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-- JOE AND HIS TEACHERS. --

The Enfant Terrible Discusses School Exploits and Dilates on His Instructors and Their

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onter the wrinkle, 'cause when she stared it made 'em uncomfortable.

"One teacher was a mark. She

"Who wrote that piece about me in aturday's Planet?"

It was Joe's voice. You couldn't histake it. Me unceremoniously in-

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mistake it. Me unceremoniously invaded the sanctum an an early hour Monday last and assumed the full dignity of an outraged citizen. A slouch felt hat, possibly six or seven sizes too large, covered his head and ears and his blue overalls-of adult preportions but abbreviated under-pinning-dangled majestically like the folds of a skirt dancer around his muddy shoes.

"I knows who wrote it, anyhow," he remarked, when the staff showed no inclination to all speak at once. "It was one of those five-cent shine fellows that's been tryin' right along to beat me down. He's got boots worn down on the sides from dodgin' and wheelin' round side corners, and he's orful pigeon-toed."

Joe stopped for breath and a curious one asked how he knew it was he who was alluded to in the article.

"My brother told me. He says, 'Joe, that's you. It says you're allus meddlin' in other people's business — got you spotted.' Just's though the feller that wrote that wasn't meddlin in mine. But, say, I don't want to raise no rumpus 'bout it."

And Joe smiled suggestively and

appeared surprised when he found his cigarette box empty.

"Cap" Sullivan couldn't have "tum bled" quicker, nor Stratton 'ponied up" more effectually. Joe flicked the ashes from his cigarette before he again spoke.

'Taint loaded ?" he queried.

"Bettter not be. I saw the school kids loadin' butts on April fool daymade me think of it."

"Joe," questioned the philanthropic editor, "why don't you go to school? And then he added, diplomatically, "A smart boy like you would do well at

Joe exhaled the smoke slowly with the abandon of a connoisseur before replying. "Nope," he said, "school aint in my line. I tried it once with several teachers, but they couldn't make good no how. I don't think the most of these teachers is onter their job. They's got orful funny ideas, some of 'em—it's sorter fun to

size em up.
"Say, when I went to school last the
teacher had me sit right up at the
front of the class at the table. It's a great place for watchin the teacher. When fellers come round to see the class I guess they wondered bout me sittin right up there and tryin' to look like an angel - now, the next one—and lookin

"Once there was a couple of fellers

"Once there was a couple of fellers come in and was lookin' around. One of 'em sees me sittin' there and says somethin' bout the model boy up at the front, bein' so good. I didn't say nothin', but I spects that wasn't the right reason for me sittin' there."

"And did you like your teacher?"
Joe was asked!

"Oh, some of 'em was fair. I had had several teachers, mostly women folks and girls. There was one man once and he chased me one day. I tripped him up—but I guess he got even, all right. But teachers and as up-to-date as they tries to make out. I knows, 'cause I used to watch 'em."

"What was the trouble, Joe?"

"Oh, no perficiller trouble. But,

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"What was the trouble, Joe?"

"Ch, no pertickler trouble. But, say, of all the teachers I ever had only two amounted to shucks. They wasn't bad and I kep' out of rows jus' to kinder please 'em. But I guess even them wasn't cryin' mone when I left.

"I likes to watch teachers. They's orful funny at times. One teacher I ence had was a freak. She didn't look like nobody and I guess nobody 'd care 'bout lookin' like her. I jus' called her Old Mother 'cause the name suited her as bad as anything else. She couldn't pertickler teach — but then, she couldn't pertickler do anything, and I guess teachin' was easiest. It allus looks to me that way. When she spoke to me I'd never hear—it was just fun to see her get excited and repeat.

"Say, I had 'nother teacher that was just keen fun. She was stuck on her shape, she was, and she'd always be fussin' with herself tryin' to look cute. One time when nobody'd be lookin' she'd practice grinnin' and noddin' and lookin' up like they do in stories. Then she'd fuss with her dress and fix it and fix it over again. She tried walkin' like this"—and Joe paraded, gathering the surplus of his overalls in lieu of skirts and mimmicking the short steps and swing of a modern fashion plate.

"Nother teacher I once had was great. She'd try to look at you just like a mesmerist, you know those fellers what shows at the opera house.

If our judges are to continue to required, without extra compensation. If, in order to secure their services in this way, higher salaries are required, it would be better to take ministers. their average yearly receipts from the fixed salaries, than to let things retem, under which the governments from Manitoulin. of the day hand out to the judges in the form of commissionerships, extra compensation, is decidedly bad. We do not say that abuses have resulted, but they are highly liable to result when the amount of a judge's of a most serious crime? income depends on the favors of the powers that be .- Toronto Weekly Sun.

Judges' Incomes

weren't perlite to stare.

"It got to be a habit with her and she liked it. I got onto her quick. When she got, her lamps on me, I'd just throw my head right back and look straight at her. Then she looked pleased. She's says-kinder to herself—'there's a boy that's honest and nice.' Ana 'course she was right. I felt sorry for the kids that wasn't onter the wrinkle, 'cause when she The first steamboat plied the Hud-

guard is 115,740.

Stand Up, Mr. Johnston

In his ferocious cross-examination of erve on commissions, it would be well Mr. Gamey, Lawyer Johnston made to provide that they shall serve, when frequent reference to the villainous, dishonest and dirty nature of the work Mr. Gamey had done in his enendeavor to get evidence against the

Mr. Johnston was apparently horrified that a man should be guilty of such shameful work. He was full of main as they are. The present sys- righteous indignation against the man

All of which suggests a question. Did you, Mr. Johnston, in your capacity as a lawyer, ever defend a client whom you were quite sure was guilty-whom you knew to be guilty

And if you did, are you proud of the dirty business ?- Hamilton Specta-

Woman suffrage holds four states The total strength of the national in the far west-Wyoming, Idaho, Colorado and Utah.

THE DAYS OF AULD LANG SYNE.

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

Extracts from The Planet of 1853,- , its appearance.'

The People's Line advertises a sne cial rate, per the Ploughboy, to Detroit for the Fourth of July celebra-

An advt. in The Planet calls attention to the fact that there is a place called Windsor and gives a description of where it is located, in case one night go by it without seeing it.

The postmaster publishes a list of

This is J. M. Jones, who still reides, as then, on Head street, in North Chatham, and still carries on his business of gunsmith.

On Tuesday last two small boys, sons of Louis Brouilette, Dover East, one eight and the other nine years of age, were fishing in the Thames. when one of them fell in the water, and the other little fellow nobly ran to his rescue. Both were, unfortunately, drowned.

Dennis Hickey, of Raleigh township, secures 15 pounds of fleece from a ram

Tenders will be received for enlargement of Wesleyan Methodist Church until August 1. Information can be had from R. O. Smith and S. Hadley.

Richard Tyhurst advertises his mill at the village of Ridgetown for sale.

The Great Western Railroad lets the contract for two steamers, one to be built by Mr. Sheckaluna, of St. Catharine A son of the shipbuilder is employed at the Chaplin Wheel Works.

Four-horse coaches are running to London at this time. It was possible to arrive in London the same day if the coach started early enough.

Dolsen & Carter advertise a dry goods and grocery business

David Glendenning writes to his fa-ther, Capt. Glendenning, of this town, from Australia.

Honorables L. T. Drummond, Dr. John Rolph and Malcolm Cameron ad-dress political meetings.

Capt. E. S. Stone, of the bark Morgan, arrives in the town with the news of a bloody fight between Mor-mons and a number of villagers. The Captain had rescued a number of the Mormons from their assailants. Mormons were quite seriously wound-

The new home of Dr. Cross was tatally destroyed by fire August 1.
Loss \$1,500. No insurance.

A dead soldier was found in ship's cargo by wharfmen who were unloading the ship Columbus.

The Geo. Moffatt, Mr. Waddell's new vessel, made its first appearance August 4th, at Mr. Rankin's dock. The Geo Moffatt left the following Thursday for Montreal.

The First of August colored celebration is spoiled by a downpour of rain. WHY NOT NOW?

August 12th issue announces a game of cricket to be played with the London Crieket Club. Chatham won the game hands down, making 55 more runs in one innings than the London club did in the two. The score stood, Chatham in one innings 138, and London in two innings 83.

In a militia order, about the mid-dle of August, Major William A. Mo-Crae was appointed Lieutenalt-Col-onel, vice Woods, placed on the re-tired list.

The Chatham and Camden Plank Road Company held a meeting of shareholders and directors and directors for the ensuing year were elected as follows:—A McKellar, Samuel Arnold, Reeve of Chatham township; Wm. Dolsen, James Burns and Wm. Northwood. A. P. Salter was appointed engineer of the company. John F. Delmage was secretary.

Odds and Ends.

It takes a sharp tongue to make sutting remarks.

Persons with blue eyes are rarely affected with color blindness.

Those who show the least considera-tion for others usually expect the most for themselves.

She says she shuddered when he asked her for her hand.

But why?

Well, you see, he's a surgeon and it was so suggestive.

The longer I live, sighed the sage, and the more I learn, the more firmly am I convinced that I know absolutely nothing!

I could have told you that twenty-five years ago, said his wife, but I knew it would be of no use.

"We have been shown a new rifle, manufactured by Mr. Jones, of this town, which, for its style of finish and material, we have seldom seen equalled. The barrel is of cast steel, and the owner informs us that its shooting qualities are fully equal to manufactured by Mr. Jones, of this town, which, for its style of finish



The Lighthouse.

Amid the sea a tower of stone, In sunshine and in storm, Reposes in its strength alone, A solitary form.

A steadfast form, though wild the night, Its calm, unflinching eye Greets with a bright and cheering light The ships that pass it by.

Its foot is firm where surges shock;
With never-wearying care
It silent marks the hidden rock
For all who venture there.

Bits of Science.

Sleepers made of earthenware are used on some of the railroads in

Mining companies of the United States Last year paid \$150,000,000 in

The first newspaper printed in the United States was published in Boston on Sept. 25, 1790.

Electric tramways have been introduced in Calcutta, and will soon be introduced in Bombay.

uncalled-for letters. The post office advertisement says,-Mail for the east and west during navigation leaves Chatham at 8 a. m., daily.

Attempts were made to rob the post office without success.

SATURDAY, APRIL 18.

JOHNSTON'S MEMORY.

Despatches from the Gamey-Stratton investigation report the following

Judge Falconbridge — Mr. Whitney's letter was written on September 19 and not on the 17th.

Mr. Johnston — Oh, two days' difference in five weeks is not a matter of importance.

And yet this Mr. Johnston K. Co.

And yet this Mr. Johnston, K. C., who says that a lapse of memory on his part of a day or two in five weeks is not a matter of importance is the same Mr. Johnston who lor several days has been trying to impress upon the judges and the country at large the grave importance to be attached to the fact that Mr. Gamey cannot remember within five or ten minutes occurrences which took place seven or eight months ago.

THEIR OPPORTUNITY.

Capt. Sullivan and his colleagues Hon. Messrs Ross Gibson Latchford. Dryden and Stratton, are accused of having conspired to bribe one Mr. Gamey, the Tory member-elect for Manitoulin, points out the Hamilton These gentlemen, being still untried, are innocent in the eye of the law, and their innocence is affirmed by their party press and by their friends.

It is not pleasant for any man-par ticularly an innocent man-to stand accused of conspiracy to bribe, and as innocent men Capt. Sullivan and his colleagues must be exceedingly anxious to show their innocence to the public. They must be exceedingly anxious to have the truth spread before the people, and they are in a position to state the truth and the whole truth.

Our esteemed contemporary the Ottawa Citizen explains in the following article how they may do that: how they may clear themselves of the charges made by Mr. Gamey and restore themselves to the confidence of the people of the province:

"There is a privision in the criminal law of Canada, introduced not very long ago, under which a defendant accused of an offense may go into the witness box and give evidence in his own behalf. It is a very popular provision with innnocent men because it enables them to tell their version of the case to the jury and to pledge their oath that they are innocent of the charge. It is very unpopular with guilty men because, while they might be sufficiently lacking in honesty and principle to go into the box and swear they were innocent when they were guilty, it further exposes them to cross-examination, and the prosecuting counsel is liable to surprise them into nasty admissions or succeed in entangling them in awkward contradictions, which, of course, tell severely against them with the jury. But an innocent man has nothing to fear that the "Honorable" Mr. Stratton

Robert Roswell Gamey, a member of the legislature, with active participation or complicity in the crime of attempting to bribe a member of the legislature. That is a crime under the criminal code of Canada with a pen alty of fourteen years' imprisonment attached to it. Hon, J. R. Stratton is accused of being directly implicated in it; Hon. G. W. Ross, Hon. Messrs. Gibson, Latchford and Dryden are charged as accomplices. It is to be presumed that as innocent men the reputations of these gentlemen are as dear to them as that of the average defendant against whom an offense i wrongfully alleged. It has been stated that as defendants they will not go into the witness box, the popular impression being that a defendant is seused from going on the stand. That is quite correct. A defendant is excused from giving evidence lest he might criminate himself and the law does not require him to do that. But an innocent man is in no danger of criminating himself, and the law provides that an innocent defendant may go on the stand and give evi dence in his own behalf by swearing

"It is charged that Hon. J. R. Stratton bribed Mr. Gamey, M. L. A., and that Hon. Messrs. Ross, Gibson, Latchford and Dryden-in fact all the mem bers of the cabinet-were privy to the transaction. It is not too much for the public to expect that these genen will take advantage of a very excellent provision of the law and go apon the stand and swear that they re innocent. it will appeal to everyone as one of the strongest measures which could be taken by these gentlemen to clear themselves of the charge If they are innocent. It is the sort of wrongfully accused, should seize upon with alacrity.

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"On the contrary, if these gentlemen refuse to go upon the stand to clear tehmselves it will not be an unfair inference that they prefer to take advantage of the rule that a person ac cused of an offense is excused from giving evidence lest he criminate him-

With all due respect to the yearnngs of the Banner, it begins to look, after all, as though Gamey may be able to escape the penitentiary.

His reverence, of the Globe, must see the sad result of having an honest reporter identified with his pa-

The methods of the Sullivan-Ross Government, as revealed by the investigation, are no source of pride to our fair Province.

It was Stratton, a minister of the crown, who tried to induce a reporter to be guilty of forgery. And it was a newspaper reporter who refused to

And now we have it, on the sworn

CHURCH CHIMES

Hours of Service. Hours of Service
Christ Church—II a.m.; 7 p.m.
First Presbyterian—II and 7.
Holy Trinity—II a.m.; 7 p.m.
St. Joseph J. R. C.—8.30, 10.30, 7.30.
Victoria: Ave. Methodist—II a.m.; 7 p.m.
Park St. Methodist—II a.m.; 7 p.m.
Seventh Day Adventists—3 and 7.
Latter Day Saints—7 p.m.
Campbell A.M.E.—II a.m.; 7.45 p.m.
First Baptist—II a.m.; 7.30 p.m.

International Bible Lesson for To-Morrow—"The Law of Love"— Rom. 13, 7-14—A Temperance Lesson.

Golden Text-"Love worketh no ill to his neighbor; therefore love is the fulfilling of the law." A Christian, a model citizen, Chris

A Christian, a model citizen, Christian citizenship, as well as social and personal purity and integrity, are the fruits of the Spirit.

V. 1-2-Rendering to all their due we would owe no man anything, save love, a debt that always remains. The Christian pays his taxes and customs duties, and renders due revenue

St. John's A. U. M. P. Church ser-ices to-morrow as follows: At 11 a m., Scripture lesson and preaching by the pastor, Rav. A. B. Selvey, after which general class will follow. Sun-day school at 3 p. m. 7 p. m., seng service and prayer meeting and preaching by the pastor.

J. W. Humphrey's Bible Class for ladies meets every Sunday afternoon at three o'clock in the wing of the Victoria Ave. Methodist Church.

Victoria Ave. Methodist Church.

Christ Church confirmation class will meet in the S. S. Hall on Wednesday evening next at 8 o'clock.

Re-organized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints—Freaching as usual at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

The Park St. Young Men's Club rooms are open on Tuesday evenings.

The Victoria Ave. Epworth League meets on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

The regular weekly prayer service will be held at St. Andrew's church on Wednesday evening at 8.

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Class meeting in connection with
the A. U. M. P. Church is held every

Tuesday evening.

Christian Eadeavor in Campbell A.

M. E. Church to-morrow evening at

The Park St. Sunday School, Bible Classes and Young Men's Club will-meet at 3 p. m. to-morrow.

First Presbyterian Church Sunday to-morrow afternoon at three

Park St. League to-morrow evening,

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IN WHALL

I'll forgive April-for the past if she will only make the future days like to-day.

If the rainy weather keeps on, Hugh Macaulay will find his Ark become a popular place.

There is a good deal of liquid in the city bars. Perhaps that is why they are closed so tight on Sunday. The Banner will find it a difficult

The city hotels are keeping their bars religiously closed on Sunday. How do I know? That's my busi-

If that weather, at the beginning of

-:- SATELLITE •+++++++++++++++++++++

task to convince the average boy that the Thames water is not fit to swim

I am waiting till after the license commissioners meet on May 1st. Per-haps after that I can enjoy my Sunday's Sunday again.



evidence of a Toronto Globe reporter, and honor to rulers and superiors. But hat the "Honorable" Mr. Stratton what is due to such as Nero, an idola- Miss Adele Martin. that the "Honorable" Mr. Stratton tried to induce him to alter Gamey's takes advantage of this wise provision of the law.

"The investigation by royal commission now in progress in Toronto is not a criminal court procedure, but Premier Ross and several members of his "dirty" work.—Hamilton Spectable Robert Roswell Gamey, a member of the law, that the "Honorable" Mr. Stratton tried to induce him to alter Gamey's trous tyrant?

V. 9-10—The positive "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself" contains all these negative thou shalt nots, for such love fulfills all.

V. 11, 12, 13—The ten virgins slept and the darkness of fulless necessary in the darkness of prevailing sin, otherwise, iniquity abounding, the love of many waxes cold. Christians are children of the light, and put on the armor of light to tried to induce him to alter Gamey's trous tyrant?

What is due to such as Nero, an idolatious tyrant?

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Culinary Conceits

When broiling fish, flour it before putting into the wire broiler.

Revive slices of stale bread by steam ing rather than serve toast too often. If mutton chops are rubbed over with lemon juice before broiling, their flavor will be much improved.

Make snow cake with arrowroot flour, and you will be surprised at the improvement over that made with ordi A nice sandwich to serve with after-

noon tea is made with preserved ginger drained and chopped and moistened Rice cooked in milk instead of water has a much richer flavor. It must be watched closely while cooking, as it

will burn quickly. Boil equal quantities of white potatoes and yellow turnips together and mash lightly with butter and rich milk. This is an old American dish and is very good.

Chop any left over meat fine, add salt and pepper and a well beaten egg. Form into balls, pour a little melted butter over each and bake in the oven until brown. Serve with a tomato

The reason why sausages burst while cooking is that they contain too great an allowance of breadcrumbs. Boil them for a minute or two before you fry them, and you will find the annoy-

He who lives but for himself lives but for a little thing.—Barjand. Happy the man who can endure with equanimity the highest and low-est fortune.

Sermons are theories until they are tried. No one has any right to criti-cise their worth until he has tested them.

abounding, the love of many waxes cold. Christians are children of the light, and put on the armor of light and walk in the light, in fellowship with God, not fellowship with revelling and drunkenness, chambering and and wantonness, strife and jealousy, but instead put on the Lord Jesus Christ, not making arrangements and excuses to gratify sin and self to clothe us in garments of damnation, not salvation; rather let us be filled with the Spirit, and have the Lord clothe Himself in our humanity.

"Ask and receive that your joy may be full."

be full." 1 1 1 1 1 Church Notes The services in the First Presbyter-

ian Church to-morrow will be ducted by the pastor, Rev. W.

Christ Church—Sunday after Easter—Rev. R. McCosh will conduct the services and preach on both occasions. Rev. Dr. Battisby will conduct both services in St. Andrew's church to-

Both services in Park St. Methodist Church to-morrow will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. G. H. Cobbledick, M. A., B. D.

The rector, Rev. T. Beverley Smith will conduct the services and preach in Holy Trinity Church to-morrow at both services. The officers and men of the 24th Regiment will attend the morning service.

A. W. Torrie, of Toronto, will occupy the pulpit of the William St. Baptist Church Sunday. He will also teach the Bible class in the af-

ternon.

Services will be held in the Saints' Auditorium, near Aberdeen bridge, at the usual hours to-morrow.

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

The nestor Ray T. H. Henderson

The pastor, Rev. T. H. Henderson, R. A., will preach in the Campbell A. M. E. Church to-morrow morning on "The Holy One Incorruptible," and in the evening on "The Grand Attain-

Christ Church Sunday School meets to-morrow afternoon at 3. Christ Church Young People's Society will meet in the S. S. Hall Monday evening at a quarter to eight. St. Andrew's Church Sunday School and Hible Class to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

The Easter music in Christ Church and Holy Trinity Church, which was so thoroughly enjoyed, will be repeat-ed, as follows:— CHRIST CHURCH.

Morning. Christ Our Passover-Schilling Gloria-Schnecker, Kyrie-Nevin. Gloria-Tibi. Laus-Tibi. Solo-Miss McKellar. Quartette-Easter Bells.

Evening. Gloria-Schnecker. Giorna—Schnecker.
Magnificat.—Schnecker.
Nunc Dimitis—Reid.
Quartette.
Anthem—Praise Ye Jehovah. Solos,
Miss McKellar and M. Frank Dunk-

HOLY TRINITY.

Morning. Te Deum—Jackson.
Jubilate—Jackson.
Anthem—See Now the Altar.
Offertory Duett—Misses Smith and

. Evening. Cantate—Bridgewaters.
Deus—Bridgewater.
Anthem—Abide With Me.
Offertory Solo—James Trotter.

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CHATHAM ONT

Lightning may not strike twice in the same place but, judging by those twin Shamrock disasters, the wind

I move that the Bungalow on the eems to be to hold the clubs to

Chatham is a real temperance town on Sunday, You can't get anything to drink for love or money. London, Hamilton, St. Thomas and Windsor lease copy.

No one for a moment supposes that the new law, which outs off two liquor licenses in this city, has any-thing to do with the city hotels clos-ing their bars so tight on Sunday.

A new election must be due. T. L. Pardo has donated \$5 to the C. C. I. Coming events cast their shadow before, but Gamey helps the coming events out in a wonderful manner.

The Banner man shouldn't register any objections to the water of the Thames. He could take a dip in it without the water making any tangible impression on his hide. The St. Mary's town council wants five-inch tires on the vehicles on its street.—Hamilton Spectator.

That may be all right, but what part of the street is the vehicle?

The Governor-General is coming just at the right time. A large number of citizens are contemplating making an effort to win Mayor McKeough's landscape gardening prize and the Governor-General will be here before they get tired of their job.

I wender how the football Club and the Cricket Club will agree when they get in that little Bangalow building. They never could harmonize on the Park. The neighbors across the river will think that there is another production of "Cats in our back yard."

I have been told that a one dellar American bill is excellent as a cleaner of eye glasses. Will some of my wealthy friends kindly lend me a bill for a few days for this excellent purpose? What does a dollar bill look like anyway? It would perhaps make no difference to the men of Chatham if the fountain on the market were made useful, but the horses would appreciate it. The men might, too,—on Sun-

A Chatham newspaper man re-marked that he stayed at the Strute-vant House, on a recent trip to New

York.

"Why did you stay there in partic-lar !" queried the innocent one.

"Well, you know all the actors stayed there and I am a bad actor," was the nonchalant reply of the pa-per man.

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rsday, April 2nd, was a rego Canada Business College

business houses in the city. Formons at \$45 to \$60 per month are getting quite common. A recent call offered \$80 per month for a first-class Steaggrapher. Does it not pay to attend the best? College re-opens after Easter on Tuesday, April 14. Now is the best time to enter. For catalogue address, D. McLachlan & Co., Chatham Oat,

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In the matter of the a Aubrey Osborne Little, Richard S. Little, late Chatham and County of the care of the County of Kent, spinste THOMAS SCU of the city of Chathan the applicant.

Dated the second day 1883.

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In The Surrogate Court of the County of Kent

Uounty of Kent

In the matter of the guardianship of Aubrey Osborne Little, infant child of Richard & Little, late of the City of Chatham and County of Kent, engineer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that after the expiration of twenty days from the first publication of this notice, application will be made to the Surrogate Court of the County of Kent, for a grant of letters of guardianship of the above named infant to Charlotte Belle Bolton of the City of Chatham, in the County of Kent, spinster.

THOMAS SCULLARD, of the city of Chatham, Solicitor for the applicant.

Dated the second day of April, A. D., 1883.

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EXPERTS ON PAPER.

EFFORT TO IDENTIFY ANONY. MOUS LETTERS.

Paper and Envelopes in the Gamey Correspondence Similar to That Used in Mr. Stratton's Office-Exclusion of Evidence About Appenses With Many Witnesses.

Toronto, April 18. - There were everal important features at the Gamey investigation yesterday. One of these indicated that the case would be considerably shortened. At the opening Chancellor Boyd suggested that they might get along a little faster. Later all evidence in corroboration of Mr. Gamey's testinony as to the approaches made to him last August was ruled out, and the counsel on both sides intimated that the attendance of a number of witnesses would no longer be necessary On the other hand, there may be few days' delay should the Lieutenant-Governor die. Another feature was the identification by means of watermarks of the paper on which certain anonymous letters to Mr. Gamey were written as the same as that of certain acknowledged documents from Mr. Stratton's office. The bear ing of this, however, was weakened by the admission that such paper was not made exclusively for the Governmen but was sold to the public generally The attendance was smaller than usual, indicating a falling off in interest, but among those present were Hon. Raymond Prefontaine and Mr. Geo. D. Grant, M.P.

The Crossin piano factory episode was wound up with the testimony Mr. James Arthur Kinney, the third of the law students who were concealed to overhear the conversation with Sullivan. According to Kinney, Sullivan, in the course of the conversation, said that a good many people did not like Davis, and would like to see him defeated in North York, only that the Government's majority was so small, stantially the same as that of the

The opening of the cross-examin tion by Mr. Johnston was as to whether he was proud or ashamed of his

Call it What You Like.

"You went there to play the part of an informer, a spy?" asked Mr. John-

"Call it what you like," said Mr. Kinney, as yet unruffled, and further questions of that character followed with pretty much the same result. Requests, however, to give a single conversation a year ago, a month ago, a week ago, or even at any time in his whole life, nearly upset the witness. Mr. Johnston having cut short a reply, Mr. Ritchie interfered on behalf of the wit-

ney. His memory, however, was not as retentive as that of the others. He did not, for example, hear Mr. Gamey say anything about being Minister of hand man, and did not take any notes of the conversation. Mr. Gamey's statement to the House that three shorthand reporters were present, and down, was therefore not true. He also said that the word "money" was used in connection with the envelope taken to the smoking-room by Mr. Chase or Mr. Myers, and never heard the word "parcel," thereby contradicting Mr. Gamey's statement to the opposite, that the word used was "parcel." Neither did he hear anything about the Nobles, who, according to the Price brothers were said by Sullivan to have paid a "rake-off" for fishery licenses.

Evidence Not Admitted. An important ruling was then given by the commission, shutting out a lot of evidence which the prosecution wanted to introduce. Mr. J. M. Might, directory publisher, was called, and Mr. Ritchie said he proposed to ask what Mr. Gamey told him last August as to the approaches made by

Chancellor Boyd said that the commission would not receive corrobora-tion of what Mr. Gamey said in his examination, or any evidence of a kindred nature. He added that there was no object in keeping such wit-

nesses, if there were any.

Mr. Blake said they had three or four, including two or three from

Mr. Johnston said he had witnesses Mr. Johnston said he had witnesses for the same kind of evidence, and it was understood that these also might be dismissed.

O.—Was there any other subject matter of conversation? A.—Gamey asked him about Stratton. He said:

"Be son think Stratton will pay the

Did Not Write Y.Y.Z. Letter.

Miss Durkin, stenographer in Hon. J. R. Stratton's office, stated that she not write the "X.Y.Z." letter giving advice to Mr. Gamey about his attitude to the dissatisfied Conservatives in February, and never saw it before. She was losely questioned about the notebook and letters, and denied that, within three months, she ever missed any from her drawer,

or that she ever complained to any-one to that effect. She never pro-pared nor saw the interview with Mr. Gamey given to The Globe, and could not recognize from the type-writing where either document was

She stated that she was in the habit of destroying her notebooks when they were filled, and was therefore unable to produce some asked for by Mr. Blake.

The Unsigned Letters.

Paper experts were then called to furnish some clue as to the origin of the X.Y.Z. letter to Mr. Gamey. The papers they examined were divided into four sections. The first was the "X.Y.Z." letter, urging Mr. Gamey to stand firm and not be scared, a letter written by Mr. Stratton's secretary and the secretary of mey to stand firm and not be scared, a letter written by Mr. Stratton's secretary regarding patronage, and the letter from Mr. Stratton which Mr. Gamey signed in Mr. Aylesworth's office. These were all on what is known as "stock brokers' bond," made by the Rolland Paper Co. of St. Jerome. The second series were the inclosure with the "X.Y.Z." letter, which was apparently, a sample of a speech which Mr. Gamey might make to his constituents to keep them quiet, and the interview given at Mr. Stratton's office by Mr. Gamey to The Globe. These were on imported paper, known as "Cowan brand." The third series were the loose sheet in the "X.Y.Z." letter and a letter signed "F.J.S." These were on the brand of paper called Earnschiffe Bond. The fourth series consisted of the envelope of the letter signed F. J. S., registered at Yorkville, addressed in Frank J. Sullivan's handwriting, in which the X. Y. Z. letter was enclosed. This large envelope was of thick linen-lined quality, for official use, and, used in the Public Wo ks Department, The identification was made b. W. T. Ryrie, paper maker's agent.

In crossrexamination they admitted that there was nothing to prevent anyone from buying this kind of paper from those who sold it. It was all sold in the open market, and could be bought by anyone who had the money and wanted it.

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The defence scored a point, though in a negative way, with regard to the letter, unsigned, which Mr. Gamey said he received, asking about ano her deal which it was suggested to put through. Though unsigned as he received it, the signature of Frank Sullivan was attached when it was published. The paper experts of the prosecution admitted that the paper on which it was written was unfike any of the other paper produced.

Mr. Wilford Gamey corroborated his brother's story about Capt. John Sul-

brother's story about Capt. John Sul-livan calling at the brother's house one night about the middle of August, and having an interview outside somewhere

with him.

Mr. D. G. Sturrock, local manager of the C. P. R. Telegraph Co., produced this telegram, dated Jan. 27. to R. Gamey:—"Important that you be here Thursday or Friday. Answer. Frank." It was received by the night

Frank." It was record to clerk.

Mr. George P. Reid, General Manager of the Standard Bank, produced copies of the accounts of Mr. R. A. Grant and his firm. It was agreed that solicitors for both sides should examine the books at the bank. A similar examination, if afterwards similar examination, if afterwards found necessary, will be made of cer-tain accounts in the Ontario Bank.

Mr. B. W. Murray, accountant of Supreme Court, Osgoode Hall, produced the papers for the \$1,000 deposit in connection with the Manitoulin elec-

Mr. George Armstrong, Gore Bay, produced the register of the Ocean House, showing Capt. J. Sullivan's House, snowing cape.

The court adjourned at 2.45 until Monday, owing to the absence of several witnesses.

This Morning's Session.

When the Commission opened in the morning the examination of Mr. Percy G. Price was continued by Mr. Ritchie. Q.—Will you tell us in giving your evidence whether you pretended to give it in sequence or consecutive order as the different matters happened at the interview at the piano factory? A.—No, I didn't pretena to; I couldn't do that.

it in sequence or consecutive order as the different matters happened at the interview at the piano factory? A.—No, I didn't pretend to; I couldn't do that.

Another Concealed Witness.

James Arthur Kinney, who was also behind the pianos, was sworn and examined by Mr. Ritchie.

Q.—In consequence of an interview you had with Price or Gamey you went to Crossin's piano factory on the night of the 10th of March? A.—Yes.

Q.—Did you hear the evidence by the other two witnesses? A.—I heard the evidence of the last witness. Q.—Without going into detail do you recollect Mr. Gamey coming into the room about 8 o'clock? A.—Yes.

The Chancellor—I suppose you read the evidence in all the papers this morning? A.—I read it.

The witness, continuing, refold the story of the conversation very much as had the others. The more important parts were as follows:—

Would Stratton Pay Up?

Q.—Was there any other subject matter of conversation? A.—Gamey asked him about Stratton will pay the

rest of that money?" Frank save; "Oh, yes, sure; he will have to pay it. We have got them right where we want them, and they can't kick. They have got to put un." Gamey asked then about a man by the name of Myers. He says: "What kind of a fellow is this Myers? Does he know anything about this deal?" Sullivan said he didn't think he knew very much about it; that they didn't tell him. He was a sort of an innocent fellow, and they didn't tell him very much about what was going on. "But." he said, "I thought it was funny. I noticed a very queer expression on his face when I saw him, and he colored up, and I thought perhaps he knew something." Sullivan assured him he didn't think he did know very much.

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Q.—What furthe? A.—He spoke also—Gamey asked Sullivan about registering some letters; he asked him why it was they were marked with the mark "Yorkville" on; he thought it was strange. Sullivan said: "Well, he didn't want to register them at the

county building—at the Parliament building, and that he had registered them when he had made his transfer going home.

Q.—Now is that all? A.—That is about all I can think of just now.

Cross-examined by Mr. Johnston—Q.—What is your occupation now, Mr. Kinney? A.—Attending the Osgoode Hall.

Hall.

Q.—Were you ever engaged in this class of work that you have been describing before? A.—This was my first detective work.

Q.—And of course you are rather proud of your success? A.—Not at all.

Q.—A little ashamed of it? A.—That is perhaps my own business.

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Q.—What business was it of yours as to what took place in that piano factory? Will you please tell me that? We will get at the mind of the man before we get his recollection. A.—I don't suppose it was any of my business at all.

Q.—Had you taken part in elections.

business at all.

Q.—Had you taken part in elections before this time? A.—I have.

Q.—A rather active part? A.—Oh, I don't know you would call it active Q.—Talked on the platform? A.— Not very much. Q.—You had a feeling that the Ross

Q.—You had a feeling that the Ross Government was a corrupt Govern-ment? A.—You got that yesterday, Q.—I will get it again to-day from Mr. Kinney. Believing that the Ross Government was a corrupt Govern-ment? A.—I believed there were certain things that were going on.
Q.—That is not my question. A.—

A.—I don't know as I used that language at all.

Q.—Did you use any language condemning the Ross Government before you went up there? A.—Certainly; talked about politics. I spoke of what I thought was out of place.

Q.—And condemned them as being corrupt? A.—I don't know as I used the word corrupt.

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Edward Crossin was recalled, but Mr. John in objected to his being recalled at this stage, as according to appointment, Mr. McAvoy went to the piano factory to examine the books, and Mr. Crossin was not there and the lease the same brand of paper? A.—It is. It bears the same water—mark.

It was then arranged that after 4 o'clock this afternoon the parties should go and inspect the room. Testimony of a Stenographer.

Miss Margaret Durkin, a stenographer in the office of the Provincial

rapher in the office of the Provincial Secretary, was called and sworn and examined by Mr. Blake.
Q.—What are your duties? A.—Merely a stenographer.
Q.—Have you anything to do with the copying of the letters? A.—No.
Q.—Who attends to that work? A.—Well, my letters were always duplicated.

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Q.—Your letters were always duplicated and were not entered in a letter book? A.—No.
Q.—And that has been so for the last couple of years? A.—Well, I have not been in the Provincial Secretary's public office for two years. I have been in his department.
Q.—How long had you been in his office? A.—I was in his office for about five months.
In response to a question from the

Z. Aft you sure of that ! A .- Yes. am quite sure.

Q.—What did you do with them?

A.—I always destroyed them.

Q.—When did you first destroyed tooks?

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books? A.—I have always destroyed them.

Q.—In what way did you destroy them? A.—I have always torn them ap and put them in the waste paper basket.

Q.—Do you mean to say you did this the moment the book is finished? A.—I generally keep the last one.

Q.—For how long? A.—Until the aext one is written.

Q.—And you say that for two years that has been your practice? A.—Yes.

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Mr. Blake showed witness the "X. Y. Z." letter, with inclosure, but she said she had never seen it before, and could not tell on what machine it had been written. She did not know whether it was the rule in the Public Works Department to destroy the notebooks. She informed Mr. Blake that she had not complained of having missed any notebooks from her own desk during the last two months, nor had she missed any, and anyone who had told him that was not telling the truth. She operated the Densmore typewriter herself, while Mr. Stratton's private secretary used the Remington.

Mr. Blake showed witness The Globe interview handed out by Mr. Gamey, and she said she had had nothing to do with the preparation of it, had never seen it before, and could not tell on what machine it had been

tell on what machine it had been written.

To. Mr. Johnston the witness said that Mr. Lumsden, in whose office she had been, had charge of the incorporation of companies, and all matters of that kind, and that the work there was largely routine.

Testimony of a Paper Merchant.

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William P. Ryrie was sworn and examined by Mr. McPherson.

Q.—What is your occupation? A.—
Paper merchant in the City of Toronto. I have had upwards of twenty years' experience in the paper business. I have casually examined some of the exhibits which have been filed here.

Q.—Take, for instance, the first sheet of exhibit 20, called "X, Y, Z" letter, and examine that paper and tell me what you can about the paper. A.—There is a watermark in that paper; it is "Stock Brokers' Bond." I have it from the man who sells it, the firm controlling it, that it is manufactured for them specially and solely. The manufacturer is the Rolland Paper Company, St. Jerome, Quebec. They have a local agent in Toronto named W. R. Pringle. He is the man who controls and sells the goods direct from the milt to a number of jobbing houses in Toronto. It is chiefly confined to jobbing houses.

Q.—I show you a copy of a letter

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Q.—I show you a copy of a letter produced by the Hon. J. R. Stratton as the letter written by his private secretary to R. R. Gamey in reference to Platt. Is the paper in that and in the X.Y.Z. letter the same brand of paper?

A.—It is. It bears the same watermark, "Stock Brokers" Bond?

A.—I show way a letter, signed in

appointment, Mr. McAvoy went to the plane factory to examine the books, and Mr. Crossin was not there and the place was locked.

The Chancellor—The cross-examination will stand over, waiting the inspection of these books.

Mr. Ritchie states that Mr. Crossin says there is not the slightest objection; if you want to see that room you can see it re any time.

Mr. John ton—We did have an appointment with Mr. Crossin and went there, but we could not get in.

Mr. Crossin—I remained the first day until a quarter to two without my lunch. You are at liberty to see the room at any moment.

The Chancellor—You had better arrange a time with Mr. Crossin.

It was then arranged that after 4 o'clock this afternoon the parties should go and inspect the room.

O.—Speaking of The Globe interview document, describe that sheet of paper in trade language. A.—A full sheet quarto letter or fly leaf it is sometimes called.

Q.—Looking again at the typewritten enclosure, will you tell me whether that has been the same kind of paper? A.—I should say it is identically the

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of casting in his lot with the McDonald Government. Their political mission was a failure, but their ostensible errand was a success, and out of it came the E. & H. R. R. It was heartily endorsed and the Toronto promoters—P. G. Close, J. E. Smith, Alex. MaNabb and John Michie—pushed forward the securing of a charter to themselves and local men of prominence, such as Wm. Mc-Keough, T. H. Taylor, D. R. VanAllen, C. R. Atkinson, Rufus Stephenson, Alex. Trerice, John A. Ash, N. H. Stevens, A. Bisnett and others as provisional directors. A bonus by-law for \$155,000 was submitted to certain grouped municipalities, and carried. The success of this by-law was undoubtedly due to the efforts of the late John Michie, of Toronto, who threw himself into the canyass, ar-

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electors, and, by his ardor and enthusiasm, bringing every day fresh supporters to the by-law. Mr. Michie spent \$1,400 in promoting the road and never received a red cent in return. Then the Provisional Directors called a meeting here and arranged for the formation of a legally organized Co. Stock books were opened at a bank in Petrolea. J. H. Fairbanks and his friends subscribed the necessary amount of stock and organized a Board of Directors, but failed to interest capitalists in the building of the road; and thus matters rested until the fall of 1876.

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an important one, in the construction of the E. & H. R. R., there were many others entitled to not only an equal but far greater degree of credit than Mr. Stevens. As a brief history of the road will prove interesting to many of your readers I will give you a brief and accurate outline of its history. As I was intimately associated with the enterprise from its inception to its completion I can furnish a brief account of its beginning, progress, downfalls, resurrection and final triumph. The conception of the E. & H. R. R. is involved in a piece of secret political history, which I may be permitted to disclose without violating confidence, as most of the actors in that drama have passed from the political stage, and that event is so remote and veiled in the dim obscurity of the past that it, may now be imparted to the public without arousing party hostility.

"You will remember—but no, you cannot, as you were not born then—that the first Government of Outerio railway. On the following day the same M. C. R. officials we had met at Londor came to Chatham and and the day of for an interview with Mr. Douglas and myself at the Rankin House and the begged us to transfer the charter to the M. C. R. and for nearly three had been disappointed if the barter had passed under the consist of the m. C. R. In view of our bitter experience with Manning and the subsequent amalgamation of the C. T. R. and G. W. R., I regret that the subsequent amalgamation of the C. T. R. and G. W. R., I regret had the subsequent amalgamation of the C. T. R. and G. W. R., I regret had the subsequent amalgamation of the C. T. R. and G. W. R., I regret had the subsequent amalgamation of the C. T. R. and G. W. R., I regret had the subsequent amalgamation of the C. T. R. and G. W. R., I regret had the subsequent amalgamation of the C. T. R. and G. W. R., I regret had the subsequent amalgamation of the constitution of the cons same M. C. R. officials we had med at Londen came to Chatham and ask-John Sandfield McDonald, Premier; Hons. John Carling, Matthew Crooks Cameron, Stephen Richards and E. B. Wood. This Government may be said to have been rather tentative than progressive, and before the close of the first Parliament it was apparent that the assaults of the Opposition had been so effective that they were tottering to their fall, and unless something could be done to revivify them their doom was sealed. In the opinion of the Conservative party managers at Toronto, this could best be done by securing the support of Mr. Archibald McKellar, then member for Bothwell, and one of the Opposition bedger. Mr. Archibald McKellar, then member for Bothwell, and one of the Opposition leaders. It was determined to make an effort to win over Mr. Mc. and the political mission was entrusted to Mr. James E. Smith, one of the most astute politicians of that time. He called to his aid Mr. Alex. McNabb, barrister, of Toronto, and brother-in-law of Mr. McKellar. McNabb was willing to assist in the matter, but said, "What excuse can we give for our trip to Chatham? If we announce Jack Blunt the purpose of our mission the fat will at once be in the fire." At that time

"The following lines of virgii are applicable to my experience with the Erie & Huron R. R. as well as to many other transactions in life.

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Auction ale of Household Furniture

Mrs. Andrew Heyward has instructed A. Thomson, Jr., to sell all her househeld effects at her residence, Queen street, on Thursday, April 23, commencing at one o'clock sharr, consisting of the following: One parlor suit, consisting of several pieces; one fancy centre table; rockers, upholstered; Brussels carpet; some fancy tables and jardinere stands; hanging lamp, ornaments, hall chair, hall lamp, one oak beded; Brussels carpet; some fancy tables and jardinere stands; hanging lamp, ornaments, hall chair, hall table, lounge, hall lamp, one oak bedroom suit, mattress and springs; carpets, fancy chairs, scuttle and tongs, toilet set, one fine English brass and iron bed, dresser, carpets, stand, one white iron bed, mattress and springs; two pair of portieries, toilet set, mattress and springs; lace curtains, one sideboard, one extension table, dining room chairs, rockers, lace curtains, small table, lamp, pictures, corner brackets, hanging lamp, one silver service and other silverware, china and glassware, dining carpet, box stove, gas stove, gas hot water heater, several rockers, cook stove and cooking utensils, linoleum, one fine refrigerator, Maugle ice tongs, small refrigerator, lawn hose, lawn mower, garden tools, and other articles too numerous to mention.

This will be a nice tidy sale, as most of the effects have been bought within this last year or so, and will be sold without reserve.

Remember day and date, Thursday, lapril 23rd, at, one o'clock sharp.

MRS. ANDREW HEYWARD,

Proprietoress.

A. THOMSON, JR.,

Auction Sale of Household Furniture.

Andrew Thomson, Jr., auctioneer, has received instructions from Mrs. W. J. Bedford to sell all her household effects at her residence, Water street, opposite the goal, on Tuesday, April 21st, at one o'clock sharp, consisting of the following: One Mendelssohn piano with all modern attachments, this is a very fine instrument; one mohogany folding bed with wardrobe, secretary combination, this article cost \$150; one magnolia parlor table, cost \$25; parlor carpet, lace curtains, oak rockers, miniture ship, chenille curtains, oak sideboard, dining room table and chairs, linoleum, hanging lamp, china and glassware, one oak bedroom suit, mattress and spring; Brussels carpet, cane rockers, three toilet sets, four bedroom suits, mattresses and springs; one wardrobe, hedding, one coal or wood range, kitchen furniture, hose, lawn mower, and other articles too numerous to mention.

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ground and look at him, you will be pleased.

ST. MARTIN, thoroughbred, brown horse, 164 hands, 1275 lbs, sired by the mighty Longfellow, dam brother to the famous Long street, dam Locust Bloom by Tom Bowling, bred by Joe D. Clay, Iroquois stock farm, Kentucky, extended pedigree sec American Stud Book, vol. 6, page 660. There is no better thorough-bred stallion in Canada. Col. Bruce, the eminent authority, said St. Martin was as good a horse as it ever had the pleasure of tabulating his pedigree. M. F. McDonald, the great judge of Conformation, says he is the best thorough-bred horse he ever asw. W. D Grand says of St. Martin, he is an ideal, thorough-bred horse. Dr. McEachren, Dominion Inspector, says the breeds that will be found the most profitable are thorongh-bred crosses and heavy draught. St. Martin fills all the requirements as regards bone action and good temper. St. Martin's brother, Longstreet, is premier stallion at Belle Meade Farm, Kentucky, also brother to the grand race horse, Locust Blossom, and his dam, Locust Bloom, is the dam of the race horse Chilhonie, Eagle Bird, Bessie Smith, Boccaral, and many others Perfect temper, quiet and gentle. These horses are at the West Kent Fair Grounds, city of Chatham, Ont., and will remain there until August let, 1903, in charge of Mr. Gee. Lang who will give all information as to terms, etc., or to



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CANADA AND ALASKA

OUR BOUNDARY CONTENTIONS PUT INTO BRIEF FORM.

Width of the Coast Strip-Does the Mountain Range Give a Boundary?-The Ownership of the Heads of Inlets One of the Most Important Matters to Be

The preparation of the Canadian case in the Alaska boundary negotiations is proceeding apace. So much has been said and written on the other side of the line, if not for the purpose, certainly with the result of confusing the issue, that it may be well briefly to set out in plain and untechnical language the respective contentions of the two Governments. These contentions are in the main threefold. They relate:—

(1) To the course of the boundary line at the entrance to the Portland Canal.

(2) To the width of the strip of coast which belongs to the United States.

States.
(3) To the ownership of the heads of the larger inlets, notably the Lynn Canal.

Canal or Channel.

As regards the first of these, the Canadian Government holds that the southern boundary of the United States strip of territory is a direct line joining the southernmost point of Prince of Wales Island with the of Prince of Wales Island with the northern entrance to the Portland Canal, and thence along the middle of that body of water. The United States, on the other hand, affirm that when the negotiators of the treaty wrote Portland Canal they had reference to the southern en-trance to Portland Canal, and that, therefore, the line should enter withtherefore, the line should enter within the continent, not by the body of
water named by Vancouver, Portland Channel, but by another inlet to which he had given another
name, viz., Observatory Inlet. In
order to support this claim they
contend that the line on leaving
Prince of Wales Island proceeds
along the parallel of 54 deg. 40
min. to the Portland Canal. In this
phase of the dispute is involved the
cwnership of the two islands (Wales
and Pearse) commanding Port Simpson, and also both sides of Observatory Inlet. It is, therefore, not by
any means the least important part
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In regard to the second contention Canada maintains that the width of the strip which the United States acquired from Russia is limited by the summit of the mountains which border the coast. By these mountains we mean those nearest the sea, which Vancouver saw from his ships, and which he depicted on his maps. There are mountains lying within five or six miles of the ocean coast which fulfill all requisite conditions, five or six miles of the ocean coast which fulfill all requisite conditions, and Canada, therefore maintains that the line of demarcation should run along the crest of these mountains, thus restricting the United States to the narrow limits indicated above. The United States assert that there are no mountains existing which fulfill the requirements of the treaty. They, therefore, discard the mountain line altogether, and fall back upon the alternative provision that where ho mountains exist the boundary shall be formed by a line parallel to the coast and nowhere distant therefrom more than ten marine leagues or thirty-five miles. They further interpret this alternative and further interpret this alternative and subordinate clause to mean that the line formed under its provisions shall never be less than ten leagues from the sea, whereas the treaty merely defines ten leagues as its maximum distance, and says nothing about its minimum distance. The Canadian contention is that the line runs along the crest of the mountains and is from five to six miles in width, as against a thirty-five mile strip claimed by the Americans. Twenty-five miles of territory for five hundred miles is involved in this issue. Its importance, therefore, in further interpret this alternative and issue. Its importance, therefore, in a gold-bearing territory is immense.

Heads of the Inlets.

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The third question involves the ownership of the heads of inlets, and particularly Lynn Canal, at the head of which lie Dyea and Skagway. It turns on the meaning of the word "coast." When the treaty says that the line shall Jollow the summit of the mountains parallel to the coast, does it mean that it shall run around the heads of deep indentations, such as the Lynn Canal, or that by "coast" the framers had in mind that which any ordinary person resident at the head of a narrow inlet extending 60 miles into the mainland would have, who might announce his intention of "going down to the coast."? The Canadian Government adopt the latter view. They hold that by "coast" the treaty makers did not mean to include the terminus of a narrow flord of the sea, but had reference to the broad outline of the continental shore.

It is said, however, that Canada's claim to the heads of inlets has been to some extent compromised by official neglect and indifference. It will unquestionably be most difficult to secure recognition of our view of this claim, but it will be fully pressed and argued before the tribunal.

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It will be observed, therefore, that there are three main bases between the United States and Canada. The first involves the islands at the mouth of Observatory Inlet. The second concerns the width of the const strip, and the third the ownership of a port at the head of Lynn Canal. It is perhaps hard to say which of the three points in dispute is most important. In different ways they all affect Canadian interests most powerfully. Our contentions on all these points are strenuously resisted by the Americans, who claim that we are so far wrong that there is no legitimate ground for the dispute.

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tiations, "by marrying me."

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Chatham Grand:-Y. M. L. S. Minstrels — Tuesday, April 21.

Friday, April 24.—Athletic Bunga-low Benefit, comprising the presenta-tion by the Macaulay Club of the Trial Scene from "Merchant of Ven-ice," and excellent musical and literary program.

Wednesday, April 22.—Charles H. Hamilton Co.

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Mr. Hamilton in his lecture on "London and the Coronation" gives his audience not only the London of August, 1902, in all its gorgeous splendor of rejoicing, but as a background to the great event he shows them the London of past centuries. Streets and buildings so closely interwoven with England's history, that they have indeed become part and parcel of it stand out from the magic canvas with the vividness of reality. Nor has he forgotten literary London, the haunts and homes of her great popular writers, are visited; and with the same touch of the man well read in the literature of the country he has known which will appeal to the sentiment of all.

For external application the nightcap is rarely seen. It is first mentioned during the time of the Tudors. In
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DISTRICT DOINGS.

BLENHEIM

Mr. Charles H. Hamilton & Co., who appear at the Opera House on Tuesday, should not be missed by one Blenheim person; it is good.

THAMESVILLE

April 17.—Eva Brown, who has been visiting her friend, Lulu Howat, has returned to her home in Windsor. W. F. Mayhew, of Detroit, is in town for a few things.

Mamie Thompson, of Botany, has been visiting friends in town.

Mrs. Wm. Cryderman, of Northwood, visited Thamesville to-day, Miss Long, of Toronto, is a guest of Mrs. Thos. Biemish.

Miss Sarah Ferguson has returned home, after visiting friends in Chatham.

DRESDEN

Percy Wicks, of Detroit, is home on a visit.

One of Dresden's most popular citizens, in the person of Mr. John H. L. Leonard, died at his residence on Queen street at eleven o'clock yesterday morning. Mr. Leonard was an old resident of Dresden, well liked and respected by everyone in Dresden and the surrounding country where he was very well known. For many years he conducted a grocery store in town, but retired from business some years ago on account of the farmers have begun in the surrounding country where he was very well known. For many years he conducted a grocery store in town, but retired from business some years ago on account of the farmers have begun in the little folks.

WABASH.

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In the Baptist church on Easter far The wheat crops look very promise exceeded the most sanguine expectations, considering the terrible state of the roads and the inclement weather. The large church was well filled at three p. m. and Supt. W. J. Shreeve carried out a very appropriate program with the little folks. Jos. M. Garel gave S. S. statistics,

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broidered." No wonder, with such gearing, that, as Shakespeare suggests, "Uneasy rests the head that wears a crown." Poor old Bishop Latimer was not content with one nightcap. Fox in his "Book of Martyrs" describes him as follows: "He held his hat in his hand, having a handkerchief on his head and upon it a nightcap or two and a great cap, such as townsmen

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Farmers are busy with their spring work. Some have finished seeding.

The ladies of the Methodist Church here have bought a new organ from the Bell Co. Rev. J. C. Nethercott, a former pastor, is expected to assist the pastor, Rev. Mr. Noble, on Sunday, the 19th inst., when the organ will be dedicated to God's service. A concert by the best of Chatham's musical talent will be given on Tuesday evening, April 21st, when it is hoped that could money will be realized to

talent will be given on Ideaday evening, April 21st, when it is hoped that enough money will be realized together with that already on hand to gether with the organ. A good time is expected. Mrs. Walker, of Chatham, will sing at both services on Sunday, 19th.

Armand Pugh has sold his farm in Dover, and will have a sale of his farm stock and implements.

Leonard Holmes is engaged by Mrs. E. Jinks to work on the farm this summer. Mr. Holmes is a good farmer.

FOR ALL FORMS OF

Kidney Disease

April 18.—Miss Stella Steeper was in Chatham to-day.

Mr. Charles H. Hamilton & Co., who appear here on Thursday next at the Opera House, should not be missed; it is good.

The assembly given by the Coronation Club in the Opera House last evening was much enjoyed by all present.

Mrs. W. H. Switzer is confined to the house through illness.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Clarence Huff to Miss Annie Windover, which takes place April 29th.

Mrs. (Rev.) A. K. Griffin has returned from a visit to her parents in Kincardine.

Two of Dresden's popular young people are to be married here shortly.

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while building a fence for T. Wad-

On Wednesday evening last friends and neighbors to the number of one hundred gathered at the home of Edward Wilson and son Vernal, to bid them good-bye before their departure for Bossewain, Man, and presented Mr. Wilson with a well-filled purse and Vernal with a gold watch and chain, showing the high esteem in which both are field. Mr. Wilson has resided on his farm here for 40 years and is leaving behind a number of friends whe regret his departure.

Wm. Hradley and family, of Leamington, spent Easter at the residence of R. Ridley.

William and Charles Craig have purchased the farm of Ed. Wilson, paying \$3,600 for it.

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Chas. Pavey, of London, is holie of a visitification with five Easter to College, is home for Easter nolidays.

Walter Burgess is painting his stable.

GLENWOOD.

Miss Hattie Estabrook is visiting with friends in Highgate this week.

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Our pastor, Rev. Mr. McQuarrie, exchangged pulpits with Rev. Mr. Forrest, of Leamington, Sunday. James Stacey left Saturday for Toronto on an extended visit.

A number from here attended the concert given in the Methodist Church at Tilbury on Monday evening. All report a splendid time.

Andrew Shivas spent Sunday at Walter Mancell's.

Mr. and Mrs. David Martin, of Leamington, are visiting in Valetta this week. DARRELL.

Wm. Cato, who has been visiting in Blenheim for the past two weeks, has returned home.

James Renwick has engaged with
George Struthers for the season.

John Cameron's residence is now John Cameron's residence is now mearing completion. It presents a handsome appearance.

Prayer meeting was postponed Sunday evening owing to bad roads.

Edwin Robertson is all smiles—it's a bouncing baby girl. Congratula-

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a visit. Herb. Traxler, of Detroit College,

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which were very encouraging. The Baptist Sunday school has a splendid new library of choice books, which the new library of choice books, which the reading public are enjoying immensely. The securing of this library was greatly assisted by Mr. Estabrook, of Glenwood, for which the school feels much indebted.

Mrs. Lawson and Mrs. Armstrong, of Guelph, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cromwell, of Fletcher.

Miss Celia Cromwell is spending the Easter holidays with friends in Hamilton.

ilton.
George Cromwell has just returned from a flying business trip to Port

A. Shreeve has returned from his visit in Chicago.

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Miss Lydia Walker is spending her Easter with her sister at Battle Creek, Mich.
Wm. Meloche, of St. Thomas, spent Sunday with his parents here.
Mrs. I. H. Smith has returned home after a few weeks' visit at Berlin.
Miss Millie Broadbent, of Chatham, is spending a few days at her home here.

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While building a fence for T. Waddick, George Shaw was struck in the face by the wire stretcher breaking, causing a nasty wound.

Miss L. Jenner, of Woodslee, is spending Easter with S. S. White.
Joel Thorp, who has recently moved into town, is on the sick list.
We are glad to see Mrs. Frederick Culp back again, after undergoing an operation at Woodstock.
D. McEachren is now shipping eggs and butter to a firm in Toronto.
William Walker, of the Walker Hotel, spent Sunday with friends on the tenth Con.

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Local Briefs

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J. S. Hickey, of Merlin, is a city H. M. Carscallen, of Dresden, was in

the city to-day. James Ferguson, Thamesville, was in the city to-day.

J. W. Campbell, of Stewart, is Chatham visitor to-day. Mrs. W. J. O'Brien, of Blenheim, is a Chatham visitor to-day.

Alex. Cranston, of Ridgetown, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

Miss Maude Waterworth, of Ridgetown, was in the city yesterday.

Miss L. Broadwood, of Cedar Springs, is very ill with appendicitis. E. J. C. Shaw and wife, of Thames-ville, visited their Chatham friends

The unions of the city hold a secture and meeting in the Opera use to-night.

Mrs. S. B. Arnold and family have returned from an extended visit with friends in Blenheim. W. F. A. Campbell, Ridgetown, was

in the city to-day settling up the re-port in Ward vs. Porter. John S. Fraser, R. Burns, S. Somers, John Moses, Wallaceburg, and S. P. Sturgis, of Dresden, are in Chat-

Mrs. J. E. Thomas, who is in the Public General Hospital, took a re-lapse last night and was not improv-ed this morning.

Richard Fullerton is going to Man-itoba in May to manage the 400 acre farm purchased by Herbert Clements and Douglas Stevens.

Letters of administration to the estate of the late James A. McGarry have been granted to the Trusts and Guarantee Co., Toronto.

John D. Lennon, Washington D. C., will lecture in the Opera House to-night. Mr. Lennon is treasurer of the American Confederation of Labor. There will also be other speeches.

Misses Helen and Marion Thomas return this afternoon from visiting in Windsor and Detroit. They are call-ed to the sick bedside of their moth-er, Mrs. J. E. Thomas.

Dr. Duncan has left town for a holiday, and will visit New York and Philadelphia before returning.—Toronto Globe. Dr. Duncan is to-day the guest of his brother, Dr. J. F. Duncan of this city.

The County Property committee met to-day. The members of the commit-tee are County Commissioners Shep. Somers, James Chinnick, S. P. Stur-gis, W. C. Sifton, Geo. Handy and James Ross, chairman.

The Ladies of the Maccabees entertained the members of the K. O. T. M. last night. A very enjoyable program was given and a very pleasant evening spent. A number of candidates were initiated and afterwards refreshments were served.

Bishop Wilmore will leave for Westchester, Penn., on Monday to attend the conference of the W. A. M. E. church and from that city he goes to Baltimore, where another conference will be held on May 6th, and before returning will attend a third conference in the city of New York on the 13th prox.

The case of George Wickens vs. Ed. The case of George Wickens vs. Ed. Powers was heard this morning before Judge Bell in Chambers. This action was brought under the Overholding Tenants' Act. Mr. Wickens purchased the north half of tot No. six, first Con., Gore of Chatham Tp., from Edward Valier: The Powers were tenants on the farm. John Fraser. Wallaceburg, appeared for Fraser, Wallaceburg, appeared for the plaintiff and Mr. McArthur, Sarnia, contra. Judgment was given for the landlord.

The ruling principle of every rightminded man is duty.

A. H. Clark, Crown Attorney, of Windsor, was in the city to-day.

The anniversary services will be held in French's Methodist Church on Sunday, 19th inst., when the Rev. Joseph Deacon, of Ridgetown, will occupy the pulpit.

M. Wilson, K. C., left for Toronto to-day to attend the Court of Appeal, which opens Monday. Mr. Wilson is retained on the case of Wigle vs. Township of Gosfield.

W. E. Rispin, city passenger and ticket agent, is advertising specially low rates to Manitoba, the Canadian Northwest, British Columbia, California, and all coast points, with special train arrangements. Passengers desiring to go to any of these points would do well to write or call on Mr. W. E. Rispin, 115 Fing street, Chatham.

MANY SALES

Property sales in this city have been very frequent this spring. Dunn & Merritt's real estate agency has put through the following deals during the past week:

John McBride purchased a house and lot on Head street from Mrs. John Fernson.

and lot on Head street from Mrs. John Ferguson.

Cliver Lenover purchased a house and lot on the same street from Mrs. John Ferguson.

Frank Simmons bought a house and lot on Grey street belonging to Dunn & Merritt. This property adjoins his father's, which was lately purchased through the same agency.

Mrs. D. R. Vanallen bought a house on Joseph street. Chas. Raynor was the former owner.

DIED IN LONDON

The death occurred in Victoria Hospital, London, Ont., yesterday, of Maria Shoemaker, aged 42 years.

The death occurred in Victoria Hospital, London, Ont., yesterday, of Maria Shoemaker, aged 42 years, relict of the late Osman Shoemaker, of that city, after a lingering illness from consumption. Deceased is a native of Dover Township and leaves a family of three children, namely, Percy, aged 15; Verna, aged 12, and Edna, aged 10.

The late Mrs. Shoemaker was a daughter of Edwin Owen, concession 12, Dover Township. Mrs. Michael, of London, Oliver, Robert and Edward are brothers, white Mrs. J. Lang, of this city, Mrs. D. L. McCreary near Wallaceburg, and Mrs. E. Wemp, of Dover, are sisters. Mr. Shoemaker, of Westman Bros., was brother-in-law to the deceased.

Mrs. Shoemaker was a very devout Christian and a member of the Methodist church.

thodist church. The remains will be brought to Chatham and interment will take

JUDGMENT GIVEN

Re Macdonald vs. Ellice, a drainage suit tried at Stratford, Perth County, Drainage Referee J. B. Rankin, K. C., has given judgment upon an application to him by one Macdonald of the Township of Ellice to have a by-law of the said Township set aside on the ground that no petition within the meaning of the statute was obtained by the council before passing a by-law to appoint an engineer to examine the locality and assess for the drainage work. After the engineer had made his report one of the petitioners, through the influence of a councillor, obtained the defective petition from the clerk and, between two meetings of clerk and, between two meetings of the council, succeeded in getting a sufficient number of names upon it to represent a majority of the land-owners, and upon the petition thus signed a by-law was based without giving any additional notices of the time when the report of the engineer would be considered. For this and other reasons, the by-law was set aside with leave to the council to proceed again upon the petition as it now is. The applicant having been found gnilty of delay in making the application is given the costs of an earlier application only. Maybee, K. C., for applicant, Iddington, K. C., for respondent. clerk and, between two meetings of

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MUST HAVE HOME RULE. National Convention Carries Strong Resolution

Dublin, April 17.—The National Con ference called by the United Irish League to consider the new land bill,

ference called by the United Irish League to consider the new land bill, which assembled here yesterday, reconvened early to-day in the round room of the Mansion House in this city. There was a smaller attendance.

In view of a misunderstanding in the Redmond, the Chairman, introduced a strong home rule resolution, declaring that the Irish nation never would be satisfied until it shell have obtained a full measure of self-government. "No substitute," said Mr. Redmond, "can or will be accepted."

Michael Davitt b: efly seconded the resolution, saying Irishmen would be neglecting their sacred duty to the cause if they did not send such a message to their race throughout the world. Mr. Redmond's resolution was carried by acclamation.

William O'Brien then proceeded to explain the various suggested amendments to the land bill. An amendment of Mr. O'Brien's, providing for extending financial assistance to the evicted tenants was welcomed, but many of the delegates wished it to go further. Patrick Flynn, of the Cork branch of the United Irish League, a man of great girth, with a shillalah in one hand and a broad-brimmed hat in the other, then mounted the platform. His appearance created laughter. "I did not," said Mr. Flynn, "travel 130 miles to be laughed at." A few seconds later Mr. Flyrn held the conference spellbound by the extraordinary eloquence with which he insisted that the present occupants of holdings which formerly belonged to evicted peasants should the uselves be evicted. This peasant orator worked up a storm against "grabbers," but Mr. O'Brien's more moderate coursels prevailed.

The convention concluded this evening. In two days it out through a large amount of controversial work and emerged, to quote T. P. O'Connor, "scatheless and honored from a test which the whole world was watching. It was not only shaping the destinies of Ireland, but it held in its hands the late of the powerf il British Minis-try."

LAID TO REST.

The funeral of the late Chas. Smith took place at Stewart yesterday. The remains were reverently laid to rest in the presence of an exceedingly large number of friends and relatives. The deceased was buried with Masonic honors, there being about fifty members of that order present, despite the almost impassable state of the roads.

The Rev. Mr. McQuarrie, of Valletae conducted the timeral exprise at

ta, conducted the funeral services at the house, and the Rev. Dr. Jamie-son conducted the impressive Masonic services at the grave. The following is a list of the floral tributes:— Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Smith, Detroit—

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Smith, Detroit—Large spray of white roses.
Mrs. Geo, Winter, Toledo, O.—Spray of pink roses and palms.
Mrs. John Wickenhiser, Toledo, O.—Pink roses.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith, Detroit—Carnations.
Mr. and Mrs. David Smith, Tilbury—Spray Bermuda lillies.
Bert Lorne Martin, Chicago—Roses.
R. Graham Smith, Chatham —Calla lillies.
Dr. and Mrs. Bell, Merlin—Spray of

Dr. and Mrs. Bell, Merlin—Spray of oses and lillies.

J. W. Smith and family—Pillow. Family—Pillow, "Father."
Masonic Lodge, Tilbury—Pillow. Bank of Commerce manager and taff, Chatham—Spray calla lillies and

THE MARKETS

hyacinths.

There was a fairly good market this morning considering the bad roads. The sheds were well filled dairy produce.

Following is the price list:
IN THE SHEDS. Eggs, per dozen, 10c. Butter, per lb., 22 to 23c. Chickens, each, 35c to 45c.

VEGETABLES AND FRUITS. VEGETABLES AND FRUITS.
Lettuce, per pound, 25c.
Green onions, 4 bunches for 10c.
Sage, per bunch, 5c.
Carrots, per peck, 10c.
Onions, per peck, 20c.
Parsnips, per peck, 15c.
Turnips, per peck, 15c.
Carbage, per head, 5c. to 10c.
Applies, per barrel, \$1.50 to \$1.75.
Potatoes, per bag, \$1.50.

FISH,
White fish, 15c per lb, dressed

White fish, 15c per lb., dressed. Lake Huron trout, 10c per lb. Yellow pickerel, 10c per lb., dressed. Sturgeon, 10c lb., dressed.

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TO-NIGHT.

The Macaulay Club will meet at 8 John D. Lennon, Treasurer of the American Federation of Labor, Washington, D. C., will address a mass meeting in the Opera Hous, at 8.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W. Toronto, April 18-10 a. m.-Moderate fresh northwesterly winds, fine. Sunday, winds blowing easterly, fine and cool.

The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau: Thermometer 30.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Miss Knapp is visiting in Dresden The minstrels at the Grand Tuesday

Y. M. L. S. street parade Tuesday

Mrs. A. F. Falls and Sydney re-turned from Chicago last night. Eight funny end men in the Y. M. L. S. Don't fail to hear them. The tug C. M. Brown went to Detroit to-day to go into dry-dock.

Good second hand piano for sale.
Apply at office of Wm. Gray & Sons
Co., Limited.

The steam yacht "Marion," owner Capt. John Chant, has broken her George Roberts has secured the con-

tract for drilling a water well for the M. C. R. at Fargo station. Lost, a pearl pin, between Park street and Fair Grounds. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at this of-

J. L. Soott & Son have received a contract for a new residence for Malcolm Baldwin, Port Alma. Chas. Bowers, of Wallaceburg, is in the city. His mother, Mrs. Charles Bowers, is quite ill.

Wanted, an organist for Christ Church Apply to Rev. R. McCosh or church wardens.

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Rev. W. E. Knowles, of this city, and Rev. N. Lindsay, of Dresden, will exchange pulpits to-morrow.



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Bert Perry is spending a few days

W. R. Hickey, of Bothwell, was a Chatham visitor yesterday. "Original," Chatham's union cigar, the best five cent cigar in Canada. Sold only by Bates Bros.

Mrs. Earl Kimmerly, of Dresden, who has been visiting her father on Prince street, returns home to-night.

We would call the attention of our readers to F. F. Quinn's furniture sale. See list in another column. It's an immense sale. Stallion owners, make your entries with the secretary a week before the fair.

McKeough & Trotter shipped a hoop machine yesterday for the new mill of the Sutherland-Innes Co. at St. Thomas. They also shipped a boiler east and an oil drilling outfit west.

Intending purchasers of household goods will do well to attend F. F. Quinn's sale on Tuesday, 28th inst. See list of goods in another column. Sale begins at ten o'clock a. m. sharp. J. W. White, who has been attending the sessions of the Ontario Educational Association as chairman of the C. C. I. Board, returned from Toronto yesterday.

Toronto yesterday.

Keep Monday evening, April 27th, clear to hear Dr. Reymar, of Victoria University, Toronto, in a lecture on Tennyson's In Memorian in Park St, church. Particulars later.

Everybody wishing to see a green horse race, come to the fair grounds on Saturday, April 25th. 3dlw Jack Glassford is in charge of the leve scene in which will be introduced comic songs, fine step dancing, instrumental quartette, etc., etc., at the X. M. L. S. minstrells Tussday evening.

James McIlwraight, of Woodstock, has arrived in the city. He takes Mr. Wangenheim's place as foreman of Joha Piggott & Sons mills and is a man of wide experience in the business.

Thomas, the little son of Spencer Thomas, the little son of Spencer Stone, met with a nasty accident yesterday. The little fellow was playing with a toy frain of cars when, in some way, he inflicted a nasty out on his eye-lid. The lid was laid open.

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A 'H. VonGounten attended the funeral of the late Charles Smith at Stewart yesterday. 'H was one, of the largest funerals I have ever seen, 'said Mr. YonGounten this morning. 'It just showed the high esieem in which Mr. Smith was held. There were people there from all over the province. About 30 took advantage of the special train service to Merlin and walked three and a half miles to the residence. The roads were in such a state that it was much easier to walk.

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Millinery....

Amongst the thousands who admired our Easter Windows, hundreds of Ladies were charmed with its Millinery Beauties, so select and approved, that our Spring Hats have been booming ever since, and their style, tone and richness give as much satisfaction to the wearers as though they paid twice as much as other productions. See our New Swell Ribbon Hats, our Ladie's tony pretty black Hats, our Children's Flops at \$1.25 to any price, and Children's School Hats.

Dress Goods

Rverything new and nobby, Mistrell Cloths, Voile de Paris, Etamains, Satin Zibelines, plain and embroid-ered Crepe de Chênes, &c.

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White Mercerized Fancy Waistings in 3 yard pat-terns of 75c each. All the new Fancy Wool Waist-ings in evening shades, embroidered, &c.

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The Blonde Co. have the contract for new house for J. G. Kerr, costing Mrs. Calmeyn, Grey St., is having a new verandah built along the front of her residence.

Sir Oliver Mowat Dying.

Toronto, April 18.—Sir Oliver Mowat lives, but in a very weak state. There has been little change noted in his Honer's condition during the last twenty-four hours. The latest infromation from Government House is that Sir Oliver Mowat continued in a very weak condition. But though his vitality was stated to be wonderful it was evident that the end could not be long delayed.

Bicycle Improvements;

Bicycle making has made such strides in the past few years and the improvements have been so many and of such considerable importance that the pleasure of bicycling has been greatly increased. These improvements in making have also reduced the cost of a bicycle to such a low figure that no one need deny themselves this most healthful of pastimes. The pleasure of riding is increasing every year and with it the health and strength-giving qualities. There is certainly no exercise like it.

LICENSES GRANTED

The Board of License Commissioners held their annual meeting to consider the applications for licenses at Inspector Macnabb's office Thursday night. The following received licenses for the ensuing year:

and Rev. N. Lindsay, of Dresden, will exchange pulpits to-morrow.

Lawn Mowers and Sewing Machines repaired and guaranteed by Cupt.

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Constable S. F. Dennis was taken sudden ill hast Saturday, and now lish in his most of Recomment No. 10, I. O. O. F., on April 30. The Encampment degree team will be a repeated on the statement of the server of the s

REGIMENT ORDERS

Headquarters 24th "Kent" Regiment. Regimental orders

Lieut.-Col. J. B. Rankin, commanding.

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Chatham, April 18th, 1903.

1. The Regiment will parade in Divine Service order at the Drill Shed, Sunday, April 19th, at 10 a. m., sharp. Roll call, 10.30,
2. Band and Bugle Band will meet for practice on usual nights.
3. The companies will parade for drill on usual nights.
"A" Co.—Thursday.
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THE COUNTY AUDIT

F. H. Macpherson, of Windsor, who has been auditing the books of the county for some weeks in this city, has about completed his work, and, with the exception of a few minor details, that will be closed up next week, he will be in a position to present his report to the County Council on the first of May.

It is understood to be the intention of the Warden to call a special session for the purpose of considering this report and it is expected this meeting will take place about the 15th prox. From what can be gathered the report will prove an exceedingly interesting document and will give the ratepayers a number of facts that will show how the late treasurer has been conducting the business of his office for years, and the loose system that has been followed by other officials, whose negligence largely contributed to the loss

the county has sustained and that the ratepayers will be called upon to pay. What further action the county will take in the matter will be watched with interest.

MASONIC

An emergent meeting of Welfington Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C., will be held on Monday evening. April 20th, at 8 o'clock, sharp, for the purpose of conferring degrees. The following Past Masters will occupy the chairs on this occasion:—

W. M. B. J. Bitch.

W. M.-R. J. Birch. S. W.-M. Houston. J. W.-A. H.

W.-A. H. VonGunten.
D.-Geo. B. Crumb.
D.-R. Riddell.

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I. G.—Jos. Turner. Tyler—Fred Bates. After the work refreshments will be served and a pleasant hour spent.

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Egiered according to Act of Parliament of Can-ada, in the year 1903, by William Baily, of To-rente, at the Dep't of Agriculture, Ottawa.

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Chicago, i April 12.—In his Easter sermon the preacher shows how the resurrection is as much of a reality to-day to all who believe as it was to the apostles and draws some helpful spiritual lessons. The text is John xx, 16, "She turned herself and said unto him, "Rabboni, which is to say, master."

Poor thing! Poor thing! There goes a broken hearted woman. In the early hours of the morning she is sobbing and wringing her hands. "What is the matter, Mary?" Ah," she answers, "they have taken away my Lord, and I know not where they have laid him. The Roman body snatchers or the high priest's ghouls have rifled the tomb where we buried Jesus. I am trying to trace his sacred dust and bring it back, if possible, to its former resting place."

Are Mary's actions extraordinary?

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If we thought the graves of our
loved ones had been opened and the
bodies carried away for dissecting
purposes, would we not at once hurry off to the family plots and try to
find some trace of these most despicable of all conscienceless marauders
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and make them surrender their stolem treasures?

In our bereavements comforters resmind us that it is the mind, the soul, the spirit of the departed that we loved. They tell us that the physical form that is still in death was not really the beloved one, but only the tenement that loved one temporarily occupied. We know that is true, but how dear that tenement is to us! That hand which once held ours in loving clasp, those eyes which lighted up in joy when we approached, those lips which uttered words of affection—how dear they still are, though death has robbed them of all power of response! It is hard to part with them even now.

I was deeply impressed with this feeding when some years ago I visited the crematory at Pittsburg. I held in my hand the urn containing the ashes of the famous engineer who devised the Ferris wheel for the Chicago World's fair. Only a few months before he had worshiped in

the ashes of the famous engineer who devised the Ferris wheel for the Chicage World's fair. Only a few months before he had worshiped in may church at Pittsburg. I remembered well another exquisite form which had been similarly consumed. How well I could recall the face and form of Emma Abbott as she sang one of her wonderful songs only six months before her body was carried in on a stretcher and shoved through the opened furnace door. Then I turned and said to the attendant, "Do you believe in cremation?" "I did," he answered, "until last May. I firmly believed in it on sanitary grounds and could argue sits beneficence from any standpoint." "Then his eyes grew moist as he said: "But last spring my little girl, my only child, died. I could not bear then to think of her beautiful curls and lovely form being shriveled up in that hot furnace. So when her mother came to me and asked, 'Husband, shall we have baby's body cremated?' I answered: 'No, wife. We moved that little body too well to let it be burned. I think we had better start a family plot and let our baby sleep among the spring flowers."

Ah, yes! Mary's second journey to that rifled tomb was the most natural outcome of her breaking heart.

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whom she sgill continued to love after he was dead.

But that journey back to the tomb of Joseph of Arimathea ended in the strangest of all surprises. Mary went to seek the dead. She found the livings, jary went to an empty crypt. She found a risen Lord. Let us learn to-day how Christ first appeared after the crucifixion, to whom he appeared and for what he appeared.

The risen Lord revealed himself according to the fulfillment of propacey. If your husband should say to you: "My dear, business compels me to go to New York. I shall be gone just four days. I shall be gone just four days. I shall be shome next Thursday morning on the Pennsylvania limited express," you would expect him home at that time. Why? Because in all your husband has never broken such an appointment with you. But, my sister, you hister not as much right to expect your husband to keep an appointment with you as the Christian disciples had that Jesus would rise again from the dead. He clearly and distinctly and emphatically told them that he would do so. He told them this so clearly and pointedly that the high priest and his himseal the tomb and place thereabout a Roman guard "until the third day lest his disciples come by night and steal him away and say unto the people he is risen from the dead." Yet when the resurrection of Easter morn did come Christ's disciples were surprised. They were all dumfounded. They were at first so non-plused that they thought the Roman ghouls had stolen Christ's disciples were surprised. They were all dumfounded. They were at first so non-plused that they thought the Roman ghouls had stolen Christ's disciples were surprised. They were all dumfounded. They were at first so non-plused that they thought the Roman ghouls had stolen Christ's disciples were surprised. They were all dumfounded. They see a first so non-plused that they thought the Roman ghouls had stolen Christ's disciples were surprised. They were all dumfounded. They see as first so non-plused that they thought the Roman ghouls had stolen Christ's bod

This leads to some suggestive in-greences. Our coming gospel tri-sumphs and successes are to be a llong succession of surprises. Though we Christians may live as close to Christ as his disciples did, yet when Christ's promises are to be fulfilled we shall be amaz-

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ed with a holy and glorified amazement. We shall be amazed in the way we shall come to die. Many really good people now look upon death as a haunting horror. But most of us will then be surprised to find how easy it is for a Christian death as a haunting horror. But most of us will then be surprised to find how easy it is for a Christian to die. Was not dying William Hunter amazed when he cried: "All is well! All is well!" Was not dying John Pawson amazed when he said, "I know I am dying, but my deathbed is a bed of roses!" Was not dying John Fletcher amazed when he said, "Oh, how this soul of mine longs to be gone, like a bird out of its cage, to the realms of bliss!" Was not the dying Christian, A. M. French, amazed, when he turned to the watchers and said: "Oh, my wife and dear daughter, how sweet to die! How sweet to die! Oh, that I could tell you how sweet!" Yes, like the disciples at the tomb most Christians will be amazed to find how easy it is to die, though Christ has again and again told us that death is not annihilation, but

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"Ine risen Lord appeared unto mary
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Christ's garments were bespattered
with mud or that his fingers were
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stems, but I do believe that the risen Lord stood by the side of Mary
as he had often done before the awful crucifixion. I do believe that the
risen Christ had the same voice, the
same look, the same touch of the
hand and the same heart sympathy
for earthly troubles that he had
when he himself was compelled to go
hungry and knew not where to lay
his head.

It is easy, even on Easter day, to

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It is easy, even on Easter day, to have a distorted idea of the risen Lord. I well remember when a little boy how I used to study the hideous idels which my uncle, John Talmage, the missionary, sent us from faroff China. I would take a malformed and repulsive image of-stone or wood to my room. Then I would say to myself: "How could any man wormself: "How could and repuisive image or stone or wood to my room. Then I would say to myself: "How could any man wor-ship such a thing as that as a God?" But the heathen bowing be-fore such a shrine is perhaps not more in error than some Christians are in reference to their risen Lord. They suppose the resurrected Christ are in reference to their risen Lord. They suppose the resurrected Christ is uncanny in looks and actions. After having suffered for our redemption they believe he is no longer a human being, that he lives billions and billions of miles away from earth and has no part in our everyday life. Ah, no. The Jesus who sympathized with Mary's tears when she came to seek his body at the tomb is the same Christ who sympathized with her troubles before the crucifixion.

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Thus the Christ who talked to Mary in the Easter dawn preaches a practical gospel for a practical everyday life. The boy Jesus who was in the carpenter shop is the resurrected Christ who is to-day ready to bend

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Do you know that the stomach after its double work is tired? That when tired it fails in its duty of supplying the different parts of the body with food. That when the parts do not get food they are starved and weak. Your stomach needs help! It needs iDodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. They will digest the food while the stomach rests. They will not only ensure a food supply to the starved organs and muscles, but they will rest the stomach ach and put it in shape to do its work well. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets are what the stomach needs in the spring time. They are a natural oure because they enable the body to right itself. When the body is right there can be no weary, dispiriting spring feelings.

mechanic in his toil. The fatherless Christ who once saw Mary, the mother, struggling for her dally bread—for Joseph is supposed to have died when the divine child was very young—is the sympathizing Saviour who to-day is ready to help the widow and care for the orphans. We preach not an Easter Jesus in the elegant robes of a king so much as in the plain garb of a workingman going forth to help those who are in the awful struggle for a physical

What does the second journey of Mary to the rifled tomb of Jesus teach? Simply this: If we only go in spirit to the Easter tomb of Christ, seeking him and staying there, as Mary stayed, Christ will reveal himself unto us. He will reveal himself as he did to the noted Christian reformer of old, whose daily and hourly prayer was this simple sentence: "More light, Lord, more light, more light, take the brighter and more

But I take the brighter and more cheerful view of the resurrection o

But I take the brighter and more cheerful view of the resurrection of Jesus Christ in the early dawn. I believe that Jesus Christ appeared unto Mary in the early dawn, when the birds were stretching their wings for a morning bath, when the cocks were sounding their reveille of the barnyards, when the dogs from hunger were trying to hunt around for a stray bone for their breakfast. Christ wants to teach us that just as soon as possible he shall appear to explain all our sorrows and heartaches and mysteries and trials and separations. Christ could have appeared the first Easter day at the second watch, when all Jerusalem was stirring, or at 12 o'clock noon, or even at the tenth hour, or just before sunset, and still have fulfilled the prophecy that he should rise again on the third day. But such tardy action is not like that of my Lord and King. He would not protract by a moment the grief of his sorrowing friends. Just as soon as the prophecy was fulfilled he burst the bonds of death and revealed himself unto the broken hearted Mary, and just as soon as Christ can return and we are prepared for his message he will appear again and explain away many—perhaps not all, but many—of the hitherto inexplicable mysteries of our likes.

The risen Lord appeared unto mary so that she might go and tell the disciples that she had seen the living Saviour. This was no small mission upon which to be sent. Must not the transporting news of a resurrected Christ be carried to the farthermost parts of the world? Must not this news naturally first be spread broadcast by the testimony of those who had lived nearest and closest to Jesus? If Mary Magdalene and Peter and John and James and Mary, the mother of Christ, would not be true and announce to the world a risen Saviour, would the Pharisees or the Roman guard that had been bribed or the blatant blasphemers, who hated Christ and his doctrines, do so? And if we, who are the professed followers of Jesus, will not bear testimony to his divine power, will that gospel testimony be scattered by those who know him not?

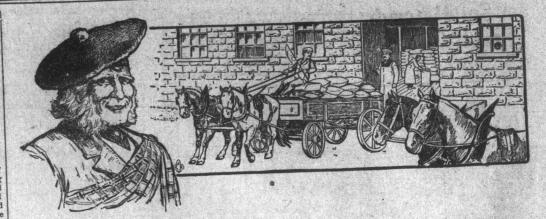
And why should not we, the professing followers of Jesus, be willing to announce to the world the glad tidings of a risen Christ? Supposing that to-day your wife was sick and had to undergo a very serious operation would you not notify her mother and father and brothers and sisters of the impending danger? And if that operation was a success

tion would you not notify her mother and father and brothers and sisters of the impending danger? And if that operation was a success would you not make the telegraph wires thrill with the news, "The doctors say the operation was a success and that she will get well?" If you would thus hasten to send the news that your wife had been saved from the jaws of death, how much should every one who realizes what the resurrection of the Lord means to our dying race join in the effort to send broadcast through a perishing world the glad news that Christ has risen from the dead?

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felt many years ago in an old farmhouse on a certain occasion during the late Civil war. One of the sons, who was a soldier boy, was reported to have been shot. His name appeared in the death column. The oldest brother immediately went to the front to find out how the lad was shot and, if possible, to bring the body home for burial. When he found his brother's regiment and captain, he was told the young man was not killed, but only wounded. The elder brother did not even wait to see his wounded brother. He rushed to the nearest telegraph office and sent these words to the old folks: "Charley is not dead, but alive. I shall bring him home as soon as he can leave the hospital." Ah, yes, there was joy in the old farmhous over the seemingly miraculous resurrection of the dead boy. Is there to be no joy scattered abroad by us when we announce everywhere the glad tidings of Easter morn?

But there is one result of Mary's message to the disciples upon which I would like to touch before I close. She carried that news to doubting Thomas. Even with all the testimony that Mary brought, Thomas would not believe that Christ had risen again until he had thrust his finger into his pierced side. Even after Jesus had appeared among his disciples and Thomas saw Christ face to face he would not believe until he had touched Jesus. Is there any doubting Thomas here to-day among us? Is there any one who is trying to believe the Bible and the gospel without believing the divine birth and the divine resurrection of Jesus Christ? Oh, my beloved, among the beautiful flowers of Easter morn do not try to exhume a corpse and call it a living Jesus. Look to-day at a resurrected Christ, who is ready to show you his scars, the results of suffering for your sins. Look to-day at a resurrected Christ, who is ready to show you his scars, the results of suffering for your sins. Look to-day at a living Jesus, who demands that you shall not only call him master, but Rabon which is to say "Great Master." Look to-day at an Easter Christ, who was ascen



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B'rer Ireland, Editor of The North Star

few days ago the Editor of The A few days ago the Editor of The North Star, Parry Sound, had the privilege of witnessing the workings of the X-rays at the Parry Sound Hospital. The X-ray, he explains, is so called because it is still an "X" or "unknown" quantity. Before seeing it in operation the writer supposed the X-ray to be a very strong light which shone through everything with a blinding intensity, whereas as a matter of fact all that anyone can see is a globe lit up with a dim green fluid, the luminosity of which is insufficient to enable one to read a newspaper. read a newspaper.

How It Looks. The first thing that catches the eye on entering Dr. Stone's office, is a large glass case containing the static electrical machine producing the current which supplies the light. This machine is operated by a water color of a half burse-nower. From current which supplies the light. This machine is operated by a water motor of a half horse-power. From the poles of the battery, wires are led to a Crooke's tube, which emits the X-rays. This tube is a glass bulb about six inches in diameter, from which the air or gases have been previously exhausted, thus creating a vacuum. At each end of this tube is fused a platinum wire to one end of which is fixed a flat disc—the anode—and to the other a cup-shaped electro—the cathode. When the machine is started in action the tube begins to glow with a dim green light. That is the ray. We had, as has been already said, expected to see a light of such extraordinary brilliamy that we instinctively screwed up our optics to the peeping point, and when we were told that this dim glow was the famous Roentgen or X-ray, we were grieviously surprised.

In examining anything with the ray, the operator has to look through a tube, one end of which is covered with a paste of cyanide of barium and platfaum. The person to be operated on is placed between the light and the operator, who places one end of the examining tube to his eyes and the other he places on the patient, and immediately everything becomes visible, according How It Operates. erything becomes visible, according to the relative density of each sub-

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The writer had the privilege of looking through one of the gentlemen present, clothes and all, just as he stood, and could easily discern the bones and ribs and the pulsating of the heart was perfectly distinct. One of the doctors took up a book which was from 2½ to 3 inches thick, and placed his hand behind it; we looked through the tube and could plainly see the bones of the doctor's fingers through the entire thickness of the book just as if there had been no book there.

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The writer was also put through a thorough examination, but being only a newspaper correspondent, nothing of intrinsic value was found upon him, of course. A demonstration was also given of the use of the X-rays for the care of cancer, tumors, etc. By simply holding the gluss globe close to the part to be operated upon and submitting it to fuquent exposures, the penetrating power of the rays has the effect of piercing the growth and gradually disseminating it until it finally disappears.

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The first mistake we made was that we did not inform Mr. Watt as to the exact geographical location of the rheumatism, and that gentleman started in with his little stick on an exploratory mission, which kept us guessing lively. He started in with giving us a poke on the shoulder blade, just at that point where scratching is a most difficult operation. The sensation is a sharp tingling one, not at all unpleasant if it were not delightfully unexpected. After giving us two or three playful pokes in the short ribs, he sent a telegraphic despatch up our spine to the base of the skull, which felt just like when we make one step in the dark where no step exists, only 100 times more so. Joking aside, however, the treatment is pleasant and can be varied in strength at which at which the dark was treated for neuralgic pains. A ring of metal was hung a foot or so over his head and the current was turned on. As soon as this was done each individual hair stuck up on end until the patient looked like one of the precares we have seen outside the booths of a country show of the ancient Aztees of Mexico, only more so. The sensation was most agreeable, and certainly some of us who were treated that night went away thoroughly convinced of the efficiency of the electropathic treatment for the cure of nervous or rheumatic disease.

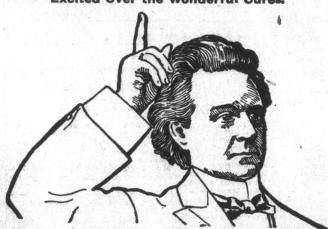
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Auction Sale Extraordinary

Last Saturday The Planet gave some facts from the day-book of John Dolsen, who kept a store and the registry office on the River Road, Dover, in the year 1816. Kasper Schwemler has the old book in his prosession. Fred F. Quins Sale of Furniture Andrew Thomson, Jr., has received instructions from F. F. Quinn to sell by auction, without reserve, on Tuesday. April 28th, at his residence on Stanley avenue, commencing at ten o'clock a. m., the following: One piano, one music cabinet, one music rack, two parlor suits, one large wicker chair, three large easy chairs, four Paris silk portiers, three pairs lace curtains, two screens, seven oil paintings, ten sofa pillows, one fine bricker choint, two fine candielabras and clock to match, a lot of bricker, two parlor lamps, parlor carpet, a number of jardiner stands, one hall rack, one hall chair, three cherry book cases, with double glass doors, drawers, etc.; one ditto oak, one ditto black walnut, one thousand volumns of books, comprising some of the best literature in print; one reading electric lamp, one millers student lamp, a number of smaller lamps, two easy reading echairs, one large sofa upholstered in pluesh, three small tables, one eightday clock, a lot of old curiosities consisting of guns, pistols, swords, sipes, etc.; one set dining room chairs, oak upholstered in leather; one oak dining room table, 40 feet; one quarter-cut oak sideboard, one oak couch, upholestered in leather; one oak book stand, two small oak tables, five oil Schwemler has the old book in his possession.

Mrs. John McCall, however, has a water color painting showing Christ after the crucifixion. The painting is on a piece of paper about 5 inches by 3 1-2 inches and is exceptionally well done. The painting is the work of James Benard. Christian Dencke's name is on the picture frame. The Rev. Mr. Dencke was stationed at the Lutheran Mission at Moraviantown. He returned to Pennsylvania and Mrs. McColl's father afterwards had charge of the Mission. The water color was found in the house, having been left by the Rev. C. F. Dencke. Mme. Bayla, the adept palmist from Paris may be consulted on business, marriage, love affairs, sickness, travels, etc. Astounding revelations. Here for a week only. Ladies 50c., gents 75c. Room 8, Hotel Garner. 2 uphoistered in leather; one solid leather easy reading chair, one oak bookstand, two small oak tables, five oil paintings, fruit and game; one electric fait, nickle plated; one oak clock, (chimee), a lot of silverware, one set brass fire tongs (five pieces), one brass fire screen, one coal vase, a number brick yeneer residence.

The work on the Sheldrick block is chimes) a lot of silverware, one brass fire tongs (five pieces), one brass fire screen, one coal vase, a number of floor rugs, carpets for parlor, dining room, hall and library; one Stella music box with 37 pieces, one graphophone with about 75 pieces, one melodian, one gus range, has hot water hetter and porcelene broiler attachments, also large sheet iron hood to draw the furmes of gas, and societing from the stove into the chimney. This is a very fine range, being the newest and most up-to-date and the market. One gas meter, one that water radiator, one large oak refrigerator, American make; one kitchen extension table, a number of smaller tables, a large number of the work of the being pushed ahead.

The new Baby block, King St. West, will be ready for occupation shortly. The houses of Miss Bennett, on Patterson Ave., are rapidly nearing com-John E. Gordon, of Wallaceburg, is having plans prepared for a \$4,000 brick residence.

A. M. Piper, architect, is preparing plans for a new residence for J. L. Scott, Park Ave.

The Merchants' Bank will make alterations and remodel its building to the extent of about \$10,000.

Tenders will shortly be asked for the extensive improvements to be made at the Care Care about. and the market. One gas meter, one shot water radiator, one large oak refrigerator. American make; one kitchen extension table, a number of smaller tables, a large wardrobes with drawers, etc.; two cabinets, a number of hedroom suits, mattresses, smprings, etc.; one black walnut folding bed, one large plate glass mirror, a number of chairs, tables, mirrors, pictures, clocks, bethroom fixtures, beds, mattresses, one cabinet sewing machine, one two-seated Makado with campy top, pole and shefts; one coil spring Brantford cart, one sew never been used; one child's carriage, two children's carts or wagons, very fine; one child's ratan bed finished in white enamel, a number of lawn seats, chairs, swings, hammock canopy, etc.; a large number of garden and lawn tools, one barrel sprayer, Aylmer make; three barrels of home-made native wine, five barrels of pure cider vinegar, a lot of glass fruit jars, wine bottles, etc., in fact space will not permit the enumeration of the articles but all will be sold without reserve as the proprietor is leaving Chatham. The house and lot, comprising of three and a half acres with all modern conveniences, will be offered for sale at two o'clock if not disposed of before. This is one of the most important sales which I have hand for some time, as the furniture and effects are of the best, consisting of oak, cherry, mahogany and walnut and all of a substantian make. This sale should command the attention of the public and will, no doubt, be well attended rain or shine, as the house is large and can easily accommodate a large crowd. The sale will be sold on Thursday evening the 30th inst. in one of the stores in the Garner House Block. This library is condeeded to be one of the best collections of books in the city. Remember the day and date of the sale, Tuesday, April 28th, at ten o'clo

Andrew Thomson, JR.,
Apetioneer.

EXPERTS ON PAPER.

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-The latter appears to be in tw Q.—'The latter appears to be in two sheets? Chief Justice Falconbridge—The en-

Mr. McPherson—Yes, my Lord.

Q—I show you the envelope in which the X.Y.Z. letter was contained. Will you describe to the commissioners what it is called in trade language? A.—It is an envelope that is used largely with official correspondence, made from paper called "cloth lined envelope paper." It is lined with cheap linen or cotton cloth.

Q.—Is it an imported or domestic rticle? A.—It is imported from Great Britain. usually.

Cross-examined by Mr. Riddell;
Q.—You sell a good deal of paper?

A.—Yes.

Q.—Running up to thousands in the year? A.—Yes. Mr. McPherson—Yes, my Lord.

Q.—Running up to thousands in the year? A.—Yes.
Q.—Perhaps thousands in the month? A.—At times.
Q.—The Rolland Paper Works at St. Jerome turn out a large quantity of paper? A.—Yes.

Gamey's Brother Gives Testimony.

Upon the resumption of the proceedings this afternoon Willord
Gamey, a brother of the member, was
sworn and examined by Mr. Ritchie:
Q.—You are a farmer? A.—Yes, sir;
living in Perryville, in the Township of
Campbell. I am a brother of Mr. R.
R. Gamey. I live about seven miles
from him.

Q.—Do you recollect being at your brother's place in August of last year?

A.—Yes.
Q.—How did you come to be there?
A.—His son came after me.
Q.—What were you to do? A.—I vas going, down east with him.
Q.—East of where? A.—About

rnprior.

Q.—He wanted you to go east with im?

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Q.—He wanted you to go east with him? A.—Yes.
Q.—Did you go to his house? A.—Yes; I drove to his house.
Q.—What time did you get there? A.—Somewhere between half-past ten and eleven, along there, that night.
Q.—Can you tell us the time in August? A.—I think it was the middle somewhere.
Q.—Tell us what happened after you got to your brother's. A.—I had a lunch when I went first and about the time when I got through there was a rap came to the door. I should judge that would be somewhere about II o'clock. My brother was in bed. I answered the call at the door.
Q.—Who was there? A.—A gentleman that I took to be Mr. Jackson—Sheriff Jackson.
Q.—How did you address him when you opened the door? A.—I said: "Good-night, Mr. Jackson." He said: "Good-night." He stepped to one side of the door. He was in the light at the door before and when he stepped to one side he was out of the light. I asked him to come in.
Q.—Did he decline? A.—He didn't

to one side he was out of the light. 2 asked him to come in.

Q.—Did he decline? A.—He didn't come in? He refused to come in. He said he wanted to see Mr. Gamey. I called Mr. Gamey up; I saw him come downstairs and speak to the man and went back up again and finished dressing and came back down and went out with the man. I don't know what time he returned.

O.—Do you know from anything that happened since who that man was? -Yes. O.-Who was the man? A.-Capt.

John Sullivan.
Q.—You are quite clear about that?
A.—Yes, sir.
Q.—You didn't know where they went to when they went out? A.—No.
Q.—What happened the next day?
A.—My brother and I and his son drove to Gore Bay. I saw Capt. John Sullivan there; that was the same man that called at my brother's house the day before.

day before.

Q.—Where did you go from there?

Q.—Where did you go from there?

A.—Went across to Cutler and down to Sudbury.

Another batch of witnesses for Mr. Gamey arrived from Gore Bay yesterday. Among them were Messrs. W. R. Abrey, Registrar; D. B. McRae, Oliver Flannigan, Thos, Robinson and W. H. Hurst. This makes about thirty now in the city for the prosecution, but some of these will likely return as a result of yesterday's ruling in the court. It is stated that a large batch of witnesses for the defence will come down from the island as soon as they are needed. the extensive improvements to be made at the Gas Co.'s plant.

Architect T. J. Rutley is asking for tenders for a large three-story addition to Gray & Sons' factory.

The plans for the new hotel at Wallaceburg, to be built by E. J. Peltier, at a cost of about \$12,000, will be ready for the reception of tenders next week.

MR. BORDEN'S SPEECH.

The Conservative Leader Advocates Higher Tariff.

Ottawa, April 18.-Mr. R. L. Borden, leader of the Opposition, replied to Mr. Fielding's budget speech. He spoke for about two and one-half hours, and was repeatedly applanded by his followers and by Mr. Tarte. Conservative members generally declared that it was the best speech. Mr. Borden has ever delivered. At the close of his address, Mr. Borden moved an amendment, calling for revision of the tariff during the present session, which would afford adequate protection to all Canadian industries. Sir Richard Cartwright adjourned the debate until Monday, after which day the debate will have precedence of other business. The House went into supply at 6 o'clock, but after passing a number of items a deadlock occurred over an item for the building of a wharf at Grand Vallee, Quebec, which the Opposition declared was built solely for the benefit of timber limits in which Mr. Lovell, member for Stanstead, is interested. They demanded that the item should stand, but Mr. S-therland would not accede to the demand, as he had an agreement with Mr. Borden that the Quebec items should be allowed to pass with a proviso that they should all be open for discussion at a later stage. It was nearly 1 o'clock before the item was carried on a vote.

The following bills were introduced:

—Respecting the Canadian Northern Railway Company—Mr. Davis. Respecting the Edmonton, Yukon & Pacific Railway Company; to incorporate the Canadian Industrial Corporation, Limited—Mr. Thompson. To incorporate the Canadian Industrial Corporation, Limited—Mr. Thompson. To incorporate the Canadian Industrial Corporation, Limited—Mr. Thompson. To incorporate the St. Louis Light & Power Company—Mr. Erb. den, leader of the Opposition, replied to Mr. Fielding's budget speech.

REST FOR TIRED MOTHERS

How many babies wake up just about the mother's bedtime and keep her busy for a good part of the night. The mother may not see anything apparently the matter with the child, but she may depend upon it that when baby is cross and sleepless there is something wrong, and the little one is taking the only means he has of telling it. Baby's Own Tablets will make him well and cheerful right away. There are no opiates in this medicine — they send baby to sleep simply because they remove the cause of his sleeplessness and make him feel good and comfortable. The Tablets are good for children of all ages, and they cure all the minor troubles of children. If you know a neighbor who is using the Tablets for her children ask what she thinks of them, and we are sure she will tell you they are the best medicine in the world for little ones. Mrs. James Levere, Spencerville, Ont., says: "I believe Baby's Own Tablets saved my haby's life, and I would not be without them."

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**** WORLD OF SPORT ++++++++++++++++++++++++

FOOTBALL

The Football boys will begin prac-tise in earnest next week, weather permitting, on the Park grounds. THE TURF

Tommy Burns is now at the Acqueduct track in New York City, and riding at his usual clip. A first and a second were his yesterday.

BASKET BALL

Young Lady Basket Ball enthusi-asts met at the home of Mr. A. J. Da-vies, Friday night last, for the pur-pose of organizing a club. The fol-lowing officers were elected:—

Hon. President-Mrs. T. N. Wells, President—Miss L. Davis.
Sec.-Treas.—Miss N. Smith.
Captain—Miss Abbie Davis
Manager.—Mr. H. Wallace.
Referees—Mr. Boulton and Mr.

Strickland.
The initiation fee was fixed at \$1.

—Dresden Standard.

LACROSSE

Ridgetown Plaindealer: — What is Ridgetown going to do about athletic sports this year? Blenheim, Chatham, Thamesville, Wallaceburg, Dutton, Rodney, Detroit, St. Thomas and London have organized lacrosse clubs. Why not get in the procession? With so many clubs near home there should be no difficulty in arranging games, and we have the best grounds of the bunch.

Detroit will likely have a good lacrosse team this season. They have already organized and will have a practise game to-morrow morning. Brusso is manager and McDonald cap-

WHAT THE KIDNEYS DO. They Are the Filters of the Body-

Into everything we eat and drink, no matter how "pure" the food is labeled nor how careful we are, poisons enter. Were we not provided with or enter. Were we not provided with organs especially designed to look after these poisons, human life would soon perish. The kidneys are the filters of the blood. They catch the poison in the food and expel it from the system. That is, they do these things when they are in healthy and vigorous condition. When they are weak, or overworked, or clogged, or handicapped by the ravages of disease in even a slight degree, they do their assigned work degree, they do their assigned work more or less imperfectly, or not at all. When the kidneys are not working well, the poison which should pass from the system is returned to the blood, to circulate through the body. Excess of urle acid in the blood causes a demandary muscular or articular from the system is returned to the blood, to circulate through the body. Excess of uric acid in the blood causes inflammatory, muscular or articular rheumatism, for one thing, and those who have suffered from any of the forms of this distressing and dangerous malady will say that this is enough. The best authorities on the subject, however, believe that this is only a small part, and that to kidney irregularities are due a long train of bodily allments. The kidneys often give warning, though not always and not always in time, of the dangers which menace the body from their abnormal condition. Among these danfer signals are weakness of the back, pains or aches in the region of the kidneys, irregularity of the bowels and kidney action, chills, feverishness, nuffy eyes, brick dust deposit or cloudiness, and a dropsical appearance of the ankles or wrists. When any of these symptoms appear blood poisoning to a certain extent is undermining the fabric of life. The result of the latest research into kidney troubles and their cure is the vegetable preparation known as Bu-Ju, which is put forth by the Claflin Chemical Co., Ltd. of New York, N. Y., and Windsor, Oot. It may be purchased at any drug store in boxes of 50 pills at 50 cents. It were well to pay no heed to efforts to substitute other so-called remedies for this dangerous condition, as Bu-Ju embodies all that these have with the addition of the latest-upto-date discoveries and enhanced skill in preparation.

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Thornton & Douglas, Ltd.

House Cleaning Time

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A BAD BOY

Frank Doherty, a fifteen-year-old lad, was arrested last evening on the charge of breaking into James Rowin's barber shop last Saturday night. Doherty pleaded guilty, and elected to be tried by Judson Houston. As the lad had already three suspended sentences against him, the Magistrate felt that in the lad's own interests it was not wise to let him go again. Only last month the boy had been found guilty of stealing rubbers from the residence of Willis Sample, Adealide St. Judge Houston sentenced Doherty to three years in the Reed Doherty to three years in the Re-formatory at Penetanguishene.

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KING STREET

GRAND OPERA HOUSE SATURDAY, APRIL 18th Under the auspices of The LOCAL TRADES' UNION. JOHN D. LENNON, TREASURER, WASHINGTON, D.O.,

American Federation of Labor, and others will address the meet-ing. Chair taken at 8 o'clock. ALL ARE INVITED.

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MISS HELEN M. GOULD.

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Wilbur Tompkins says:
"To know her one must see Miss Gould in her country place. Lyndhurst. at Irvington-on-the-Hudson, where she spends half the year. There she is set dom without visitors—not formal house parties, formally entertained, but friends, often self supporting girls, who



come for a week or six weeks to visit on the simple basis of companionship. For these there are half a dozen horses in the stable, and a riding master comes up from New York to accompany and teach the less proficient. On summer mornings Miss Gould and her guests will be up at 6:30, fortified with coffee, and off into the country lanes, riding hatless and shirt waisted in the freedom of that early hour. It is not park riding—that is, for her winter months in New York-but good, happy, country galloping, with sometimes a brisk race against a shower by way of excitement. For Miss Gould fears thun-der as some women do mice, and there no tranquil waiting under a tree for

her when the cannonade begins.
"Most of us can be reached by a dramatic cry for help, a pitful, obvious tragedy, flung in front of our windows. But Miss Gould's true claims to the hearts of her countrymen lie in faithful, undramatic, day by day service— the ready help, here for a struggling student, there for a crippled child; the long hours of work on committees by which some public end is achieved; the thousand good deeds of which even her own right hand does not know, so modest is the left."

The Sunday Night Supper.

The Sunday night supper that is informal and impromptu to a degree is gaining favor, and it is not to be wondered at, for these little suppers have much to commend them. For one thing, they save trouble. If servants are kept, Sunday is usually the day out. If the mother prepares the meals, she is rejuctant to go into the kitchen in her "Sunday best" and get a hot meal. So the suppers come in handy, and they are delightfully jolly as well, for every one helps to get supper and set

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the table. For one thing, there is usually some deviled ham or Holland herring. This, of course, has been bought in a can the day before and only needs to be taken from the refrigerator. Then there is the coffee to be set over a gas jet, the rye bread to cut, olives to set out, pickles, of course, and to finish up some

rate made the day before.

A chaine dish, be it ever so cheap, contributes more to the Sunday night supper than anything else, for by its aid some appetizing made dish can be prepared right at the table. The formal Sunday night supper is a thing of the past, for which the busy house-keeper, who has her one breathing spell on Sunday, gives humble thanks.

Stirring and Beating.
One of the most successful cooking teachers insists upon the difference between "stirring in" and "beating in" the ingredients of a dish. She says that the ingredients of a dish. She says that the two methods should never be confused. To "stir in" is to mix the materials thoroughly, and this is the object of the directions. The spoon should be held to the bottom of the dish, and all the materials should be rubbed and pressed together as much as possible, and it is not essential that they should be stirred only one way.

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"Folding in" is even a lighter sort of mixing. The eggs or what not are beat

Her husband, who left her a fortune of \$3,000,000, held these offices, and when 53,000,000, near these onices, and when he died she was elected his successor, having since discharged her duties with distinguished ability. One of the banks is in Port Deposit and one in

Akron, Ga.

Mrs. Hester Welpton is president of the Exchange bank of Ogallala, Neb., and the town boasts of her financial

St Louis has two great banking and investment companies which employ women officials to deal with women investors. The women's department of one is in charge of Mrs. Florence M. Laffin; that of the other is conducted by Mrs. Frost, of whose work one of the bank officials says: "Not one of us could stand the strain. The average woman fears to undertake financial transactions, which appear less formi-dable when carried on with one of her

Table Linen.

In buying table linen the Irish dam-ask, which is grass bleached, is usu-ally considered the best. The French loses its gloss, and the Scotch is par-tially bleached with chlorine, which weakens the fiber. A good plan is to get the half bleached, which soon gets white. A poor, sleazy linen is never economical. A good quality looks well to the last, even darns being considered a patent of nobility. An all over design or a running pattern is to be preferred in the medium quality of damask to a cloth that has much plain surface, while the snowdrop and other scattered designs may be selected in the more expensive cloths. The term "double" damask means a heavy linen. It is not, however, necessarily more ex



NOT AT ANY PRICE.

Unpopular Man, His Neighbors and the Coming Funeral. A Georgia man who was unpopular in his community insured his life for

\$2,000. He took the policy home to his wife and said:
"Maria, here's a life insurance docu-

"Maria, here's a life insurance docu-ment for \$2,000."
"Thank you, dear," said his wife.
"How are you feeling today?"
"Not well," he replied, "and I don't think I am long for this world, and I want to say to you that when I die it is my wish that you devote \$1,000 of the money to defraying my funeral ex-penses."

"Mercy on me!" exclaimed the wife. "Why do you want such an expensive

"I'll explain. I'm perfectly satisfied that nobody will attend my funeral, and I want to hire people to go at so much a head. I'm going out today and see what arrangements I can make for attendants on that forthcoming melancholy occasion. If they won't come gratis, why, I'll just hire 'em and give em an order on you for the money.

He went forth and at nightfall re-turned with a dejected look. "Maria," he said, "it's no use. You can have the whole \$2,000. Just go to my funeral yourself."

Be sure you're right, then go ahead.



EBERTS

The cold wet weather is very un-favorable for the grain which a few

The cold wet weather is very unfavorable for the grain which a few farmers have sown.

Rev. Mr. Nellly preached a special Easter sermon here last Sunday, but owing to the muddy roads the church was not as full as usual.

The Darrell football club has already made a good start for the season. Their concert given here last Friday evening was a success from every view, the proceeds amounting to over \$40. The musical part of the program was exceptionally good, while the recitations were also deverly arranged to suit the occasion.

The Misses Rowe are spending the holidays at their home in Mull.

William Moissac, an aged resident of this place, died at the General Hospital in Chatham last Saturday night. The funeral took place on Tuesday to McVicar's cemetery.

Mrs. Mooney is very low with a paraletic stroke.

Chas. Craven, of Appledore, attended the Presbyterian church here last Sunday.

BALDOON.

The pancake social last Friday night under the auspices of the Ladies Aid was well attended. The hall was packed to the doors. After the pancakes and maple syrup was served an excellent program was given, in which the pastor, Mr. Clark, Messrs. Moore and Campbell, of Oldfield, and Misses Wemp, Rankin, and Mr. George, of this place, took part.

under the auspices of the Ladies Aid of this place. The chief feature of the evening will be a dialogue entitled "The Old Maid's Convention." Songs, music and recitations will also be given. The proceeds of the concert will go to the aid of the Irwin Mission.

Mission.

Mr. Cornish, of Huron College, conducted services in the Union Hall on Easter Sunday.

Mrs. John Rhodes is spenting the Easter holidays in Cardock.

Miss Mary Lenover, of Chatham, spent Sunday at her home here.

JEANNETTE'S CREEK.

The largest shipment of fish of the season was made on Saturday of last week, when one hundred and twenty-eight boxes were shipped.

H. Forbes went to Detroit on Mon-

H. Forbes went to Detroit on Baunday to visit his daughter, Mrs. A. Stewart.
On Thursday, April 9th, to the wife of Milton Shaw, a daughter.
Miss Forbes is visiting in Chatham

this week.

Mr. Venning, of Dorchester, spent from Friday to Monday with his son W. Brusso is suffering with ap-

w. Brusso is suitering with appendicities.
Mr. and Mrs. A. Garbutt spent Saturday in the Maple City.
Mrs. James Hamilton is suffering from a severe attack of la grippe.
Miss Florence and Georgia Kontze are spending this week with relatives in Blenheim.
Mr. Brussey is spending the Easter

in Blenheim.

Mr. Bussey is spending the Easter holidays in Toronto.

Fred. Bagnal and son Joseph spent Sunday here with the former's mother.

Mrs. F. H. Ouellette returned last week from Hotel Dieu, Windsor, much

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A charming shirt waist of gobelin blue foulard, embroidered in old rose and Nile Green Silk. The blouse waist closes with an inverted box-plait and has two narrow plaits at the shoulders. The sleeves are in bishop style, with an inverted box-platt at the elbow. The skirt has a yoke, which is made in one piece with the narrow front breadth and three wide flounces.

pensive nor yet better wearing than

Plates.

Plates.

This is the age of the plate. The old time dinner set for the people who make the slightest pretense of living fashionably or serving course dinners has passed into innocuous desuetude. Very little if anything is served at the table. My lady must have different style plates for every course, and these, if they are in fine china, will cost her anywhere from \$12 to \$300 or \$400 a dozen. The higher prices prevail if she is a woman given to the dinner party habit, and she must change her plates as she changes her gowns, something as she changes her gowns, something new for every occasion. This means that at least once a year she bies her-self to the man of plates and spends anywhere from \$300 to \$2,000.—New York Times.

Starching.

One of the secrets of perfectly laundered garments is in the starching. Always turn garments wrong side out before putting them in the starch, rub and clap the starch well through, but do not let a bit of it run upon the right side. Thin materials should not be starched at all, but should be dipped the commence of white run. into gum water made of white gum arabic. Especial care should be taken in sprinkling such garments, as they carnot stand the drenching which thicker materials are often treated to.

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"Folding in" is even a lighter sort of mixing. The eggs or what not are beat the in with long single strokes of the apoon or beater, and the whole mass is not touched after the last addition is mixed lightly.

Women in Banks.

Mrs. Evelyn S. Tome of Port Deposit, Md., is president of two national banks,

Soportic.
Mrs. Sharpe—My husband's been troubled with insomnia terribly of late. but he got some sound sleep last night.

Mrs. Nexdore—Some new medicine?

Mrs. Sharpe—Well, yes. I told him was sure I heard burglars down-

Wanted Good Service.

Dusty Daniel-Please, sir, will you lend me a dime to get something to eat? Swell-Why, you've got a quarter in your hand now! What's that for?
Dusty Daniel—That's to tip the waiter!—Boston Globe.

What He Was Doctor Of. Tommy Figgjam—What makes peo ple call the Rev. Longwynde "doctor?" What did he ever cure anybody of? Paw Figgjam-He's cured many a person of a supposedly hopeless case of insomnia.

12:30 A.M.

"You don't feel put out, do you, Clar-"No, Mabel, but I feel as if I'm go-

She—A queer dirge he plays on the plane all the time.

He—Yes, he's in love with a widow and only plays on the black keys.-Boston Herald.

A long lane that has no turn.



Princess evening gown of white lace over pale yellow silk. It is trimmed with yellow chiffon, and has panels of burnt orange crepe de chene appliqued with lace on either side of the skirt.

We were sorry to hear of the death of Thomas Parish, which happened last Saturday night. It was unexpected. The family have the sympathy of the community.

E. Owen left for London Friday to visit his daughter, Mrs. Shoemaker, who is very ill.

J. Cartwright accompanied his sister, Mrs. J. Murphy, of the Bay, to London last week!

BETHEL.

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Our teacher has gone home to spend her Easter holidays.

Mr. Purser has returned from Pontine after a month's visit among friends.

Seeding has become general in this section and by another week everybody will be done.

Owing to ill health McVean Campbell has rented his farm and on Wednesday next will sell by auction his entire stock and implements.

Bruce Read has gone to Manitoba, hoping to gain his health.

Robert Louis has overhauled several barns and houses all ready this spring and has numerous contracts on hand which will take him well into the summer to complete.

Miss Maggie Barnes, our estimable young lady, who has made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Stephens for the last four years, was quietly married on Wednesday to Mr. Robert Filby, a young farmer of this place. Miss Barnes made a host of friends here, who all join in wishing this young couple God speed.

IRWIN'S.

Our teacher, Miss Bertha Robinson, is spending her Easter holidays at her home in Dutton.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Warren P. Huff, a son.

The new residence of Mr. Thomas Lee will be completed the latter part of this month.

Mrs. John Rhodes is spending the few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Jas. Chinnick.

Mr. T. K. Huff has moved on to the farm of Mr. John Symonton.

A concert will be held in Union Hall on Monday evening, April 20th,

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of the Dominion of Canada, at the next session thereof, for an Act incorporating a company under the name of the Chatham, Wallaceburg and Lake Erie Railway Company, with power to construct and operate a railway extending from the city of Chatham through the Townships of East Dover and Chatham and the Gore of Chatham to the Town of Wallaceburg, in the County of Kent, Province of Ontario; and also extending from the said city of Chatham in a south-easterly direction through the Townships of Raileigh and Harwich to a point on Lake Erie; also extending from the Town of Wallaceburg to the Town of Petrolea in the County of Lambton; with power to build and operate docks, wharfs and elevators and to generate electric power for lighting and motive purposes, and to make running arrangements with other railway companies.

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- RECORD OF WRONG-DOING

What the Maple Oity Police Court Statistics for the Past Year Show.—Ohurches are well represent-ed in Orlminal Records.

A glance over the statistics on the local police court register gives some very interesting information and shews that Judge Houston has been a very busy man during the year of 1962. No less than 256 cases have some up before him during that time and of these 197 were convicted, 34 dismissed, 17 withdrawn, five committed for trial and three not disposed of. "This," said Chief Holmes to The Planet, "is about an average year in our line of business."

It is interesting to note the class III is interesting to note the class of people who come up are not educated. Forty-four of the 256 last year had no education whatever; 210 was a common school education, just enough in many cases to write their own names, while only two had superior education.

Already this year the register is It is interesting to note the class

of people who come up at this station and the crimes with which they are charged. With the exception of a few highly respectable citizens, whose names appear in Chief Holmes' records, as the result of riding bicycles on the sidewalk and other minor of-Tesses, the people who are brought tap to face the stern countenance of the Judge each morning, to repent of, and pay up for the wrongs they have done their fellow-men, are chief-By among the more careless classes Not unfrequently the same people are brought up from time to time and there are a certain number of peresons in the city who are, for this treason, known to the authorities as "police court characters." The police court seems to have an irresistable attraction for these people and their visits are naturally quite generally Booked forward to by the Chief who

Drunks are a police court specialty. The number of these cases last year amounted to 70, and then there were mamerous others who were not caught, probably because they can "carry their load" better than the poor unfortunate who has to be taken under the kind and sympathetic protection of the police or probably because their friends were sober enough to take them home in "Sulman's ambulance."

Be this as it may, a person with half an eye can see that drink is either the direct or indirect cause of the majority of cases which find their way down in the police court records-which fact has been forcibly announced on the public platform in past temperance campaigns.

"Drunks are generally among the poorer and lower classes," said the Chief, "but the law is no respector of persons and they have to pay up for their fun at the same rate as the wery richest-and," he added philosophically, "I don't include all of the rich in the higher classes.

It is also shown that theft is the mext popular crime. There were 47

mext popular crime. There were 47 sof these cases disposed of last year. They were all thefts on a small scale and many of these were found guilty and severely punished.

One very interesting feature of the seconds is the ages of the defendants. They range from seven to 82 years, and fully 37 of the 256 defendants were under the age of 21 years. This espeaks very poorly of the younger greneration.

Females are by no means a novelty in the police court. There are 27 fair defendants whose names were in-

camination shows that A close examination shows that are anout half of the defendants are marared and the other half are single.
This will, no doubt, set at naught the arguments of certain people who cally that marriage reduces crime.

perior education.

Already this year the register is filling up fast and the Chief describes it as the same old story.

"People it seems will do wrong." he said, "and we are here to deal with them when they are caught."

A Family History *****

Manager Fred. H. Brisco, of the Grand Opera House, is a lineal de-

try. The name is spelled in this work Brisco. There are a number of families of Briscos in Ireland but they spell their name Briscoe. They too, are a branch of the English family. Ages ago some member of the English family went over to Ireland and settled. All the Briscos in England and Ireland are sprung from this own head. The surname was *********** Ind and settled. All the Briscos in England and Ireland are sprung from this one head. The surname was originally De Birksheagh. The progenitor of the English branch came to England with William the Conqueror. He was of the Norman French race. They lived at Birksheagh or Birkshoog near Newbiggin in a lordship belonging to the Priory of Carlisle. Later the name came to be spelled Brisco. The abode was called the Manor of Brisco or Briscothorn. Isold Brisco obtained the Manor of Crofton, Wainhow and Dundraw, with Mangaret his wife, daughter and heiress of Sir John Crofton, of Crofton, Cumberland County. The Briscos, after this, were known as the Brisco of Crofton. Crofton was the home or seat of the family. Christopher Brisco, of Crofton, in the time of Tudor dynasty was taken prisoner at the burning of Wigton. After this, Burk's History of the Landed Gentry then skips over twelve descendants of the family from Christopher Brisco. These are given in full in Burk's History of the Commoner. The twelfth descendant from Christopher Brisco was the Rev. John Brisco, D. D., of Crofton Hall, Cumberland County, rector of Orton. His son John was created a baronel in July, 1782. He was succeeded by his son Wastell Brisco. The motto of the family is "post virtuatem curro." The Brisco family had only one crest. It represents at the top a greyhound running after a hare, beneath are three greyhounds also running. and Andread Andread

It is no wisdom to go to the edge of the precipice—the safe path is the middle of the right way.

Grand Opera House, is a lineal de-scendant of one of the oldest Eng-lish families. Few people know that brings out what there is in him.



Mr. Brisco has Norman blood in his Females are by no means a novelty in the police court. There are 27 fair defendants whose names were inceribed upon the register last year. The charges brought up against them are drunkenness and neighbor quarmells chiefly. One feature of these trials is the nerve displayed by the defendants and, in matters of neighborly disputes, no matter how fair the decision, it is seldom that either side is satisfied, so that the matter of feeling remains practically the same as before the trial. This, however, is, no doubt, to be expected and the authorities are not much consared over it.

Mr. Brisso has Norman blood in his veins, but he has. His paternal ancestor went over to England from Normandy in the train of William the Conquerer. His descendants were noted amongst the landed gentry of England and the name was well there was an officer in the English army and was sent to Virginia with British force in the early day. Falling in love with the new country, he resigned his commission and three win his fortunes with the new veins, but he has. His paternal anthrew in his fortunes with the new world. At the time of the American recolution, the family was quite moted. They owned large lumber the arguments of certain people who callish that marriage reduces crime. From the point of nationalities, Canadians of course, in a Canadian country, head the list. There were controlled that the point of nationalities are controlled that the point of nationalities. Canadian defendants last year. The Canadian defendants last year. The contension of the war, they contained that the scotch hold file place of honor at just five Scotchness place of honor at just five Scotchness that seven, and the Scotchness that this almost destroys the theory that drink is the school of the war, they contained that the chief canas for so many police court offenders but it must be remember to that the Chief is English.

One remarkable fact in connection wifa these 256 law-breakers is that every one of them, except two, belong the some religious denomination. Odd cas this may seem, it is, nevertheless, true, as is shown in the records. The Methodista are in the lead in point of numbers, there having been 78 updaining the year. The others are Catholics 50, Baptists 44, Episcopalians 45, Persperians 30, Inthanian 2, Salints 4, Salvation Army 1. This, connected with the lator the original Crown deed granting the year. The others are Catholics 50, Baptists 44, Episcopalians 45, Persperians 30, Inthanian 2, Salints 4, Salvation Army 1. This connected with the fact that the officenders are chiefly; emong, and in fact, ilmost entirely confines of the point of the morth pole of the most highly prized the political property and seek a new home in the salid in 1812 in a case of the most highly prized to the control of the morth pole of the most highly prized to the control of the morth pole of the most highly prized to the control of the morth pole of the most highly prized to the political property and seek a new home in the salid in the control of the morth pole of the morth pole of the morth pole of the morth pole of the control of the morth pole of the control of the morth p revolution, the family was quite noted. They owned large lumber

Sour Grapes.

Nothing could be more ridiculous than Congressman DeArmond's pro-posal to annex Canada to the Unit-ed States, or rather to empower the President to enter into negotiations

looking to that end, says The Chicago Journal.

We do not believe that the people of the United States are crying for Canada, and we are sure that the people of Canada are not crying for the United States. base of Canada are not crying for the United States. We are good enough friends and might as well stay that way. Such propositions as Mr. DeArmond's do not tend to strengthen friendship.

We have never beard that there is subject in existence. The binding is superb. The spell-binding is want-

as Mr. DeArmond s do not tend to strengthen friendship.

We have never heard that there was the least sentiment in Canada favorable to annexation to the Un-ion. There was none at the time of

with jokes.

"Steamboats Fast and Otherwise," by the owner of the Snail in Distress. This book shows that the author has a lot of sand.

"Ocal, How to Burn It," by the city dealers. This is a very black tale. city dealers. This is a very black tale.

"By the Church Door," by the Chatham girl. This is a very realistic novel which is bound to interest—also in calf. It gives a very lucid explanation why some young men, who are never seen in ohurch, are adways found at the church door when service dismisses.

"Hints to Help Build an Electric Road in Kent County," by the late George C. Rankin. This is a very deep work, about 400 pages.

"Recollections of a River Thames Pilot," by Sinibad the sailor. This would be a very interesting story were it not for an unaccountable doubling in the thread of the narrafive.

"Sidet realed a Cyclist's Story." by

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Fred. H. Brisco, of the Grand Opera House. This is a volume of travels in Kent County, containing the story of incidents that Mr. Brisco particiof incidents that Mr. Brisco participated in while running around his theatrical circuit. Mr. Brisco had the theatres at Wallaceburg, Dresden, Blenheim and Bidgetown leased this year, and the work contains many interesting stories from life, never before published. The presses broke down after printing the first edition, which was limited to one copy—very rare.

"Autobiography of the Funniest Man Alive," by W. W. Scane, revised and expurgated by Capt. Fred. B.

stevens.

"How to be a Soldier, a Story of Hard Work and Military Life," by Lieut. Norman D. Harper.

"Etiquette and Rules for the Conduct of a Concert," by Judge Houston, written with the aid of a stenographer. The title page bears the

con, written with the aid of a steno-grapher. The title page bears the mark of the author. "How I Became a Joker," by John Lee, M. P. P., being a monograph that will be of use to every Liberal

"Shows I Know are Good," a second product of the gifted pen of Manager Fred. H. Brisco. This is a very ex-tensive work, but few of the plays mentioned have ever reached Chat-

mentioned have ever reached Chat, ham.

"Letters of an Absent Comedian," by George Perrim, being the first official record of a spiel which Mr. Perrim was to have given at Brisco's Benttit last year.

"The Golden Path to the Stage," by Burney Weldon. This story is short but it is bright and teeming with jokes.

tive.
"Sidetracked, a Cyclist's Story," by
8. B. Arnold. This is a vital tale of
the awful fate that befel a wheel-

A Maple City man of marke liter-try proclivities purposes to make up a collection of rare volumes for the new Carnegie Library in this city. His selection will include the follow-ing:

A Maple City man of marke liter-fell into the hands of the City Council. "Camelia, a Western Love Story," by School Trustee H. S. Clements. This is a very touching little romance. "Fish and their Habits," by Vitel

"Fish and their Habits," by Vitel Goudreau, with editorial introduction by G. S. Heyward. This work is in 284 volumes. It is a charming piscatorial narrative abounding in new and startling situations.

"Belts and How to Make Them," by Susie. This is a sweet story told in light effeminate language.

"How the City Buncoed the Tennis Club," by Dr. Musson, in two volumes. This is a bitter satire. There used to be good grounds for the story or rather before it.

"Best Ways to Sell Bad Oil Stock,"

rather before it.

"Best Ways to Sell Bad Oil Stock,"
by the Banner man. This is purely
a work of fiction.

"The Office Seeker." This work is
anonymous but, of date, several well
known names have been connected
with the authorship. with the authorship.

****** Practical Pointers ‡

that want be of use to every hierard politician who hopes to rise.

"The History of the Marx Tile."
This book is published anonymously, but the identity of the author is betrayed to the initiated by certain ful people as at the present time. history have so many questions arisen to demand the attention of thought-

mystery for some time why Chatham should be without an electric current for power purposes. Probably the gentlemen who comprise the Chatham Gas & Electric Light Company know what they are doing, but surely if an all-day current pays in such places as Stratford, St. Thomas and many smaller places it could be made pay in this the best city of its size in Ontario.

It is true that for some years past we have had a day current during the summer months to supply power for the electric fans. But if the current could be assured all the year round, would not many of our citizens who require power, avail themselves of it and supply themselves with electric motors?

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No other power is so desirable for wood turners, printers, machinists, (in shops not too large) dentists, gunsmiths, jewelers, etc., etc. Besides, many of our stores would, in all probability, put in elevators and in a great many ways the all-day current would very soon become a paying institution and add materially to our citylike ways. citylike ways.

Just at the present time when a good deal of attention is being given to the investigation of the Gamey charges in the local House, it might not be amiss to draw the attention of those having authority to the rights of witnesses in the box. Most of the Toronto papers refer to "the heckling," "the badgering," "the severe ordeal," "the evident attempt to provoke Mr. Gamey and thus in anger cause him to make unguarded statements" in discussing Mr. Johnston's cross-examination.

Now to the ordinary mind a great deal of this appears to be both unnecessary and undesirable. Of course, the fullest opportunity must be given to obtain the facts and all the facts, "the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth," but this does not necessitate the bull-dozing, the tally-ragging, the irrelevency, the in-

not necessitate the bull-dozing, the tally-ragging, the irrelevency, the insolence, which comprise a great part of the stock in trade, of many lawyers. Of course it is presumed the same thing will happen when the witnesses for the Government are being cross-examined by the lawyer for the prosecution. Attention is not drawn to this particular case, but to the general disregard of the rights and feelings of witnesses under cross-examination.

ross-examination.
Our police magistrates and judges will earn the gratitude of the munity if they will force the brow-beating and often insolent lawyers to respect the rights and feelings of

CLOSE-STICKING HABIT.

One of the Difficulties About Smeking-A

The recent agitation against cigar-ettes has caused Canadian news-papers to recall many anecdotes about smokers and smoking. The To-ronto News says, speaking of Par-liamentarians who smoke, that it was down at Harvard, when Sir liamentarians who smoke, that it was down at Harvard, when Sir Hibbert Tupper was in his student days, that he learned to smoke. As at most colleges, almost every youngster soon picked up the habit, and once contracted, it stuck to him closer than a brother. That would seem to be the difficulty about smoking. Like every other habit, it is hard to abandon.

hard to abandon hard to abandon.

George Augustus Sala, who was a
world-renowned connoisseur in tobaccos, was once asked for a definition of friendship.

"Well," he said, "I can only give

"Well," he said, "I can only give an illustration. Suppose two smokers to be wrecked on a desert island, one of them having preserved a solitary cigar, while the other has none. If the man with the cigar should cut it in half and give one piece to his companion, I think he would give the finest exemplification of true friendship that could be presented."

sented."
Sala is pretty nearly correct, but
the party of the first part is purely
suppositious. It is not to be
lieved that he ever could exist. He is all right as an example, but he will never be met by anybody. And Kipling, in his somwhat coarse manner, has sung that

German characters in the style. It This is perhaps a matter of course, is a polished work. German characters in the is a polished work.
"Why I Left Jail," by Annie Reaume, showing how seeming misfortune may be turned into an artific disenses rance triumph. It's creased knowledge; increased knowledge means often not greater simfortune may be turned into an artistic disappearance triumph. It's cheeky but instructive and explains a great mystery.
"A Manual of English Pronunciation," by Francis M. Bechard. This work has been pronounced by experts to be the finest directory of what not to do that this country has ever seen. plicity but greater complexity, hence questions that one hundred years ago

(or even much less) were simple and

well settled, to-day are exceedingly

complex and very much unsettled.

The relation of labor to capital, employer to employee, the standard of success in life, the public ownership of railroads, telegraphs, telephones, electric light and waterworks

phones, electric light and waterworks systems, etc., these are questions continually coming up for solution, and to the discussion of some of these and kindred questions this column will be devoted each week in the special Saturday issue.

A suggestion was made some week

ago by one of our citizens that a club might be formed in Chatham somewhat similar to the Canadiar club of Toronto. This is a club of

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the ordinary men, business and pro-fessional, doing business in the city. Once a week these men meet and have lunchesn together from 12 to 1, each man paying for his own lunch. As there are always fifteen or twenty minutes to spare, some one comes prepared to give a short talk on some municipal, social or literary questions. This creates a spirit of good fellowship and dispels many of the misconceptions that business and professional men entertain of each other. Once a month something somewhat more elaborate might be enjoyed, when the members could have supper together, going directly from business at six o'clock and spending a short time, not later than till nine o'clock in social intercourse and mutual improvement. Any such scheme should be heartly endorsed, and some of our young and enterprising business men should take hold of the matter and the result can be nothing but beneficial and pleasant. SEE HERE

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