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When you ask for Rogers cutlery you know you're getting the highest standard, so when you buy Crossley's carpets you buy an article with a similar reputation. We are the only firm in this section which buys these goods direct from the maker. This means a saving in cost which puts us in a position to sell the highest grades at reasonable prices.

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The Athens Hardware Store.



Give me a call when wanting anything in my line.

Wm. Karley,

morning will be completed and returned on the evening have the active support and assistance of every true patriot and, more particularly, of the farmers of Canada.

THE EXAMINATIONS

The departmental examinations will Matriculation or senior leaving, July 2nd to 13th.

ORATORY AT SMITH'S FALLS

In reporting the Senator Frost ban-quet at Smith's Falls, the News

There were some brilliant flights of oratory during the evening. Mr. Donavon, of Athens, is eloquent and flowery He has a good voice, a pleasing manner, and his well chosen remarks were an evidence of his ability to "rise to the occasion." He is a credit to Athens, a credit to himself, and a valuable citizen of a great

HIGH PRESSURE DAYS

Men and women alike have to work incessantly with brain and hand to old their own nowadays. Never were the demands of business, the wants of more numerous. The first effect of the praiseworthy effort to keep up with all these things is commonly seen in a weakened or debilitated condition of the nervous system, which results in dyspepsis, defective nutrition of both body and brain, and in extreme cases in complete nervous prostration. It is clearly seen that what is needed is what will sustain the system, give vigor and tone to the nerves, and keep the digestive and assimilative functions healthy and active. From personal nearthy and active. From personal moveledge, we can recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla for this purpose. It acts on all vital organs, builds up the whole system, and fits men and woman for these high pressure days.

THE FARMERS' ASSOCIATION

An organization bearing the above name was organized at a meeting of farmers held in Toronto last Septem ber, and it is being extended all over the province. It may fairly be regarded as a successor to the Patrons of Industry, but, baving in mind the rock upon which that society was wrecked, the new association will endeavor to keep absolutely free from all party enting lements. The tollowing resolutions were passed at the time when the central organization was formed and will help to give an idea of the reasons for the association's existence :-

"That, while deeming it inadvisable to establish a political party, we be lieve it is for the welfare of the country that there should be an organization ready to bring its influence to secure and promote the interests of the far-mers in matters of legislation and

"The granting of public money private and corporate interests in the form of bonuses and bouncies is unjust to the masses of people, and should be forthwith discontinued."

"The Association believes it is in the interest of an agricultural country like Canada that there should be the like Canada that there should be the atrictest of public regulation of transportation, and that a Commission with power to fix rates, with right of speedy appeal to one count for currents. appeal to one court on questions of law only, and not to any political trib-unal, should be established without

"Owing to the present condition of our assessment laws, agriculture has been made to bear an unequal burden of taxation. We therefore declarathat our laws should be so amended

Main St., Athens.

Here's an Advantage

On any day of the week, excepting Wednesday, a "rush" order for poster work, etc., reaching the Reporter office in the people. and that it should therefore.

PREACHER'S WIFE ELOPES

South McAlister, 1.T., March 27 .-The departmental examinations will take place on the following dates;—
Art school examination, April 23rd to 25th; kindergarten. June 18th and 19th; Entrance. June 24th to 26th; Junior Matriculation, June 29th to Canada. Mrs. Earl was bound over the control of Canada. Mrs. Earl was bound over the control of Canada. July 2nd to 13th; Commercial came with her nine year old son to diploma, June 29th and 30th; Honor Little Oklahoma City for the latter's came with her nine year old son to Little Oklahoma City for the latter's health, staying with the busband's brother, Dr. S. H. Earl. It is charged that she recently eloped with a Holiness preacher, F. A. Morgan, who was arrested and is now in jail. Mrs. Earl says her relations with Morgan were entirely Platonic.

PARISH OF LANSDOWNE REAR

Divine service will be held Trinity Church, Landowne Rear, on Good Friday at 10 30 a.m., and at Christ Church, Athens, at 3.00 p.m. On Easter Sunday there will be celebrations of the Holy Eucharist at Christ Church, Athens, at 9 a.m., and at Trinity Church, Lansdowne Rear, t 11 a. m., with sermon. Evensong at Christ Church, Athens,

with sermon, at 7 p. m.

The Annual Vestry Meeting will be held at Christ Church, Athens, on Monday, at 7 30 p. m., and at Trinity Chnrch. Lansdowne Rear, on Tuesday, at 7.30 p.m. After the vestry meetthe family, the requirements of society, ing at Trinity Church, there will be a meeting of the congregation to elect a delegate to the diocesan synod for the

next three years.

The children of the Sunday-school are requested to return their mite boxes on Easter Sunday.

WM. WRIGHT, Rector. Athens, Ont, April 6, 1903.

JUST THE CHEESE

lowing reply to the letter of enquiry she sent to England by the cheese-KINGSTON-ON-THAMES, 3/19, '03.

Miss Halladay has received the fol-

Miss E. Halladay, Elgin, Ont.

Dear Madame,-We have received your note placed in bottle, October 4th, '02. Quality is excellent; cut up beautifully; creamy, and is delicious in flavor. Dominion cheese is far sup-erior to American and New Zealand make. English cheddar commands higher price, because it is scarcer, not

superior in quality.

We paid 64s. per cwt. on Jan. 9;
now it is worth 72s.; sells at 8d. per Yours very truly

Manager Nuthalls & Sons

LEAGUE BASEBALL

We are pleared to learn that the mportance of physical culture is recognized by the young men of Athens, nized by the young men of Attens, and that, with a view to promoting it and obtaining wholesome recreation, they intend forming a baseball club for this season. A meeting for this purpose will be held in Lamb's hall this (Wednesday) evening, to which all interested in the matter are invited. The houngest of the meeting will be

The business of the meeting will be organization, the election of officers, and the providing of a fund for defrayan interest. For a village to possess a reputation for physical culture is almo t as desirable as a reputation for superior mental endowment; and when the two may be combined, as in this instance, those loyal to the fair name and fame of Athens should endeaver to consummate the union.

An attempt will be made to form

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OBITUARY

Respecting the death of Mr. E. Fair's mother, recorded in last week's Reporter, the Gananoque Journal says: On Sunday morning at ten o'clock Mrs. Hester Fair, wife of the She was a consistent member of the Church of England. The remains were taken to her home at Dulceman on Monday afternoon and on Tuesday were followed by a large number o relatives and triends to St. John's church, where Rev. Mr. Leech con ducted the last sad rites, after which the body was placed in the vault. She leaves to mourn her loss three sons and one daughter, who with he many other friends have the heartfel

FUTURE OF CHEESE

that our laws should be so amended that the property of railroads and other public service corporations should be assessed for the same proportion of value as the proporty of private property-owners and taxation thus placed on a juster and more equal basis."

An attempt will be made to form a league composed of clubs in the follow-ricultural committee at Ottawa to tell what the department is doing in the way of developing the cheese trade in Canada, particularly. In reply to the reason. A league schedule, the power vested in the executive, the power vested in the executive, the convertible of the power vested in the executive, the convertible of the same proportion of private property-owners and taxation thus placed on a juster and more equal basis."

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Let there be a large attendance this evening. You do not have to be able to pitch a curve or bat a ball in order to be eligible for membersip in the club. If you would like to see a good ball club organised here, lend the favor of your countenance at the meeting this evening.

These were met by the Canadian railways, and it costs hardly any more to send cheese from Ontario to London than from Ayrshire to London.

B. W. & S. S. M. RAILWAY TIME TABLE.

Forthton	*10.02	66	*4.45	46	
Elbe	*10.07	66	*4.50	46	
Athens (arrive)			4.58	66	
" (leave).	10.14	86	5.04	66	
Soperton	*10.31	64	5.24	66	
Lyrdhurst	*10.38	66	*5.31	64	
D -ita	10.44	66	5.39	66	
Elgin	10.57	66	5 58	66	
Forfar	*11.03	66	*6 05	66	
Crosby	*11.10	66	*6.12	66	
Newboro	11 18	66	6.45	66	
Westport (arrive) 11.30	66	6.40	66	**
GO	ING EAS	r			
	No.	1	No.	3	
Westport (leave	7.00	a.m	. 3.30	p.n	1.
Newboro			3.45	68	
Crosby		66	*8.55	66	
Forfar	. *7.27	66	*4.01	66	
Elgin		66	4.09	66	
Delta		66	4 27	66	
Lyndhurst		66	*4.83	66	-
Soperton			*4.40	66	
Athens (arrive			4.59	66	
" (leave).		66	5.04	86	
Elbe		46	5.09	- 66	
Forthton		66	*5.15	66	
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Brockville (arri	ve) 9.00	16	6.05	66	
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MISTAKES AT ROYAL COURTS.

The queen's drawing-rooms, as the receptions given by Great Britain's Queen are called, are exceedingly formal occasions, gueets and attendants being governed by certain fixed rules as inviolable as the laws of the Medies and Persians. Not long ago a very stout and dignified dowager left the royal presence covered with confusion and in anything but a Christian frame of mind. She had sank low in a deep courtesy before the Queen and after kissing her royal hand was in the act of rising when she found her upward progress unaccountably arrested.

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Again and again she made the attempt to recover the perpendicular, growing hotter and more confused at each attempt, and finally, white making a desperate effort, the good lady lost her precarious balance and sat down heavily on the floor.

In a moment one of the court officials in attendance hastened to her rescue, and she was with difficulty and amid scarcely suppressed merri-

and amid scarcely suppressed merri-ment restored to her feet again. Her disaster had been quite innocently caused by the lady who was coming after her standing on her train, and, if looks could kill, that lady would certainly have been annihilated by the withering glance cast at her by the dowager as she swept out of the

room.

In another case it is said that while a certain highly placed lady was in the act of kissing the Queen's continuous for her was in the act of kissing the Queen's hand a substantial portion of her front hair became detached and fell on the floor at the royal feet, leaving the lady with a frontal exposure more eloquent of intellect than beauty. To the credit of this unbeauty. hapy lady let it be recorded that she calmly stooped, picked up the vagrant locks and carried them off of thout a trace of discomposure.

But these ludricous misadventures

But these ludricous misadventures are not the monopoly of the fair sex. A once well known and corpulent city man who had survived the ordeal of the royal homage and was gracefully retiring from the presence found his legs mixed up with his sword so awkwardly that he stumbled and measured his length on the floor and resignedly lay there until he was rescued and restored to

antil he was rescued and restored to the vertical.

A pretty story is told of a fair debutante, the most beautiful girl of her year, and her presentation at court. She was on the point of retircourt. She was on the point of reci-ing after kissing the hand of our pre-sent queen, who was taking the place of Queen Victoria, when in her ex-ceeding nervousness she trod on her ceeding nervousness sho trod on her train and would have fallen, had not a court official, whose duty it was to be prepared for such contingen-

to be prepared for sitel contingen-cies, caught her in his arms.

Not many weeks later the young lady and her rescuer found them-selves guests at the same country, house and turned their singular introduction to such good account that within a year the wedding bells were set a-ringing.

It is not at all an uncommon ex-

perience for a lady—relying on the usual crowded drawing room and in order to avoid a long wait and a crush—to put off her arrival too

Rossway, Jan. 28, 1901. C. C. RICHARDS & CO. Dear Sirs,—This fall I got thrown on a feace and hurt my chest very

ball so I could not work, and it hard me to breathe. I tried all kinds of Liniments and they did me no good. One bottle of MINARD'S LINIMENT warmed on flannels and applied on my breast cured me completely.
C. H. COSSEBCOM.
Rossway, Digby Co., N. S.

long and miss the function altogether. But at least one ady justimanaged to save the situation by tour de force. The drawing room was over and

the royal group was preparing to make its exit when a sound of voices in dispute was heard just outside the door. "But I must go in!" a high-pitched voice was heard to exclaim in resolute tones, and a moment later in sailed the belated owner of the voice, flushed with haste and argument, and made her way toward the royal group. With an encouraging smile the queen turned toward her and extended her hand; the lady courtesied and retired, jubilant at the thought that she had had

her way, even in a royal palace.

Less fortunate was a debutante who on the eve of her presentation was siezed with an illness which made it impossible for her to attend the court. Her name was sent in for the next drawing-room, but in for the next drawing-room, but again she was disappointed, for her fathers death made attendance im-possible for at least a year, and when at last there seemed a proswhen the tast there seemed a pros-pect of success at the third at-tempt she met with a fatal acci-dent in the hunting field and died on the very day when she should have made her courtesy to the

at least one occasion a debutante secured a presentation without going through any of the formalities, and certainrecessary formalities, and certain-by without the approval of the queen and the responsible officials. In the middle of the stately func-tion a poodle, which had in some incomprehensible way evaded the guardians of the portals, trotted into the room, cast an indifferent and by no means respectful glance at the royalties and made his exit through the opposite door, quite ignorant of his daring definice of all court etiquette.

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But these amusing adventures are by no means confined to the royal presence. The present practice is for a lady when she leaves the throne room to give her name to a official, who telephones for her arriage to be ready for her. On occasion a lady after giving name to the official made her way down to the entrance hall, and entered the waiting carriage, which drove off with her.

She had not proceeded far, however, before she recognized that the sumptuous vehicle in which she was driving was not hers and with much difficulty she succeeded in getting the coachman to pull up, when she discovered that she had innocently abducted the carriage of a certain duchess, whose name was almost identical with her own, with the important exception of the fittle When she succeeded in with the important exception of the title. When she succeeded in the title. When she succeeded in finding her own vehicle, she ultimately drove away in a single brougham, which had evidently been hired for the occasion, to the scarcely concealed disgust of the ducal coachman she had been compelled to discard.

> Returning the Compliment. Harvard Lampoo

Good Old Lady—I wouldn't smoke cigarettes if I were you, little boy! Diminutive Mucker—An' I wouldn't smoke 'em if I was you.

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once.
"Of course," said he, coldly, cannot permit you to murder me un til you have given me satisfactory of your financial standing and ability to pay a suitable indem-

The heathen at once saw the force of this and withdrew, promising to come again to-morrow with collatoral.

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I'll get along all right—
I shall play at golf the whole day
through,
And at bridge the livelong night.

I shall have a little sailing yacht, a motor all my own. chan't be plagued with this ren's bills

For things that they've outgrown. And when I'm sick of everything, And dull as duil can be.

And dult as duit can be,
I shall think how glad I've made
som; girl
Who didn't marry me.

-By a Bachelor, with apologies, in
Punch.

He Had Smiled Repeatedly. N. Y. Sun.

Pa," said the small boy, "what

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day to get some loaf sugar.

all the time."

"Why don't you change him, then,

has the money?

would.

When nen get devoted to girls, first it's chaperons, then mother-in-law, then doctors. (Some women's figures are so dainty that when a man looks at them he

thinks of upholstery.

A woman who wears a "rat" has a pretty mean opinion of one who touches up her complexion.—New York Press.

Every Housel eeper must often ast as a family physician. Painkillier for all the little liks, cuts and sprrins, as well as for all bowel complaints is irdi-quensable. Avoid substi-tutes, there is but one "Painkiller," Perry tutes, there is but one "Painkiller," Perry

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Things haven't changed much in
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"And I feel sad," replied the young man. "I asked Miss Sullivan to be my, wife, and she declined the

honor."
"That's too bad," said the parson. "But it's in accord with the Scriptures, which says: "Ye asked and received not, because ye asked "Well, what would you advise me

to do?" queried the youth.
"Next time ask a widow," replied
the good man, with a suspicious
twinkle in his eye,—Pittsburg Press.

Made Him Weep

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By mistake the grocer gave him granulated, and the boy was sent back to have it changed.

"How do you like your new brother?" asked the grocer, as he was weighing out the right kind of sugar.

"Oh, I don't like him very much," the little fellow answered. "He cries all the time."

as you do the sugar?"
"We can't change him now, 'cause
we've used him three days."—Philadelphia Ledger. Nell—It was a case of love at first sight. Belle—Which one of them

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns,

Reflections of a Bachelor. Most men carry success as grace-fully as they do too much liquor. When you kiss a girl with freckles they never taste the way they look they would

He Asked a Miss. "What's the trouble, my boy?" queried the minister of a young member of his flock. "You look

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Judge. Gladys-Papa read your book of coems and wept over every line.

Her Affianced-He did? Gladys—Yes. He said he couldn't help but weep to thick such a lob-ster was coming into the family.

Red Spruce Gum

Has been tested and has become the

Cough Remedies come and go. New preparations are tried and abandoned, but the old reliable remains. The present is a trying season for both old and young, and colds, easily caught now are art to remain for the winter unless promptly cured. No better remedy can be found than

I know no such perelstent tempsubtle in its nature nor so disastrous in its consequences, as that which makes us like to seem to our juriors not only established in altogether virtuous ways, but as if we cut glass and other articles until had been so established all our lives. ous attitude to take, aspecially before the young, who have no means
of knowing what rapids we, their
elders, have encountered when guiding to a present safety the trail
crafts of our character.
The young, whose very nature it is
to feel the differences that distinguish them as individuals from the
rest of mankind, never famor them

rest of mankind, never fancy them-selves so isolated as when they wit-ness some of the older ones harbored in quiet ports apparently unas-salled by tempests. Then it is that by very contrast the young imagine themselves as controlled by an ad-verse fate which has sent them adrit and alone on the sea of wild temptations over which no respectable old person could ever have been sent to sail. Is it right to make them feel so, I ask myself often, gratifying as it may be to us to be venerated? opulent people are considered ill-bred who make the indigent feel pov-erty-stricken. It seems to me quite as culpable for the virtuous elderly person to make the young stumbler feel himself a sinner.—April Cen-

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> Knew All About it. Vancouver World.

Teacher—What is the meaning of parvenu"?

Johnny—An upstart. Teacher-Give a sentence in which the word is used. Johnny-When a man sits down on a bent pin he gives a violent parvenu.

They're Otherwise All Right.

Kansas City Journal.

It is said that 25 per cent. of the Governors of the various States are Methodists. In most respects, however, the Methodists stand as well as other denominations.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh have only a brush and comb between that Contains Mercury

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May - Oh, I would have lost so many kisses while I had my mouth

open.-Chicago News. Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

Burnt His "Breeches." An eminent Chicago lawyer tells me

this story, says a writer in the Brooklyn Eagle: "My father always took a great interest in musical matters, and was often the patron of impecunious musicians. Among the latter I remember a certain Professor Schell, a memoer a certain Professor scheff, a fine pianist, who used to visit our house. The professor had been mak-ing a hard but unsuccessful struggle, had become almost disheartened, and was seriously thinking of giving up and returning to Germany. My fa-ther, who thoroughly liked him, had tried to encourage him, and had promised to aid him in fluding pup.ls; but still the professor vacillated for many weeks. One afternoon he entered our library, followed by my father, and, walking solemnly up to my mother, said, with an air of profound gravity. tried to encourage him, and had

"Midam, I had burnt my breeches behint me,"
"Good gracious" ejaculated my mother, with an involuntary, startled glance in the direction of the pro-

fessor's coat tails. "My father interposed tactfully, the professor meanwhile nodding acquiescence: 'You will be glad' to know, my dear, that what Professor Schell means by saving he has burned his bridges belied him is that has leased a house here forta year greatly relieved, 'How delightful'"



A little Sunlight Soap will clean It is not, I think, a very courage, they shine and sparkle. Sunlight ous attitude to take, aspecially be- Soap will wash, other things than 4B clothes.

Hard Necessity.

N Y. Sun. Mrs. Gotrox—Are you really going to move? I thought you were well satisfied with your house?
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Confessions of Geraldine.

How much longer can I endure it? This morning my hushand rose hefore daybreak. He was too lazy to light a lamp, and breakfasted in the dark. The result was he ate the prepared kindling wood instead of the predigested breakfast food.

When the servants got up there was nothing to huld the fire with. Of course they were angry and left. I do not hlame them.

I spoke of the matter to my hushand to-night. He said he did not care, that he had felt first-rate all day.

The selfish brute.
I am guite calm as I write. I marvel at my own patience.

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Conundrums.

When was beef the highest? When he cow jumped over the moon. What is the difference between one yard and two yards? A fence. Why is a straw hat like kissing through a telephone? Because neither is felt.

Why is your shadow like a false friend? Because it only follows you in sunshine. Why is your nose in the middle of Because it is the

if a woman asks her blind lover the color of a flower, what would he say? I have no i-dea. As I was going through a field of wheat I found something good to eat, it wasn't fish or flesh or bone; I

kept it till it ran alone. An egg.
What roof never keeps out of the
wet? The roof of the mouth. What fruit is on a cent? A date.
What fruit is on a cent? A date.
Why is a solar eclipse like the
whipping of a boy by his mother?
Because it is the hiding of the son. Which animal has the most pro-perty to carry with him when he travels, and which two have the least? The elephant the most be-

What is that which is invisible yet never out of sight? The letter "I."
Why is the letter A like 12 o'clock?

It is the middle of day.

When is a dog like the minute hand? When he is on the watch. Why is the vowel "O" the only one ounded? Because the rest are

Why is the letter d like a sailor? It follows the c (sea).

Why is a pair of skates like an Because they have occasioned the fall of man. Why is a book like a king? It has many pages.

What burns to keep a secret?

Sealing wax. Never Heard of Him Sunday School Teacher-Who kill-

Bobby (a stranger) —I don't know ma'am. I just moved here last week

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Feathers for Father. * Will you get wings when you g to heaven?" asked little Elsie of he

father, who is baldheaded.
"Yes, dear," he replied.
"And will they put fe your head, too, ppg ?" she persisted, -Ohio State Journal.

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The Resurrection.-1 Cor. 15: 20, 21, 50-58

Commentary-After proving the resurrection of Christ from the scriptures (vs. 1-4) and from exe-witnesses (vs. 5-12), Paul offers a strong argument by showing the re-sults of the contrary doctrine: (1. The whole gospel would be a failure and preaching and faith vain (v. 14). and preaching and faith vain (v. 14). This is clear because, (1), If Christ has not been raised from the dead He cannot keep His promises. 2. He cannot he a present Saviour from sin. 3. He cannot he proved to be the Son of God. "It is His power over death, His continued existence, his ever living, that completes the proof that He is a divine Saviour."

4. There has been no atonement for sins. There can he no second coming.

1. Christ's resurrection affirmed.

-vs. 20, 21.

20. Now is Christ risen—"Paul begins this famous chapter with a harshalling of the proofs of the resurrectior of Christ. He brings witness after witness, even 500 at

vitness after witness, even 500 at one time, who during the forty days between the resurrection and the assension, saw Jesus, touched Him, heard him ta'k, ate with Him, walked with Him at different times in various places, and many of these witnesses were familiar acquaint-

ances. 21. By man-It pleased God that in some way humanity should with-in itself, however aided with divinty, work out its own destiny, both for death and life, in Adam and in for death and his, in Adam and in Christ." Came death—Compare Romans v. 12-19 with the narrative in Gen. iii. By man....the resurrection—Mortality came by Adam, immortality by Christ. So sure as all leasts here were heated. have been subjected to natural death by Adam, so sure shall all be raised again by Christ Jesus.—

Clarke.

It The incorruptible body (vs. 50-57), 50. This I say—The apostle shows clearly that man in his present conceanty that man in his present contents. clearly that man in his present condition cannot enter the portals of eternal glory. Flesh and blood—Man in his present state of infirmity and decay, with a body that is fragile and weak. Cannot inherit—His nature is not capable of enduring the "eternal weight of glory." In order to be able to inhabit the eternal mensions, man must be immortal. Kingdom of God-Heaven; appropriately called the kingdom because He will reign there in undivided and perfect glory forever.—Barnes. Neither doth, etc.—Our ordinary flesh and plood is by its very nature destined to corruption. It is not with such flash and blood that we can become partakers of the incorruptible life.

-Lias. 51, 52. A mystery-A truth not known before, and even now that it is revealed it is too deep for human reason to fathom. We—That is, the whole body of Christians who are candidates for the glorious resurrection. The use of the word "we" in this georgetical days not received. this connection does not prove, as some seem to think, that the apostle some seem to think, that the apostic expected to be alive at the coming of Christ. Not all asleep—We shall not all die. All be changed—Those who are alive at the day of judgment shall be changed so that their bodies will become spiritual bodies like the bodies of those who shall be

ed from the dead.

54. This corruptible—The mor tal body is not destroyed and again created, but it is "elothed upon" with insmortality. "It receives an addition of qualities which it did not possess before." Is written—In Isaith xxv. 8. Swallowed up—Death is here personilied and represented as a depersonified and represented as a de-veuring being, swallowing up all the generations of men, and by the resurcetion of the body and the destruc-tion of the empire of death, God is represented as swallowing him up. tion of the empire of death, God is represented as swallowing him up.— Clarke. In victory—The victory over death and the grave will be com-plete. The changed body will be (1) incorruptible, (2) glorious, (3) powerful, (4) a spiritual body, (5) one like the body of the glorified Christ. What a time of victory that will be for the righteous:

55-57. Thy sting—Quoted from Hosea xiii. 14. Death is here represented as having a sting. O grave-death—The R. V. also transposes the two members of this verse. Sting.... sin—"Death could not have entered into the world if sin had not cu-tered first, and it is sin that has armed death with its destroying force; by sin both body and soul are slain." The law—That which gives in its power is the fact that it is transgression of the righteous

law of an all-wise and all-holy being.

III. The church admonished (v. 58).

St. Therefore—We come now to the conclusion of this wonderful chapter. conclusion of this wonderful chapter. Stedfast—Be settled and firm in your faith in the resurrection, which some (v. 12) are endeavoring to over-throw. Unmoveable—"Let nothing move you away from this hope of the gospel, which is given unto you." Always abounding—"steadfast means positive, intrinsic firmness; unmoveable implies resistance to the mightiest outward pressures and flercest onsets: abounding means energetic onsets: abounding means energetic action." Work of the Lord— That

netion." Work of the Lord—That which the Lord required; all the duties of Christians. The conversion of sinners and the upbuilding of the church. Ye know—Christians are a positive people. They do not live in uncertainty and doubt.

Thoughts.—"The one point which is most distinctly the peculiarity of Curistian teaching as to the future state is the resurrection of the body. (It has been said that Christianity is the only religion which takes seris the only religion which takes ser-lous account of the body, or does it any honor, or regards holiness as possible in connection with it.) It is all a pure matter of revelation, and a pure question of faith. Now that the truth has been announced, vartous natural analogies may be im-



Mrs. Anderson, a prominent society woman of Jacksonville, Fia., daughter of Recorder of Deeds, West, says:

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"I have seen cases where wome doctored for years without permanent benefit who were cured in less than three months after taking your Vege-table Compound, while others who were chronic and incurable came out cured, happy, and in perfect health after a thorough treatment with this medicine. I have never used it myself without gaining great benefit. A without gaining great benefit. A few doses restores my strength and appetite, and tones up the entire system. Your medicine has been tried and found true, hence I fully endorse it."—Mrs. R. A. Andreson, 225 Washington St. Jacksonville. ington St., Jacksonville, Fla. — \$5000 forfeit if original of above testimonial proving genu-ineness cannot be produced.

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agined and pressed into service; but certainly they never suggested it. Reason, unaided, never dreamed of the resurrection

PRACTICAL SURVEY.

The doctrine of the resurrection of the body is distinctively a reve-lation of the Bible and Christianity. Heathen religion and philosophy contained intimations of a future life for the spirit, but contained no hint of a resurrection for the body. Hence the doctrine of the resurrection from the dead

of the resurración from the dead as taught by the apostles seemed foelishness to the heathen world. Importance of the resurrection of Christ to the Christian system. The apostle bases his argument for the resurrection of all upon the resurrection of Christ, Indeed, this is the keystone of Christianity. Blot out the victory of Christ over the grave and the whole system falls to the ground. The apostle urges this thought by various considerations. (a) The positive evidence of Christ's resurrection from the dead (vs. 3-8). This evidence would be sufficient to establish any fact in any inst tribunal in the resurrection of all upon the would be sufficient to establish any fact in any just tribunal in he world. (b) He then urges that to admit the resurrection of Christ is to admit the possibility of a resurrection for all (vs. 12, 13). (c) He then argues that if Christ be not risen preaching is in vain, faith is vain and he and others who preached Christ's power to save were false witnesses (vs. 14-17). Only a living Christ can save men. He living Christ cau save men. He lives, therefore He can save (Heb. vil. 25) (d) "Then they also which are fallen asleep in Christ are perished." (v. 18). Their hope for the future was a delusion, their triumble of forters. One hear of umph a fantasy. Our hope of meeting again with them a dream. (e) "If in this life only, we have hope in Christ, we are of all men most miserable," most to be commiser-

Hope through the resurrection of Christ of a resurrection for all His people. "But now is Christ risen," etc. (v. 20). The effect of Christ's resurrection upon His disciples is illustrated in John xx.20. They were "glad when they saw the Lord." Hope revived, despair fled, faith reasserted itself and they were "glad." The joyous note of v. 20 was constantly kept the church by the appealar. before the church by the apostles.

(a) It was a central thought in their preaching. (b) In Paul's life it was the inspiration which enabled him to count all things but loss for Christ and to encure the daily death of the and to encure the daily death of the apostolic ministry. (c) In view of separation by death, believers were comforted by the hope of a resurrection at the coming of the Lord. (d) Were the saints passing through fiery trials, they were exhorted to patient endurance in view of the glory which was to be theirs at the appearing of Jesus Christ. (e) The saints are upward to persevers in the appearing of Jesus Christ. (e) The saints are urged to persevere in the Christian race by the hope that at His coming He "shall change our vile body that it may be fashioned like unto His glorious body." This hope has been and is the joy and the inspiration of the church of Christ in the earth.

Victory in view of the

Victory in view of the resurrection. If in one particular sin and Satan keep the people of God under their power, salvation is incomplete. Sin must not only be destroyed but its consequences as well. This shall be accomplished in Christ. "The last enemy that shall be destroyed is death" (* 26) Them shall every saint enemy that shall be destroyed is death" (v. 26). Then shall every saint of God exclaim, "O death, where is they sting? O grave, where is they victory?" (v. 55). Seeing this triumph from afar, God's people may now by

The exhortation in view of this hope (v. 53). How insignificant all earthly hopes compared with this! How full is this hope of encouragement to endurance. Therefore, "be steadfast"—press steadily forward transfer. faith bring it nigh. How full is this hope of encouragement to endurance. Therefore, "be steadfast"—press steadily forward, turning neither to the right hand nor to the left; "unmovable"—lef nothing disturb the serenity of spirit, begotten by this hope: "always abounding," etc.—let this hope inspire you to your best endeavor to glorify. Him and advance His kingdom who purchased this hope for you; "for asmuch as ye know that your labor is not in vain in the Lord"—temptations to discouragement may arise, but your reward is not here; when He shall appear He shall "reward every man according as his work shall be."—John S. McGeary.

FIGHTING OFF ADVANCING AGE.

It is generally considered that American women have increased in vitality the last half century, and this is conspicuous in women over The well-kept matron forty-five. The well-kept matron of 1903 is fuller of figure and much brighter of eye than the matron of 1853. She has pushed the age limit about ten years, and she cau make that ten twenty. The first step must be to take account stock of one's health and heredity; then find some special work to do, and do it. If you have not a profession, have a hobby. I know a man who fought

disease for years with a strawberry patch. One woman kept hamming birds. Those birds added a dozen years to her life.

The day when she realizes that she is growing old is a turning point in the realizes when the realizes that the realizes are realized to the realizes that the realized points are realized to the realized points. woman's life, but the worst she can de is to settle down the existence of "nothing-in-cularism." Think of the peo-

particularism." Think of the people who at 70 or 75 were in the full tide of vigorous usefulness.

The talk about delights of childhood and youth is nonsense, There is suffering then, too, but in age we find solace in the fruits of experience are well. The appropriate perience as well. The crowning beauty of youth is that it is youth, out if apple and peach trees bloomed all the year round, what should we "Act well your part-there all the

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The Markets.

Toronto Farmers' Market. April 4.—The receipts of grain in the street yesterday were sm.dl, owing to wet morning. Wheat steady, 100 bushels of red winter selling at 711-2, and 100 bushels of goose at 65c. Barley firmer, 100 bushels selling at 431-2 to 44c. Oats are firm, with sales of 100 bushels at 35 to 37c.

Hay dull, only a few loads being riceived, and prices unchanged. Straw is nominal. Dressed hegs are unchanged. Light brought \$8.25 to \$8.40, and heavy \$8. Following is the range of quota

Wheat, white, bushel, 69 to 73c; red, 70 1-2 to 71 1-2c; spring, 68 to 70c; goose, 65 to 66c; oats, 35 to 37c; peas, 75 to 78c; hay, timothy, per ton, \$12 to \$15; do., mixed, per ton, \$6 to \$9; straw, per ton, \$7.50 to \$8; apples, per bbl., \$1 to \$1.75; dressed hogs, per ewt., \$8 to \$8.40; eggs, new laid, per dozen, 12 1-2 to 13c; butter, dairy, per lb., 17 to 23c; do., creamery, 21 to 25c; chickens, per lb., 12 to 14c; ducks, per lb., 10 to 13c; turkeys, per lb., 17 to 20c; potatoes, per bag, \$1.20 to \$1.25.

Seeds. Trade is fair, chiefly in small lots out of store. Red clover, \$6.50 to \$8 per bush.; alsike, \$6 to \$8.50; timothy \$2 to \$3.

Toronto Dairy Markets. Butter—The market is quiet fentureless, with fair demand choice qualities, which are firm. choice qualities, which are firm. We quote as follows: Fresh, large rolls, 17 to 18c; finest, 1-lb. prints, 18 to 19c; poorer grades, rolls and tubs, 14 to 16c; creamery prints, 21 1-2 to 23c; solids, fresh made, 19 to 20c, held 18 1-2c.

Eggs—Receipts are fair, and the demand good, sales at 11 to 111 1-2c per dozen.

Cheese—Market firm. We quote: Finest 13 3-4 to 14c; twins, 14 to

Finest 133-4 to 14c; twins, 14 to 141-4c.	1
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TOTORIO LIVE STOCK MAPKEL. Export eattle, choice, per cwt \$4 50 to \$4 65 do medium	n w w w c c h e e e c c
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Hides, Wool, Tallow, Etc. Hides—The market is quiet at un-changed prices. Dealers pay 7½c for No. 1 green cows, 6½c for No. 2, and 5%e for No. 3. Cured, dull, at 7%e for cows. At country points green hides are he lower than above prices. Calfskins—Offerings are fair. Skins up to 14 lbs. bring 10c for No. 1, and Se for No. 2. Above this weight prices are 1c lower. Sheepskins—The offerings are mod-

erate, and prices rule firm at 850 Wool-The market is quiet, with

outside advices reporting an easier feeling. Fleece is quoted here at 15% to 16c for washed; at 8%c for grawashed. Pulled supers were goted at 15% to 16c, and extras at 18% to

Tillow-The market is steady Dealers are paying 6c for rendered and 4c for rough. Rendered selle at 6% to 6%c in small lots.

Where Rurns' Mother Died.

Bolton is a small parish in East Lothian, quite close to the county town of Haddington. In Bolton the both Gilbert Burns and his mother Gilbert was factor of an estate there, Leanoxiove, and he and his family, along with his mother, lived at a cottage named Grant's Braes at the side of the public road lead ing from Haddington to Bolton, a cottage now demolished. Over the grave is erected a plain but substantial stone, surrounded massive iron railing.

Line a pudding basin with a plain crust made of chopped suct and flour mixed with water and simply rolled out an inch thick; cut up a pound of round steak and sprinkle with flour, pepper and sait; chop a small onion fine, put all into the lined dish, add a cup of water, cover over with a suct

the nine months' open season makes possible.

Geo. C Chalker Tells What Dodd's Kidney Pills Did for Him.

Took Him From His Bed, Made Him a Well Man Able and Willing to Do a Fair Day's Work.

Housey's Rapids, Ont., March 23.— tepecial.—As every city, town and village in Canada seems to be giving its evidence as to the wonderful cures resulting from Dodd's Kidney Pills. there is no reason Housey's Rapids should not be in line. People here have Kidney troubles just the same as elsewhere, and like others they have used Dodd's Kidney Pills and

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than I did fourteen months ago, can do a fair day's work every day, and I am clear of my old enemy, lame back, heavy, aching arms, dull bloated eyes—yes, it is all gone, purged out by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"No one can realle the relief except those who have been throught all. I was so bad I could not work hard, but was compelled to make a living. My head felt so bad that my eyes would seem to float. I felt thred all the time, my arms felt useless at times and so very heavy. At last I was laid up and could do no work.

"Then I was induced to try Dodd's Kidney Pills, and you see the result. It only took six boxes to cure me completely."

completely."
And Mr. Chalker is only one of many in this neighborhood who charge their good health up to Dodd's Kidney Pil's. completely.'

One of His Follies.

One of His Follies.

Esther—So you are going to marry
Mr. Tilton, Bertha? Why, it will almost seem as if we were relatives,
won't it? You know, Mr. Tilton
wanted to marry me."

Bertha—Yes, Henry often laugh
about his early indiscretion, as he
calls it. He said the other night
he couldn't understand what he
ever saw in you. But, of course, he
exaggerates, dear.—Boston Transcript.

A skin that burns with eczema is not only unsightly, but a weariness of the flesh. In such cases faithfully use Weaver's Syrup internally and Weaver's Cerate externally. They always cure.

New Joke From Scotland. A train travelling on a small branch railway in the Highlands suddenly came to a standstill. One

of the passengers poked his head out of the passengers powed his head out of the window to ascertain the cause and just caught the guard as he passed under the window on his way to the engine.

"Why are we stopping?" he in-

"Hoot, mon, ye maun jus' bide a vee; the watter's gane aff tha oil."—Glasgow Baillie.

CALIFORNIA WEALTH.

The reports made by the savings banks of San Francisco recently show deposits of \$156.817.637. This immense sum exceeds the record of all former years, and represents about \$380 per capita. As this is more than three times the average savings bank deposit per capita for the whole United States, it is cer-tainly a good showing. Nor is it tainly a good showing. Nor is it confined to San Francisco. The returns from the banks of the State, save National banks, show an aggregate increase of assets for the year, of \$55,376,024. This ex-ceeds the highest former record of gain by \$24,371,497, a very satis-

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gain by \$24,371,497, a very satisfactory state of affairs.
California is not simply a land for the tourist, but for the investor and the farmer. Perhaps no other farmers enjoy so large an income as California farmers. A rate per cent on their investments that cent on their investments that would satisfy the eastern farmer is considered very meagre here. Fruit farming has always been profitable; fortunes have been made in oranges, and the great yield of alfalfa makes dairying a paying

industry,
Land is lower in price than it
will ever be again, and rates from
the east over Southern Pacific lines are now based on a fare of \$35 from Chicago, so that it is a good time to see the State. This rate will expire June 15th. Write F. B. Choate, General Agent, Southern Pacific, Detroit, Mich.

round steak and sprinkle with flour, pepper and sait; chop a small onlong fine, put all into the lined dish, add a cup of water, cover over with a suct crust, and tie it in a well-floured cloth. Have a saucepan of water boiling rapidly and put the basin in, the opening downwards, leaving the lid off the saucepan, and let it boil two and one-half hours, adding water if it boils away. Serve with a rich gravy.—Chicago Herald.

Wants to Cultivate Lobster Beds Robinson Crusoe's island, Juan Fernandez, is surrounded by lobster beds so productive that a big fortune awaits some man who will start a canning establishment there. So, at least, says Juan Calasaff, a native of Chill, who now lives on the island, and has just come to the United States in search of the capital needed for the enterprise. The island now has 180 inhabitants, but none of them has sufficient means to gather the rich harvest of lobsters that the nine months' open season makes possible.

Whale's Appetite is phenomenal. Says the Chicago News. His chief diet consists of jellyfish. He has says the Chicago News. His chief diet consists of jellyfish. He has says the Chicago News. His chief diet consists of jellyfish. He has says the Chicago News. His chief diet consists of jellyfish. He has says the Chicago News. His chief diet consists of jellyfish. He has says the Chicago News. His chief diet consists of jellyfish. He has says the Chicago News. His chief diet consists of jellyfish. He has says the Chicago News. His chief diet consists of jellyfish. He has says the Chicago News. His chief diet consists of jellyfish. He has says the Chicago News. His chief diet consists of jellyfish. He has says the Chicago News. His diet consists of jellyfish. He has says the Chicago News. His diet consists of jellyfish. He has says the Chicago News. His diet consists of jellyfish. He has says the Chicago News. His diet consists of jellyfish. He has says the Chicago News. His diet consists of jellyfish. He has says the Chicago News. His diet consists of jellyfish. He ha Whale's Appetite. pairing its appetite or its power to

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cost the maker more, but they cost the wearer less, for one pair does the work of two pairs of ordinary rubbers.

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He who does a good deed is instantly ennobled. He who does a mean deed is by the action itself contracted. He who puts off impurity thereby puts on purity. If a man is at heart just, then in so far is he God; the safety of God, the immortality of God, the majesty of God, do enter into that man with justice. * * * As we are, so we associate. The good, by affinity, seek the good; the vile, by affinity, the vile. Thus of their own volition, souls proceed into heaven, into hell. * * * Good is positive. Evil is merely private, not absolute; it is like cold, which is the privation of heat. All evil is so much death or nonentity. Benevolence is absolute and real. So much benevolence as a man hath, so much life hath he. For all things proceed out of this same spirit, which is differently named love, justice, temperance, in its different applications, just as the ocean receives different names on the several shores which it washes. - Emerson.

Shaping Our Own Destiny

the perfection of the laws of the soul. These laws execute

themselves. They are out of time, out of space, and not

subject to circumstance. Thus, in the soul of man there

is a justice whose retributions are instant and entire.

The intuition of the moral sentiment is an insight of

more than a woman likes to con-code. But let us be honest with ourselves. A pleture hat only calls attention to the sparse hair, and a pink walst empineless the fact that the apple blossom tints have faded. It is better always to look like a well preserved old woman than a

much damaged young woman.

The greatest aids to life are, proper food and proper exercise, with proper sicep. A man of 63 with the proper sleep. A man of 63 with the step of a boy, said "The price of suppleness is eternal exercise." The greatest enemies to life are rust and worry. You combat rust with a tobby, and by the wisdom of living one day at a time, you quiet worry. one day at a time, you quiet worry, which absorbs so much of the Amwhich absorbs so much of the American vitality. You have heard of the old woman who had three sets of glasses which she called her "fur offs," her "mcdiums" and her "nigh tools." The last she used to do ter fine work and her reading, and we need the "nigh tools" for the work of old age.—Murlon Harland.

I Really Don't Know. Would I marry again? I sometimes

"No" The men are all charming as far as they go, l really don't know!

At other times, too, when the world with so many places a woman can't

Unlaw she is flanked by a man-and I really don't know!

Perhap: if some lovable sweetheart And offered to share both his heart and his name, I might be persuaded to once the

I really don't know!

It is all very well a cynic to be.
Yet woman is sweetest when loving, you see—
So—If I loved him and I knew he

I really don't know! -Boston Journal.

The first President of the American Bh'e Society was E ias Boudinot, author of a work to prove the descent of the American Indians from the Lost Ten Triles of Israel.

CANADA'S EXPORTS.

Canada produces one bushel o wheat to thirty bushels grown else wheat to thirty bushess grown else-where in the world. Notwithstand-ing this fact, Canada is by far the largest exporter of agricultural im-plements in the world, her population being taken into consideration. During the past seven years the exports of Canadian implements have reached the vast total of ten millions ed the vast total of ten millions of dellars, or equal to the export of twenty million, bushels of wheat grown in the great Northwest at fifty cents per bushel. These facts should certainly establish in the minds of all thinking farmers the excellent quality and the high repu-tation which appertain to Canadian-made implements. Canadian imple-ments are exported to every country in the world where grain is grown, in the world where grain is grown except to the United States. Tha market is a scaled book to Canadian implement manufacturers as well as to the Canadian farmer, for hardly any of his products find a market there, while the aggressive American is competing all over the world, and in Canada, too, for every inch of ground now held by the Canadian farmer and manufacturer.

Don't you think it would be to your own advantage, as well as to the advantage of Canada as a nation, that articles should be grown and market is a sealed book to Canadian

that articles should be grown and made at home that are consumed by the Canadian people? Think the the Canadian people? Think the matter over, and see whether it is not your duty to work for this end.

Elkins at the Races.

N. Y. Press. When Senator Elkins was in college

when senator rights was in college
he liked to see the races. One day he
and his chum slipped off together
from school, and on the way to the
track came across their professor,
who said in surprise:

"Young gentl men, what does this
mean? You should be at your lessons."

Elkins said: "Sir, we wanted to go to lessons and also to the races, so we tossed for it, and it came do-re we tossed for it, make for the races."

"Ah! Then you must have used a "Ah! Then you must have used a "the game" talls you two-headed coin, or tried the gam-bler's plan of heads I win, talls you

"No, sir; it was a fair toss," said "No, sir; it was a fair toss," said young Elkins.
"What did you throw up?"
"We threw a lump of coal up. If it stopped up we went to school; if it came down we went to the races, and here we are, sir."

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CHEESE INSTRUCTORS

The instructors appointed by the Eastern Onterio Dairymen's Associa tion met at Kingston on Wednesday last. Addresses were delivered by Superintendent Hart, D. Derbyshire, ident of the association, R. G. Murphy, secretary, and Mr. Publow, who is chief of the instructors. The addresses were practical and instructive. The Whig summarizes Mr. Publow's remarks as follows :-

One great necessity was uniformity in quality, in size and in style of ese. He mentioned different things that instructors would be called upon to do. Blanks would be furnished and they would be expected to make a report to him of every visit paid to each factory. Then he could keep in close touch with the work. He expected to visit each factory himself. It was his intention to hold meetings of the patrons in central places. The ctors, he said, should not find fault with factories. It was their duty to report facts, and to quietly advise the maker of things that were not satisfactory. Their report to the head instructor could be dealt with. No information that would injure a factory should be given to those not concerned. Mr. Publow told the instructors to keep in touch with buyers, and act npon their suggestions. In reporting the quality of the cheese he advised them to report on the conditions surrounding the factory as well.

Mr. Derbyshire emphasized the fact that instructors should not hesitate to get rid of poor makers who are a curse to the cheese industry. The factories can now afford to have only

There are at present 23 districts in Eastern Onterio, and for this section the following instructors have been

Part Leeds and part Lanark, Frank Singleton, Newboro P. O. Brockville East, Jehial Buro, Mille

Brockville West, W. P. Carson

A. M. Ferguson, of Elbe, has been appointed instructor for Kingston dis-trict; W. J. Gardiner, of Easton's Corners, for Almonte district; D. M.

Wilson, of Brockville, for Kemptville district; and A. H. Wilson, of Athens, for Cornwall district. The instructors are now taking a course at Kingston Dairy School, and will commence their duties on 1st of May. Factories desiring to enter the

syndicate should apply to R. G. Mur-

THE WEATHER

phy before that date.

At the first indication of approach of the yernal season, the spring poet broke forth into joy and headed a string of stanzas with this greeting: "Hail, gentle spring." Upon this, in the light of subsequent events, a prosaic editor comments as follows:-

"Hail, Gentle Spring?" Yes, hail-and rain, and freeze, And thaw, and be most blankety hot All in twenty-four hours-We know you, Gentle Spring."

To say the least, the remarks made about the weather lately haven't been exactly complimentary. It has been altogether too rough on the weather prophets, poets and dickey birds, and none too smooth for the rest of us.

Nearly all of last week was cloudy and there was a heavy rainfall which came down with cold winds from the north and east. Lightning was fre quent, but little, if any, thunder was beard. On Friday evening the storm reached a climax, and then, in very truth, this little stanza describes what took place :-

The rain it rained And the wind it blew, The frost it frosted And the snow it snew,

About midnight a howling blizzard preveiled and even those who were snug ly tucked between blankets were made aware that "some hing was doing" out-side. About three inches of hail and snow covered the ground next morning and some of it still remains.

COUNCIL MEETING

The village council held its regular monthly meeting on Monday evening last. All present except Mr. Blan

After reading and adoption of min-utes of last meeting, the clerk read the auditors' abstract statement for the est year of the financial condition of past year of the financial condition of village and the high and public schools, which, on motion was received and adopted and ordered to be publish

ed in the Reporter.

On motion, the treasurer was in structed to forward a chaque for \$50 to W. R. McDowell, Amprior, as part payment for plans and specifications for new town hall.

On motion, an order for \$2.00 was given Mr Jacob to purchase wood for Luke Pipe, as he is in destitute cir-

on motion, an order for \$1.50 was given the cheif of police for removing now from sidewalk in front of the Hicks property, Victoria street, said amount to be added to the taxes on the property for 1903.

For the convenience of contractors in Brockville wishing to see plans and specifications for town hall, the clerk was instructed to be at the St. Law. ence Hall, Brockville, on Saturday next for that purpose.

B. LOVERIN, Clerk

A WARNING

Boston, Mass, March 25,—Pro Dallas L. Sharp, of Boston University. as preacher in the First Methodic

"No woman who wears a sea gull cr song bird in her hat can ever get to Heaven. If you need an Easter bonnet, get it. Wear it to church, for what better place to wear it than to church. It is an honor to God and a enediction to the soul to see Easte bonnets. Get the bonnets, however, without robbing and killing. Those who rob the lives of the song bird and the beautiful plumage, cannot hope for Heaven.

SCHOOL REPORT

The following is a report of the Athens Model School for the month of March :-

Total aggregate attendance, 2936. Total average attendandance, 133. Total average percent present, 85.

FORM IV. Entrance Class-Edith Brown Wesley Stevens, James McLean Jessie Brown, Dan Conway, Effic Blancher, Hazel Rappell, Leitz Arnold, Manliff Beruey, Stanley Ged-des, Jessie Arnold, Earnie McLean. Jr. IV.—Florence Gainford, Lloyd Wilson, Wallace Johnson, Steve Stin-son, Edna Fair, Mabel Derbyshire, Roy McLaughlin, Willie McLean.

Aggregate attendance, 411. Average attendance, 19. Average percentage present, 93. C. Ross McIntosh,

FORM III. Sr. III .- Alan Evertts, Caroline LaRose, Winnie Wiltse, Glenn Earl, Jean Karley, Roy Parish, Bessie Mc-Laughlin, Muriel Fair.

Jr. IV.-Kenneth Blancher, Beau nont Cornell, Kenneth McClary, Carrie Covey, Estler Kincaid, Belle Earl, Francis Ross, Elmer Scott.

Aggregate attendance, 685 Average attendance, 31

M. B. Morris, Teacher

Sr. II.—Keitha Purcell, Austin Tribute, Rae Kincaid, Kenneth Wiltse, Bryce Wilson. Jr. If. -Bessie Johnston, Russell

Kenneth Rappell. Aggregate attendance, 577. Average attendance, 26. Percentage, 78.

M. V. WATSON, Teacher.

Sr. Pt. II .- Mina Donnelley, Allan Bishop, Keith McLaughlin, Lloyd

Jr. Pt. II.—Kathleen Massey, Mary Pickett, Bertha Stinson, Russell War-Sr. I.—Gladys Gainford, Jay Mc

Mullen, John Kelly, Hattie Rock wood. Inter. I.—Flossie Fowler, Geraldine Eyre, R. K. Walker.

Jr. I.-Sammie Scott, Opal Purcell. Clare Lillie.

Aggregate attendance, 1,263. Average attendance, 57. Percentage, 89. A. LILLIE, Teacher

THE KIDNEYS AND THE SKIN

In the spring, the kidneys have much to do.

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Toronto, April 4.—Pref. Goldwin Smith, who has been ill for the last ten days, is rapidly recovering.

Montreal April 6.—Mrs. Mary Ann Sadlier, the well-known writer, died here last evening, aged 83 years.

Montreal, April 4.—The week's traffic returns for the C.P.R. ending March 31, amount to \$1,156,000, as compared with \$939,000 for the corresponding period last year.

North Augusta, 'April 3.—Fire broke out yesterday morning about 2.30 in Mr. D. W. Carpenter's sawmill, which is a total loss. The loss is estimated at about \$1,000, with no insurance.

Niagara Falls, Ont., April 6.—The Council has decided that there shall no longer be a curiew rung at 9 p. m. The curiew law has not been enforced for some time, and the ring-ing of the bell is considered unne

Ottawa, April 6.—Lieut.-Col. Sir Parcy Sherwood will command this Ottawa, April 6.—Lieut.-Col. Sir Percy Sherwood will command this year's Bisley team, and Capt. Munroe of the 90th Regiment will be adjutant. The Executive Committee of the D. R. announced the appoint-

the D. R. announced the appointments Saturday morning.
Toronto, April 4.—D. Connor, a
C.P.R. brakeman, had his leg crushed between two freight cars Thursday night at Peterboro. He died yesterday morning from heart failure, caused by the shock. The dead man's home is said to be in Barrie.
Brantford, April 6.—The body of John Springle, who disappeared from his home on the Mohawk road more than four months ago, was found yesterday in Mohawk Lake, near the starch works. The body was badly decomposed, and was interred this afternoon in Mount Hope Cemetery. Cemetery.
Toronto, April 6.—On behalf of the

Toronto, April 6.—On benail of the defeated candidate at the last election in North Grey for the Commons, Kerr, Davidson, Paterson & Grant on Saturday filed a protest against the return of Mr. Thompson of the common of the com soo, the present member. The usual allegations of bribery and corruption

are made.

Vancouver, B. C., April 3.— The contractors having decided not to accede to the demands of the Amalgamated Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners for eight hours a day and 40 cents an hour, some 300 men went out. One small contractor who yielded to the men was refused lumer at a sawmill.

THE UNITED STATES. New York, April 6 .- John Mc-Quade, treasurer of Tammany Hall, died Saturday from the effects of a carbuncle.
Philadelphia, April 4.—The Read-

ing Company has forbidden its em-ployes on the New York division to smoke cigarettes.

Dubois, Pa., April 4.—Four men were killed and several injured at London Mine, near here, to-day, by a fall of rock and earth.

San Francisco, April 4.—The jury in the case of Walter N. Dimock, acin the case of Walter N. Dimock, accused of stealing \$30,000 from the United States mint, reached a verdict of guilty yesterday. Sentence will be imposed next Wednesday.

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New London, Conn., April 4.—The
barge Fitzpatrick sank off Long Island Thursday night. The boiler exploded as she went down and five
men were lost. The wreck was reported by a tug which put in here
yesterday afternoon.

Gloversville, N.Y., April 4.-Emerson Hill, aged 25, an engineer, was instantly killed at his father's saw He was adjusting a belt on an en-gine when he slipped and fell on a saw, which cut his body in two and severed both legs.

GENERAL FOREIGN NEWS.

Cairo, April 3. - The bubonic plague has reappeared in some parts of Egypt. Cholera cases are report-Bishop, Allan Warren, Lily Gibson, ed at Alexandria.

Paris, April 6.—The prefects of police, reporting on the service of no-tices to the congregations to disband, say no disorder occurred

Gleiwitz, Prussia, April 4.-Eight men are known to have been killed and fourteen entombed as the result of an explosion of gas Thursday in the Koenigin Luise mine at Ostfield. Paris, April 3.—The Figaro states that the Institute of France at a socret meeting have decided to award to Dr. Emile Roux, the sub-director of the Pasteur Institute, a prize of \$20,000, founded by M. Daniel Osir-is for the person that the Institute considered the most worthy to be thus rewarded. thus rewarded.

E COLONIE . Sydney, New South Wales, April A.—The Supreme Court has decided to the goods imported for the State Government are not liable to the suppression of the suppression o

St. so n.s. Mild., will 3.—The sealing scamers Souther Cross. with 18,000 seals, and Grand Laic, with 26,000 seals, returned from the seal fishery Wednesday. Nothing has been heard from four of the steamers in the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

NEW POSTAL RATES.

Ottawa, April 6.-The Postoffice ent announced that on and aturday the rate of postage on tin d-class matter, except seeds, , bulbs, roots, bedding cions and grafts, will be one cutti ar each two ounces or fraction and on fourth-class matter for each ounce or fraction ene en' therec

ASSEMBLY ADJOURNS.

sture Dispensed to Await Process of the Royal Commission Judio ial Tribunal's First Section.

Toronto, March 30.—The Legislature discussed the evidence bill, and in this the Attorney-General introduced two important amendments. One provides that no person shall be excused from answering questions which may lead to any punishment, penalty or penal proceedings. The other provides that Mr. Gamey's statement of Friday last shall be deemed to be a charge against the Ministers other than the Provincial Secretary, under the terms of the last clause of the commission.

Terento. March 31.—The remaining business which the Legislature had to dispose of before adjourning to allow the Royal Commission to sit was concluded this afternoon, and the members separated until April 21st. Mr. Henry Carscallen presented his amendement to the evidence bill, providing that the commission should make no finding, and argued that the instructions were ultra vires. On a vote being taken, argued that the instructions were ultra vires. On a vote being taken, the amendment was lost by 41 to 46. Several minor amendments were declared lost on the same division, and the bill was carried. The supply bill of \$345,000 for April was not opposed by Mr. Whitney by word, but Col. Matheson offered a want of confidence motion, censuring the Government for not holding the North Renfrew election. This was lost on the same division. A vote was taken on the motion to adjourn for three weeks, with a result similar to the first. At 5.15 the Administrator, Chief. Luxtice Weeks. istrator, Chief Justice Moss, entered the Chamber and gave assent to the bill respecting evidence. This for-mality occupied a few minutes only, and immediately after he retired the House adjourned.

ROYAL COMMISSION.

anizes and Then Adjourns to Take Evidence 18th April.

Toronto, April 4.—The enquiry into the charges against Hon. J. R. Stratton, of the Ontario Government, by Mr. R. R. Gamey, the member for Manitoulin, was yesterday morning adjourned until Monday, April 13, at 10 a.m. The delay thus entailed will render it impossible that the investigation will conclude before the Legistation. possible that the investigation will conclude before the Legislature reas-

sembles on April 21.

The investigation was formally opened with great solemnity at eleven o'clock sharp in the non-jury court room. Subsequent sessions will be held in No. 1 jury court, however.

The two judges comprising the comheid in No. 1 jury court, nowever.
The two judges comprising the commission, Chancellor Sir John A.
Boyd and Chief Justice Falconbridge, did not wear their judicial robes, but were attired simply in the garb of King's Counsel. Mr. Charles Grant. Registrar of the Court of Registrar of the Court of Appeals, took his post as recorder of the commission, and Mr. Nelson R. Butcher was on hand as official

reporter. There was a distinguished array of ounsel on both sides. For the Conservatives appeared Hon. S. H. Blake, K.C., Charles H. Ritchie, and Mr. W. D. McPherson. Mr. Sam. Price, barrister of St. Thomas, is also associated with the accusing forces.

accusing forces.

For the Liberals appeared Messrs E. F. B. Johnston, K.C., W. R. Riddell, K. C., and Mr. J. M. Mc-Evoy, the well-known criminal law yer of London. Toronto, April 6.—Counsel in the

roronto, April 6.—Counsel in the inquiry are busy preparing for the opening of the case on the 13th. It will require the whole of the week to get all the evidence in the proper shape for presentation.
Saturday W. D. McPherson, who is

the Honorable John Gibson (Attorney-General) the Honorable Richard Harcourt (Minister of Education); the Honorable E. J. Davis (Commissioner of Crown Lands); The Honorable Frank Latchford (Commissioner of Public Works); Frank J. Sullivan, R. A. Grant and Capt. John Sullivan of Toronto: D. A. Jones of Beeton and R. R. Gamey do on or before Mon-day the 6th day of April, 1903, make full discovery on oath according to the practice of the High Court of Justice for Ontario, and as if each of the shove mentioned persons was a party in a cause in the said High Court of Justice, of all the books, papers, documents and things which are or have been in his possession, custody, or power, relating to any matters in question herein or revelant thereto, and also on or before Monday, the said 6th of April, do produce to and deposit with me for the use of the honor le, the commissioners, all the said o s, papers, documents and things

G. C. Grant, Registrar of the Said Commission. Mr. obnston has not yet filed any documents, but will probably do so

JUDGES WINCHESTER AND HATTON. County Judge of York and County Judge

Grey Appointed. Ottawa, April 6 .- At Saturday's Cabinet meeting Mr. John Winchester, Master-in-Chambers at Osgoode Hall, was appointed Senior County Judge of York in succession to the late Judge McDougall. The vacant Judgeship in Grey County, caused by the death of the late Judge Creasor, was filled by the appointment of Mr. W. J. Hatton, K. C., of Owen

It is understood that Mr. Winches er's appointment to the Surrogate Judgeship by the Ontario Government will follow.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

sture of the Week Was the In

Ottawa, March 30.—The state of Sir Oliver Mowat's health, was up-for discussion to-day in the House. The chief speakers on the subject were Mr. W. F. Maclean, Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. F. D. Monk, but aothing, was done. A number of questions were answered by Ministers uestions were answered by Ministers and several bills were introduced.

Ottawa, March 31.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier to-day introduced the Redistribution Bill. The measure covered but one typewritten page, setting forth the number of members allotted to each Province, the principle that county boundaries shall be observed as far as possible, the division of counties to be made in a schedule which shall be prepared by a joint committee of the House, composed of four Liberal and three Conservatives. The Provinces east of Lake Superior lose representation, and those west of it all gain in proportion to their increase, Hon. John Costigan presented his home rule for Ireland resolution, and it was carried by: Yeas 102, nays 41, Ottawa, March 81.-Sir Wilfrid

Ottawa, April 1.—The House of Commons had a short session to-day, adjourning at 9.15, all the private members' business on the order paper having been disposed of. The greater part of the afternoon was consumed in an animated debate upon the resolution favoring the pro-hibition of the manufacture and sale of cigarettes, offered by Mr. Bickerdike, Montreal. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, while opposing the motion, announce. of cigarettes, offered by Mr. Bickerdike, Montreal. Sir Wilfrid Laurier,
while opposing the motion, announced that the Government had laid
down no policy on the question, and
each person was free to vote as he
pleased. The resolution carried by
103 to 48. Mr. Puttee (Winnipeg)
drew attention to the poor railway
accommodation for immigrants, and
Sir William Mulock promised urgency
in attending to the matter.

Ottawa, April 2.-The debate in of Mr. John Charlton's bill to amend the Dominion Elections Act, 1900, this afternoon was animated and at times decidedly breezy. The object of the bill is to make it so perilous for those who seek to engage it conof the bill is to make it so perilous for those who seek to engage in corrupt practices, by placing them at the mercy of those they seek to corrupt, that the practice will be stamped out. Hon. W. S. Fielding suggested that it would be in public interest to appoint a special committee of representative men from toth sides of the House with a view to drafting legislation which would be effective in stamping out corruption in elections. A number of bills were read a first and second time.

Ottawa, April 3.—Friday is usually a dull day in the House, but this Ottawa, April of House, but this afternoon an interesting discussion took place on the labor troubles in British Columbia. Mr. Ralph Smith brought to the attention of the House the seriousness of the situation created in British Columbia by these troubles, which threaten the these troubles, which threaten the progress, if not the national life of the Province. He suggested that this was a case where the Government ought to have power to step in, and asked for the appointmen of a commission to investigate the condition. Which exist and make a eport in order that the influence public opinion might be brought to bear in the interests of a settlement

ADDITIONAL LOCAL

As a result of the strike, about 500 men are now idle in Smith's Falls. .Mr. and Mrs. A. James, of Toronto,

Saturday W. D. McPherson, who is preparing the case for the accuser, Mr. Gamey, in the briber case, served an order for the production of the documents on E. F. B. Johnston, chief counsel for the defence. The order is as follows:

"It is ordered that each of them, The Honorable J. R. Stratton (Provincial Secretary; the Honorable G. W. Ross (Premier and Provincial Treasurer); the Honorable John Gibson Gibson It does not say so, fourth, and so on. It does not say so, but probably it would favor special

inducements for twins, triplets, etc. The Education Department has is sued a circurlar to school inspectors asking that Arbor Day and Empire Day be properly observed in every sch ol. This year the former falls on Friday, May 1, and the latter on Friday, May 22 Mr. Harcourt remarks : "Let Arbor Day be a bright joyous holiday devoted to the pleasure of making beautiful what should be beautiful, and developing in the young minds a keen appreciation of nature Let Empire Day be also a day which will foster a healthy national patrio tism and awaken all the pleasureable emotions which the love of our country and empire should inspire."

A resolution favoring prohibition of the importation, manufe ture and sale of cigarettes was carried in the Dominion House of Commons on April 1st by a vote of 103 to 48. It was not made a party question, the members expressing their individual opinion in the vote. Looks as if the small boy who seeks distinction along the cigar ette line would have to tackle a cigar or go out of business. The manufacturers with their vested interests, are yet to be heard from and by the time this resolution is framed into a bill they will no doubt make their influen felt. Considering the hearty endorsement given to the resolution, it seems altogether improbable that the manu facturers will be able to prevent the enactment of the prohibition.

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SEELEY'S BAY

The negotiations for establishing a neh of the Bank of Toronto have en dropped for the present.

A new smoksstack is being placed in position in Gilt Edge cheese factroy. At present this factory is making cheese four days in the week.

E. Neal, ill with malarial fever the past few days, is getting some better. On Friday, April 10th, a meeting will be held near Gananoque Junction, in Maple Grove school house, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of organizing a county branch of the sick list for some time, is around again.

Miss C. Gilbert has added millinery Mrs. A. Jackson is improving lowly.

About three inches of ere last Friday night.

GLEN BUELL

Our factory is again running every other day and getting a good supply of milk. O. J. Gilroy, secretary and salesman, has contracted April supply of cheese for 12½ cents, a very unusual price for spring cheese. Great credit is reflected on Mr. Gilroy's ability as a salesman by this expellent deal. salesman by this excellent deal.

Charles Hayes, who has been suffer-ing for some time with a cancer, has gone to Brockville hospital for treat-

Mr. and Mrs. Wing and daughter, Ethel, were visiting friends at Maynard last Sunday.

Lee and Lapointe shipped a carlord of veal calves to Montreal last week. Mr. Taylor, of Athens, erected a windmill for John Kirkland last week, which is giving good satisfac Albert Hayes, of Spring Valley, is engaged in creeting a machine and driving house for John Sturgeon, one of our successful farmers.

Greenbush corre makes some very gamey charges in his report of the checker match played

ow-its a boy. Congratulation Look out for your cows now; the rains are coming mighty thick. Will Rowley, of New Dublin, was a guest at Mr. Eri Hayes on Sunday

FRANKVILLE

Mra. Gilroy, the nurse who has en attending Mrs. O. L. Munroe has been very sick the past week and unable to resume her duties.

We are going to be favored with the Swiss Bell Ringers Concert on the 23rd of April.

A popular young couple, Miss Nellie Leverette and Mr. Milton Davis, were married on Wedne froquois by the bride's uncle, Rev. Mr. Webster. We extend congratulations. Mr. and Mrs. Davis will reside Sturgeon, C. Stewart, C. Sturgeon. Jr. 4th class—S. Lee, F. Lee, B.

Dack, H. Gray. We understand Mr. Wm Looby has bought a lot in our village and intends to build a house in the near

future. The snow storm on Friday night M. Gilroy, M. Charlton. and Saturday was quite a surprise after the fine weather.

Mr. Chas. Rudd, of Brockville called on his mother on Sunday. The trustees of the public school are purchasing a library.

Wedding bells will soon ring in this are so different from what things

Heber Young has purchased a valuable horse.

Carmon Laikens has accepted his old position as mail carrier for another now at 24c per dozen. In the winter

old position as mail-carrier for another year.

Lost—somewhere on the public highway, a small moustache; finder will be rewarded by leaving it at the

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O Or Call at

Service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Its of wheat to feed my chickens, 10c for 14 lbs. of potatoes, 42c for 14 lbs. of four—14 lbs is a stone, and a great many things are sold that way. THE REPORTER OFFICE.

The Misses. McCallum and Gillelain, of Brockyille, were the guests of Mr. R. J. Leeder last week.

The Misses of Mr. Fourteen is the eighth part of an English hundred weight."

CHARLESTON LAKE

ass Foster is the proud owne white chester sow which to a litter of nineteen pigs. The recent snow and rainst Mr. and Mrs. Hudson, Plun Hollow, visited friends here last week House cleaning is the order of

The People's Column.

Mrs. P. Hewitt, of Frankville, is a guest at the Florida house this week. Palsce factory has opened for this season with better prospects than ever before. Some patrons who were foolish enough to go elsewhere last year have returned to the old reliable. v'ts of 6 lines and under in this co.umn, 25 for first insertion and 100 each subsequen Quilting bees are all the rage in the village this week.

Notice

· Professor Lewis, who went to the hospital in Brockville last week, is

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On Monday morning last, Mr. Tom Nunn, of Caintown, called in to bid his brother Robert goodbye, before starting for the west, where he intends to spend the summer.

Mrs. Cockill, of Liversedge, Yorkshire, Eng., a daughter of Mrs. Dr. Giles, of Athens, was reminded of her old home by seeing in a Manchester old home by seeing in the manchester old home by seeing in a Manchester old home by seeing in a Manchester old home by seeing in the constant old home by seeing in a Manchester old home by seeing in the beauting the constant old home by seeing in a Manchester old home by seeing in the constant old home by seeing in a Manchester old home by seeing in the constant old home by seeing in the constant old home by seeing in the constant old home by seeing in the constant

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RUSSIAN CONSUL SHOT BY AN ALBANIAN SOLDIER

Who Was Immediately Killed by Members of the Guard.

of the attack on M. St. Cherbina, Russian Coasul at Mitrovitza, show that it was made by an Albanian soldier, a relative of whom had been killed in the fighting at Mitrovitza. The Consul, who was accompensed by a Turkish escort, was on his way to inspect the batteries which finally repulsed the Albanian, who attacked Mitrovitza, when a centry at the powder magazine in the pack. The bullet traversed the read region and inflicted a serious would. The surry also fired at the Russian Consul at M. trovitza, show would. The centry also fired at the

official advices say that the attacking party at Mitrovitza numbered two thousand men, representing the element opposing the plan of reforms which the powers jointly formulated and which Turkey accepted, The officials here consider that the Albanian opposition to the reforms creates a serious complication, and they accept the Sultan's

NEWS IN BRIEF

CANADIAN.

Mr. Josep': Haycock's condition is still critical.

Dr. V. H. Moore, Brockville, is reported to be dying.

tion. E. J. Davis has secured an option on a small tannery at Kingston.

Sergt. Itales has tendered his resignation from the Toronto police force.

The Douk obors of Rosthern have

The Toronto Public School Board

shipped 40 work horses to their bretaren in Yorkton.

and will go back to work at once

cepted the rector Charch, Vancouver.

Mr. Isaac C. Gilmor,

business in Toronto in 1832, is dead.

Customs duties collected at Toron-

to during March amounted to \$731

502, being a record, and \$165,281 more Garain March, 1802.

cordemned hasty judgment on the case of General Hector Macdonald.

Knox College will confer the hon-

tandsorest theatres on the conti-nent. The erection of an auditorium

with a scating capacity up to the requirements of a growing city has been decided upon by A. J. Small.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.

A large number of strikes and

The bubonic Plague has reappeared some parts of Egypt, and cholera

is some parts of Egypt, and enolera cases are reported at Alexandria.

Taileh demonstrated the practicability of telegraphing and telephoning under ground without wires.

The London Chronicle has publish-

oi a long warning to the all-British colonists of the difficulties of early

years in the Northwest settlement. The Health Commissioner esti-nates that there were 1,500 deaths in the New York State dur-ling February from la grippe.

Rev. Alex. Gilray. Toronto, and A. V. Millingen. Constantino-

who began

eight hour day.

Constantinople, April 6.— Details action in despatching large reinforcements the attack on M. St. Cherbina, ments to Albania as evidence of the Turkish Government's determination to appropriate the second of the Constantinople.

Consular Kavars (military courier), but missed him. The other soldiers of the guard then hurried up and shot the Alkaman sentinel, inflicting mortal wounds.

The Grand Vizer yesterday called on the Russian Ambaisador at Constantinople and expressed regret at the attack on M. St. Cherbina. The palace officials and the Turkish Foreign Office also conveyed their regrets to the Ambaisador.

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Commons to consider the question of municipal trading.

At Chicago President Roosevelt made an important address, dealing in part with the Monroe doctrine and the foreign policy of the United foreign policy of the United

Germany's offer to send troops into Holland to assist in maintaining order in view of railway strikes has created some uneasiness in the smaller country.

Lady Marjoric Gordon, the daughter of the Earl and Countess of Abordeen, has announced her candidature for the Senool Board at Methics. lick, Aberdeenshire.

lick, Aberdeenshire.

A statement by Mr. Brodrick, Secretary for War, that it is impossible to arm the volunteer artillery with modern guns has aroused the indignation of the British volunteers and the public.

restrict the terms of rules formulated by employers.

Mr. Wilson urged the abolition of the contract system in the manufacture of coaviet made brooms or other articles. They had been led a year ago to believe that it would be provided that the products of the Cen-

In the House of Commons yester-day Prime Minister Balfour an-nounced that the budget would be failed to setch on a system of shorthand, and rejected the proposed trip to New York. introduced on April 23rd, and the frish Land Bill would come up on second reading the following week. The miners of Morrissey and Mich-el have signed a three years' agree-ment with the Crow's Nest Company, second reading the following week. A depatch to the Neue Freie Presses from Belgrade says that owing to the missing of Turkish troops on the old Servin frontier Servin is increasing her frontier Servin is increasing her frontier garrisons, and is considering the question of the considering the question of the repapering of walls and ceilings without removing the old wall paper, which was a menacy to public health, breeding germs of every conceivable disease.

Toronto employers and plaster-research is have agreed on a wage sche-Brakeman Mattler, injured in the railway whom at Illekson, is in a very serious condition at his home

ers have agreed on a wage sche-trol of the others as they arrive. sail, leaving on the ninth for Mont-real from London, by way of Avon-

Regarding the British Government's bill as to the sale of adulterated totter, now before the British Commons, merchants say the export trade of Canada and Australia will benefit, inasmuch as they send dry butters, which will be largely used Speaking at the Hart's River anniversary in Toponto. A. J. Braco

> Russia has addressed another note of admonition to Bulgaria The communication is in the ture of a personal warning Prince Ferdinand not to pro Prince Ferdinand not to provoke Turkey. The report that the Czar has presented a battery of eight guns to the Prince of Montezuma is not regulized.

While despondent from sickness While despondent from sickness Henry Heller, a New York pressman, twisted a towel act ound his neck and hanged himself to a hook. His 12-year-old son raised his father's feet to a window sill, whereupon Heller kieked the chief in the side. While how ley beautifess man find the inside of the Police Court as M John Gertran, of the Bert-tagine Works, Toronto, is in Montre t, or the purpose of complet-ing arrang ments with the Richelieu and Outrally mants with the Richelien and Outrally Navigation company for the construction of the two may steamers which the company propose to ald to their fleet. The steamer Montreal of the R. and O. fleet, dearcoxed by fire at Montreal a few weeks ago, was built at the Bortram coulds. the boy lay breathless up on the the justice of the Police Court as floor the father strangled to death, being unfair to trade unions. In an-Queen Alexandra arrived at Copenhagen last evening from London. Her Mejesty was received at the station by King Christian, the Downager Empress of Russia, and all the members of the Danish Royal family.

THE CHURCH FOLLOWS.

Missionaries of All Creeds Going to West Africa.

Lordon Maril 6 Poths the Cather Sented.

The German estimates show by

London, April 6 .- Both the Cathoand Protestant missionary cletics, which have their headquarters in London, are hastening their preparations to occup the ground brought within the reach of the Church by the occupation of Kano Soldiers fired into riotous crowds, estimated to number 15,000, at Mon-serey, Mexico, killing seven and and Sokoto by the Editish treops. This feat of British arms carries the authority of the British Government to the most northern point of the West African Protectorate and opens to evangelization a native population of 25,000,000. Ten milions of these belong to the dominant caste called "Fulanis," and 15,000.—000 to a subjugated and partially produced orderabled "Harmonia and partially and a orderabled "Harmonia and a colong led". enslaved order called "Haussas." Both

Annual Resolutions of Trades Congress Presented.

Toronto report-The annual conference between representatives of the Dominion Trades Congress and trades unions generally and the members of the Ontario Government took place yesterday, when the resolutions passed at the Berlin meeting were presented and supported in brief speeches. Premier Ross received the party, in company with Hon. John Dryden, Hon. J. R. Stratton and Hon. Dryden, Hon. J. R. Stratton and Hon. F. R. Latchford. Mr. kobert Glockling, Secretary of the Bureau of Labor, introduced the party, which included Messrs. Harry Obermeyer, Hamilton; Joseph T. Marks, London; A. H. Kennedy, Arthur Cadow, K. A. McCrae, F. J. Wilson, W. A. Douglass, A. C. Saunders, Samuel Moore, John G. O Donoghue, solicitor; Richard Soathwell, Walter Cox, John King, J. Hudson, H. N. Allan, F. E. Beckitt, W. J. Middleton and James Wilson.
Mr. Marks presented the resolution

Mr. Marks presented the resolution asking for a law empowering munici-palities to compel street railway companies to provide a passage through each open car for the purorm their duties with greater safety. In reply to Mr. Stratton Mr Marks said he presumed the intention was to apply this rule only to cars built for the future.

Mr. Moore presented the resolution asking that more factory inspectors be appointed.

e appointed.

Mr. Obermever protested against

the retention or confiscation of drawbacks, or percentage of wages withheld on the infraction of rules. He urged that the Government should

ago to believe that it would be pro-vided that the products of the Cen-tral Prison be stamped prison-made. Mr. Stratton explained that the present contract had a couple of years to run yet, and when it ex-pired he thought the views of the deputation could be met on this roint.

matter.

Liability of Unions

Mr. O'Donoghue, as solicitor, pre-

sented the last resolution, which sug-gested amendments to the law re-

The resolution proposed amendments providing that no trade union

shall be liable for damages for an act of omission or commission du butters, which will be largely as at log any strike or lock-out or dispute for adding moisture as permitted in the new bill. Irish butter will suffer, also provided that no trade union shall be enjoined from communicating with other employees or persons or, in other words, picketing, except by an unlawfu, act, nor shall their funds be liable. Mr. O Donoghue urged funds be liable. Mr. O Donoghue urged that the present legal procedure gave the unions much annoyance from in junctions, which, he said, were grant-ed altogether too easily, and he in-stanced the sheet metal workers' case as an expensive case in point, it having already hung over since

AFTER THE CHARLTONS.

Bogus Estate Swindler Laying Wires for That Family.

St. John. N. B., April 6 .- Adam J. Charlton, of St. David street, with the aid of Chief of Police Clark, thinks he has stopped a game of fraud, being played by some persons in Boston.

About a fortnight ago, Mr. Charlton received a postal card, dated Boston, stating that a legacy of \$30,000,000 had been left the Charlton family, and if Mr. Charlton would call in person on Judge J. J. Feeley, Room 10, 99 Milk street, Boston, he would receive information recording. enslaved order called "Haussas. Both peoples are chiefly Mohammedans, ton family, and if Mr. Charlton would but the Haussas whose conversion dates only from their subjugation at the opening of the nineteenth cenpointed by the British House of tury. are half-hearted proselytes,

and it is thought that they can readily be brought under the influence of the christian religion.

It is stated that the Fulanis ruled with a cruelty unsurpassed in tae annals of barbarism and it required the severest christisment at the hands of the British army to curb them. Letters from British soldiers state that the ruling tribe wiped out whole tribes of Haussas and burned scores of villages whenever they were selzed by a thirst for excitement. The missionaries naturally expect the quickest results from their labors among the Hunsass, but hope gradually to overcome the fierceness and fanaticism of the Fulanis.

A despotch from Rome says the Vatican is maturing an extended plan for the evangelization of the new protectorate. It is proposed to despatch an experienced staff of missionaries to organize religious and educational work in the territory already cleared by Beitish troops.

Hy. Mr. Charlton gave the eard to Chief of Police Clark, who sent it, with a letter, to the chief of Police Clark, who sent it, with a letter, to the chief of Police Clark, who sent it, with a letter, to the chief of Police Clark, who sent it, with a letter, to the chief of Police Clark, who sent it, with a letter, to the chief of Police Clark, who sent it, with a letter, to the chief of Police Clark, who sent it, with a letter, to the chief of Police Clark, who sent it, with a letter, to the chief of Police Clark, who sent it, with a letter, to the chief of Police Clark, who sent it, with a letter, to the chief of Police Clark, who sent it, with a letter, to the chief of Police Clark at Boston.

A couple of days ago Chief Clark received an answer from the Boston chief, who said that one of his of ficers had looked into the matter, and that J. J. Feeley, of Mik street, gave out a statement that he did not place very much credence in the Charlton fortune case, and that J. J. Feeley, of Mik street, gave out a statement that he did not place very much credence in the bother with the matter, that not long ago a man called at his offi

London cable-The Minister of

the Interior has lost no time in his preparation of the British side of the Alaskan question.

Immediately on the arrival of Mr. Silton and party, Sir John Anderson, the official head of the Colonial Office, called and stated that the foreign and colonial offices would facilitate as much as possible Mr. Sifton's investigations.

Orders were issued giving the

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To a local strict freedom of the archives in the British. Museum. The treatment accorded investigators at the British Museum wi.en under official aegis, is in marked contrast to the man-ner in which they are treated when pursuing investigations on their own account. Nothing could exceed the courtesy and kindness with which Mr. Silton's officials were received at the Museum, the services of two of the most experienced clerks being placed at their disposal.

A SERICUS SITUATION.

oreign Sailors Landed at Snato

Cape Haytien, Hayti, April 6.—The situation in the capital of Santo Domingo is very critical. The commander of the United States cruiser Atlanta, which has arrived at Santo Dominer form: Atlanta, which has arrived at Santo Domingo from this port, yesterday landed a detachment of fifty blue-jackets to guard the United States consulate in that city. A shell fired last night by the Dominican crulser Presidente, which is on the side of President Vasquez, fell on the German consulate. The damage done, however, was small, as the projectile happily did not burst.

A battle lasting three hours took place yesterday morning between

A battle lasting three nours took place yesterday morning between the Government troops and the revolutionists on the banks of the River Ozama, which flows into the Caribbean Sea at Santo Domingo. A hundred men were killed or wounded.

hundred men were and wounded.
President Vasquez demanded the surrender of Santo Domingo City, but the revolutionists are disposed to resist up to the last moment.

DOWIE'S LATEST IDEA.

To Go on World Tour to Acquire Fresh Vigor.

Chicago, April 6.—John Alexauder Dowie is going to take a trip around the world. In the current ssue of the Leaves of Healing, he makes the following announcement:
We believe it is for the best interests in every sense that we should take a long rest, to prevent any breakdown and to enable us

any breakdown and to enable us to acquire fresh spiritial, psychical and physical vigor.

Before he starts on this, his first long vacation, Dowie will lead his hosts to New York to aid in the conversion of Gotham. He will sist London and Paris At the conversion of Gotham. He will isit London and Paris. At the former city, where he was once attacked by a mob, Dowie will hold meetings as a rebuke to his one-time enc-mies.

MORE TO BE ARRESTED

In Connection With Waterbury Car

Waterbury, Conn., April 6. — Clifford and Willis Vandemark, Harry W. Warren, Edward B. Winnegar and John Brearton, striking trologyme:, charged with assault with intent to commit murder, on the Waterville line of the Connecticut Railroad and Lighting Company on February 26 Lighting Company, on February 26, when William P. Merna, and George Morrisette were fearfully beaten by masked men, were bound over to the June term of the Superior Court under \$2,000 bonds by Judge Peaslev vosterday.

ley yesterday.
This was followed to-night by the This was followed to-night by the direct assertion that as a result of the work of two private detectives, Rogers and Gillen, before Saturday. Three more strikers will be arrested on the charge of killing Policeman Paul Mendelssohn two weeks later. One of the party that committed that deed at Forrest Park on the night of March 8th, has, it is said, already begun negotiations for clemency in return for a full confession. already begun negotiations for clemency in return for a full confession. At the hearing, William T. Merna, the conductor who was attacked, was the first witness. He caused a surprise by positively identifying E. B. Winnegar as one of the men who had jumped on the car and attacked him. Thomas Kenny, eighteen years old, was called. His memory appeared to have suffered much during the night, although he was not arrested, but after Prosecutor Durant had produced his long signed statement produced his long signed statement he became more communicative. The party of eighteen or twenty, he said, went across the fields and along the track to the switch, where elise a like amount from the Canada Cycle and Motor Company, if Jaf-fray took the \$20,000 as his own they lay on the ground, after pli-ing the tracks full of rocks to wreck the next car which should come

When the car from Waterville arrived and stopped, young Kenny, wore the band made a dash for it. He did not approach very near, but he saw the masked forms reach the platform, and then a second later there was darkness and only the hoarse voices of the assailants and the cries of the men were to

Theobald Chatran, the French artist, will exhibit at the coming Salon, his portrait of President Ropsevelt.

ALBANIANS IN REVOLT ATTACKED THE TURKS.

They Were Repulsed With Great Loss After Heavy Fighting.

the disturbances in North Albania show the revolt which has broken out there is a very serious disturbance. Several thousand armed Albanlans surrounded the town of Vucsteen, on the Mitrovitza-Uskub Railroad, March 29, and demanded the surrender of cleven Servian gen-darmes who had been enlisted in hecordance with the reform plans. The Governor surrendered the Servians, who were bound and taken to Prislina, after having been maltreated. A number of the Servian inhabitants and bands of Albanians later surrounded Mitrovitza, and serious fighting ensued with the Turkith garrison, consisting of three thousand troops. consisting of three thousand troops.

The fighting continued until March 20, when the Albanians were repulsed, with great loss. Heavy reinpulsed, with great loss. Heavy reinforcements have been ordered from the vilayet of Aidin, Asia Minor, and other places, to suppress the rebel-

Constantinople, April 6 .- Details of | Servia, who are fleeing towards Ser-

A panic has occurred at Prilep in consequence of the growing farati-sism of the Albanians against the Christians. The latter have closed their shops and schools, and are preparing to seek refuge at Mona-stir. Numbers of Christians have been murdered in the Prilep district

during the past few days.

Considerable apprehension is felt at the Russian embassy for the safety of M. Stroherbina, consul of Russia at Mitrovitza. The outbreak made a great impression at the palace. The Sultan was intensely exercised, and pressures year impredicted taken. and measures were immediately taken to watch the two Albanian battal-ions belonging to the Imperial guard on duty at the Yildiz Kiosk in order to prevent disorder at the palace. The Russian ambassador at Con-

Fears Well Grounded

A despatch to the Neue Freie Presse from Belgrade, Servia, says M. Stelerbina, the Russian Consul at The Albanian rising has caused a Mitrovitsa, i.as been wounded panic among the Christians of Old the back.

"HORSE DINNER" COST JUST \$200 A PLATE.

New York Pastor Denounces the Criminal Folly and Extravagance.

New York, April 6.—That the equestrian banquet at Sherry's on Saturday night, at which C. K. G. Billings was the host, eclipsed all dinner innovations is freely admitted.

The frequenters of Delmonico's, the conductive one can be society, are running wild. When the stoppage will come as come it must—or how it will come one can tell. The frequenters of Delmonico's, the The frequenters of Delmonico's, the Waldorf, the Cafe Martin and every other place in town where epicures men in Wall street are seenting the most do congregate, all agree that this was the most remarkable dinner party ever given in the metropolis.

The actual use of mettlesome thorses a chairs for the directors are chairs for the directors. The actual use of mettlesome horses as chairs for the dinners was "the Almit."

banquet room. Portable troughs were installed, mounting blocks built and covered with red velour and rustic scenery provided. It took two score of mechanics three days to transform the banquet hall to a rural barnyard and stable with contiguous conservatory. The cost is estimated at about \$200 a cover. though the edibles and liquids did

not cost more than \$15 per capita.

Speaking of social extravagances of this sort, the Rev. Donald Sage Mackay predicted that the career of extravagance in living, which he said New Yorkers had been following for the last five years, will end in social and moral catastrophe. "Nowhere is the complex life of

A new floor was laid in the big Pacific.

"There can be no life of worthy thought where existence is loaded thought where existence is loaded down with the vulgarities of luxury. The two most illiterate classes in so-The two most illiterate classes in society to-day are the abject poor, who by necessity must think of the needs of the body, and, therefore, can think of nothing else, and the idle rich, who by choice devote every hour of the day to the trivial problem of what they shall eat and what they shall drink and wherewithal they, shall be clothed.

"New York becomes every evening a vast Vanity Fair, where irrational and too often degraded pleasure lures men and women by the thousand to its gilded shrine, and before that shrine high thinking and plain living are nightly immolated."

Claims He Was Left Out in Bicycle Combine.

Toronto report- A suit arising out of the formation of the Canada out of the formation of the Canada Cycle and Motor Company is being tried before Mr. Justice Britton in the non-jury high court. Fred. S. Evans, who started the Canada Typograph Company in Windsor, which turned out the first typesetting machines in Canada, is the plaintiff. He is suing Robert M. Jaffray, editor of the Galt Reporter; Senator Cox, E. B. Ryckman, Warren Y. Soper, Senator L. Melvin Jones, Chester D. Massey, J. H. Houser, and Mrs. Suske Massie, executors and executrix of the late W. E. H. Massey, Evans claims that in 1889 he and Evans claims that in 1889 he and Jaffray formulated a big scheme to buy up all the bicycle factories in Canada, they to divide equally what Canada, they to divide equally what profits were made. Six bicycle concerns went into the comb nation, viz. the Welland Valz, Gould, Lozier, Massey-Harris and the E. & D. The interprise which was manufactured by Evans' typograph factory. The price which was agrised to be paid for the six factories was \$300,000. Then the Canada Cycle and Motor Company was formed and took over the affairs of the Evans-Jaffray combination. Jaffray was paid \$-0.000 for his share, but Evans' action is to get half Jaffray's \$20,000, or else a like amount from the Canada

Mr. Evans, in his evidence said that through his efforts Senator Sanford and William Hendrie agreed to Invest \$100.000 in the new company. Mr. Jaffray then secured options on the Gendron, Welland Vale and Gould properties, while the Massey-Harris Company wanted \$500,000 cash for their bicycle business, and refused to go into the new concern. The de-fendants paid \$900,000 for the pro-perties, which they afterwards sold to the Canada Cycle and Motor Company for \$2.500,000 preferred stock

EVANS WANTS HIS SHARE. nection with Jaffray or not be taken was told he must give up his coninto the business. He refused to do this, and the combine was formed without him. without him. He and Jaffray pected to make \$150,000 out of the

transaction.
The evidence of Mr. Gould, of the Bicycle Combine.

Gould Bicycle Company, Brantford, and Mr. Dusseau, of the Gendron Company, was also given yesterday, and by consent the evidence given by Mr. J. T. Johnston in his action against Mr. Jaffray in connection with the promotion of the amalgamation was also read.

The lawyers engaged in the case The lawyers engaged in the case are Messrs. F. A. Anglin, K. C., W. M. Douglass, K. C., and J. E. O'Conror, of Windsor, who appear for the plaintiff; Mr. Robt. Mackay for Mr. Jaffray: Mr. S. H. Blake, K. C., and Mr. C. W. Kerr for Messrs. Cox, Ryckman and Soper, and Mr. George H. Watson, K. C., with Mr. S. C. Smoke, for Senator L. Melvin Jones and the Massey estate.

Massey estate.

The case is likely to court for a day or two. The plaintiff's evidence will probably be concluded this morning.

RIOTING AT MILAN.

Socialists Protest Against Arrest of Alleged Conspirator.

Rome, April 6.—A despatch to the Popolo Romani from Milan says a violent demonstration occurred there yesterday evening, following a Socialist meeting called to protest against the arrest of Michael Goetz, a Russian at Naples, March 26th, on the charge of being im-plicated in a plot to kill the Czar during his approaching visit to

A mob of about a hundred Socialists proceeded to the Russian Con sulate at Milan, singing a Socialist hymn and shouting, "Down with

The police attempted to disperse the honer attempted to disperse the Socialists, and during the fight-ing which followed a stone was hurled at the escutcheons on the Consulate. Its flagstaff was brok-en, a police officer was injured, and four men were arrested.

A force of troops and constabulary. nany for \$2.500,000 preferred stock of \$3,000,000 common stock.

Mr. Evans stated that Senator Cox Maint, March 31, the band of compared to him as a promoter between the stock and routed on the shore of Lake.

Maint, March 31, the band of compared to the stock and ladrones who recently atobjected to him as a promoter because of his connection with Typograph Company, and that he of Surigac, Island of Mindanso.

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The Rose and Lily Dagger

A TALE OF WOMAN'S LOVE AND WOMAN'S PERFIDY & & &

standing it would entail a further extension of credit to procure a

brow cleared somewhat, and he

face, but she was not embarrassed.

in the small room even than hattad looked on the bridge when she had first seen him; and though he was

dressed somewhat after the style fa dressed somewhat after the styll la-vored by a country squire, in gray Melton coat with breeches and gai-ters, there was the air of a man of fashon about him. He took her hand and looked at her fixedly for

had hoped to find Major Deleine at home," he said, as he sat down on the chair Bridget had ner-

Eigine glanced at the clock on the mantelshelf—she did not possess a

Prince of Wales himself.

vously placed for him.

suitbale dress for Elaine

"I-1 assure you, Miss Inchley," he them the marquis figured to some stammered. "Laugh at you! I never thought of such a thing: I—I think it is a very beautiful idea. Quite poether, and attacked them with her the s.re. m. It must be very lonely for you at the Castie, especially when the marquis is away. He is here now, isn't he?' he added, looking down.
"Yes; he is at home now; but not for very long, I hope."
"You don't like him?" he said, especially when the marquist in the major seemed to have spent ance, and attacked them with ner customary cheerfulness.

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The major seemed to have spent ance, and the said, especially when the marquist is away. He is here now, is a bad night, judging by his appearance, and the batch of letters increased his gloom. There was one long blue envelope which Elaine noticed the said of the said.

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Fanny fixed her grave eyes on him.

"I don't think any one could like, respect, his lordship, Captain Sherwin," she said.

"He's right down bad, eh?" suggested the captain.

Miss Liachley shook her head, then turned it aside.

"I am afraid the marquis is a very wicked man, Captain Sherwin."

They decided to attend, notwithvery wicked man, Captain Sherwin."

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"I am afraid the marquis is a very wicked man, Captain Sherwin."
"Yes, you're right, I know;" he "I've just had a letter from those miserable lawyers in Lincoln's Iun about that—that money I borrow-But I do not see anything of him,

of course. I keep out of his way when he is here, and he does not about know that such a person exists as ed,"

know that such a person exists as my humble self."

"Quite right," he said, with approval. "And—and you come down here very often, Miss inculey?"

"Yes," said Fanny, with charming innocence. "I like this time best, because it is all so still. The birds sing more softly, and it is all so o per cent—" He stopped and stammered, remembering that the letter had reminded him politely that the last year's interest had not yet been paid. "Never mind, dear," said Elaine; sing more softly, and it is all so

"So it is," he said. Then he ven-tured on a step further. She really was a most charming girl, and was "Never mind, dear," said Elaine;
"we shall find the money somehow
or somewhere. Shall I write to
them?"
The major caught at her offer
with alacrity.

with pretty candor.
The captain glowed with pleased

with alacrity.

"I wish you would," he said. "You always seem to know what to say, whereas, I—well, I get wild and nasty. Confound their impudence! Yes, you write to them," and his "And—and perhaps I may be so fortunate as to meet you again. Who

knows?"
Fanny blushed prettily, and shook her head.
"Oh—" She gave a little start, and with a cigar between his lips, the start, and the delay a dropped her flow, stroll.

"Oh—" She gave a little start, and in doing so dropped her flowers. "That is the half-hour beli. I must go. My aunt will be angry with me for staying out so late."
The captain could do no less than pick up the flowers, and in restoring them to the little delicate hands her fingers touched his, and almost got entwined with them.
She blushed again, smiled—half laughed—hyly, and then with a girlish, embarrassed little bow, tripped away and crossed the bridge.

"It's the—the marquis, miss!" she gaping mouth.
"It's the-the marquis, miss!" she

The captain stood looking after her for a moment or two—he didn't mind looking at the bridge so much now—then got on his horse and Nairne behind the startled Bridget, and the startled Bridget, says of the says of the startled Bridget, says of the says of the

who had been too flustered to say anything but "Walk in, sir," and she came forward to greet him.

There was a delicious blush on her was a brute for not noticing her.
Of course I remember her—danced
like a seraph. Housekeeper's niece. of course I remember her—danced if he was a marquis she was a lady, like a seraph. Housekeeper's niece.

Too good for that, ever so much. Yes, I should like to meet her if the visitor had proved to be the property of the p

again,"

If anyone had stopped Captain tain he who do you do. Lord Nairne?" she said, giving him her soft, cool hand—the scissors still hanging on the finger of her left.

He looked tailer and more stalwart If anyone had stopped Captain Sherwin and asked him what he really intended, he would not have been able to give an answer. Marry Miss Inchley, the housekeeper's nice? Scarcely! Marriage was out of the question, but—well, a fiirtation with such a refined, poetical little thing wouldn't be at all unpleasant, and when he grew tired of it——Well, time enough to think of that hereafter. ough to think of that hereafter.

CHAPTER VI. That night, Elaine, just before retiring, drew aside the dimity eartains from her window, and looked out over the valley. The moon was nearly it its fall, and the scene was bothed in a flood of mellow light which transformed it into a perfect Eden. From her window she looked down upon the winding stream, the

expecting him every moment, I wonder you did not meet him—if you
walked up from the Castle."
"I walked up, yes," he said.
He did not add that he had come to
inquire about her health after the
scene of yesterday, but as Elaine got
rid of the scissors, and began to fold
up the nun's veiling, said;
"I'm afraid I've disturbed you.
Please don't allow me to do so, or

Please don't allow me to do so, or I shall think myself de trop." "You have not disturbed me in the ast," she said with her bright bile. "I was just going to cut out dress-that was all.'

a dress—that was all."
"A dress!" he said. "It will be a very pretty one, I should think."
"I hope so," she said. "It is for the ball on the twenty-first." "The ball?" he said.
"Yes," said Elaine. "It is the Town

"Yes," said Elaine. "It is the Town Ball; we always go. It is a very good ball, and I enjoy it very much."
"I didn't know anything about it," he said. "They haven't sent me an invitation." And he smiled. Elaine could scarcely retort, "Be-cause they didn't care to waste a circular and a stamp," and he went

on:
"It is a long time since I went to a damee."
"I think you would like this one," said Elaine, for the sake of saying

comething.
"I'm afraid not," he responded. "The last ball I was at—it was at St. Pet-ersburg—I trod on a lady's dress. She Empress. Her brother called me an English bear, and with the laudable intention of putting an end to such an uncomfortable animal called me out and shot me in the shoulder." Elaine colored, and laughed softly.

'We are not so savage here,' "You can tread upon any numher of ladies' dresses with impunity. I should not care to go to such a serious business as a ball at St.Petersburg. Were you g ad that you did not shoot the lady's brother?"

He smiled grimly. 'Am I to tell the truth?" he said. Elaine laughed. "It's always best to do that," she

don't know that," he retorted. torted. "But I'll tell it now—for once. I was rather sorry, when I felt the sting of the onlet, that I had—missed him" (he had fired in the air), "but the regret didn't last the air), "but the regret didn't has long. The poor young fellow was going to be married, so that I had my revenge by letting him live."

"I see," said Elaine. "It was a terrible revenge. He lived, and was unhappy ever afterward. Is that the end of the story?"

"Yes "it is said." "Sanyady, though,"

"Yes," he said. "Scarcely, though. We met two years afterward in Paris and he was good enough to take me by the arm-the arm he had shot -and ask me to dine at the embassy with him."

(To be Continued.)

AN OPEN LETTER TO MOTHERS.

We are permitted to make public the following letter, which is a fair sample of hundreds written by moththroughout Canada praising 's Own Tablets:
Dunbar, Ont., March 18, 1903.

Several weeks ago my baby was very cross and ill owing to troubles umon to children when testling. A correspondent highly recommended Eaby's Own Tablets, saying she would use no other medicine for her baby. I sent for a box, used them according to directions and must say that I have found them the best medicine for a teething child I have ever tried. One Tablet every other day keeps my baby well and I am sure of my rest at night. I eelo the words of my friend and say "they are just splendid." Mrs. Charles Willard.

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"The United States Are.

Harper's Weekly. It seems to be practically impossible to convince some persons of what ought to be self-evident, namely, that the text of the Constitution of the United States cannot be altered or amended in the slightest particular except by the machinery for amended in particular particular except by the machinery for amended in particular except by the machinery for a particular except by the machinery emendation expressly provided the text of the document itself. be regarded as a plural or as a sinne regarded as a pural of as a singular noun has been definitely settled by the Committee on Revision of the Laws, which, it seems, in reviewing the Federal Statutes, has presumed to decide that the United States is, No committee of either House of Congress has the power noise of Congress and the power to decide the question, nor would an act of Congress possess the requisite authority. That question is settled by the Constitution itself.

* * The last time when the diction of our Federal, organic law could be charged in the minutest par-ticular, except by a constitutional amendment, was when, in the last days of the Philadelphia Convention, the document was referred to the committee on style. In the text re-

ported by that committee, and adopted by the convention, the term "United States" is a plural noun; and so it must remain until the Legislatures or State conventions of three-fourths of the States shall device of the states with the legislatures. cree otherwise. We may add that had cree otherwise. We may add that had I the committee on style 'ventured to make the "United States" a singular noun, the change would have forthwith provoked protest from the Philadelphia Conveation, for the renson that the whole theory of State Rights would have been obviously interest. The Convintintian would not state the state of the convention of t rights would have been obviously involved. The Constitution would never have been adopted by the requisite majority—nine States—had the term descriptive of the proposed confederation, to wit, the "United States," been made a singular noun.

Great Discovery. Harold-Well, Percy, did you find gasoline a good remedy for chapped

Percy-Splendid! Not only did it ballroom detected the smell and ught I lowned an automobile. Chicago News.

CHANGE IN MOURNING DRESS. Tendency Toward the Lighter Styles is Observed.

AN STREET FOR THE STREET STREET (Chicago Chronicle).

One so frequently sees the an-nouncement that the latest styles in "fashionable mourning" will be prepared at a day's notice. There perhaps no good reason why mourning should not be made with some attention to the requirements of the mode in vogue, but there has always seemed something extremely incongruous in the terms "fashionable mourning." A woman who wears black for the loss of someone near and dear to her need not necessarily make herself a dowdy in order to express her grief. It is not essential that her clothes should be so antiquated in cut, so wretched in fit as to attract attention, simply because sorrow has come to her, but there is something not altogether fitting in the fact that the garments, which indicate that the wearer has sustained a great loss, one which time can only soften, not obliterate, should be models of the latest and most extreme fad in fashionable attire. The term "fashionable mourning" carries with it a sense of unfitness, of insincerity, of lack of depth of feeling. One cannot quite imagine that the grief is very profound when so much attention can be given to the planning. able mourning." A woman who wears not quite imagine that the grief is very profound when so much atten-tion can be given to the planning of elaborate costumes, from the con-struction of which not the minutest frill or tuck is omitted, when the crape is tortured into all manner of fanciful devices and scalloped and of fanciful devices and scantoped that plaited into the most effective ar-rangements which the modiste can devise, Billows of crape do not in-dicate sorrow, neither do modish bonnets and swell hats which dif-fer from the most dressy headgear fer from the most dressy headgear of the season only by the absence of color. There is always such an air of seeking after effect in the extremely swell mourning gowns that one loses sight of the sorrowful fact which they proclaim and one begins to feel that vanity and nothing else has been responsible for

nothing else has been responsible for the chic creation. Gowns Should be Simple. If ever gowns should be charac the most absolute simplicity in make and trimming ti.e which is donned under cumstances of b.reavement should be the ones so marked. There are so many simple and pretty models quite suitable to: this style of dress that ond is not obliged to resort to elaborate schemes of trimming or sutting in order to produce a becoming and proper effect. Sorrow is not ex-pressed by dowdiness nor by slovenliness. The weman in mourning should thred in a costume which suits her figure and which is serviceable and indylike. It is the unnecessary de-corations, the extremes of style, the

arable in a gown intended for every-icay wear, since crape is aftected by moisture and is easily spoiled. The long heavy veil which was in vogue some years ago has passed out of use. It was cumbersome, unhealthy and very uncomfortable to wear. Lighter, shorter veils, either wear. Lighter, shorter vells, either of crape or nuns' veilings are used instead and are simply arranged upon the bonnet. When a hat is worn the heavy black B-ussels not edged with heavy black B-ussels not edged with heavy black being of black chiffon is

of craps; they should not be picture if the should be a guile in the mritter of mourning as well as a sense of the appropriate.

who covered the crowd couldn't have kept looking directly into the eyes of more than ten men strung along the wall at the side of the mourning as well as a sense of the appropriate.

mourning as well as a sense of the appropriate.

Cut Down Time of Mourning.
Nowadays the tendency seems to be to cut down the time of mourning or to dispense with it altogether.

Life is too short to go into mourning ing." is the cry, and consequently at the dead are put out of sight, and as quickly as passible out of mind an aquickly as passible out of mind and an aquickly as passible out of mind an aquickly and an aquickly as passible out of mind an aquickly and an aquickly a appropriate.

To Fool Mary Ann. Philadelphia Press.

Dealer—These are the most beau-tiful cut-glass tumblers we have; Mrs. Housekeep-I'll take them, but I want you to label them "Seconds. Imitation cut glass, \$1.59 a dozen."

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THE HOLD-UP MAN'S EYES.

(New York Sun.)

"Occasionally you read accounts of how two or three especially daring men have held up a crowd of armed men in a gambling house, or some other place where those present might be supposed to be capable of taking care of themselves, said the ex-travelling man. "Mos persons think that the crowd held

up are lacking in courage.
"I was once in such a mix-up, so understood the real reason for the success of such hold-up parties until I stood before the picture of a man in a mask which han one of the art galleries of the

ican at Rome. "Some years ago my business took me into one of the typical western boom towns. I was in a gambling room there one night when I heard the sharp command from the doorway:

'Hands up ! "Standing in the door were two masked men and both had revolvers in each hand and were covering the crowd. At that time I would have sworn that both of the corations, the extremes of styre, the attempt to cat a dash in such clothing which is deprecated. Street gowns should be of good material, well made and properly cut. They may have a trimming of crape, if one so disires, but this is scarcely desirable in a gown intended for every-learning the covered as pointing their guide explained the Vatican picture to me I felt doubtful about this. But the explanation about this. But the explanation came a long time later. At the particular moment of the holl-up I didn't have the least doubt that I

was covered. . "The robbers got what they wanted and escaped. I was surpris-

heavy black B-ussels not edged with crupo or folds of black chiffon is used as a face veil. Very much as the chiffon veils are used at present, with the exception that the net mourning veil is usually worn over the face instead of being thrown back over the hat brim. These veils reach to the shoulders and hang loose at the best.

my fellow vietims down as some-what in the nature of bluffs, in-tended to cover their lack of cour-tended to cover their lack of cour-then I have felt like a new person.

ing to keep his hinds up when you know that the owner of the eyes which appear to be looking straight into yours has a loaded revolver in his hand, and is perfectly willing to

his hand, and is perfectly willing to use it.

"After I saw the Vatican picture and leard the explanation of the effect it produced I could easily believe that every man, who was caught in that gambling from holding at least believed that the man with the gun was looking directly at him. So it was not really a lack mis the ladies would make a fuss over of courage that had prevented any me, and set can all the lost things

RAW EGGS.

Making Them Palatable for an Invalid -Simple Egg Nog.

When raw eggs are ordered for an invalid to whom they are ob-jectionable, make as palatable as-possible by having the egg as oold as one can make it, and then serve it from a cold glass as soor as it is opened, writes a physician wife in "What to Eat." Of course it is use-

is opened, writes a physician which in "What to Eat." Of course it is uscless to serve any save perfectly fresh eggs.

If the white alone is to be taken it should be beaten with a whist until very stiff and frothy, then seasoned with salt or sugar, whichever is preferred, and eaten with a spoon. This can be flavored with a few drops of brandy if the patient likes the taste.

Some who object to an egg beaten in a glass of milk sweetened and flavored, can take the egg if the sugar is omitted and the flavoring extract replaced by brandy.

A spoonful of rich, thick cream added to the white of an egg beaten stiff and flavored with a spoonful of brandy is palatable and nutritious for an invalid or anyone whose health is slightly impaired. A good "pick-me-up" is needed in every family from time to time, and wise people understand that it is far jetter to spend a little time and trouble in this way rather than to reter to spend a little time and trou-hle in this way rather than to re-sort to stimulants of any klnd.

An egg, heaten in a cup, and the cup filled with coffee, should be given to one with a jaded appetite for hreakfast. Stir the egg rapidly while pouring the coffee over it to prevent its curdling. Cream or milk and sugar should then be added as

THE SPRING FEELING.

Weariness, Lassitude and a Desire to Avoid Exertion

There are few people who have not experienced what is aptly termed the spring feeling. Languor and weniness, loss of appetite, of indigestion, pinples and irritation of the skin. They all come with the spring. All these i.is are bunished by D., Williams' Pink Pills. They enrich the blood, brace up the nerves mourning veil is usually worn over the face instead of being thrown back over the hat brim. These veils reach to the shoulders and hang loose at the back.

The hats worn are usually medium in size, and may be of crape or silk, of felt or straw, trimmed with folds of crape; they should not be picture if ats nor abruptly rolled in the brim nor in any manner suggestive of a seeking after effect. Good taste is seeking after effect or straw, trimmed with folds of the seeking after effect. Good taste is seeking the seeking and the en looking for a and cherm away all spring wearliness. The blood, best tonic necigine in the world. They make new, rich, red blood; strengthen men and women and my ke the roses of health bloom on pall deferm away all spring wearliness. The seeking and the end of the masked man in the doorway had been looking for a distance to draw his gun, but the masked man in the doorway had been looking for a distance to draw and the end of the mask ed man in the doorway had been looking for a did cherk in the blood; They make new, rich here to be to incess or will ness to incess or wil frequently have to its down. My ap-petite was poor and food distaste-fal. To ten suffered from beed teles, and the feast exercion left me com-pletely used up. I used a few boxes

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So eat which I came to see them,



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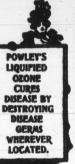
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Dyspepsia

Constantly Hungry, William Le Mesurier, of Montreal, Dare Not Eat, and Existence Became Truly Miserable.

Then He Heard of Powley's Liquified Ozone-The Disease Germs Were Soon Destroyed and After Tak-

ing Four Bottles He Was Completely Cured.



have been a great sufferer from dys-pepsia for 10 years. Sharp cutting pains and constant hunger made my existence truly Sharp cutting pains and constant hunger made my existence truly miserable, while flatulency augmented the trouble. Despite all efforts to overcome this distressing condition it continued until August last, when I heard of Powley's Liquified Ozone. I have used four bothad can now est any-

iles of the Ozone and can now eat any

thing.

I would strongly recommend it to every sufferer, as I understand it applies alike to all germ disease. (Signed)
WILLIAM LE MESURIER,



t Does Not Matter How Chronic Your Case of Dyspepsia May Have Become Ozone Will Certainly Cure You.

Certainly Cure You.

The action of Powley's Liquified Ozone in cases of Dyspepsia is peculiar. With some there is almost immediate relief and the patient commences to get well at once. With others the first few doses cause nausea and the patient seems to get worse. This is merely an indication that Ozone is doing its work, but that the case is a severe one, and that there is greater difficulty in destroying the disease germs. Later the symptoms of distress become less pronounced and atfewer intervals until they cease altogether, when there is rapid improvement and the patient is soon entirely cured. There is one thing certain, however, and that is that it does not matter what the first effects of Ozone may be, if persisted in there is no case of dyspepsia that it will not cure, and when we say cure we mean cured for all time to come. This has been proven so often and so thoroughly that it has become an absolute certainty.

The following are extracts from a few of the many letters received, testifying as to the curative qualities of

W. L. ADAMS

428 Wellesley street, Toronto, says.
"I had dyspepsia for years. Good
physicians and advertised cures did
me no good. I was advised to by
Ozone." Three bettles oned me no
my digestion is perfect. I feel
that it was a God-send in my case."

MRS. JOSEPH ROY, 266 St. Dominique st., Montreal, says:
"For six years. I was troubled with indigestion, heartburn and neuralgia and used many medicines without obtaining any relief. Two months age I commenced taking Ozone and after taking four bottles I am happy to say I am cured. I have an excellent appetite and can eat anything I wish."

E. J. DOYLE,

E. J. DOYLE,

58 Percy street, Ottawa, says: "For
ten years I suffered from stomach
trouble and after trying all sorts of
treatments was thoroughly discour
aged. It was, therefore, with con
siderable doubt that I was induced to
try Powley's Liquified Ozone. In s
short time I was better and soon gained
23 pounds in weight. I am working
every day and feel well and hearty,
with not a trace of dyspepsia left. M;
wife and daughter were also muca
benefitted by Ozone and I am sure
saved the latter's life."

MISS JESSIE THOMPSON,

MISS JESSIE THOMPSON,
River street, Torontc, says: "For four
years I suffered from ulcerated stomack
with frequent hemmorhages. I was
treated by the best physicians besides
taking many different remedies, but
continued to get worse. I was advised
to try Powley's Liquified Ozone and
did so, carefully fellowing directions.
In a shert time there was a remarkable improvement in my condition.
The hemmorhages ceased, my strength
returned and I was much improved in
every way."
In buying be sure to get Powley's
Liquified Ozone. It is seld only by
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Frice, 50 cents and \$1.00 per bottle.
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ALL THE NEWS OF THE TOWN

Dr. Dowaley, of Frankville, was a caller in Athens on Sunday last.

"The People's Column of st

Mr. C. E. Howe, in writing the

section commenced plowing over two

Ont., Provincial Inspector of Apiaries, paid Athens a visit last week. In the

The members of Farmersville Lodge

The hour of service will be 11 a.m.

The Eastern Ontario Dairymen's

Association have conferred a deserved honor on Mr. A. H. Wilson, of

tunste in selecting their other in-structors, the success of at least one feature of the new system is assured.

An Athenian, who evidently be

lieves in the Quaker idea that an

unbarred door is man's best protection,

weeks ago.

adv'ts is unusually interesting week. Read it.

The new time-table of the B. & W. Brockville's rate of taxation is 24 appears in this issue of the Reporter. mills on the dollar, an increase of 2 Mr. H. C. Phillips, assessor, re-turned his roll to day, and it is now mills over last year.

—H. H. Arnold is showing a beautiful range of kid gloves for Easter, in all the new and fashionable shades.

These requiring the services of a painter or paper-hanger should read adv't in "The People's Column."

The W. F. M. S. of St. Paul's Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. T. Cadwell on Thursday

gave birth to a daughter.

In the case of Stone v. Brown tried on Monday last the saw-mill of Mr. at Picton assizes last week, a verdict in favor of the plaintiff was given for entirely destroyed by fire. It in favor of the plaintiff was given for \$1,500, with costs of the court and costs of the examination for discovery.

Invitations are out for the marriage is the third mill that has come burned

of Miss Hattie Poyser, daughter of Rev. G. C. Poyser, of Three Rivers, to Capt. Wm. J. Pollock, at the residence of Reeve Harkness, in Iroquois, on April 15th.

The annual thank offering meeting of the W. M. S. of the Methodist church will be held on the afternoon of Good Friday, commencing at 3 p. m.

An exchange says: "A man who squeezes a dollar never squeezes his all are invited to attend. The offerwife," and then adds, "Looking over our subscription list we are led to believe that some awfully good women Columbia. are not getting the pressure they deserve."

Last week Mr. E. A. Geiger, superintendent of the B. & W., went to
An interesting session of the local
court of the LO.F. was held on Tues freight cars for the line. A new coach

day evening. Mr. G. M. Elliot, D.S. and two combinations cars are shortly C.R., who had been assisting the local organizer, Mr. John R. Tye, for a couple of days, was present and delivered an excellent address on matters away.

cows to Mr. Bracken, of Seeley's Bay, date of March 30, says: "We are all His successor is Mr. B. T. W. Howe, in writing the Reporter from Rosser, Man., under date of March 30, says: "We are all well and beginning to the His successor is Mr. P. F. Yates, who has completed all arrangements for supplying the people of Athens with milk, and will make his first trip to morrow (Thursday) morning.

The business card of Curry's Drug Store, Brockville, appear on this page of the Reporter. It is a most com-plete establishment, in which an ex-—Chas. Jamieson, a graduate of the Brockville Business College, has a situation as stenographer with the C.

plete establishment, in which an extensive business is done. A large stock, courteous attention and careful filling of orders are securing for it an ever-increasing patronage.

The new show roow of Measrs. Ross & Earl, next door to Mr. H. Arnold's, opened to-day. Miss Angeline Wiltse is in attendance, prepared to demonstrate the capabilities of Singer sewing machines, and Miss Belle. Mr. sewing machines, and Miss Belle, Mr. Earl's bright little daughter, introduces the music of pianos and organs to customers.

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Mr. E. Robeson, of Hard Island, dist church on Sunday, April 26th.

-Mr. E. Robeson, of Hard Island, who is agent for the McAllister Millwho is agent for the McAllister Milling Co., of Peterborough, unloaded a carload of their provender here Monday and expects to unload another on Saturday. The quality of these articles appears to give good satisfaction to farmers and the moderate prices cause rapid sales. Provender \$21 per and the pastor of the church, Rey. W.
E. Reynolds, will deliver the sermon.
The members of Delta lodge have been invited to attend, and other visiting brethren will be welcomed. cause rapid sales. Provender, \$21 per ton and shorts the same. Sacks in-

Athens, in appointing him one of the instructors under the new syndicate Mr. Robert C. Latimer, of Rock spring, is credited by the Times with moving to secure the abolition of the toll-gates in Elizabethtown, A petition is to be circulated and presented to the township council. Should the association have been equally forto the township council. Should Elizabethtown succeed in reforming itself in this particular, we may then expect that it will do its whole duty in helping to make the Farmersville Plank Road a free highway.

For. several weeks, Miss Miriam Green, A.T.C.M., has been preparing her pupils for the presentation of the cantata, "Meadowsweet," and has now fixed the date of the entertainment for Thursday, April 23. The Brockville Ladies' Mandolin and Guitar Club and Mr. J. J. Gardiner, of Brockville, will contribute to the programme. The proceeds are for the Athens Public Library Fund. Full particulars will be given next week. For. several weeks, Miss Miriam foliage plants.

Mr. Ardie Parish is visiting friends in Athens at present. He is employed in the painting department of the Frost & Wood Co. Smith's Falls, and his holiday just now is due to the strike of the iron-workers.

In St. Paul's Presbyterian church on Sunday evening last Rev. Mr. Friz-zell completed his series of sermons on great men of the past by a talk on "Moses thellaw-giver and leader." Next Sabbath he will preach a special

-Don't fail to visit Fisher's Carriag Factory if you are in need of a thor-oughly reliable and up-to-date jeb. The best wheels (which are one of the James T. Gallagher, Newboro, has been appointed a notary public for the province of Ontario. main features of a good carriage) are always and ever found in my carriages. A large stock to select from —D. —For carpets, lace curtains, curtain poles, window shades, and other housefornishings, try H. H. Arnold's.

K Bishop Mills has offered the rector ship of Oxford Mills to Rev. Mr home of Mrs. T. Cadwell on Thursday atternoon at 8 o'clock.

—B. W. Falkner will make photographs in Westport every Friday until further notice. Athens Gallery will be closed on that day only. 13.14

—There is no better place to buy boots and shoes than at H. H. Arn-The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church will meet at the bome of Mrs. I. C. Alguire on Thurs

There is no better place to buy boots and shoes than at H. H. Arnold's. A large stook of men's, women's and children's at rock bottom prices.

Mr. A. M. Ferguson, of Elbe Mills, at the home of Miss Angeline Wiltse on Friday last to partake of the fruit of the sugar maple and enjoy a general juryman. Mrs. Judson accompanied him to town, and is the guest of Mrs. S. Powell.

Rev. C. W. Service, B.A., M.D., Methodist Missionary in Western China, writes to the Methodist mission

China, writes to the Methodist mission

The methodist church on Easter Sunday the services will be of a appropriate discourse will be delivered appropriate discourse will be delivered announced that something "sweet" announced that something the services will be delivered the services will be deli It was a happy party that gathered at the home of Miss Angeline Wiltse on Friday last to partake of the fruit where the chiking of silverware and china and the smacking of lips soon announced that something "sweet" was being enjoyed. The guests de-parted at an early hour wishing their appropriate discourse will be delivered by the pastor, and in the evening a song service will be held. ostess many happy returns for the elightful evening's entertainment delightful

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date of March 30, says: "We are all well and beginning to think about work again, as it is shaping like spring now." From this it would appear sq. vd.

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