicken Patties at 2 A. M.

The little, round, fat man, with the gurg-ling laugh, answered to roll call yesterday and said he had a new story. It was on a friend who boards with him. This friend is not exactly slender, but a composite picture of him and the little fat man would look like a lemonade with a straw in it. The other night his friend the boarder came home at a rather late hour, and, as is his wont, searched the larder for delicacies. He knew his ground the larder for delicacies. He knew his ground perfectly, and did not think it necessary to light the gas. In the pantry he discovered some delicious chicken patties, and these he devoured in short order. Still his appetite asserted itself. Probing further into the mysteries of the larder he found some more of the next is and these he decround with respect to the control of the c the patties, and these he devoured with great gusto, though he thought at the time that they did not taste as well as the others. Then he went to bed and was soon the proprietor of a snore which sounded like a man tearing

In the morning, when the little fat man came down to breakfast, his wife, who had preceded him, said: "James, I cannot imagine what has become of the sausage balls which the cook made up last right." Neither could James. The boarder slumbered on, and his aggressive snore bored holes in the atmosphere. An idea occurred to the little fat man. "Maybe Arthur ate the sausage," he said. "You'd better go up, then, and see if he is alive," said his wife. He was alive, and when taxed about the sausage he acknowledged the pork. Then the fat man said: "I

Singing for Lung Diseases.

At the present era, when physical culture is a part of the curriculum of our most intellectual schools, and is so generally regarded as a necessary element toward supplying and maintaining the sound body for the sound mind, it is worth while to consider a recent statement of eminent physicians that the mere exercise of sincing is a great help toward mere exercise of singing is a great help toward diseases. In the incipient state of such dis-cases it is even said to be a powerful aid to a cure. It is, indeed, somewhat curious that the medical fraternity have not exploited the theory of lung exercises by singing more fully heretofore than they are now doing, for the action of calisthenics in developing the chest and of gymnastics in strengthening mus-cular tisus have for years been a universal

or weak the votes, children or young lie should be encouraged to indulge in the There can be no happier medicine, if hearers sometimes suffer they should incouraged and strengthened to bear the ction in view of the good is may occapable to hear the children in the strengthened to bear the ction in view of the good is may occapable to hear the children in the strength of the stren

Ventilation of Public Buildings.

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A very common mistake in the ventilation of churches and acholibouss, and public buildings generally, is made when those in charge full to open all the windows immediately after the buildings have been vacated, says Annals of Hygione. The exhalations from the lungs and the emanations from whe find, being light, will fines for a while in the atmosphere before failing to the floor, and if the windows, he opened at one, so that a current of air crosses the hall, many of them will be carried out. If, however, as is usually the case, the windows are not opened for some hours, may be not until the next day, these particles, settling upon the floor, are not carried away, but when the hall is again co-cupied they are disturbed by the feet, thrown up into the atmosphere and inhaled by the lungs from which they have been exhaled the day before.

ISOLATED MACHINES.

PROVIDING INDEPENDENT POWER FOR DRIVING THEM.

A Question Which Is Deeply Interesting to Mechanics and Engineers-Electricity Possesses Advantages Over Air and Steam, Yet It Is Lacking in Some Things. It seems to be the tendency at the present

time to subdivide, or, in other words, to provide each machine with an individual or independent power for driving. Naturally these methods divide themselves, considered from the motive end, into three partesteam, air and electricity. The advantages to be derived from such subdivision of power are apparent. When a power is used solely for the propulsion of one machine it is under the sole control of the constructions, that the sole control of the operator using that machine. No matter what system is used, this method does away entirely with all exthis method does away entirely with all ex-pense, both constructive and operative, con-nected with the use of shafting and reduces most materially the expense of wear and tear. As an additional advantage, when the machine is used only when needed, all ex-pense ceases when the operator has no further res for that particular machine. The disaduse for that particular machine. The disadvantages are the first cost, wear and tear and the expense of maintenance. In this, of course, it is apparent that whether a steam engine, air motor or an electric motor be used the first cost is greater as compared with the cost of extending a shafting and driving the machine through the usual belts and pul-leys. This, as is evident, militates against the use of an individual driving power for each meeting. vantages are the first cost, wear and tear and

each machine.

Considering the three motors which are possible as individual powers for the driving of isolated machines, steam is out of the question for several evident reasons. Compressed air has been used with more or less success in Paris, as was recently noted in The Iron Age, and yet the advantages to be derived from its use are not enual to the exrived from its use are not equal to the exrived from its use are not equal to the ex-treme disadvantages arising from the neces-sary piping peculiar to the machine itself and the deficiency in the power obtained. Doing away, therefore, with the two medi-ums which are very similar in their operation—steam and compressed air—we find ourselves confined to the electrical motor. As a self regulating machine this is beyond all doubt the superior of any machine now in the mar-ket for the generation of power, for the simket for the generation of power, for the sim ple reason that of the power brought to it it will transmit, in the best forms, 92 or 93 per cent. as effective work. Again, it reper cent. as effective work. Again, it re-quires no attendance whatever, except occa-sional oiling. In wear and tear it is reduced to mere journal wearing, which may be over-come by proper lubrication and construction of parts, and in attention it requires practi-cular extring. Everthee then the it requires cally nothing. Further than this, it requires no piping whatever to carry away hateful gases, for the simple reason that it generates nothing.

In point of regulation it is as effective as the best steam engine In point of regulation it is as elective as the best steam engine governor, because the motor as now built is guaranteed to run within 2 per cent. of the speed regulation provided by the contract. This regulation is independent of any outside influence, as the motor is so constructed that an excess of current will act to decrease the speed, while at the same time an excess of load will act to increase the

time an excess of load will act to increase the current, so that the two are counterbalanced within the 2 per cent. mentioned.

Another decided advantage in the use of the electric motor is that it is essentially a rotary engine. The power is applied to the development of a rotary motion in contradiction to the applied in the ordinary stem. Ditch," and \$3.75 for over 400 war envelopes tion to that applied in the ordinary steam engine as a reciprocating motion, and in consequence there is no lost motion in the engine. The power being applied continually and at all times to the periphery of the wheel obviates those difficulties which have originated in the ordinary steam engine in changing the reciprocating to the rotating motion.

Concerning the efficiency of the electric motion, and constructed we find that three ice there is no lost motion in the

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essential questions affect the result: First, it essential questions affect the result: First, it is necessary to change the power as manifested in steam under pressure to electricity. Then this electricity must be conveyed along a suitable conductor to the motor. Finally, the power so conducted must be reconverted into power to be expended on the shaft. Taking the power of the steam engine as it. Taking the power of the steam engine as 10, Taking the power of the steam engine as 10, we can convert 90 per cent. into the dynamo as electricity. The latter we can convey for short or long distances, as may be necessary, and will lose according to the resistance of the wire a smaller or greater percentage of the initial current generated by the dynamo. Assuming this average loss due to resistance of the grandering wire as 10 per cent. We of the conducting wire as 10 per cent., we have delivered to the electric motor some 81 have delivered to the electric motor some st-per cent, of the effective power of the engine. The best electric motors as now constructed will deliver in effective work from 90 to 93 per cent, of the electrical power supplied to them through the conductors. We therefore have in work actually performed by the elec-tric motor from 70 to 75 per cent, of the actual work performed by the steam engine. actual work performed by the steam engine, which may be near or far a way, and the distance of which governs, as will be understood from the above, the effective work performed

by the motor.

It is very evident from this, which is every the prevention, cure or alienation of lung day practice, that the electric motor pos diseases. In the incipient state of such diseases, in a certain sense, decided advantages when considered in connection with a dyna when considered in connection with a dyna-mo and transmitting wire, over any other method of transmitting power from a known source to the point of destination; but it is to be remembered that while the electric motor possesses these advantages in regard to econchest and of gymnastics in strengthening muscular tissue have for years been a universal
practice, although as a matter of fact the
mere physical exercise of singing brings intoplay an extraordinary number of muscles
that can hardly be suspected of action in conaction with the throat expansion.

It was disclosed by statistics in Italy some
years ago that vocal artists were usually long
lived and healthy, and that brass instrument
players, who bring their lungs and chest into
unusual activity, have not had a consumptive victim among them. No matter how
thin or weak the voice, children or young
people should be encouraged to indulge in
song. There can be no happler medicine, omy, self regulation and economy of main tenance, it is also evident that it labors under

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This introduction of quick revolving parts and of the several parts needed to reduce the motion from the high speed to that of the motion from the high speed to that of the low speed needed to drive the machine, leads to wear of the parts not only in the motor itself, but in the intermediam through which its power is transmitted.

The good points of the electric motor are not appreciated as they should be. The electric motor would be more extensively need if its driving shaft, or, in other words, its armature shaft, were reduced in speed. The ordinary mechanic, kni/ving that he wants only a speed of fifty revolutions a minute to drive his machine, will look with suspicion upon any power which travels at a speed of 1,500 revolutions a minute.

Another feature which acts against the introduction of the electric motor in cases where it should apparently be used is the introduction of the electric motor in cases where it should apparently be used is the introduction of the electric motor in cases where it should apparently be used is the introduction of the electric motor in cases where it should apparently be used is the introduction of the electric motor are motor would be more extensively need if the driving shaft, or, in other words, its armature shaft, were reduced in speed. The ordinary mechanic, knilling the control of this amount, but it has increased on account of the opposition of the various trading houses that have established the various trading houses that have established the unique trade of meaning the properties.

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first cost. Considering the horse power derived from it and the cost of construction, this is unnecessarily high. The influence thus exerted against the adoption of the motor by the manufacturers has done much to retard its introduction. We see no reason to prevent the construction of a low speed, moderate cost, electric motor.—Iron Age.

OLD PLAYBILLS.

Money Values Set by Buyers of Odds and

Ends on Their Fads.

About thirty persons interested in scarce playbills and other relies gathered at the auction rooms of Ellis & Shaw, in Archstreet, to assist in the sale of the treasures that formed part of the museum of W. W. Long. As a rule the playbills which were sold first brought low price, 5 and 10 cents each being the rule. One, however, of Edwin Forrest as Coriolanus, Academy of Music, 1864, with a wood cut of Forrest, brought 35 cents, and a scarce bill of the American Aquatic theatre, United States flagship Cumberland, Feb. 20, 1861, was sold for 25 cents. Mr. Charles N. Mann, the well known Philadelphia collector, was required to pay 20 cents phia collector, was required to pay 20 cents for a benefit bill of Thomas A. Cooper at the

Chestnut Street theatre in 1823.

A large number of house bills of the Chestnut and Walnut Street theatres for 1821-23 in small lots was divided between Mr. Mann and the Historical society at prices ranging from 10 to 25 cents, but Mr. Mann was required to pay 60 zents for a benefit bill of Edmund Kean, as Lear, Walnut, April 14, 1821, and 40 cents for Mr. Herbert's benefit, as Richard III, Chestnut, March 10, 1820. The latter has a wood cut of Herbert. nut Street theatre in 1823. 1890 The latter has a wood cut of Herbert, 1830. The latter has a wood cut of Herbert, a forgotten actor, probably the only one in existence. The highest price realized by any of these early bills was \$2.50 for a benefit of Joseph Jefferson, grandfather of our Joseph, in "The Rivals," Chestnut, March 24, 1819.

Mr. Thomas Donaldson was the purchaser.

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While the sale of these early Philadelphia bills was in progress two curious bills were interpolated in the catalogue which occasioned some spirited bidding. One of these was a play bill of "The Libby Prison Minstrels," Dec. 24, 1863. The performers were Union prisoners in Libby prison, and the bills were printed on the press of The Richmond Examiner. This specimen brought \$23. The other was a bill of Ford's treatre, Washington, April 14, 1861, the night of President Lincoln's a: assination. This particular bill was taken from Mr. Lincoln's box after the murder. It was sold for \$27. Its authenticity murder. It was sold for \$27. Its authenticity

was certified.

After this diversion prices again fell, and a "portrait of Billy Wright, comedian," brought only 10 cents. A so-called engraving of "Daddy" Rice as Jim Crow, Bowery, New York, 1833, brought \$1.80, and a portrait of John R. Scott was sold for 55 cents. A lithograph of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Conway was sold for the absurdly low price of 10 cents. The rest of the play bill sale calls for

was sold for the absurdly low price of to cents. The rest of the play bill sale calls for no remark.

The sale of old newspapers did not start brilliantly, a copy of The Berryville (Va.) Conservator, containing Gen. Johnston's official report of the battle of Bull Run, bring-new colv. 40 cents, while The Wincoster ing only 40 cents, while The Wincoester Gazette, Jan. 15, 1800 fetched 55 cents. Copies of The Philadelphia Evening Post, Copies of The Finadelpina Evening Foss, 1776, were sold for 30 and 35 ceuts each, Benjamin Towne, a traitor and an idiot, being the editor; of The Philadelphia Gazette, 1744, of which Benjamin Franklin was publisher and editor, \$2.25 each, and one copy of the forerunner of The Pennsylvania Copies of which Samuel Keiner was nub-Gazette, of which Samuel Keimer was publisher and editor, March 11, 1728, \$10.50. At the same time The New England Weekly the same time The New England Weekly Journal, April 27, 1728, brought only §2. Thirteen dollars was very cheap for an issue of The Charleston Mercury, Dec. 20, 1860, containing the South Carolina ordinance of secession, but 25 cents was enough for 102 war envelopes, 35 cents for a lot of war songs, 85 cents for two curious litographs, "The Battle of Bull Run" and the "Last Nith" and \$3,75 (or year 400 war envelopes.

She was a sweet faced, demure little woman, and as she sat in the ladies' waiting room of the Pennsylvania railroad, in Jersey City, more than one man had his eyes on her and wondered who she was. By and by a young man in a check suit and carrying a great deal of cheek took a circuit around and sat down beisde her. He had scarcely dropped into the seat before she gave him a sweet smile and inquired if he would please do her a great

favor.
"Ah! with all the pleasure in the world," he made haste to reply.
"I want some small change, and if you will

"I want some small change, and if you will be so kind as to take this bill and"—
"Certainly—certainly—most happy to do so," he said as he received it and started for the ticket office. He handed it in without looking at it and asked for change, but the ticket man shoved it back with the remark:
"Wonder how many more fools she will strike before her train goes?"
"What do you mean?"

"What do you mean? "Look at that bill."

It was a \$5 Confederate note: and as the It was a \$5 Confederate note; and as the young man stood staring at it with blinking eyes the ticket man added:
"You are the fifth one within two hours. She brought 'em along for just such an emergency, and the proper thing for you to do is to take a back seat and make yourself as

small as possible until your train goes."

The crushed young man did even better than that, he left the depot altogether, and his demeaner was that of a man who intended to hunt up a pile driver and let the hammer fall upon him half a dozen times.—New York Sun York Sun.

The Congo River of Today.

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From an article under the above title in The Century, by one of Stanley's former officers, we quote the following: On the Congo there are no beasts of burden, there existing merely a manual transport, the porters being the natives of the Bakongo tribe, inhabiting the cataract regions. In physique these men are slight and only poorly developed; but the fact of their carrying on their head from sixty to one hundred pounds weight twenty miles a day for sometimes six weight twenty miles a day for sometimes six their head from sixty to one hundred pounds weight twenty miles a day for sometimes is consecutive days, their only food being each day a little manioc root, an ear or two of maize or a handful of peanuts, pronounces them at once as men of singularly sound stamina. Small boys of eight and nine years old are frequently enough met carrying loads of twenty-five pounds weight.

Throughout the cataract region the general accepted money currency is Manchester cotton cloth made up into pieces of six yards each. The European cost of the cloth paid to these natives for transporting a load to Stanley Pool from Matadi, including rations,

asked the reporter, as he picked up some toothpicks after eating a lunch.

"Oh, from various places," said he. "They are made of maple wood, or should be. We get the most of our supply from New York city, Millions upon millions of them are used yearly. Why, I actually believe that some men get away with several thousand a year. They seem to think that the restaurant keeper never pays anything for them. They grab up a han-iful every time they eat a ten cent lunch. No, we can't kick—we would lose custom. So we've got to grin and hear th."—Cincinnati Time-Stap.

Isabella, the Vagabond Queen.

It is difficult to understand why the Spaniards, proud, sensitive people, should have submitted so long to a ruler whom they could not respect. Her good natured, happy golucky nature seemed to cast a charm over them; they could follow so easily all the workings of her mind, whether, with childish petulancy, she was reproaching her ministers with betraying her, or confessing with remorse she had wronged them. If her sins were open, so was her repentance. Year by year, when holy week came round, this woman who, for the other fifty-one weeks had been outraging every law, human and divine, kneeled in church for the hour together, and, been outraging every law, human and divine, kneeled in church for the hour together, and, with loud sobs and groans, proclaimed

with loud sobs and groans, proclaimed her sorrow for the past, her rosolution to make atonement for the future. Her subjects, seeing her sorrow, sorrowed too, and when Easter day arrived were as convinced as she was that a new era of her life was at hand.

The Maundy Thursday ceremony never failed to win for her hearty adherents. She washed the feet of the beggars with such manifest zeal; spoke to them such kindly, loving words; served them food as if she thought it a privilege to do so, and, at the close of the feast, cleared the table with a dexterity that showed her heart was in her work. close of the feast, cleared the table with a dex-terity that showed her heart was in her work. Her splendid robes—she always wore full court dress upon these occasions—seemed to enhance the touching humility of her atti-tude, and, although the free thinking part of the community scoffed at what they called the popish mummery of the whole affair, that we not the feeling with which the bulk of s not the feeling with which the bulk

was not the feeling with which the bulk of
the population regarded it.
One year, while she was serving at the
table, a diamond fell from her head dress on
to the plate of one of the beggars. A dozen
hands were stretched out to restore the jewel,
but the queen motioned to the man to keep
it, remarking simply: "It has fallen to him
by lot." Her generosity was unbounded; it
is not in her nature to say "no" to a beggar,
while the one point upon which she made a
firm stand against her ministers was in insisting upon her right to exercise mercy, and isting upon her right to exercise mercy, and the hardest struggle she ever had with them was apropos of a pardon granted at the re-quest of Restori.—Gentleman's Journal.

The law of deterioration from disuse of tains with the teeth, as well as with other tains with the teeth, as well as with other things. The constant and regular use of them in masticating food tends to make them continually grow harder and stronger, and better able to resist the influences that make for decay, while on the other hand, living on soft food and neglect of mastication makes them tender, softens the enamel and renders them easily susceptible to corroding effects. them easily susceptible to corroding effects

them easily susceptible to corroding effects. This is sometimes especially shown in the case of people after a long illness, who find their teeth tender and sore when they begin to return to a diet of solid hard food.

A dentist, speaking on this subject, says: "Some men have healthy teeth all their lives because they were given good, hard food during infancy. That is the period to begin to save the teeth. Mothers and nurses give children soft food, utterly ignorant in many children soft food, utterly ignorant in man; children soft food, utterly ignorant in many cases of the result. Crusts and hard stuffs should be given to children as soon as they can eat them. In this way the teeth begin to grow healthy, and gradually harden with time and use. The chewing gum girl gives her molars plenty of wholesome and unwholesome exercise. But chewing gum is not especially healthy, because only part of the teeth are used. It is in wyercise more than any are used. It is jaw exercise more than anything else. But in eating hard, wholesome food all the teeth come in contact with the substance. Tobacco chewing is not healthy for the teeth, because the tobacco is generally placed in one location, like chewing gum, and there remains, until thrown out. The southhere remains, until thrown out. ern negroes have better teeth than most any up in masticating hard food."—Good House-keeping.

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The Chael House at Westminster Abbey. The P in Which Byron Is Buried-The Last lating Place of Scott, Burns and

And s they have buried Browning in Westmister Abbey! And this, too, when it was hi earnest and often expressed desire to be lail beside his dearly loved wife in the Protestar cemetery at Florence; that lovely spot I have visited so many times, and never without envying those who, "after life's fifful fever," have such a bed for the last long sleep.

fever," have such a bed for the last long sleep.

But no, it must be in Westminister Abbey; because, being a famous poet (at least temporarily), he must have a grave among other famous felk—though the most famous poets are not there. Shakespeare is at Stratford, Miltos in St. Giles, Cripplegate; Pope at Twickenham, Byron in Huckmall-Torkard, Shelley and Keats in Rome, Wordsworth at Grasmere and Burns at Dumfries. But the company is good enough, though there is some truth in what old Handel said: "They do bury fools there"—at least as many fools as wise men.

But my objection is that Westminster, despite its glory, is a horrible charnel house, as all churches are which have long been places of sepulture. In Dean Stanley's most interesting book upon the sanctuary and mausoleum, of which he was the greatest and best custodian, there are drawings which give some faint idea of the appearance of the crypt. In these dark and dungeon like vaults the coffins are piled one upon another like plank in a lumber yard. No privacy, no order, no sanctity—nothing that we naturally associate with the grave. For there are no graves; except that the whole crypt is a grave, into which the illustrious dead are huddled, to be crowied and jostled by their illustrious predecessors. OBJECTION TO WESTMINSTER.

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Browning may well envy Shelley, Keats where the wind may woo the sod that covers them, and the sunshine brighten it, and the them, and the sunshine brighten it, and the rain bless it. He may envy any of the poets who are not in Westminster, except Byron; whose post morten residence is, if possible, more unpleasant than his own. For the ancient abbey is the center of great and glorious memories, which partly redeem the charnel house beneath; while Hucknall-Torkard has a redeeming feature whatever. Standing in house beneath; while Hucknall-Torkard has no redeeming feature whatever. Standing in the midst of the dirtiest and most unprepossessing village I have seen in England, the little old church is hopelessly ugly and dismal within and without. Yet they thrust poor Byron, who so dearly loved nature and sung its praises as no other poet has, into a wretched pit where, as the sexton told me, sixty corpses are rotting in a space probably less than twenty-five feet square. Better have him flung into the sea, which, of all nature, him flung into the sea, which, of all nature, he loved the most. Better have buried him ere he wanted to be buried, close by his

where he wanted to be buried, close by mis dog Boatswain, on the lawn at Newstead.

But there was one, and she the nearest and dearest, who was not afraid nor ashamed to follow him into this wretched pit. The countess of Lovelace—"Ada, sole daughter of my house and heart"—was by her own urgent, dying request laid by the side of the father whom she never saw after earliest integrate, whom she heave only through his fancy; whom she knew only through his books, and whom she had been taught from childhood to distrust if not to hate. Of all childhood to distrust if not to hate. Of all the tributes which have been paid to the sorely abused memory of Byron, the love of his dying daughter is incomparably the finest, the most touching, he most tender and true. Scott is more fortunate than Byron in the matter of burial, but there is room for criticism even in his case. Dryburg is a ruined abbey much larger than Melrose, but not so attractive. Why it was chosen as the last attractive. Why it was chosen as the last house of the "Wizard of the North," instead house of the "Wirard of the North," instead of "fair Melrose," which he has so gracefully immortalized, I cannot guess. But so it is, and the visitor is directed to "St. Mary's Aisle," a shattered remnant of the original building, for the object of his pilgrimage. The so called "aisle" is perhaps twenty feet long by ten wide, and faces a lovely bit of green sward as smooth and soft as velvet. There sward as smooth and soft as velvet. There is an alcove, behind a stout iron gate are four

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BURNS AND WORDSWORTH.

BURNS, we know, was not consulted as to the disposition of the body, which he was only too glad to lay aside. He was originally buried in an obscure corner of the crowded little cemetery attached to St. Michael's church, Dumfries. But when his fame began church, Dumfries. But when his fame began and the passengers were so tickled that little cemetery attached to St. Michael's church, Dumfries. But when his fame began to fill the world the people who allowed him to be dunned on his deathbed for a debt of \$35, gave the poet a "mansoleum," which Burns would have tnequivocally damned for its bad taste and pretentious ugliness. It is of light colored sanctone, octagonal in shape of perhaps fifteen or trenty feet to the top of the dome and ten or twelve from side to side. Here is another gate, strong enough for a prison, which has to be unlocked "for a consideration;" and then you see upon the floor of the prison a very large skab of somber tinted stone, bearing a very matter of fact inscription.

To find what may with truth be called an ideal grave, go to the little hamlet of Grasmere, not far from Lake Windermere, and still nearer to Rydal, where Wordsworth lived and died. The being pre-eminently "the lake region" of England (which, by the lake region of England (which, by t

Professor Dixon states that consumption can be communicated by the use of family toothbrush trays in bathrooms, the brushes thus lying with their bristles in close prox-imity affording a medium for the spread of the tubercle garma—Philadelphia Record

the Railroad Company.

"Pap" Richards, an old time conductor on the Western New York and Pennsylvania railroad, which runs through Corruplanter Indian reservation, on the Allegheny river, near Salamanca, has had some experiences in carrying Indian

carrying Indians on his train that are worth relating.

"Talk about dead beating on railroads," said Mr. Richards, "there is no living, thinking being who gives up money to a railroad company with so much heartfelt reluctance as an Indian. I have been carrying some of them on my train every day or two for the past fifteen years, and I long ago made up my mind that whenever an Indian boards my train I have a scheme of some sort to contend with. I think it is Pope who makes the statement that proud science have who makes the statement that proud science have yound the solar walk or milky way, but I am ready to gamble that proud science never had anything down finer than a Cornplanter Indian has the business of bilking his way on a railroad train. Of course I speak of the ragtag and bobtail of the Cornplanters, for there are many of these Indians who are good citizens and pay their way accordingly.

"An Indian's method of beating a conduc-

the Cornplanters, for there are many of these Indians who are good citizens and pay their way accordingly.

"An Indian's method of beating a conductor is strikingly original. Suppose him to be going up the river to Salamanca, a ride of a few hours from the reservation. He buys a ticket to the next station only, perhaps at an expenditure of ten cents. But if you expect your Indian to get off at that station that is where you are weak on the Indian strategy. The train stops, but the Indian does not budge from his seat. The hope that wells up in his heart is that the conductor will think the Indian who had the ticket for that station got off, while the Indian who did not get off has a through ticket. Nearly all of these Indians answer to the name of John, so I stop on my way through the car and say:

"John, you didn't get off at your station."

"Injun go on to next station,' he will say, and going down into his beaded purse he will fish out enough nickels and pennies to pay to that station. Arrived here he will not get off, but sit quiet and thoughtful; or perhaps when the train stops he will make an ostentations dash through the car to the platform, making a feint to get off, but will dodge into the next car and take a seat. You come around and find him sitting there as serenely as if he had been in that particular seat for a day or two.

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"'Well, John, you didn't get off at your station,' I will say.
"'Injun go to next station,' he will repeat again, and out will come the purse and the reluctant pennies will be counted out. The same thing is repeated at the next station and the next, and still again at the next, and so on during the run up to Salamanca.
"The Indian never seems to think you fathom his game. He regards it as a most subtle piece of strategy, entirely too deep for the beclouded mind of the white man. All the conductore understand John perfectly well, and he has about one chance in a milliwell and he has about one chance in a milliwell and he has about one chance in a milliwell and he has about one chance in a milliwell. the beclouded mind of the white man. All the conductore understand John perfectly well, and he has about one chance in a million of getting through on his original ten cent ticket, but he prefers to take that one chance and pay considerably more from station to station rather than buy a ticket clear through. This refers to the trip up the river. Unless the Allegheny is frozen over we rarely have the privilege of carrying John down stream. He will spend all his money at Salamanca, and a couple of slabs and the broad bosom of the Allegheny will furnish him a very congenial means of transportation home.

"It is a common sight to see John."

"It is a common sight to see John aboard a slab or two complacently floating home after one of these pleasure trips to Salamanca."— New York World.

College Athletics Have Their Value.

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Every seat in the North State street car was taken, and four or five persons were standing. One of the latter was a young woman, who stood near the middle of the car. A tall young man, rather too slim for his height from an athletic point of view, rose from his seat near the rear door and stepped forward to inform the young woman, who was looking the other way, that there was a seat for her. As he did so a man dropped into it.

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TEMPTATION OF JESUS.

LESSON VIII, FIRST QUARTER, INTER-NATIONAL SERIES, FEB. 23.

Text of the Lesson, Luke iv, 1-12-Commit Verses 1-4-Golden Text, Heb. ii, 18-Commentary by the Rev. D. M.

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1. "And Jesus, being full of the Holy Ghost, returned from Jordan." This lesson seems to follow immediately the last one, which told us of the baptism of Jesus by John in Jordan, and of the descent of the 1, 2. "And was led by the Spirit into the wilderness, being forty days tempted of the days!"

wilderness, being torty deeps wilderness, being torty deeps when they were ended, He afterward hungered." The forty days fast reminds us of the trastings of the two men who afterwards appeared with Him on the Mount of Iranse figuration. Of Moses it is written, in reference to both periods of forty days and nights when he was in the mount with God, that he did neither eat bread nor drink water (Deut. It., 9, 18), and of Elijah it is written that he went in the strength of that meal (which the angel had prepared) forty days and forty inghts unto Horeb the Mount of God (In Kings xix, 8). There is no doubt more in the forty days' fast of these wonderful three than two have yet seen or shall see till the kingdom comes; but we shall do well day by day to see no man save Jesus only (Matt. xvii, 8).

3. "If Thou be the Son of God, command this stone that it be made bread." The father of lies instinutes that perhaps He is not the Son of God, but only a mere man, just a por carpenter from Nazareth, making pretensions of being some great one, and that He had better return to his humble home or else give some token of His power.

4. "It is written that man shall not lire by bread alone, but by every word of God." This is the reply of Christ to the tempter. The outward indications were that God had failed him, but Jesus places the word of God against all other evidences and rests unmoved on what is written. Believing is better than seeing. The Word of God is more than food or raiment.

5-7. "If Thou therefore wilt worship me, all shall be Thine." The statements of these verses that the devil took him to an high mountain and shewed Him all the kingdoms of the world in a moment of time, cannot be understood or explained by us, but can be received, on the authority of the Holy Spirit, who, through the servant of God, wrote these things, and implicitly believed. The full power of the devil mill give to Antichrist that which in our lesson he offered to Christ Lofon, in Revelation, speaks of a time when the devil will give to Ant

"But I got it," said the man.

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"But I got it," for it is fellow. low's hands descended on his shoulders and he was on his feet and on the platform before he knew it.

"Conductor! conductor!" he cried, but the conductor had a far away look in his eyes and was interested in something going on down the street. The man was in the street before he had time to call out again.

The hero—for he was a hero in the eyes of all the passengers by this time—re-entered spirit and in truth. The principal Old Testa-ment word for worship is in about fifty places translated as "bowing self down," as in Gen xviii, 2; xix, 1. As there can be no sal-vation without the casting aside of self righteousness (Isa. Ixiv, 6; Tit. iii, 5), and no Christian life apart from the denial and death of self (Matt. xvi, 24; II Cor. iv, 11; Gal. ii; 20; so there can be no true worship

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The Egg Storm

How often, I wonder, the moralists and essayists lugged in, as "an apposite illustration," the fable of Columbus and his egg! But this egg story is also told—and perhaps with greater truth—of Brunelleschi, the great architect, who crowned the Duome at Florence with its great cupola. When his envious rivals protested that the work was simplicity itself he put them to silence by showing them how an egg could be made to stand upright. After all, the lesson which the ancodote conveys is just the same as that which Tennyson embodies in the well known lines:

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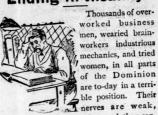
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BOB OWEN'S ADVENTURE.

DANGEROUS DIFFICULTIES OF WIN TER TRAVEL IN THE SIERRAS.

Carrying the Mail Through Snow and Ice A Case of Swim or Perish-A Plucky Dive and a Tough Struggle-Saved as by

The startling adventures of express messengers and mail carriers amid the snow capped Bierras would fill volumes. Many of these had fatal terminations, and it is but a short time since the papers of this state gave full accounts of the death of Mail Carrier Malcoln F. M. Levider expressions. colm F. McLeod, who perished while in the performance of his duty between North Bloomfield and Washington, in Nevada

county.

F. B. Whiting, a prominent attorney of Plumas county, then the proprietor of Whiting & Co.'s Feather River express, gives us the particulars of the following. He was at that time engaged in carrying the express from Oroville, in Butte county, to the various mining towns in Plumas. The tremendous floods had partially inundated the great valleys of the Sacramento, Feather and Yuba, and at the same time transformed into takes the small valleys of the mountains. This sendered travel impossible, and the people of Sendered travel impossible, and the people of Plumas were cut off from all news of the great conflict then raging between the north and the south. The eagerness for news and the high prices paid for papers made it a great object with the express companies to take more than ordinary chances in getting matter over the mountains.

During the month of January Mr. Whiting was confined by the high water for a whole

was confined by the high water for a whole week at Buck's ranch, while his faithful messenger, Bob Owen, was obliged to remain at Buckeye, some fourteen miles Buckeye, some four-teen miles over the moun-tains. Owen was a sterling son of the Pine Tree state, and realizing the great anxiety of the people to hear the latest news of the civil war, he watched for the first chance to cross the summits. The storm slightly abated, and Bob stranged his group show the pin for the the summits. The storm slightly abated, and Bob strapped his snow shoes upon his feet and his saddle pockets and mail bags upon his back and started upon his perilous trip. The long continued rains had swollen every little creek, and through these Owen was obliged to wade, for there were no bridges or foot logs across the small creeks. The water was tey cold, and poor Bob had not gone a mile till he was drenched to the skin. Slowly and wearlity he plodded on hour after hour over wearily he plodded on hour after hour over Walker's plains, past the Old Palmetto and up Scapstone hill, each mile increasing his altitude till he was nearly eight thousand feet above the sea level. The cold winds upon his wet clothing made him shiver as though with ague. Once passed Frenchman's hill his traveling was a little easier, but the day was fast disauracture and he was yet some niles from disappearing and he was yet some miles from his destination.

his destination.

Alone amid the black forests, almost doubting his ability to hold out till he could reach Buck's, he could but think of the many who had perished while crossing this high ridge of mountains. He recalled poor Bain, who had struggled so manfully; he theoretic of the protections of the protection of th thought of the unfortunate Frenchman whose tragic death had given his name to whose tragic death and given his name to the mighty peak he was then descending; he counted up the names of those who had died on this road from hunger and exposure, and said to himself if a cross marked the grave of each, as is the custom in some countries, there would be at least one for every mile of distance. The stown had now resumed its there would be at least one for every mile of distance. The storm had now resumed its fury, and Owen had to face this as he struggled along under the heavy load of express and mail. He at last reached Buck's valley and congratulated himself that a mile or two further would end his hard trip.

Of this he was heartily glad, for he was well nigh worn out from his great exertions

well nigh worn out from his great exertions and exposure all day to the storm, besides | be no chance! having to wade numberless streams of ice cold water. He crossed one raging torrent cold water. He crossed one raging torrent upon a bridge, and said to himself one more creek to cross and less than a mile to travel and I will be at Buck's. Slowly making his way, with visions of a warm supper and a bright fire awaiting him at the end of his fourney, he came within sight of the second travers. He suddenly storted then storned. He suddenly started, then stopped, nd the blood seemed to freeze in his heart.

and the blood seemed to the season.

The bridge was gone.

It was already fast growing dark, as he had been all day in making the thirteen miles from Buckeye. He knew that he would perish if he attempted to return in the night, perish if he attempted to return in the night, "That's very true," she replied, with a set at the season of th perish if he attempted to return in the night, yet there was no possibility of crossing the mad flood in front of him. Thoroughly drenched and shivering with cold, he drew forth his precious match box, thinking he might be able to start a fire and remain by it during the night. With numb and half frozen hands he opened this, only to find that he had not a single dry match.

Owen was in despair, for the alternative was presented to him of freezing upon the bank of that stream or of plunging into it and take the desperate chances of drowning. There was but little time left him for consideration. Darkness was rapidly setting down over the mountains, and he knew that if he attempted to remain where he was his name

empted to remain where he was his name attempted to remain where he was his name in the morning would be added to that of Bain, the gallant Frenchman and others whose lives had been lost. Ever mindful of the task that impelled him to peril his life, he sought to save the express and mail. Taking his saddle pockets, he therefore mounted a high rock that overhung the foaming torrent, and with a mighty effort he threw them as far as possible, hoping to land them on the opposite shore. In this he was disappointed, for they fell short and were carried away by for they fell short and were carried away by the rushing waters. The mail bags Bob was unwilling to see lost in the same manner and determined to save them or perish in the at-tempt. He tightened the strap that held them fast upon his back and prepared for what would in all probability be to him a fatal plunge. It was sheer desperation that nerved him to this, for he knew that he must

nerved him to this, for he knew that he must soon perish if he remained where he was.

Like a hero he took the braver course, drew a long breath and plunged headlong into the foaming current. In the twinkling of an eye he was carried far down the creek. It was impossible to do more than keep afloat, yet the ice cold water chilled him to the bone, while, weighted down by his heavy clothing and the load upon his back, he could scarcely keep his head above the surface. Suddenly he was swept into an eddy upon the opposite side, and, with almost the grasp of a drowning man, he caught the willows that fringed the bank and drew himself ashore. His guardian angel had not deserted him in his hour of need, and, sending up a short but fervent prayer of thanks, Owen started at once for his haven of rest.

for his haven of rest.

The distance was less than a mile, but in his drenched clothes, exposed to the bitter blasts of a winter storm, and almost expenses the state of the day, it hausted by the great exertions of the day, it was a long and weary distance to the ex-

pressman.
The lights at last broke upon him, and now have ing forward he reached his goal, where warmth, food and kind hearted friends

waited him.

On the following day Mr. Whiting and Owen reached Quincy with their precious load of letters and papers, but it was not until the following summer that the saddle pockets of express matter were recovered, they having been washed some miles down the stream.—San Francisco Examiner.

SALMAGUNDI.

Crisp Cuttings Concerning Comical and

CONTENT.

I pushed the wavy, goiden locks
From off her forehead fair,
And where a frown had lately been
A kiss I printed there. I held the tresses shining fair

A MATTER OF FASHION. "The shopping district seems unusually

"Yes. You know the bustle has gone out." GIVING IT TO HIM STRAIGHT.

-"What are you going to give up for Lent, Miss Rosebud?" asked Charley de "You!" replied the young woman.

Little Flaxen Hair—Papa, it's raining. Papa (somewhat annoyed by work in and)—Well, let it rain. Little Flaxen Hair (timidly)—I was going

—Giles—Is your job permanent? Merritt—I should say it was. I'm ecretary of a committee that is raising

-A .- You are so modest I don't see how

you ever came to propose to your wife.

B.—That was very simple. I said nothing, and she said nothing, and so one word brought on another.

-Clerk (at the perfume counter, handing out a bottle)-This, madam, is the "Sweet-By-and-By.

Lady (smelling it)—Umph! It may be sweet by-and-by, but it's awful now.

-"Parish is very much in love with that

"Why doesn't he marry her ?" "He has his misgivings as to whether she is able to support him."

THE OLD, OLD STRIFE. "That baby's always meddling with things. I never saw such a child!" said Mrs. Younghusband.
"Takes after your mother, I guess," quoth Mr. Y. And then the fun began.

OPELESS OPACITY. -"Tee-hee!" laughed Cynicus.
"What's the matter?" quer "Why, your debating club is to discus-

'Was Bacon a high liver?'"
"Well, what's the joke?" THE CURSE OF MUSCOVY. Young Petrovitch Paviovsky Paul His beauteous Sophie sees, And swift adoring doth he fall At the fair Russian's knees.

But Petrovitch Pavlovsky Paul In sudden terror fices;
For he was not prepared at all
For the fair Russian's sneeze.

-Miss Pricilla (aged 40)-No, Edith I don't believe in these early marriages. You'll have time enough to get sick of a man if you stay single for ten years longer! Edith—Time enough, auntie, but may-

TIME AND OPPORTUNITY.

COULDN'T SUPPLY HIM. Tramp—It is needless to ask you the question madam. You know what I want. Lady—Yes, I know what you want badly, but I've only one har of soap in the house, and the servant is using it. Come again some other time.

"That's very true," she replied, with a sarcastic tinge in her voice; "but a soft question doesn't."

-Mrs. Jones - Good-morning, Mrs. mith. Where's Mr. Smith? Smith. Where's Mr. Smith?

Mrs. S.—He's gone away to visit his relatives.

Mrs. J.—Do you think he will get through this year?

PROGRESSING. -Simkins-You remember our

friend, Bell? Timkins—Certainly.
Simkins—He has developed into

Sinkins—You don't say so!
Sinkins—Yes, he is a clerk in a tele-

-"I think that Mr. Sumway is the most disagreeable man I ever met," complained

Sue.

"Why?" asked Mamie.

"He was reading in the parlor, and I was playing. I stopped and said, 'Does music annoy you while reading, Mr. Sumway?'

No,' said he "music never annoys me, Miss Sue.' I just detest him. So there!"

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A Stratford girl has made a wager with a young man to whom she is engaged that he cannot raise a respectable mustache within four months. If she wins it will not be by a close shave.

a close shave.

Mr. Job Scales, of Toronto, writes: Ap short time ago I was suffering from Kidney Complaint and Dyspepsia, sour stomach and lame back; in fact, I was completely prostrated and suffering intense pain. While in this state a friend recommended me to try a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery. I used one bottle, and the permanent manner in which it has cured and made a new man of me is such that I cannot withhold from the proprietors this exwithhold from the proprietors this ex-pression of my gratitude."

The people who go sleigh riding ought to have a killing time. Bald-headed man (awfully conceited)— wonder what makes me so attractive! Candid Friend—Go ask the flies.

If love is blind there is no use wasting ga

TEMPERANCE NOTES. There are more than 5,000 licensed saloons HAIR MAGIO.

n Chicago. New York State has 292 breweries, 71 of

which are in New York city. It is stated that 93 per cent. of all chil-

dren taking the temperance pledge remain faithful to their early vows. Hutchinson, Kansas, is a city of some 18,000 population. A marshal, his deputy and two policemen do the police duty for e city.

Governor Stanford's California vineyard has made 800,000 gallons of wine the past year, and he has 180,000 gallons of brandy in bond. Edinburgh Town Council has carried a

esolution that no alcoholic liquors will in future be provided at municipal conver-A total of 1,374 Young Women's Christian Temperance Unions, with 31,657 regular and

6,790 honorary members was reported to the recent convention. The British national drink bill for 1888 mounted to £124,611,439—£3 6s. 8d. per head of the population. Ten years ago the rate was £4 4s. ld.-[London Fireside

The temperance people in Melbourne are anxious to have a hospital to be conducted on the same lines as the London Temperance Hospital. They are pressing the Government to grant them land for the erection of a house of healing in which ro alcohol shall be used.

One of the Chicago city judges states that of all the boys in the reform school at Pontiac, Illinois, and in the various re-formatories in the city, 99 per cent. are the children of parents who died through drink, or became criminals through the same cause.

Extract from a letter of a teacher in New Mexico: "We have a W. C. T. U. here of Mexico: "We have a W. C. T. U. here of fourteen members, some of the Mexican women walking six miles to the meeting. No one realizes more than these women the terrors of intemperance, and they seem so glad that something is being done to ameliorate their condition, although many of the women drink, too. I have organized a Loyal Temperance Legion among my little folk, which they enjoy very much. I have been trying to get the saloons to close, but been trying to get the saloons to close, but cannot tell how it will turn out yet."

Russia is at present in the throes of a temperance campaign, which the Central Government does not seem to be seconding to any extent, if one may judge by the news from the Department of Kiew. In that section 36 villages sent petitions to St. Petersburg demanding the abolition of all Petersburg demanding the abolition of all liquor-selling establishments within their boundaries. Thirty-five of these petitions were rejected, but the 36th being accepted, the inhabitants of the village thus deprived of its drink turned out and beat to death the man who had drawn up the petition. They said he had been altogether too

County superintendents of public schools in Minnesota have during the past year re-ceived reports of the second school year under scientific temperance laws. Henry G. Blanch, teacher of Concord village G. Blanch, teacher of Concord village school, writes the superintendent of that county: "My observations upon the subject are that temperance hygiene has become of as much, or even more, importance than many other branches of school work, and the majority of the parents wish their children to be thoroughly instructed in it. As to its educational value, I consider it of more importance to the boy who sider it of more importance to the boy wh is in danger of contracting the habit of chewing or smoking, or the use of intoxi-cating drinks, than is United States history or arithmetic even."

The Holy Ghost Plant.

There are present in the Horticultural hall in the park several rare and beautiful plants in bloom, notably "the Holy Ghost plant" and some tropical palms. The Holy Ghost or dove plant blossom is so called from the flower having the appearance of a dove with expanded wings hovering over the stalk. The flowers are white and open from the end of a love green ctalk. flowers are white and open from the end of a long green stalk. They are very fragrant and beautiful.

The traveler's tree, a native of Madagascan is a species of palm with long leaves, used by the natives to cover their huts. The peculi-

is a species of palm with long leaves, used by the natives to cover their huts. The peculiarity of this tree is the shape of the leaves, which form a sort of receptacle near the stalk, where water is held in a pure state for at least a month. The water settles in the base of the tree, and travelers, knowing this, eagerly tap for it when they cannot find any springs. A very rare species of orchidis also in bloom, called the pitcher plant. This is a sort of mottled red, and the cup of the blossom will hold water.

The tropical palms are all in bloom, and some species have fruit on one side and flowers on the other, giving them a very curious appearance. The largest African palm has luxuriant bunches of fruit, which look like purple grapes in bunches tied together. The Australian palms are in all stages of blossom and fruit. The Mexican vines are all full of fruit, and the variegated Crotons from the tropics are very luxuriant. The India rubber trees are probably the largest in the country.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

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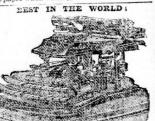
The best gift that can be conferred upon man is the treasure that cannot be purchased because it is not a marketable commodity because it is not a marketable commodity—a loyal and loving wife. She is ever by a man's side to pilot him among and through the shoals and rocks that beset life's critical journey. She is ever willing to sacrifice her own comfort. She is ever ready to cheer and encourage. She is always anxious to let in sunshine and happiness. She is constantly planning to save his resources and subserve his comfort. In fact, there is no limit to what she can do and will do if she is given the opcomfort. In fact, there is no limit to what she can do and will do if she is given the opportunity. Beside her all possessions pale into insignificance. Money cannot bring the joy that a loving wife can bring. Ambition cannot satisfy the highest demands of the nature so thoroughly as a loyal wife. Fame and bonor are gewgews, empty baubles, when placed side by side with the substantial comforts that cluster around the happy fireside. Who make the happy firesides? Can men make them? No: because a man is in no sense a home maker. He is below the birds of the air in this respect. Only a woman, an of the air in this respect. Only a woman, an affectionate and true woman, can complete man's life and make him truly happy.—Master Geoffrey in Detroit Free Press.

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